

# Safety Data Sheet

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture

Product name : Ammonium Hydroxide, 5.0N (5.0M)

Product code : LC11110

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture : For laboratory and manufacturing use only.

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 or 011-703-527-3887

### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### **GHS-US** classification

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Eye Irrit. 2A H319 STOT SE 3 H335 Aquatic Acute 2 H401

### 2.2. Label elements

# **GHS-US** labelling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)



Signal word (GHS-US) : Warning

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

H401 - Toxic to aquatic life

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P261 - Avoid breathing mist, vapours, spray

P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P273 - Avoid release to the environment P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection

P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

P304+P340 - IF INHALED: remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable

for breathing

P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P312 - Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

P405 - Store locked up

P501 - Dispose of contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations

# 2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the : None under normal conditions.

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classification

### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS-US)

No data available

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

#### 3.2 Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	91.15	Not classified
Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w	(CAS No) 1336-21-6	8.85	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Aquatic Acute 1, H400

# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice

(show the label where possible).

First-aid measures after inhalation : Assure fresh air breathing. Allow the victim to rest.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation

occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to

do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Obtain medical assistance.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No additional information available

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any

chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

# 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Safety glasses. Gloves.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect

spillage. Store away from other materials.

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### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or

smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of

vapour.

Hygiene measures : Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep cool. Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong acids.

Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### 8.1. Control parameters

Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w (1336-21-6)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m³)	17 mg/m³
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	25 ppm
USA ACGIH	ACGIH STEL (mg/m³)	24 mg/m³
USA ACGIH	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	25 ppm
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m³)	35 mg/m³
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	50 ppm

# 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity

of any potential exposure. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Personal protective equipment : Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection : Chemical goggles or safety glasses.
Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection : Wear appropriate mask.

Other information : Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid Colour Colourless. Odour : Ammonia odour. Odour threshold No data available pН : No data available Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available Melting point No data available Freezing point : No data available **Boiling point** : No data available : No data available Flash point Self ignition temperature : No data available Decomposition temperature No data available Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available Vapour pressure : No data available Relative vapour density at 20 °C : No data available

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Relative density : No data available
Density : 0.96 g/ml
Solubility : No data available
Log Pow : No data available
Log Kow : No data available
Viscosity, kinematic : 1.17 cSt

Viscosity, dynamic : No data available
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidising properties : No data available
Explosive limits : No data available

# 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

# 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

# 10.5. Incompatible materials

Serious eye damage/irritation

Strong acids.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Gaseous ammonia.

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w (1336-21-6	5)
LD50 oral rat	350 mg/kg

Water (7732-18-5)		
LD50 oral rat	≥ 90000 mg/kg	
Skin corrosion/irritation	· Causes skin irritation	

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : May cause respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated : Not classified exposure)

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Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Potential Adverse human health effects and

symptoms

: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.

Likely routes of exposure : Inhalation; Skin and eye contact

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# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - water : Harmful to aquatic life.

Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w (1336-21-6)	
LC50 fishes 1	0.16 - 1.1 mg/l (96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss); Solution >=50%)
LC50 other aquatic organisms 1	1 - 10 mg/l (96 h; Solution >=50%)
LC50 fish 2	0.75 - 3.4 mg/l (96 h; Pimephales promelas; Solution >=50%)
TLM fish 1	47 ppm (48 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss); Cool water)
TLM fish 2	34 ppm (48 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss); Warm water)
Threshold limit other aquatic organisms 1	1 - 10,96 h; Solution >=50%

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Ammonium Hydroxide, 5.0N (5.0M)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w (1336-21-6)		
Persistence and degradability Readily biodegradable in water. Ozonation in water. Biodegradable in the soil. No (tes		
	on mobility of the components of the mixture available. Ozonation in the air.	

Water (7732-18-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Ammonium Hydroxide, 5.0N (5.0M)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w (1336-21-6)	
Log Pow	-1.3
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation: not applicable.

Water (7732-18-5)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

# 12.5. Other adverse effects

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of

contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with DOT

No dangerous good in sense of transport regulations

# **Additional information**

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### **ADR**

Transport document description

# Transport by sea

No additional information available

# Air transport

No additional information available

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# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

# 15.1. US Federal regulations

Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w (1336-21-6)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory Listed on SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)	
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists) :	1000 lb

# Water (7732-18-5)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

### 15.2. International regulations

### **CANADA**

Ammonium Hydroxide, 5.0N (5.0M)		
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects	
Ammonium Hydroxide, 28-30% w/w (1336-21-6)		
WHMIS Classification	Class E - Corrosive Material	
Water (7732-18-5)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Sustances List) inventory.		
WHMIS Classification Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria		

# **EU-Regulations**

No additional information available

# Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

# Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Not classified

# 15.2.2. National regulations

Water (7	7732-18-5)
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Not listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

# 15.3. US State regulations

No additional information available

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

Other information : None.

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
Hazardous to the aquatic environment — AcuteHazard, Category 1
Hazardous to the aquatic environment — AcuteHazard, Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2A
Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1A
Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity — Single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory tract irritation
Harmful if swallowed
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye irritation

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H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
H401	Toxic to aquatic life

NFPA health hazard : 2 - Intense or continued exposure could cause temporary

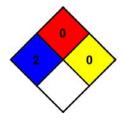
incapacitation or possible residual injury unless prompt

medical attention is given.

NFPA fire hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions,

and are not reactive with water.



# **HMIS III Rating**

Health : 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur

Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard

Personal Protection : B

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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