

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: AmVer™ High Range Ammonia Test 'N Tube™ Reagent
Catalog Number: 2607000

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(Medical and Transportation)
(303) 623-5716 24 Hour Service
(515)232-2533 8am - 4pm CST

MSDS Number: M01553
Chemical Name: Not applicable
CAS Number: Not applicable
Additional CAS No. (for hydrated forms): Not applicable
Chemical Formula: Not applicable
Chemical Family: Not applicable
Intended Use: Laboratory Use Determination of ammonium nitrogen

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This mixture is not classified as hazardous per GHS (UN publication ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3)

GHS Classification:

Hazard categories: Not applicable

GHS Label Elements:

Not applicable

Hazard statements: Not applicable

Precautionary statements: Not applicable

HMIS:

Health: 0

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 0

Protective Equipment: Not applicable

NFPA:

Health: 0

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 0

Symbol: Not applicable

WHMIS Hazard Classification: Not applicable

WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Components according to GHS:

Sodium Hydroxide

CAS Number: 1310-73-2

Chemical Formula: NaOH

GHS Classification: Met. Corr.1, H290; Skin Corr. 1A, H314; Aquatic Acute 3, H402

Percent Range (Trade Secret): < 0.1

Percent Range Units: weight / weight

PEL: 2 mg/m³

TLV: Not established

WHMIS Symbols: Acute Poison Corrosive
Sodium Salicylate

CAS Number: 54-21-7

Chemical Formula: C₇H₅O₃Na

GHS Classification: Acute Tox. Or1 4, H302; Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Dam. 1, H318; STOT Single 3, H335

Percent Range (Trade Secret): < 0.1

Percent Range Units: weight / weight

PEL: 15 mg/m³ as inhalable dust; 5 mg/m³ as respirable dust

TLV: 10 mg/m³ as inhalable dust; 3 mg/m³ as respirable dust

WHMIS Symbols: Other Toxic Effects

Hazardous Components according to GHS: No

Demineralized Water

CAS Number: 7732-18-5

Chemical Formula: H₂O

GHS Classification: Not a dangerous substance according to GHS.

Percent Range (Trade Secret): > 99.0

Percent Range Units: weight / weight

PEL: Not established

TLV: Not established

WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General Information: In the event of exposure, show this Material Safety Data Sheet and label (where possible) to a doctor.

Advice to doctor: Treat symptomatically.

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Call physician if irritation develops.

Skin Contact (First Aid): Wash skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Call physician if irritation develops.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air.

Ingestion (First Aid): Give large quantities of water. Call physician immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: Material will not burn.

Fire Fighting Instruction: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand and full protective gear. Evacuate area and fight fire from a safe distance.

Extinguishing Media: Use media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions

Extinguishing Media NOT To Be Used: Not applicable

Fire / Explosion Hazards: None reported

Hazardous Combustion Products: This material will not burn.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill Response Notice:

Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous substances may respond to a spill according to federal regulations (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120(a)(v)) and per your company's emergency response plan and guidelines/procedures. See Section 13, Special Instructions for disposal assistance. Outside of the US, only persons properly qualified according to state or local regulations should respond to a spill involving chemicals.

Containment Technique: Stop spilled material from being released to the environment.

Clean-up Technique: If permitted by regulation, Cover spilled material with a dry acid, such as citric or boric. Scoop up slurry into a large beaker. Adjust to a pH between 6 and 9 with an acid, such as sulfuric or citric. Flush reacted material to the drain with a large excess of water. Otherwise, Dispose of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations or laws.

Evacuation Procedure: Evacuate as needed to perform spill clean-up. If conditions warrant, increase the size of the evacuation.

DOT Emergency Response Guide Number: Not applicable

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Storage: Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

Flammability Class: Not applicable

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls: Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye Protection: safety glasses with top and side shields

Skin Protection: disposable latex gloves

Inhalation Protection: adequate ventilation

Precautionary Measures: Avoid contact with: eyes

TLV: Not established

PEL: Not established

For Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) for ingredients, see section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients.:

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Colorless liquid

Physical State: Liquid

Molecular Weight: Not applicable

Odor: None

Odor Threshold: Odorless

pH: 11

Metal Corrosivity:

Corrosivity Classification: Not determined

Steel: Not determined

Aluminum: Not determined

Specific Gravity/ Relative Density (water = 1; air =1): ~1.00

Viscosity: Not applicable

Solubility:

Water: Miscible

Acid: Miscible

Other: Not determined

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol / water): Not applicable

Coefficient of Water / Oil: Not applicable

Melting Point: Not determined

Decomposition Temperature: Not applicable

Boiling Point: ~ 100° C (~212° F)

Vapor Pressure: Not determined

Vapor Density (air = 1): Not determined

Evaporation Rate (water = 1): Not determined

Volatile Organic Compounds Content: Not applicable

Flammable Properties: Material will not burn.

Flash Point: Not applicable

Method: Not applicable

Flammability Limits:

Lower Explosion Limits: Not applicable
Upper Explosion Limits: Not applicable
Autoignition Temperature: Not applicable
Explosive Properties:
Not classified according to GHS criteria.
Oxidizing Properties:
Not classified according to GHS criteria.
Reactivity Properties:
Not classified as self-reactive, pyrophoric, self-heating or emitting flammable gases in contact with water according to GHS criteria.
Gas under Pressure:
Not classified according to GHS criteria.
Not classified as gas under pressure

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability: Stable when stored under proper conditions.
Mechanical Impact: None reported
Static Discharge: None reported.
Reactivity / Incompatibility: None reported
Hazardous Decomposition: None reported
Conditions to Avoid: Extreme temperatures

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicokinetics, Metabolism and Distribution: No information available for mixture.
Toxicologically Synergistic Products: None reported
Acute Toxicity: Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) - Calculated from Ingredient Toxicity Data
LD50 = 106897 mg/kg.
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (STOT-SE): Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeat Exposure (STOT-RE): Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Eye Damage: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
Sensitization: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.
CMR Effects/Properties (carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic to reproduction): No germ cell mutagenicity, carcinogenicity or reproductive toxicity data found.
This product does NOT contain any NTP listed chemicals.
This product does NOT contain any OSHA listed carcinogens.
Symptoms/Effects:
Ingestion: No Effects Anticipated
Inhalation: No effects anticipated
Skin Absorption: No effects anticipated
Chronic Effects: No effects anticipated
Medical Conditions Aggravated: None reported

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Ecological Information: --
No ecological data available for this product. Mobility in soil: No data available
Ingredient Ecological Information: Sodium Hydroxide: 96 hr Oncorhynchus mykiss LC50 = 45.4 mg/L; 48 hr Daphnia sp. EC50 = 100 mg/L; 48 hr Crustaceans EC50 = 40.4 mg/L;
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Sodium Salicylate: Fish (96 hours) LC50 = 1760 mg/l.; Pimephales promelas 96 hr. LC50 = 1370 mg/l.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

EPA Waste ID Number: Not applicable

Special Instructions (Disposal): Dilute to 3 to 5 times the volume with cold water. Adjust to a pH between 6 and 9 with an alkali, such as soda ash or sodium bicarbonate. Open cold water tap completely, slowly pour the reacted material to the drain. Allow cold water to run for 5 minutes to completely flush the system.

Empty Containers: Dispose of empty container as normal trash.

NOTICE (Disposal): These disposal guidelines are based on federal regulations and may be superseded by more stringent state or local requirements. Please consult your local environmental regulators for more information. In Europe: Chemical and analysis solutions must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations. Product packaging must be disposed of in compliance with the country-specific regulations or must be passed to a packaging return system.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

D.O.T.:

D.O.T. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

ID Number: NA

Packing Group: NA

T.D.G.:

Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

UN Number/PIN: NA

Packing Group: NA

I.C.A.O.:

I.C.A.O. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

ID Number: NA

Packing Group: NA

I.M.O.:

Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA

Subsidiary Risk: NA

ID Number: NA

Packing Group: NA

Marine Pollutant:

Additional Information: There is a possibility that this product could be contained in a reagent set or kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods. If the item is NOT in a set or kit, the classification given above applies. If the item IS part of a set or kit, the classification would change to the following: UN3316 Chemical Kit, Class 9, PG II or III. If the item is not regulated, the Chemical Kit classification does not apply.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal Regulations:

O.S.H.A.: This product does not meet the criteria for a hazardous substance as defined in the Hazard Communication Standard. (29 CFR 1910.1200)

E.P.A.:

S.A.R.A. Title III Section 311/312 Categorization (40 CFR 370): This product is not hazardous under 29 CFR.1910.1200 and therefore is not covered by Title III under SARA.

S.A.R.A. Title III Section 313 (40 CFR 372): This product does NOT contain any chemical subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of SARA.

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302 (EHS) TPQ (40 CFR 355): Not applicable

304 CERCLA RQ (40 CFR 302.4): Not applicable

304 EHS RQ (40 CFR 355): Not applicable

Clean Water Act (40 CFR 116.4): Not applicable

RCRA: Not applicable

State Regulations:

California Prop. 65: No Prop. 65 listed chemicals are present in this product.

Identification of Prop. 65 Ingredient(s): None

California Perchlorate Rule CCR Title 22 Chap 33: Not applicable

Trade Secret Registry: Not applicable

National Inventories:

U.S. Inventory Status: All ingredients in this product are listed on the TSCA 8(b) Inventory (40 CFR 710).

CAS Number: Not applicable

Canadian Inventory Status: All ingredients of this product are DSL Listed.

EEC Inventory Status: All ingredients used to make this product are listed on EINECS / ELINCS.

Australian Inventory (AICS) Status: All ingredients are listed.

New Zealand Inventory (NZIoC) Status: All components either listed or exempt.

Korean Inventory (KECI) Status: All components of this product are either listed, listed as the anhydrous compound or exempt.

Japan (ENCS) Inventory Status: All components either listed or exempt.

China (PRC) Inventory (MEP) Status: All components either listed or exempt.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

References: 29 CFR 1900 - 1910 (Code of Federal Regulations - Labor). Air Contaminants, Federal Register, Vol. 54, No. 12. Thursday, January 19, 1989. pp. 2332-2983. Technical Judgment.

Complete Text of H phrases referred to in Section 3: Not applicable

Revision Summary: Substantial revision to comply with EU Reg 1272/2008, Reg 1907/2006 and UN GHS (ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3).

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CCOHS Evaluation Note: This product has been classified and labeled in accordance with the requirements of GHS (ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3). It is offered under exemption from WHMIS labeling as specified in the Controlled Products Regulation (CPR) Section 17. It is offered under the interim policy that was established by Health Canada permitting use of GHS-formatted safety data sheets in Canada prior to revision of CPR to GHS.

Legend:

NA - Not Applicable	w/w - weight/weight
ND - Not Determined	w/v - weight/volume
NV - Not Available	v/v - volume/volume

USER RESPONSIBILITY: Each user should read and understand this information and incorporate it in individual site safety programs in accordance with applicable hazard communication standards and regulations.

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