



## Safety Data Sheet

# Aluminum Chloride, Hexahydrate, Crystal Reagent

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** Aluminum Chloride, Hexahydrate, Crystal Reagent

**Synonyms/Generic Names:** None

**Product Number**

**Precautionary Statements:**

P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing.

**Potential Health Effects**

<b>Eyes</b>	Causes eye irritation.
<b>Inhalation</b>	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
<b>Skin</b>	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May be harmful if swallowed.

**NFPA Ratings**

<b>Health</b>	1
<b>Flammability</b>	0
<b>Reactivity</b>	0
<b>Specific hazard</b>	Not Available

**HMIS Ratings**

<b>Health</b>	1
<b>Fire</b>	0
<b>Reactivity</b>	0
<b>Personal</b>	E

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	Weight %	CAS #	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Aluminum Chloride, Hexahydrate	100	7784-13-6	231-208-1	AlCl <sub>3</sub> ·6H <sub>2</sub> O	241.43 g/mol

**4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

<b>Eyes</b>	In case of eye contact, rinse with plenty of water and seek medical attention if necessary.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if necessary.
<b>Skin</b>	Immediately flush with plenty of water and wash using soap. Get medical attention if necessary.
<b>Ingestion</b>	<b>Do Not Induce Vomiting!</b> Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention if necessary.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

<b>Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media</b>	Product is not flammable. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire. Cool containers with water.
<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective clothing, including eye protection and boots.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions. (Hydrogen chloride, Aluminum oxide) (See also Stability and Reactivity section).

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

<b>Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures</b>	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment.
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment may be subject to federal/national or local reporting requirements.
<b>Methods and materials for</b>	Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and place

<b>containment and cleaning up</b>	in suitable containers for disposal. Clean surfaces thoroughly with water to remove residual contamination. Dispose of all waste and cleanup materials in accordance with regulations.
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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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### Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use. Avoid formation of dusts.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool, dry well ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

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**Occupational exposure controls:** Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Personal Protection

<b>Eyes</b>	Wear chemical safety glasses or goggles.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an approved respirator.
<b>Skin</b>	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, apron or lab coat.
<b>Other</b>	Not Available

### Other Recommendations

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	White crystalline solid
Odor	Not Available
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	2.5-3.5 @ 20°C (68°F)
Melting point/freezing point	100°C (212°F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	182°C (360°F)
Flash point	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Available
Vapor pressure	1 hPa (1 mmHg) @ 100°C (212°F)
Vapor density	Not Available
Relative density	Not Available
Solubility (ies)	Completely soluble in water
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not Available
Auto-ignition temperature	Not Available
Decomposition temperature	Not Available

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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable
<b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</b>	Will not occur.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Moisture sensitive.
<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Alkalis, nitrobenzene, strong acids.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Aluminum oxide, hydrogen chloride gas.

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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### Acute Toxicity

<b>Skin</b>	Not Available
<b>Eyes</b>	Not Available
<b>Respiratory</b>	Not Available
<b>Ingestion</b>	LD50 Oral – Mouse – 1,990 mg/kg LD50 Oral – Rat – 3,311 mg/kg

### Carcinogenicity

<b>IARC</b>	No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
<b>ACGIH</b>	No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
<b>NTP</b>	No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
<b>OSHA</b>	No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

### Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

<b>Skin</b>	Burning, itching, redness.
<b>Eyes</b>	Burning, itching, redness.
<b>Respiratory</b>	Coughing, sneezing.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Nausea, vomiting, diarrhea.

<b>Chronic Toxicity</b>	Not Available
<b>Teratogenicity</b>	Development Toxicity – Mouse – Intravenous Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Musculoskeletal system
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	Genotoxicity in vitro – Mammal – lymphocyte DNA damage
<b>Embryotoxicity</b>	Not Available
<b>Specific Target Organ Toxicity</b>	Inhalation – May cause respiratory irritation

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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### Ecotoxicity

<b>Aquatic Vertebrate</b>	LC50 – other fish – 27.1 mg/l – 96 hours
<b>Aquatic Invertebrate</b>	EC50 – Daphnia magna (Water flea) – 27.3 mg/l – 48 hours
<b>Terrestrial</b>	Not Available

<b>Persistence and Degradability</b>	Not Available
<b>Bioaccumulative Potential</b>	Not Available
<b>Mobility in Soil</b>	Not Available
<b>PBT and vPvB Assessment</b>	Not Available
<b>Other Adverse Effects</b>	Harmful to aquatic life.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<b>Waste Residues</b>	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product or residues.
<b>Product Containers</b>	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product containers.

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

### 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT	Not Dangerous Goods
TDG	Not Dangerous Goods
IMDG	Not Dangerous Goods
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	Not Dangerous Goods

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA inventory.
DSCL (EEC)	All ingredients are listed on the DSCL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
SARA 302	Not Listed
SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	Aluminum Chloride, Hexahydrate
SARA 312	Aluminum Chloride, Hexahydrate
SARA 313	Not Listed
WHMIS Canada	Not Listed

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Revision 1	01/07/2013

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