

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name Polyaluminium Chloride Solution

Other Names Aluminium chloride, basic, liquid; Polyaluminium Chloride Liquid

**Uses** A cationic coagulant used in waste water treatment.

Chemical Family No Data Available
Chemical Formula Unspecified

Chemical Name Contains: Aluminium hydroxide chloride

Product Description No Data Available

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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not Scheduled

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#### **Globally Harmonised System**

Hazard Classification Hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of

Chemicals (GHS)

Hazard Categories Skin Corrosion/Irritation - Category 2

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation - Category 2A

**Pictograms** 



Signal Word Warning

Hazard Statements H315 Causes skin irritation.

**H319** Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary Statements Prevention P280 Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection.

Response P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice.
P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses,

if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

**P362 + P364** Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

#### **National Transport Commission (Australia)**

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Dangerous Goods Classification NOT Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods

by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Aluminium chloride, basic	Unspecified	1327-41-9	>=10 %
Water	H20	7732-18-5	Balance %

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

## Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

Swallowed IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth, then drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a Poison Centre or

doctor/physician for advice. If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible)

to maintain an open airway and prevent aspiration. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Eye** IF IN EYES: Immediately flush eyes with running water for several minutes, holding eyelids open and occasionally lifting

the upper and lower lids. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. If eye

irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation Skin

occurs, get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse.

Inhaled IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If respiratory symptoms

persist, get medical advice/attention.

**Advice to Doctor** Treat symptomatically.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by No information available.

**Exposure** 

#### **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**General Measures** If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area. Cool containers with water spray until well after fire is out.

**Flammability Conditions** Non-combustible; Material itself does not burn.

**Extinguishing Media** If material is involved in a fire, use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions.

Fire and Explosion Hazard Containers may explode when heated.

**Hazardous Products of** 

Combustion

Decomposes on heating, emitting hydrogen chloride gas and other toxic fumes.

**Special Fire Fighting Instructions** Contain runoff from fire control or dilution water - Runoff may cause pollution.

**Personal Protective Equipment** Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Structural firefighters' protective clothing will only

provide limited protection.

**Flash Point** No Data Available **Lower Explosion Limit** No Data Available **Upper Explosion Limit** No Data Available **Auto Ignition Temperature** No Data Available **Hazchem Code** No Data Available

### **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch or walk through spilled material - Slippery when spilt! Avoid breathing vapours **General Response Procedure** 

and contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

**Clean Up Procedures** Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to suitable, labelled containers for disposal (see

SECTION 13).

Containment Stop leak if safe to do so - Prevent entry into waterways, drains or confined areas. **Decontamination** Use retention basins for storage and pH adjustment before discharge or disposal.

**Environmental Precautionary** 

Measures

Prevent entry into drains and waterways.

**Evacuation Criteria** Spill or leak area should be isolated immediately. Keep unauthorised personnel away.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Safety showers and eyewash facilities should be provided within the immediate work area for emergency use. Ensure

> adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid breathing mist/vapours/aerosols and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Use personal protective equipment as

required (see SECTION 8).

Storage Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place, out of direct sunlight. Keep containers tightly closed - Check regularly for

leaks. Keep away from incompatible materials (see SECTION 10).

\*Do not use incompatible materials for bunding and containment.

**Container** Keep in the original container.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**General** No specific exposure standards are available for this product. For Aluminium, soluble salts:

- Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard: TWA = 2 mg/m3 (as Al).

- New Zealand Workplace Exposure Standard [Next review 2022]: TWA = 5 mg/m3 (as Al).

Exposure Limits No Data Available

Biological Limits No information available.

**Engineering Measures** A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust

ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing

dispersion of it into the general work area.

**Personal Protection Equipment** - Respiratory protection: In case of inadequate ventilation, wear respiratory protection. Recommended: Suitable mist

respirator (refer to AS/NZS 1715 & 1716).

- Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to prevent eye contact. Recommended: Chemical goggles.

- Hand protection: Handle with gloves. Recommended: Impervious gloves, e.g. Nitrile, Viton, Polyvinyl chloride (PVC) or

natural rubber gloves.

- Skin/body protection: Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to avoid skin contact. Recommended: Overalls,

safety shoes.

**Special Hazards Precaustions** No information available.

Work Hygienic Practices Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the

toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical StateLiquidAppearanceLiquidOdourMild

**Colour** Colourless to slightly cloudy

**pH** 2.5 - 3.5

Vapour PressureNo Data AvailableRelative Vapour DensityNo Data AvailableBoiling Pointapprox. 100 °CMelting PointNo Data AvailableFreezing PointNo Data AvailableSolubilityMiscible with water

**Specific Gravity** 1.15 - 1.20

**Flash Point** No Data Available **Auto Ignition Temp** No Data Available **Evaporation Rate** No Data Available **Bulk Density** No Data Available **Corrosion Rate** No Data Available **Decomposition Temperature** No Data Available Density No Data Available **Specific Heat** No Data Available **Molecular Weight** No Data Available

**Net Propellant Weight** No Data Available **Octanol Water Coefficient** No Data Available **Particle Size** No Data Available **Partition Coefficient** No Data Available **Saturated Vapour Concentration** No Data Available **Vapour Temperature** No Data Available Viscosity No Data Available **Volatile Percent** No Data Available **VOC Volume** No Data Available

**Additional Characteristics** No information available.

**Potential for Dust Explosion** Not applicable.

**Fast or Intensely Burning** 

Characteristics

Flame Propagation or Burning

**Rate of Solid Materials** 

No information available.

No information available.

**Non-Flammables That Could** Contribute Unusual Hazards to a

Fire

No information available.

Non-combustible; Material itself does not burn.

**Properties That May Initiate or** 

Contribute to Fire Intensity

**Reactions That Release Gases or** 

**Vapours** 

Decomposes on heating, emitting hydrogen chloride gas and other toxic fumes.

Release of Invisible Flammable

Vapours and Gases

No information available.

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**General Information** Mildly corrosive to metals. **Chemical Stability** Stable under normal conditions. **Conditions to Avoid** Avoid extremes of temperature.

**Materials to Avoid** Incompatible/reactive with acids, alkalis, strong oxidising agents, metals and nylon materials.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products** 

Decomposes on heating, emitting hydrogen chloride gas and other toxic fumes.

**Hazardous Polymerisation** Will not occur.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**General Information** - Acute toxicity: Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain.

- Skin corrosion/irritation: Causes skin irritation.

- Eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye irritation.

- Respiratory/skin sensitisation: The available data do not provide any evidence of skin sensitisation. - Germ cell mutagenicity: The weight of evidence does not support classification for genotoxicity.

- Carcinogenicity: The available data do not support classification as a carcinogen.

- Reproductive toxicity: No information available.

- STOT (single exposure): Inhalation of mists or aerosols may cause respiratory irritation.

- STOT (repeated exposure): No information available.

- Aspiration toxicity: No information available.

**Carcinogen Category** None

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

EcotoxicityNo information available.Persistence/DegradabilityNo information available.MobilityNo information available.

**Environmental Fate** Prevent entry into drains and waterways.

Bioaccumulation Potential No information available.

Environmental Impact No Data Available

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**General Information** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Special Precautions for Land Fill No information available.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

# Land Transport (Australia)

ADG Code

Proper Shipping Name Polyaluminium Chloride Solution

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

# Land Transport (Malaysia)

ADR Code

**Proper Shipping Name** Polyaluminium Chloride Solution

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available

Comments NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

# Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name Polyaluminium Chloride Solution

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

# Land Transport (United States of America)

**US DOT** 

Proper Shipping Name Polyaluminium Chloride Solution

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

# **Sea Transport**

IMDG Code

Proper Shipping Name Polyaluminium Chloride Solution

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available
UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available
Special Provision No Data Available
EMS No Data Available

Marine Pollutant No

**Comments** NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for SEA transport.

## **Air Transport**

IATA DGR

Proper Shipping Name Polyaluminium Chloride Solution

ClassNo Data AvailableSubsidiary Risk(s)No Data AvailableUN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

Comments NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for AIR transport.

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by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General Information No Data Available
Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not Scheduled

# **Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)**

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code Water Treatment Chemicals Subsidiary Hazard Group Standard 2020 HSR002684

# **National/Regional Inventories**

Australia (AIIC) Listed

Canada (DSL) Not Determined

Canada (NDSL) Not Determined

China (IECSC) Not Determined

**Europe (EINECS)** Not Determined

Europe (REACh) Not Determined

Japan (ENCS/METI) Not Determined

Korea (KECI) Not Determined

Malaysia (EHS Register) Not Determined

New Zealand (NZIoC) Listed

Philippines (PICCS) Not Determined

Switzerland (Giftliste 1) Not Determined

**Switzerland (Inventory of Notified** 

Substances)

Not Determined

Taiwan (NCSR) Not Determined

USA (TSCA) Not Determined

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**Related Product Codes** 

POALCB1000, POALCB3000, POALCD3000, POALCD3001, POALCD3100, POALCD4000, POALCD4500, POALCD4600, POALCH1011, POALCH1801, POALCH1811, POALCH1812, POALCH1813, POALCH1814, POALCH1815, POALCH1816, POALCH1817, POALCH1818, POALCH1819, POALCH1820, POALCH1821, POALCH1822, POALCH1823, POALCH1824, POALCH1825, POALCH1826, POALCH1827, POALCH1828, POALCH1829, POALCH1830, POALCH1831, POALCH1832, POALCH1833, POALCH1834, POALCH1918, POALCH1923, POALCH2160, POALCH2165, POALCH3200, POALCH3400, POALCH4200, POALCH4250, POALCH4700, POALCH9300, POALCL5000, POALCL1000, POALCL1001, POALCL1002, POALCL1003, POALCL1004, POALCL1500, POALCL500, POALCL2000, POALCL2000, POALCL3000, POALCL3001, POALCL3001, POALCL3000, POALCL3001, POALCL3000, POALCL3000, POALCL4600

Revision

**AICS** Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

atm Atmosphere

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

cm² Square CentimetresCO2 Carbon Dioxide

**COD** Chemical Oxygen Demand deg C (°C) Degrees Celcius

EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand

deg F (°F) Degrees Farenheit

**g** Grams

g/cm³ Grams per Cubic Centimetre

g/I Grams per Litre

**HSNO** Hazardous Substance and New Organism **IDLH** Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health **immiscible** Liquids are insoluable in each other.

inHg Inch of Mercury
inH20 Inch of Water

**K** Kelvin **kg** Kilogram

kg/m³ Kilograms per Cubic Metre

**Ib** Pound

**LC50** LC stands for lethal concentration. LC50 is the concentration of a material in air which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals. The material is inhaled over a set period of time, usually 1 or 4 hours.

**LD50** LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD50 is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals.

Itr or L Litre m³ Cubic Metre mbar Millibar mg Milligram

mg/24H Milligrams per 24 Hours mg/kg Milligrams per Kilogram mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre

Misc or Miscible Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.

mm Millimetre

mmH2O Millimetres of Water mPa.s Millipascals per Second

**N/A** Not Applicable

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health NOHSC National Occupational Heath and Safety Commission OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Oz Ounce

**PEL** Permissible Exposure Limit

Pa Pascal

ppb Parts per Billion
ppm Parts per Million

ppm/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hoursppm/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hourspsi Pounds per Square Inch

R Rankine

**RCP** Reciprocal Calculation Procedure

STEL Short Term Exposure Limit TLV Threshold Limit Value tne Tonne TWA Time Weighted Average ug/24H Micrograms per 24 Hours UN United Nations wt Weight