

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name Aluminium Chlorohydrate Solution** 

Other Names No Data Available

Uses Specialist coagulant in the treatment of water and wastewater; other miscellaneous applications.

No Data Available **Chemical Family Chemical Formula** AI2(OH)5CI.2.3H2O

**Chemical Name** Aluminium chloride, basic, aqueous solution

**Product Description** Water solution of polymeric aluminium compounds. This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may

vary slightly. Minor quantities of other non-hazardous ingredients are also possible.

#### Contact Details of the Supplier of this Safety Data Sheet

Organisation	Location	Telephone
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# **Emergency Contact Details**

For emergencies only; DO NOT contact these companies for general product advice.

Organisation	Location	Telephone
Poisons Information Centre	Australia – Westmead NSW	1800-251525 131126
Chemcall	Australia	1800-127406 +64-4-9179888
Chemcall	Malaysia	+64-4-9179888
National Poison Centre	Malaysia	+60-4-6536-999
Chemcall	New Zealand	0800-243622 +64-4-9179888
National Poisons Centre	New Zealand	0800-764766
CHEMTREC	USA & Canada	1-800-424-9300 CN723420 +1-703-527-3887

#### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not Scheduled

London



#### **Globally Harmonised System**

Hazard Classification NOT hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of

Chemicals (GHS)

**Precautionary Statements** General **P102** Keep out of reach of children.

Prevention **P262** Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

**P281** Use personal protective equipment as required.

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.

P362 Take off contaminated clothing.

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

if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, foam or water fog for

extinction.

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

Disposal P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national /

international regulations.

#### **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)

#### Safe Work Australia

National Guide for Classifying Hazardous Chemicals under the Model WHS Regulations

Hazard Classification NOT hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia under Model WHS Regulations

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Aluminium chloride hydroxide (Al2Cl(OH)5)	Al2Cl(OH)5	12042-91-0	10 - 60 %
Water	H20	7732-18-5	Balance %

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

Swallowed IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth with water. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water to drink. Never

give anything by the mouth to an unconscious patient. If vomiting occurs give further water. Seek medical advice.

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

occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the unaffected eye or onto the face. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate

medical advice. \*Suitable emergency eye wash facility should be immediately available.

Skin

IF ON SKIN: Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash skin gently with warm running water (and non-abrasive soap, if necessary) for at least 15 minutes. In case of gross contamination, drench contaminated clothing and skin with plenty of water before removing clothes. If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention. Wash

contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse or discard. \*Suitable emergency safety shower facility should be

immediately available.

Inhaled IF INHALED: Remove victim from exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen

remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered.

Seek medical advice if effects persist.

Advice to Doctor Treat symptomatically.

\*Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: No information available.

\*Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No information available.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by No information available.

**Exposure** 

No illiorillation available.

### 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. If

a significant quantity of this product is involved in a fire, call the fire brigade.

Flammability Conditions Not combustible; Does not burn.

**Extinguishing Media** If material is involved in a fire use water fog (or if unavailable fine water spray), alcohol resistant foam, standard foam, dry

agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder).

Fire and Explosion Hazard The major hazard in fires is usually inhalation of heated and toxic or oxygen deficient (or both) fire gases. There is no risk

of an explosion from this product under normal circumstances if it is involved in a fire.

Hazardous Products of

Combustion

Only small quantities of decomposition products are expected from this product at temperatures normally achieved in a fire. This will only occur after heating to dryness. Fire decomposition products from this product are likely to be irritating if

inhaled. May form Hydrogen chloride gas, other compounds of Chlorine and Aluminium compounds.

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

Personal Protective Equipment Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and chemical splash suit. SCBA and structural

firefighter's uniform may 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**

General Response Procedure Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid breathing vapours and contact with

eyes, skin and clothing.

Clean Up Procedures Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to a suitable container for disposal (see SECTION

13). Hose final trace residues to drain.

**Containment** Stop leak if safe to do so – Prevent entry into waterways, drains or confined areas.

**Decontamination**This product can be neutralised with alkali to form a mixture of aluminium hydroxide and the chloride salt of the alkali.

The resulting mixture is non-hazardous providing the resulting pH is between roughly 5 and 10.

**Environmental Precautionary** 

Measures

Prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses. If contamination of crops, sewers or waterways has occurred

advise local emergency services

\*Spillage into waterways will result in some lowering of the pH and the formation of aluminium hydroxide, which has a

very low toxicity.

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

Personal Precautionary Measures Wear full protective clothing, including eye/face protection (see SECTION 8). If there is a significant chance that vapours

or mists are likely to build up in the cleanup area, we recommend that you use a respirator.

#### 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. Keep exposure to this product to a minimum, and minimise the quantities kept in work areas. Avoid breathing mist/vapours and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Use personal protective equipment as required (see SECTION 8). Avoid contact or

contamination of product with incompatible materials.

Storage Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place, out of direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat

and sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from foodstuffs and incompatible materials (see SECTION 10). Some

liquid preparations settle or separate on standing and may require stirring before use.

**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 (as Al):

- Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard: TWA = 2 mg/m3.

**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: Usually, no respirator is necessary when using this product. However, for bulk handling or where

regular exposure in an occupational setting occurs without proper containment systems, we recommend that you use a

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

- Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to avoid eye contact. Recommended: Protective glasses or

goggles.

- Hand protection: Wear protective gloves. Recommended: Impervious gloves, e.g. rubber, PVC.

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

clothes and, preferably, apron.

**Special Hazards Precaustions** No information available.

Work Hygienic Practices Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash thoroughly after handling. Thoroughly launder protective

clothing before storage or re-use.

\*Advise laundry of nature of contamination when sending contaminated clothing to laundry.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State Liquid
Appearance Liquid

**Odour** Faint, characteristic

**Colour** Clear

**pH** >=2.75 (as supplied) at 25°C

Vapour Pressure 2.37 kPa (Water vapour pressure) (@ 20 °C)

Relative Vapour Density As for water

**Boiling Point** approx. 100 - 110 °C **Melting Point** No Data Available

<0 °C **Freezing Point** 

Solubility Completely soluble in water

**Specific Gravity** >=1.30

**Flash Point** No Data Available **Auto Ignition Temp** No Data Available As for water

**Evaporation Rate** No Data Available **Bulk Density 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

**Volatile Percent** approx. 50% (Water component)

**VOC Volume** No Data Available

**Additional Characteristics** Prolonged drying leads to product change.

**Potential for Dust Explosion** Not applicable.

**Fast or Intensely Burning** 

**Vapour Temperature** 

Viscosity

Characteristics

No information available.

No Data Available

No Data Available

Flame Propagation or Burning

**Rate of Solid Materials** 

No information available.

Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a

Fire

No information available.

**Properties That May Initiate or** 

**Contribute to Fire Intensity** 

Reactions That Release Gases or

Vapours

Not combustible; Does not burn.

Only small quantities of decomposition products are expected from this product at temperatures normally achieved in a fire. This will only occur after heating to dryness. May form Hydrogen chloride gas, other compounds of Chlorine and

Aluminium compounds.

Release of Invisible Flammable

Vapours and Gases

No information available.

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**General Information** No information available.

**Chemical Stability** This product is unlikely to react or decompose under normal storage conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid** This product should be kept in a cool place, preferably below 30°C.

**Materials to Avoid** No particular incompatibilities.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products** 

Only small quantities of decomposition products are expected from this product at temperatures normally achieved in a fire. This will only occur after heating to dryness. May from oxides of carbon and nitrogen, smoke and other toxic fumes.

**Hazardous Polymerisation** 

This product will not undergo polymerisation reactions.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**General Information** 

Information on toxicological effects:

- Acute toxicity: No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label.
- Skin corrosion/irritation: Not classified.
- Eye damage/irritation: Not classified.
- Respiratory/skin sensitisation: Not classified.
- Germ cell mutagenicity: Not classified.
- Carcinogenicity: Not classified.
- Reproductive toxicity: Not classified.
- STOT (single exposure): No information available.
- STOT (repeated exposure): Not classified.
- Aspiration toxicity: No information available. Information on likely routes of exposure:
- Ingestion: Swallowing can result in nausea, vomiting and irritation of the gastrointestinal tract.
- Eye contact: May be an eye irritant.
- Skin contact: Contact with skin may result in irritation.
- Inhalation: Material is an irritant to mucous membranes and respiratory tract.
- Chronic effects: No information available.

**Carcinogen Category** 

None

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity This material has been classified as not hazardous for acute aquatic exposure. Acute toxicity estimate (based on

ingredients): > 100 mg/L.

This material has been classified as not hazardous for chronic aquatic exposure. Non-rapidly or rapidly degradable substance for which there are adequate chronic toxicity data available OR in the absence of chronic toxicity data, Acute toxicity estimate (based on ingredients): >100 mg/L, where the substance is not rapidly degradable and/or BCF < 500 mg/L

and/or log Kow < 4.

Persistence/Degradability Not a persistent pollutant; can cause coagulation of solids in aqueous suspension, especially when highly diluted by the

water in which the solids are suspended. When diluted by copious quantities of water, this product will hydrolyse rapidly to form aluminium hydroxide, which can be expected to become a part of the natural soil profile if not recovered. When not highly diluted with water, this product may be slow to hydrolyse and may form a mixture of partially soluble

aluminium species and heavy floc of aluminium hydroxide.

**Mobility** No information available.

**Environmental Fate** This product is unlikely to adversely effect the environment.

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. Containers should be emptied as

completely as practical before disposal. If possible, recycle product and containers; If this is not practical, send to a

commercial waste disposal site.

**Special Precautions for Land Fill** This product can be neutralised with alkali to form a mixture of aluminium hydroxide and the chloride salt of the alkali.

The resulting mixture is non-hazardous providing the resulting pH is between roughly 5 and 10.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### Land Transport (Australia)

ADG Code

Proper Shipping Name Aluminium Chlorohydrate Solution

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

No Data Available

UN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

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

# Land Transport (Malaysia)

ADR Code

Proper Shipping Name Aluminium Chlorohydrate Solution

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

No Data Available

UN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

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

#### Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name Aluminium Chlorohydrate Solution

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

UN NumberNo Data AvailableHazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

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

# Land Transport (United States of America)

**US DOT** 

Proper Shipping Name Aluminium Chlorohydrate Solution

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

No Data Available

UN Number No Data Available

HazchemNo Data AvailablePack GroupNo Data AvailableSpecial ProvisionNo Data Available

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

Sea Transport

**IMDG** Code

Proper Shipping Name Aluminium Chlorohydrate 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 Aluminium Chlorohydrate 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

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

# **National Transport Commission (Australia)**

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**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)

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General InformationNo Data AvailablePoisons Schedule (Aust)Not Scheduled

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

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code Not Hazardous

#### **National/Regional Inventories**

Australia (AIIC) Listed

Canada (DSL) Listed

Canada (NDSL) Not Listed

China (IECSC) Listed

Europe (EINECS) Listed

Europe (REACh) Not Determined

Japan (ENCS/METI) Listed

Korea (KECI) Listed

Malaysia (List of Classified Substances) Not Listed

New Zealand (NZIoC) Listed

Philippines (PICCS) Listed

Taiwan (TCSI) Listed

USA (TSCA) Listed

Mexico (INSQ) Listed

#### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Related Product Codes ALCHHY5000, ALCHHY5001, ALCHHY5100, ALCHHY5200, ALCHHY5500, ALCHHY6000, ALCHHY6201, ALCHHY62

ALCHHY8000, ALCHHY8001, ALCHHY8500, ALCHHY8502

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**AICS** Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

atm Atmosphere

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

cm<sup>2</sup> Square Centimetres CO2 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 inH2O 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

mmH20 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 Hours

ppm/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hours

psi 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