

Material Safety Data Sheet

Iron (III) Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate

MSDS# 09713

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: Iron (III) Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate

Catalog Numbers: AC423690000, AC423690030, AC423690250, AC423695000, I75-3, I75-500

Synonyms: Ammonium ferric sulfate; ferric alum; ferrous ammonium sulfate dodecahydrate.

Fisher Scientific

Company Identification: One Reagent Lane

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Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

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CAS#: 7783-83-7

Chemical Name: Ferric Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate

%: >99% EINECS#: unlisted

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Hazard Symbols: None listed Risk Phrases: None listed

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

## EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Caution! The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated. May cause eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation. Target Organs: None.

Potential Health Effects

Eye: May cause eye irritation.

Skin: May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Ingestion: May cause irritation of the digestive tract. The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully

investigated. May be harmful if swallowed.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation. The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully

investigated. May be harmful if inhaled.

Chronic: No information found.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Eyes: In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical aid.

Skin: Get medical aid if irritation develops or persists. Flush skin with plenty of soap and water.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything

by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid.

Inhalation: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

Get medical aid.

Notes to Physician:

Treat symptomatically and supportively.

Antidote: The use of Deferoxamine as a chelating agent should be determined only by qualified medical personnel.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

General As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH

(approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be Information:

generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

Extinguishing Media:

Substance is noncombustible; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire.

Autoignition Temperature: Not available.

Flash Point: Not available

Explosion Limits: Not available Lower:

Explosion Limits: Upper: Not available

NFPA Rating: health: 1; flammability: 0; instability: 0;

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

General

Information:

Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Spills/Leaks:

Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Sweep up, then

place into a suitable container for disposal. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling: Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid

contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Storage: Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Chemical Name	+ACGIH	NIOSH	++  OSHA - Final PELs
Ferric Ammonium Sul   fate Dodecahydrate	-	  1 mg/m3 TWA (as  Fe) (listed	none listed
	under Iron salts  (soluble)).	under Iron salts  (soluble)).	
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OSHA Vacated PELs: Ferric Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate: 1 mg/m3 TWA (as Fe) (listed under Iron salts (soluble)) **Engineering Controls:** 

Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Exposure Limits** 

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes:

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face

protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin:

Wear appropriate gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing:

Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin.

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a

Respirators: NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if

irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Crystals

Color: light purple

Odor: odorless

pH: Not available

Vapor Pressure: Not available

Vapor Density: Not applicable. Evaporation Rate: Not applicable.

Viscosity: Not applicable.

Boiling Point: 230 deg C ( 446.00°F) Freezing/Melting Point: 37.2 deg C ( 98.96°F)

Decomposition Temperature: Not available Solubility in water: Soluble in water.

Specific Gravity/Density: 1.71 (water=1)

Molecular Formula: FeNH4S2O8.12H2O

Molecular Weight: 482.1577

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling

conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, dust generation, excess heat.

Incompatibilities with Other

Materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition

**Products** 

Oxides of nitrogen, ammonia and/or derivatives.

Hazardous Polymerization Has not been reported.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#: CAS# 7783-83-7: WS5900000

LD50/LC50: RTECS: Not available.

Carcinogenicity: Ferric Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate - Not listed as a carcinogen by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA

Prop 65.

Other: The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Not available

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state, and local regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

**US DOT** 

Shipping Name: Not Regulated

Hazard Class: UN Number: Packing Group: Canada TDG

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Section 15 - Regulatory Information

European/International Regulations

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols:Not available

Risk Phrases:

Safety Phrases:

S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 7783-83-7: 1

Canada

Canadian WHMIS Classifications: D2B

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

CAS# 7783-83-7 is not listed on Canada's Ingredient Disclosure List.

**US Federal** 

**TSCA** 

CAS# 7783-83-7 is not listed on the TSCA Inventory. It is for research and development use only.

Section 16 - Other Information MSDS Creation Date: 9/02/1997 Revision #7 Date 7/20/2009

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