### **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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IDENTITY (AS USED ON LABEL AND LIST): **AQUA AMMONIA, 28%** 

SECTION I

MANUFACTURER'S NAME:

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SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/IDENTITY INFORMATION

**HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS** CHEMICAL NAME:

**OSHA** 

**ACGIH** 

OTHER PERCENT

28%

TLV PEL

LIMITS

AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE

(CAS #1336-21-6)

50 PPM 25 PPM

35 PPM

(STEL)

SECTION III - PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

**BOILING POINT:** 

27 Degrees C

SPECIFIC GRAVITY:

0.9

VAPOR PRESSURE (MM HG):

501

**MELTING POINT:** 

APPROX. -77 C

**VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** 

0.596 EVAPORATION RATE(BUTYL ACETATE=1): SLOWER COMPLETELY

APPEARANCE AND ODOR:

WATER-WHITE LIQUID: STRONG, PUNGENT AMMONIA ODOR.

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT:

NON-FLAMMABLE

FLAMMABLE LIMITS: N/A

**LEL: 16 UEL: 25** 

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** 

WATER - OR OTHER EXTINGUISHING AGENT

APPROPRIATE TO SURROUNDING FIRE CONDITIONS.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: FIREFIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR SELF-CONTAINED NIOSH-APPROVED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING.

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** 

LIMITED POTENTIAL EXISTS FOR

CONTAINERS TO RUPTURE IN FIRE DUE TO OVER-PRESSURIZATION. AMMONIA VAPORS IN THE PRESENCE OF OIL OR OTHER COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS WILL INCREASE THE FIRE HAZARD. ACCUMULATIONS OF AMMONIA IN CONFINED SPACES MAY EXPLODE IF EXPOSED TO A STRONG **IGNITION SOURCE.** 

**SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA** 

STABILITY: STABLE HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID INSTABILITY:

HEAT RELEASES GAS WITHOUT VIOLENCE IN THE

ABSENCE OF INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS.

MATERIALS AND CONDITIONS TO AVOID INCOMPATIBILITY: STRONG OXIDIZERS, INCLUDING HALOGENS. ACIDS: HYDROCHLORIC, HYDROFLUORIC, NITRIC, AND SULFURIC. ALSO REACTS WITH ACROLEIN, ACRYLIC ACID, DIMETHYL SULFATE, GOLD, SILVER NITRATE, SILVER OXIDE PLUS ETHYL ALCOHOL, HYPOCHLORITES OF CALCIUM OR SODIUM, MERCURY PROPYLENE

OXIDE, IODINE. **HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** 

**NOT RELEVANT** 

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#### **SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA**

**ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY:** 

INHALATION? YES

SKIN? YES INGESTION?

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HEALTH HAZARDS (ACUTE AND CHRONIC):INHALATION: SEVERELY IRRITATING TO THROAT AND RESPIRATORY TRACT. INGESTION: CAUSES SEVERE BURNING OF THE ESOPHAGUS, STOMACH, MOUTH, AND THROAT. POSSIBLE DEATH FROM SHOCK OR ASPHYXIA MAY RESULT. SKIN: CORROSIVE BURNS OR BLISTER FORMATION IF CONTACT IS PROLONGED. EYES: IMMEDIATE INTENSE IRRITATION AND PAIN. IN EXTREME EXPOSURE, CORNEAL ULCERATION OR BLINDNESS MAY RESULT.

CARCINOGENICITY: NTP? NO IARC MONOGRAPHS? NO

**OSHA REGULATED? NO** 

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE: INHALATION: DIFFICULTY IN BREATHING, CHEST PAIN. INGESTION: BURNING PAINT IN MOUTH, THROAT, ETC. SKIN: REDNESS AND BURNING. EYES: REDNESS, BURNING, AND IRRITATION.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: NONE KNOWN EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURESEYES: IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES: SKIN: IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER WHILE REMOVING CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES. INGESTION: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. DRINK LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATERS, SUBSTITUTING WITH DILUTED VINEGAR, LEMON JUICE. INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION FOR ALL OF THE ABOVE.

#### SECTION VII - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AND USE

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: EVACUATE UNPROTECTED PERSONNEL AND PROVIDE VENTILATION. USE WATER SPRAY TO KNOCK DOWN AMMONIA GAS. FLUSH WITH LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER. LARGE SPILLS - DIKE WITH SAND OR OTHER INERT MATERIAL, PUMP INTO DRUMS.

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** TREATMENT OR DISPOSAL OF WASTE GENERATED BY USE OF THIS PRODUCT SHOULD BE REVIEWED IN TERMS OF APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL REGULATIONS.

**PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING:**AVOID ALL CONTACT OF LIQUID WITH THE BODY. STORE IN A COOL, DRY, WELL-VENTILATED AREA IN CLOSED CONTAINERS.

**OTHER PRECAUTIONS:** TRAIN WORKERS IN PROPER HANDLING PROCEDURES SO AS TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH PRODUCT AND INHALATION OF VAPORS.

## **SECTION VIII - CONTROL MEASURES**

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** USE NIOSH-APPROVED BREATHING APPARATUS

**VENTILATION:** LOCAL EXHAUST IS ACCEPTABLE

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: BUTYL RUBBER, NEOPRENE, NATURAL RUBBER

EYE PROTECTION: CHEMICAL GOGGLES SHOULD BE WORN.

OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT: PROVIDE EYEWASH STATIONS AND

QUICK-DRENCH SHOWER FACILITIES CONVENIENT TO THE WORKPLACE.

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES: AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. WASH THOROUGHLY

AFTER HANDLING.