

# Material Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Product name: Ammonium chloride  
Ammonii chloridum  
Ammoniumchloride  
Ammonium (chlorure d')  
Ammoniumchlorid

N° CAS: 12125-02-9

N° EC: 235-186-4

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance/mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses: Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient or Excipient.

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company: FAC SECUNDUM ARTEM NV  
Oostmalsebaan 1c (unit 5)  
2960 Sint-Lenaarts  
Belgium

Telephone: (+32) (0)3 457 11 76

Email: info@magis-pharma.be

Web page: www.magis-pharma.be

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Public utility foundation:	Belgisch Antigifcentrum	Centre Antipoisons Belge
Telephone:	(+32) (0)70 245 245	(Service 24/7)
Web page:	www.antigifcentrum.be	www.centreantipoisons.be

### SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance/mixture

##### Classification according to (EC) n° 1272/2008

Acute Toxicity (category 4)	H302
Eye Irritation (category 2)	H319

#### 2.2 Label elements

##### Labelling according to (EC) n° 1272/2008

Hazard pictogram(s):



Signal word(s): Warning

Hazard statements:

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements:

P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
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P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do - continue rinsing.
P330	Rinse mouth.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulation.
Additional applicable label elements:	Not applicable.

### 2.3 Other hazards

Not available.

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

Product name:	Ammonium chloride
IUPAC name:	Azanium;chloride
Synonyms:	Salmiac Sal ammoniac
N° CAS:	12125-02-9
N° EC:	235-186-4
Molecular Formula:	NH <sub>4</sub> Cl
Content:	99.0 per cent to 100.5 per cent (dried substance)

### 3.2 Mixtures

Not applicable.

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

After inhalation:	Fresh air.
After skin contact:	Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
After eye contact:	Rinse out with plenty of water. Call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.
After ingestion:	Immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Irritant effects.

The following applies to ammonium salts in general: after swallowing: local irritation symptoms, nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea. Systemic effect: after the uptake of very large quantities: drop in blood pressure, collapse, CNS disorders, spasms, narcotic conditions, respiratory paralysis, haemolysis.

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Not available.

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### SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance/mixture

Not combustible. Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.  
Fire may cause evolution of: nitrogen oxides, hydrogen chloride gas.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Surrounding fires:	Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.
Protection against fire:	Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.
Hazardous combustion products:	Not available.

### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

##### For non-emergency personnel

Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

##### For emergency responders

Protective equipment: see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not empty into drains.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

Indications about waste treatment: see section 13.

### SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling:	Observe label precautions. Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.
Personal protection:	Preventive skin protection recommended.
Technical protective measures:	Not available.
Handling:	Not available.

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### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage:	Tightly closed.
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:	Store in dry conditions.
Storage – away from:	Not available.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient or Excipient

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL):  
Worker DNEL, long-term, Systemic effects, inhalation: 43.97 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
Worker DNEL, long-term, Systemic effects, dermal: 128.9 mg/kg Body weight  
Consumer DNEL, long-term, Systemic effects, inhalation: 9.4 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
Consumer DNEL, long-term, Systemic effects, dermal: 55.2 mg/kg Body weight  
Consumer DNEL, long-term, Systemic effects, oral: 55.2 mg/kg Body weight

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) :  
PNEC Fresh water: 0.25 mg/l  
PNEC Fresh water sediment: 0.9 mg/kg  
PNEC Marine water: 0.025 mg/l  
PNEC Marine sediment: 0.09 mg/kg  
PNEC Aquatic intermittent release: 0.43 mg/l  
PNEC Soil: 50.7 mg/kg  
PNEC Sewage treatment plant: 13.1 mg/l

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering control

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment. See section 7.1.

#### Individual protection measures

Eye/face protection:	Safety glasses.
Skin protection:	Protective clothing. Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.
Hand protection:	Full contact: Glove material: Nitrile rubber; Glove thickness: 0.11 mm; Break through time: > 480 min Splash contact: Glove material: Nitrile rubber; Glove thickness: 0.11 mm; Break through time: > 480 min

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	<p>The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, for example KCL 741 Dermatril® L (full contact), KCL 741 Dermatril® L (splash contact).</p> <p>The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types.</p> <p>This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet&lt;(&gt;,&lt;)&gt; supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: <a href="http://www.kcl.de">www.kcl.de</a>).</p>
Respiratory protection:	<p>Required when dusts are generated.</p> <p>Recommended Filter type: Filter P 2 (acc. to DIN 3181) for solid and liquid particles of harmful substances.</p> <p>The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.</p>
Thermal hazards:	Not determined.
<b>Environmental exposure control</b>	
Do not empty into drains.	

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance:	White or almost white, crystalline powder or colourless crystals.
Odour:	Odourless.
Odour threshold:	Not available.
pH:	Ca. 4.7 at 200 g/l (25 °C)
Melting/freezing point:	338 °C
Initial boiling point:	Not applicable.
Boiling range:	Not applicable.
Flash point:	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate:	Not available.
Flammability (solid/gas):	The product is not flammable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	Not available.
Vapour pressure:	66 hPa at 250 °C 1.3 hPa at 30 °C
Vapour density:	1.53 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 25 °C
Relative density:	Not available.
Solubility:	Not available.
Solubility in water:	Freely soluble in water: 372 g/l at 20 °C
Partition coefficient	Not applicable.

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(n-octanol/water):

Auto-ignition temperature: Not available.

Decomposition temperature: Not applicable.

Viscosity: Not available.

Explosive properties: Not classified as explosive.

Oxidising properties: None.

### 9.2 Other information

Ignition temperature: > 400 °C

Bulk density: ca. 600 – 900 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

Particle size: Mean particle size 0.116 mm

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

See section 10.3.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Sublimable.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with: alkali hydroxides, acids.

Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapours with: halogen-halogen compounds, alkalines, alkaline substances.

Risk of explosion with: nitrates, chlorates, Heavy metal salts, nitrites, hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid), chlorine, silver salt, strong oxidizing agents.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Not available.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Aluminium, lead, iron, copper, copper compounds

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: See section 5.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50 (rat): 1 410 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401)

Symptoms: Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, oesophagus and gastrointestinal tract.

Acute inhalation toxicity:

Symptoms: Possible damages: mucosal irritations.

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50 Rat: > 2 000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Rabbit: result: no skin irritation (Draize Test).

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Serious eye damage/irritation:	Causes serious eye irritation. Rabbit: result: Eye irritation (OECD Test Guideline 405).
Respiratory/skin sensitisation:	Maximisation Test Guinea pig Result: negative
Germ cell mutagenicity:	Genotoxicity in vivo: Micronucleus test, mouse (male), intraperitoneal injection, bone marrow Result: negative (OECD Test Guideline 474) Genotoxicity in vitro: HGPRT (cell forward mutation assay): Result: negative (OECD Test Guideline 476) Ames test, Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium: Result: negative (OECD Test Guideline 471)
Carcinogenicity:	Not available.
Reproductive toxicity:	Not available.
Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties:	Not available.
STOT-single exposure:	Not available.
STOT-repeated exposure:	Not available.
Aspiration Hazard:	Not available.
Other:	Repeated dose toxicity: Rat (male and female), oral, 90d, daily: NOAEL: 1 695.7 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 408) Subchronic toxicity Further information: The following applies to ammonium salts in general: after swallowing: local irritation symptoms, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea. Systemic effect: after the uptake of very large quantities: drop in blood pressure, collapse, CNS disorders, spasms, narcotic conditions, respiratory paralysis, haemolysis. Other dangerous properties can not be excluded. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### 11.2 Additional information on potential adverse human health effects and symptoms

Eye contact:	Causes serious eye irritation.
Skin contact:	Not available.
Inhalation:	Not available.
Ingestion:	Harmful if swallowed.
Aspiration:	Not available.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish:  
LC50 *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (rainbow trout): 42.91 mg/l; 96 h  
Analytical monitoring: yes  
US-EPA  
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:  
Static test EC50 *Daphnia magna* (Water flea): > 100 mg/l; 48 h

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Analytical monitoring: yes  
(ECHA)

Toxicity to bacteria:

static test EC50 activated sludge: 1 310 mg/l; 0.5 h

OECD Test Guideline 209

Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity):

Flow-through test EC10 *Lepomis macrochirus* (Bluegill sunfish): 4.28 mg/l; 30 d

Analytical monitoring: yes(ECHA)

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability: The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not available.

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Not available.

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Substance does not meet the criteria for PBT or vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex XIII.

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods:

Recommendation: Must be specially treated adhering to official regulations.

Uncleaned packaging:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

Recommended cleansing agents: Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### Transport information according to ADR/RID/IMDG/ICAO/IATA

#### 14.1 UN Number

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),  
IATA/ICAO (Air) : Not classified.

#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),  
IATA/ICAO (Air) : Not classified.

#### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),  
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#### 14.4 Packing group

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea),  
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### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/ RID(Land),IMDG(Sea), Not classified.  
IATA/ICAO (Air) :

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not relevant.

### 14.8 Additional transport information

Not available.

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance/mixture

Not applicable.

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### 16.1 Changes since the previous version

Not applicable.

### 16.2 Abbreviations and acronyms used

ADR:	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
CAS:	Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
EC (number):	European Community (number)
IATA:	International Air Transport Association
ICAO:	International Civil Aviation Organization
IMDG:	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IUPAC:	International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry
PBT:	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance
RID:	Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail
STOT:	Specific Target Organ Toxicity
UN (number):	United Nations (number)
vPvB:	very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

### 16.3 Key literature references/sources for data

European Chemicals Agency.  
<https://www.echa.europa.eu/web/guest/information-on-chemicals/cl-inventory-database/>

### 16.4 Method of classification in case of mixture

Not applicable.

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### 16.5 Relevant Hazard statements and/or precautionary statements

For information on hazard and/or precautionary statements refer to section 2 up to and including section 15.

### 16.6 Training advisement

Not available

### 16.7 Notice for user(s)

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