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**1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING****Product Identifier**

**Product Name** Nitrate Ionic Strength Adjustor  
**Product Number(s)** 930711  
**Pure substance/mixture** Mixture

**Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

**Recommended Use** Use as laboratory reagent  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

**Manufacturer/Supplier**

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

### Label Elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health

**Appearance** Clear

**Physical State** Liquid

**Odor** None

Safety data sheet available on request

### Precautionary Statements

Do not handle until all safety information has been read and understood.

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

No information available

### Other Information

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Harmful to aquatic organisms

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Component        | CAS-No    | Weight % | Trade Secret |
|------------------|-----------|----------|--------------|
| Ammonium Sulfate | 7783-20-2 | 20 - 30% | *            |

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### First aid measures

#### **General Advice**

Use first aid treatment according to the nature of the injury. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### **Eye Contact**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. Obtain medical attention.

#### **Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing all contaminated clothing and shoes. If skin reactions occur, contact a physician.

#### **Inhalation**

Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.

#### **Ingestion**

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting. Call a

physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

**Protection of First-aiders**

Use personal protective equipment. See Section 8 for more detail. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Most important symptoms/effects** No information available

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

No information available

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

No information available

**Explosion Data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None

**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures****Personal Precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Refer to Section 8. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

**Environmental Precautions**

Beware of vapors accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapors can accumulate in low areas.

**Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up****Methods for Containment**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for Cleaning Up**

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****Precautions for Safe Handling****Handling**

To avoid risks to human health and the environment, comply with the instructions for use  
Wear personal protective equipment  
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray  
Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

**Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities****Storage**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place  
Store at room temperature in the original container  
Keep away from direct sunlight

Incompatible Products No information available

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

**Exposure Guidelines** This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Measures** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face Protection** Wear chemical splash goggles. If splashes are likely to occur, wear.. Face-shield.

**Skin and Body Protection** Wear protective gloves/clothing.

**Respiratory Protection** None required under normal usage. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical State** Liquid  
**Appearance** Clear  
**Odor** None  
**Odor Threshold** No information available  
**pH Range** 4.3 - 8.5

| <u>Property</u>                     | <u>Values</u>            | <u>Remarks • Method</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Melting point/freezing point</b> | No information available |                         |
| <b>Boiling Point/Range</b>          | ~ 100 °C / 212 °F        |                         |
| <b>Flash Point (High in °C)</b>     | N/A                      |                         |
| <b>Evaporation Rate</b>             | No information available |                         |
| <b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>    | No information available |                         |
| <b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>    |                          |                         |
| <b>Upper flammability limit:</b>    | No information available |                         |
| <b>Lower flammability limit:</b>    | No information available |                         |
| <b>Vapor pressure</b>               | No information available |                         |
| <b>Vapor Density</b>                | No information available |                         |
| <b>Specific Gravity</b>             | No information available |                         |
| <b>Water Solubility</b>             | Soluble in water         |                         |
| <b>Solubility in other solvents</b> | No information available |                         |
| <b>Partition coefficient</b>        | No information available |                         |
| <b>Autoignition Temperature</b>     |                          |                         |
| <b>Decomposition Temperature</b>    | No information available |                         |
| <b>Kinematic Viscosity</b>          | No information available |                         |
| <b>Dynamic viscosity</b>            | No information available |                         |
| <b>Explosive Properties</b>         | No information available |                         |
| <b>Oxidizing Properties</b>         | No information available |                         |

### Other Information

**Softening Point** No information available  
**Molecular Weight** No information available

VOC Content(%) No information available  
Density No Information available  
Bulk Density No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No Information available

### Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing

### Conditions to Avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight

### Incompatible Materials

No information available

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation No information available  
Eye Contact No information available  
Skin Contact No information available  
Ingestion No information available

| Component                     | LD50 Oral            | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Ammonium Sulfate<br>7783-20-2 | = 2000 mg/kg ( Rat ) | -           | -               |

### Information on Toxicological Effects

Symptoms No information available

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization No information available  
Mutagenic Effects No information available  
Carcinogenicity No information available.  
Reproductive Effects No information available  
STOT - single exposure No information available  
STOT - repeated exposure No information available  
Aspiration hazard No information available

### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

ATEmix (oral) 7692 mg/kg

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

| Component                     | Freshwater Algae | Freshwater Fish                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Water Flea                                                               |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Ammonium Sulfate<br>7783-20-2 | -                | 250: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L<br>LC50 480: 96 h Brachydanio rerio<br>mg/L LC50 flow-through 420: 96 h<br>Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50<br>semi-static 18: 96 h Cyprinus carpio<br>mg/L LC50 460 - 1000: 96 h<br>Leuciscus idus mg/L LC50 static 5.2<br>- 8.2: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss<br>mg/L LC50 static 100: 96 h<br>Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50<br>123 - 128: 96 h Poecilia reticulata<br>mg/L LC50 semi-static 126: 96 h<br>Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 32.2 -<br>41.9: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss<br>mg/L LC50 flow-through | 423: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L<br>EC50 14: 48 h Daphnia magna<br>mg/L LC50 |

### Persistence and Degradability

No information available

### Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation

No information available

### Mobility

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| Component                     | log Pow |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Ammonium Sulfate<br>7783-20-2 | -5.1    |

### Other adverse effects

No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste treatment methods

#### Waste Disposal Methods

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

#### Contaminated Packaging

Improper disposal or reuse of this container may be dangerous and illegal.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

TDG Not regulated

MEX Not regulated

ICAO Not regulated

|                 |               |
|-----------------|---------------|
| <u>IATA</u>     | Not regulated |
| <u>IMDG/IMO</u> | Not regulated |
| <u>RID</u>      | Not regulated |
| <u>ADR</u>      | Not regulated |
| <u>ADN</u>      | Not regulated |

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

|               |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|
| USINV         | Complies        |
| CANINV        | Complies        |
| EINECS/ELINCS | Complies        |
| ENCS          | Does not Comply |
| IECSC         | Complies        |
| KECL          | Complies        |
| PICCS         | Complies        |
| AICS          | Complies        |

USINV/ TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

CANINV/ DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

### U.S. Federal Regulations

#### SARA 313

| Component                    | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Ammonium Sulfate - 7783-20-2 | 1.0                           |

### SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

|                                   |    |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Acute Health Hazard               | No |
| Chronic Health Hazard             | No |
| Fire Hazard                       | No |
| Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard | No |
| Reactive Hazard                   | No |

### Clean Water Act

Not applicable

### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

### U.S. State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

**State Right-to-Know**

| Component                     | New Jersey | Massachusetts | Pennsylvania |
|-------------------------------|------------|---------------|--------------|
| Ammonium Sulfate<br>7783-20-2 | -          | X             | X            |

**U.S. EPA Label Information**

No information available

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

|                     |                                                                                                            |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Prepared By         | Environmental, Health and Safety                                                                           |
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