

Ammonium Polyphosphate Solution

Section 1. Identification

Product identifier : Ammonium Polyphosphate Solution

SDS # : 216

Other means of identification

Synonyms : APP 10-34-0; APP 11-37-0; COMPEN; POLY

This safety data sheet applies to the following:

POLY10 - Ammonium Polyphosphate 10-34-0

POLY11 - Ammonium Polyphosphate 11-37-0

Product code(s) : POLY10, POLY11

Product type : Liquid.

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

Identified uses Fertilizer. Fertilizer Blend Component	
Uses advised against Not applicable	Reason Evaluation

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24 HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

English:
Transportation Emergencies: 1-800-792-8311
Medical Emergencies: 1-303-389-1653

French or Spanish:
Tranportation or Medical Emergencies: 1-303-389-1654

Section 2. Hazard identification

Classification of the substance or mixture	: EYE IRRITATION - Category 2B
OSHA/HCS status	: This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).
<u>GHS label elements</u>	
Hazard pictograms	: Not Applicable. No Aplicable. Non applicable.
Signal word	: Warning
Hazard statements	: Causes eye irritation.
<u>Precautionary statements</u>	
General	: Read label before use. Keep out of reach of children. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
Prevention	: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
Response	: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.
Storage	: Not applicable.
Disposal	: Not applicable.
Supplemental label elements	: None known.
Other hazards which do not result in classification	: None known.

Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance/mixture : Multi-constituent substance

Ingredient name	% (w/w)	CAS number
Polyphosphoric acids, ammonium salts	70 - 72	68333-79-9
Water	< 20	7732-18-5
Ammonium dihydrogen orthophosphate	< 10	7722-76-1
Diammonium phosphate	< 10	7783-28-0

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

Section 4. First-aid measures

Description of necessary first aid measures

Eye contact	: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.
Inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air. No known significant effects. Seek medical attention for any signs of wheezing and/or breathing difficulties. For additional advice call the medical emergency number on this SDS or your poison center or medical provider.
Skin contact	: Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Ingestion	: Wash out mouth with water. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Section 4. First-aid measures

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Potential acute health effects

- Eye contact** : May cause eye irritation.
- Inhalation** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
- Skin contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
- Ingestion** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Over-exposure signs/symptoms

- Eye contact** : Adverse symptoms may include the following:
irritation
redness
- Inhalation** : No specific data.
- Skin contact** : No specific data.
- Ingestion** : No specific data.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

- Notes to physician** : Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled. 24 Hr Medical Emergency telephone number for professional support - From Canada or the U.S., English: 1-303-389-1653; French or Spanish: 1-303-389-1654.
- Specific treatments** : No specific treatment.
- Protection of first-aiders** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Mouth-to-mouth resuscitation of oral exposure patients is not recommended. First-aiders with contaminated clothing should be properly decontaminated.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media** : Non-flammable. Material will not burn. Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media** : None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical : In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.

Hazardous thermal decomposition products : Decomposition products may include the following materials:
nitrogen oxides

Special protective actions for fire-fighters : Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

Remark : Contain and collect the water used to fight the fire for later treatment and disposal.

Section 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- For non-emergency personnel** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.

Section 6. Accidental release measures

For emergency responders : If specialized clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

Environmental precautions : Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused adverse impacts (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Small spill : Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

Large spill : Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Pump spilled material to a suitable, labeled container for recycling or disposal. Recover the material and use it for the intended purpose.
or
Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

Section 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Protective measures : Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Do not ingest. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use.

Advice on general occupational hygiene : Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities : Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

Ingredient name	Exposure limits
Canadian Regulations:	None assigned.
U.S. Federal Regulations:	None assigned.

Appropriate engineering controls : Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.

Environmental exposure controls : Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation.

Individual protection measures

Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

- Hygiene measures** : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.
- Eye/face protection** : Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: splash goggles
- Skin protection**
- Hand protection** : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.
- Body protection** : Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.
- Other skin protection** : Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product. Hazard of slipping on spilled product. Use slip resistant footwear.
- Respiratory protection** : Based on the hazard and potential for exposure, select a respirator that meets the appropriate standard or certification. Respirators must be used according to a respiratory protection program to ensure proper fitting, training, and other important aspects of use. A respirator is not needed under normal and intended conditions of product use.

Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

- Physical state** : Liquid.
- Color** : Green to Brown.
- Odor** : Odorless.
- Odor threshold** : Not available.
- pH** : 6
- Melting point** : <-12°C (<10.4°F)
- Boiling point** : Not available.
- Flash point** : Not applicable.
- Evaporation rate** : Not available.
- Flammability (solid, gas)** : Not applicable
- Lower and upper explosive (flammable) limits** : Not applicable
- Vapor pressure** : Not available.
- Vapor density** : Not available.
- Relative density** : 1.45
- Solubility** : Easily soluble in the following materials: cold water and hot water.
- Solubility in water** : Soluble in water in any proportion.
- Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water** : Not available.
- Auto-ignition temperature** : Not applicable.
- Decomposition temperature** : Not available.
- Viscosity** : Not available.
- Heat of combustion** : Not applicable

Section 10. Stability and reactivity

- Reactivity** : No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.
- Chemical stability** : The product is stable.
- Possibility of hazardous reactions** : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.
- Conditions to avoid** : No specific data.
- Incompatible materials** : No specific data.
- Hazardous decomposition products** : Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

Section 11. Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure
Ammonium polyphosphate	LD50 Oral	Rat - Male, Female	>2000 mg/kg	-
Water	LD50 Oral	Rat	>90 g/kg	-
Ammonium dihydrogen orthophosphate	LD50 Oral	Rat - Male, Female	>2000 mg/kg	-
Diammonium phosphate	LC50 Inhalation Dusts and mists	Rat - Male, Female	>5 mg/l	4 hours
	LD50 Dermal	Rat - Male, Female	>5000 mg/kg	-
	LD50 Oral	Rat - Male, Female	>2000 mg/kg	-

Conclusion/Summary : Not toxic. No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Irritation/Corrosion

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Score	Exposure	Observation
Ammonium polyphosphate	Skin - Irritant	Rabbit	-	-	-
	Eyes - Irritant	Rabbit	-	-	-
Diammonium phosphate	Skin - Edema	Rabbit	0	72 hours	-
	Eyes - Cornea opacity	Rabbit	0	72 hours	-

Conclusion/Summary

- Skin** : Non-irritating to the skin.
- Eyes** : Non-irritating to the eyes.
- Respiratory** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Sensitization

Product/ingredient name	Route of exposure	Species	Result
Diammonium phosphate	Skin	Mouse	Not sensitizing

Conclusion/Summary

- Skin** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
- Respiratory** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Mutagenicity

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Product/ingredient name	Test	Experiment	Result
Ammonium polyphosphate Diammonium phosphate	- 471 Bacterial Reverse Mutation Test	Subject: Bacteria Subject: Bacteria	Negative Negative

Conclusion/Summary : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Carcinogenicity

Not available.

Reproductive toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Maternal toxicity	Fertility	Development toxin	Species	Dose	Exposure
Diammonium phosphate	Negative	Negative	Negative	Rat - Male, Female	Oral: 1500 mg/ kg	-

Conclusion/Summary : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Teratogenicity

Not available.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Not available.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Not available.

Aspiration hazard

Not available.

Information on the likely routes of exposure : Inhalation (dusts and mists)

Potential acute health effects

Eye contact : May cause eye irritation.
Inhalation : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Skin contact : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Ingestion : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Eye contact : Adverse symptoms may include the following:
irritation
redness
Inhalation : No specific data.
Skin contact : No specific data.
Ingestion : No specific data.

Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

Short term exposure

Potential immediate effects : See above.
Potential delayed effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Long term exposure

Potential immediate effects : See above.
Potential delayed effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

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Potential chronic health effects

Conclusion/Summary	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
General	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Carcinogenicity	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Mutagenicity	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Teratogenicity	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Developmental effects	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.
Fertility effects	: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Section 12. Ecological information

Toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Exposure
Ammonium polyphosphate	Acute EC50 813000 µg/l Fresh water	Daphnia - Daphnia magna - Neonate	48 hours
	Acute LC50 >500 mg/l Fresh water	Fish	96 hours
	Acute LC50 70000 µg/l Fresh water	Fish - Oncorhynchus tshawytscha - Juvenile (Fledgling, Hatchling, Weanling)	96 hours
Polyphosphoric acids, ammonium salts	Acute EC50 813000 µg/l Fresh water	Daphnia - Daphnia magna - Neonate	48 hours
	Acute LC50 70000 µg/l Fresh water	Fish - Oncorhynchus tshawytscha - Juvenile (Fledgling, Hatchling, Weanling)	96 hours
Diammonium phosphate	Acute LC50 1700 mg/l Fresh water	Fish - Cirrhinus mrigala/L. Rohita - Fry	96 hours
	Acute LC50 120 µg/l Fresh water	Fish - Oreochromis mossambicus - Juvenile (Fledgling, Hatchling, Weanling)	96 hours

Conclusion/Summary : May be harmful to the environment if released in large quantities. Excessive nutrient runoff to a body of water may result in eutrophication.

Persistence and degradability

Conclusion/Summary : Not persistent.

Product/ingredient name	Aquatic half-life	Photolysis	Biodegradability
Ammonium polyphosphate	-	-	Readily
Diammonium phosphate	-	-	Readily

Bioaccumulative potential

Product/ingredient name	LogP _{ow}	BCF	Potential
Water	-1.38	-	low

Mobility in soil

Soil/water partition coefficient (K_{oc}) : Not available.

Other adverse effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Section 13. Disposal considerations

Disposal methods : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste packaging should be recycled. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

Section 14. Transport information

	TDG Classification	DOT Classification	Mexico Classification	IMDG	IATA
UN number	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.
UN proper shipping name	-	-	-	-	-
Transport hazard class(es)	-	-	-	-	-
Packing group	-	-	-	-	-
Environmental hazards	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Additional information	-	-	-	-	-

Special precautions for user : **Transport within user's premises:** always transport in closed containers that are upright and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code : Not available.

Section 15. Regulatory information

Canadian lists

Canadian NPRI : The following components are listed: Ammonia (total)

CEPA Toxic substances : None of the components are listed.

Canada inventory : All components are listed or exempted.

International regulations

Chemical Weapon Convention List Schedules I, II & III Chemicals

Not listed.

Montreal Protocol (Annexes A, B, C, E)

Not listed.

Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not listed.

Rotterdam Convention on Prior Informed Consent (PIC)

Not listed.

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UNECE Aarhus Protocol on POPs and Heavy Metals

Not listed.

Inventory list

Australia	: All components are listed or exempted.
China	: All components are listed or exempted.
Europe	: This material is listed or exempted.
Japan	: Japan inventory (ENCS): Not determined. Japan inventory (ISHL): Not determined.
Malaysia	: Not determined.
New Zealand	: All components are listed or exempted.
Philippines	: All components are listed or exempted.
Republic of Korea	: All components are listed or exempted.
Taiwan	: Not determined.
Turkey	: Not determined.

U.S. Federal Regulations: : **TSCA 8(a) CDR Exempt/Partial exemption:** Not determined
All components are listed or exempted.

Clean Air Act Section 112 (b) Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) : Not listed

Clean Air Act Section 602 Class I Substances : Not listed

Clean Air Act Section 602 Class II Substances : Not listed

DEA List I Chemicals (Precursor Chemicals) : Not listed

DEA List II Chemicals (Essential Chemicals) : Not listed

SARA 302/304 Composition/information on ingredients

SARA 304 RQ : Not applicable.

SARA 311/312


Classification : Not applicable.

SARA 313

	Product name	CAS number	%
Form R - Reporting requirements	Ammonium dihydrogen orthophosphate	7722-76-1	<10
	Diammonium hydrogenorthophosphate	7783-28-0	<10
Supplier notification	Ammonium dihydrogen orthophosphate	7722-76-1	<10
	Diammonium hydrogenorthophosphate	7783-28-0	<10

SARA 313 notifications must not be detached from the SDS and any copying and redistribution of the SDS shall include copying and redistribution of the notice attached to copies of the SDS subsequently redistributed.

State regulations

Massachusetts	: None of the components are listed.
New York	: None of the components are listed.
New Jersey	: None of the components are listed.
Pennsylvania	: None of the components are listed.
<u>California Prop. 65</u>	:  WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including cadmium, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer and to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Section 16. Other information

History

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☑ **Indicates information that has changed from previously issued version.**
 General format change.

Key to abbreviations : ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate
 BCF = Bioconcentration Factor
 GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
 IATA = International Air Transport Association
 IBC = Intermediate Bulk Container
 IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods
 LogPow = logarithm of the octanol/water partition coefficient
 MARPOL = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)
 UN = United Nations
 HPR = Hazardous Products Regulations

Procedure used to derive the classification

Classification	Justification
EYE IRRITATION - Category 2B	Weight of evidence

References : Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act and Clear Language Regulations, current edition at time of SDS preparation, Transport Canada;
 Hazardous Products Act and Regulations, current revision at time of SDS preparation, Health Canada;
 Domestic Substances List, current revision at time of SDS preparation, Environment Canada;
 29 CFR Part 1910, current revision at time of SDS preparation, U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration;
 40 CFR Parts 1-799, current revision at time of SDS preparation, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency;
 49 CFR Parts 1-199, current revision at time of SDS preparation, U.S. Department of Transport;
 Mexican Official Standard NOM-018-STPS-2015, Harmonised System for the Identification and Communication of Hazards and Risks by Hazardous Chemicals in the Workplace;
 NORMA Oficial Mexicana NOM-010-STPS-2014, Agentes químicos contaminantes del ambiente laboral-Reconocimiento, evaluación y control.
 Mexican Official Standard NOM-002-SCT / 2011, List of the most commonly transported hazardous substances and materials;
 Threshold Limit Values for Chemical Substances, current edition at time of SDS preparation, American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists;
 NFPA 400, National Fire Codes, National Fire Protection Association, current edition at time of SDS preparation;
 NFPA 704, National Fire Codes, National Fire Protection Association, current edition at time of SDS preparation;
 Corrosion Data Survey, Sixth Edition, 1985, National Association of Corrosion Engineers;
 ERG 2016, Emergency Response Guidebook, U.S. Department of Transport, Transport Canada, and the Secretariat of Transportation and Communications of Mexico
 Hazardous Substances Data Bank, current revision at time of SDS preparation, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland
 Integrated Risk Information System, current revision at time of SDS preparation, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D.C.
 Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards, current revision at time of SDS preparation, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Cincinnati, Ohio ;
 Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry Databank, current revision at

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National Toxicology Program, Report on Carcinogens, Division of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina.
Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances. National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Cincinnati, Ohio
California Code of Regulations, Title 27, Div 4, Chapter 1, Proposition 65 Aug 30, 2018 rev and current updates
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