

## **1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER**

Product Name:

### **PAC 47%**

**Recommended Use of the Chemical** Water treatment. **and Restrictions on Use** 

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Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

This material is hazardous according to Safe Work Australia; HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.

#### Classification of the substance or mixture:

Corrosive to Metals - Category 1 Acute Oral Toxicity - Category 4 Skin Irritation - Category 2 Eye Damage - Category 1

#### SIGNAL WORD: DANGER



Hazard Statement(s): H290 May be corrosive to metals. H302 Harmful if swallowed. H315 Causes skin irritation. H318 Causes serious eye damage.

#### Precautionary Statement(s):

#### Prevention:

P234 Keep only in original container.
P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P280 Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection / face protection.



#### **Response:**

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P300 Rinse mouth.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P321 Specific treatment (see First Aid Measures on Safety Data Sheet).
P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.
Continue rinsing.
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

#### Storage:

P406 Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

#### Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP): None allocated.

### **3. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Components	CAS Number	Proportion	Hazard Codes
Polyaluminium chloride	1327-41-9	30-60%	H302 H315 H319
Water	7732-18-5	to 100%	-

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 131 126; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

#### Inhalation:

Remove victim from area of exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. For all but the most minor symptoms arrange for patient to be seen by a doctor as soon as possible, either on site or at the nearest hospital.

#### Skin Contact:

If skin or hair contact occurs, immediately remove any contaminated clothing and wash skin and hair thoroughly with running water. If swelling, redness, blistering or irritation occurs seek medical assistance.

#### Eye Contact:

Immediately wash in and around the eye area with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held apart. Remove clothing if contaminated and wash skin. Urgently seek medical assistance. Transport promptly to hospital or medical centre.

#### Ingestion:

Immediately rinse mouth with water. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water. Seek immediate medical assistance.

#### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

Treat symptomatically. Material is acidic. Can cause corneal burns.

### **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**



#### Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Not combustible, however, if material is involved in a fire use: Water fog (or if unavailable fine water spray), foam, dry chemical powder.

#### Hazchem or Emergency Action Code: 2X

#### Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

Non-combustible material. Corrosive substance.

#### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters:

Decomposes on heating emitting toxic fumes, including those of hydrogen chloride . Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to products of decomposition.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Emergency procedures/Environmental precautions:

Clear area of all unprotected personnel. If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

#### Personal precautions/Protective equipment/Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contact and breathing in vapours. Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Collect and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal. After cleaning, flush away any residual traces with water.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling:

Avoid skin and eye contact and breathing in vapour, mists and aerosols.

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

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Keep containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Control Parameters:** No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia. However, Workplace Exposure Standard(s) for constituent(s):

Aluminium, soluble salts (as AI):  $8hr TWA = 2 mg/m^3$ 

As published by Safe Work Australia Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week.

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.



#### Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure ventilation is adequate and that air concentrations of components are controlled below quoted Workplace Exposure Standards. Keep containers closed when not in use.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to determine the minimum PPE requirements.

#### Individual protection measures, such as Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, CHEMICAL GOGGLES, GLOVES.



Wear overalls, chemical goggles and impervious gloves. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a suitable mist respirator meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Liquid
Dark Coffee
Odourless
Miscible with water.
1.35
Not available
Not available
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not available
Not available
3-4

### **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity:	Reacts with alkalis.
Chemical stability:	Stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.
Possibility of hazardous reactions:	Corrosive to some metals. Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.
Conditions to avoid:	Avoid contact with alkalis .
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Incompatible materials:

Incompatible with alkalis. Incompatible with some metals .

Hazardous decomposition Hydrogen chloride. products:

## **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

Ingestion:	Swallowing can result in nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea, and abdominal pain. Swallowing may result in irritation of the gastrointestinal tract.
Eye contact:	A severe eye irritant. Contamination of eyes can result in permanent injury.
Skin contact:	Contact with skin will result in irritation.
Inhalation:	Material may be irritant to the mucous membranes of the respiratory tract (airways).

**Acute toxicity:** No LD50 data available for the product. For the constituent POLYALUMINIUM CHLORIDE: Oral LD50 (rat): 681 mg/kg

Chronic effects: No information available for the product.

### **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicity

Avoid contaminating waterways.

### **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### **Disposal methods:**

Refer to Waste Management Authority. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

### **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### Road and Rail Transport

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.



UN No:326Transport Hazard Class:8 CPacking Group:IIIProper Shipping Name orCOTechnical Name:CHHazchem or Emergency Action2XCode:Code:

3264 8 Corrosive III CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (POLYALUMINIUM CHLORIDE SOLUTION) 2X



#### Marine Transport

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN No:	3264
Transport Hazard Class:	8 Corrosive
Packing Group:	III
Proper Shipping Name or	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (POLYALUMINIUM
Technical Name:	CHLORIDE SOLUTION)
IMDG EMS Fire:	F-A
IMDG EMS Spill:	S-B

#### Air Transport

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN No:	3264
Transport Hazard Class:	8 Corrosive
Packing Group:	
Proper Shipping Name or	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (POLYALUMINIUM
Technical Name:	CHLORIDE SOLUTION)

### **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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#### Poisons Schedule (SUSMP): None allocated.

All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

`Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances'. Ed. D. Sweet, US Dept. of Health & Human Services: Cincinatti, 2015.

This safety data sheet has been prepared by Ixom Operations Pty Ltd Toxicology & SDS Services.

## Reason(s) for Issue:

First Issue Primary SDS



This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Ixom Operations Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact their Ixom representative or Ixom Operations Pty Ltd at the contact details on page 1.

Ixom Operations Pty Ltd's responsibility for the material as sold is subject to the terms and conditions of sale, a copy of which is available upon request.