# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product identifier

Product Name AMMONIUM POLYPHOSPHATE SOLID

**Product Code(s)** 000000054495

Other means of identification

**CAS No.** 68333-79-9

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** Fertilizer, preparation of fertilizers.

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Ixom Operations Pty Ltd (Incorporated in Australia) NZBN: 9429041465226 Address: 166 Totara Street

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Contact Point Product Safety Department

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone 0 800 734 607 (ALL HOURS)

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

Not classified as a Dangerous Good under NZS 5433 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

Classified as hazardous according to criteria in the Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020.

GHS Classification

**SIGNAL WORD** 

Warning

Additives, Process Chemicals and Raw Materials (Subsidiary Hazard) Group Standard 2020

Approval Number: HSR002503

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3

#### Label elements



#### **Hazard statements**

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Avoid breathing dust or spray mist

Wash eyes thoroughly after handling.

Wear eye/face protection

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

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 advice/attention

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

Store locked up

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

Other hazards which do not result in classification

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Substance

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Polyphosphoric acids, ammonium salts	68333-79-9	<=100

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **Description of first aid measures**

General advice For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New

Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

Emergency telephone number Poisons Information Center, New Zealand: 0800 764 766

Poisons Information Center, Australia: 13 11 26

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Eye contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep

eye wide open while rinsing. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue

rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical

attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting

without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get

medical attention if symptoms occur.

Self-protection of the first aider Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section

8).

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Irritation. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty

in breathing.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** 

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Non-combustible.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with eyes. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Use personal protective equipment as

required. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

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

Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE). Carefully shovel or sweep up spilled

material and place in suitable container. Avoid generating dust.

Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Avoid generation of dust.

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protection equipment. Wash thoroughly after

handling.

**General hygiene considerations** Avoid contact with eyes. Wash hands and face before breaks and immediately after

handling the product.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container

closed when not in use.

**Incompatible materials**None known based on information supplied.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Limits No value assigned for this specific material by the New Zealand Workplace Health & Safety

Authority. However, Workplace Exposure Standard(s) for particulate(s):

Particulates not otherwise classified: 8hr WES-TWA 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (inhalable dust) or 3 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable dust)

As published by the New Zealand Workplace Health & Safety Authority.

WES - TWA (Workplace Exposure Standard - Time Weighted Average) - The eight-hour, time-weighted average exposure standard is designed to protect the worker from the effects of long-term exposure.

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

**Engineering controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

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

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, DUST MASK.



Eye/face protection Goggles.

Hand protection Impervious gloves.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Boots. Overalls.

requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical stateSolidAppearancePowderColorWhiteOdorOdourless

Odor threshold No information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

6-8 (1% aqueous solution) pН None known Melting point / freezing point No data available None known Boiling point / boiling range No data available None known Not applicable Flash point None known **Evaporation rate** No data available None known Flammability (solid, gas) No data available None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressureNo data availableNone knownVapor densityNo data availableNone known

Relative density 0.72 @25°C

Water solubility No data available None known Solubility(ies) No data available None known **Partition coefficient** No data available None known No data available Autoignition temperature None known >150°C **Decomposition temperature** None known Kinematic viscosity No data available None known

Dynamic viscosity

No data available

No data available

Other information

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

**Chemical stability** 

**Stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Avoid dust generation. Avoid temperatures above 250 °C.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials None known based on information supplied.

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Nitrogen oxides. Phosphorus oxides.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Acute toxicity**

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this

Safety Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the

chemical is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Inhalation** Irritating to respiratory system.

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Skin contact** May cause irritation.

**Ingestion** Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

Symptoms Irritation. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty

in breathing.

Acute toxicity

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

Chemical name Oral LD50 Dermal LD50 Inhalation LC50
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Polyphosphoric acids,	> 2000 mg/kg(Rat)	-	-
ammonium salts			

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

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

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Not classified.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Causes serious eye irritation.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity Non-mutagenic in AMES test.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** May cause respiratory irritation.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Ecotoxicity** Keep out of waterways.

**Terrestrial ecotoxicity** There is no data for this product.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Polyphosphoric acids,	-	LC50: >500mg/L (96h, Brachydanio	-
ammonium salts		rerio) LC50: =123mg/L (96h,	
		Oncorhynchus mykiss) LC50: 685 -	
		1066mg/L (96h, Oncorhynchus	
		mykiss) LC50: 389 - 654mg/L (96h,	
		Pimephales promelas)	

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** 

Mobility in soil No information available.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects No information available.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of product in packaging/container in a way that is consistent with the Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Notice 2017 and the Act, and Hazardous Substances (Amendments and Revocations) Notice 2020. Treat the chemical using a method that changes the characteristics or composition of the chemical so that the chemical is no longer a hazardous

chemical; or export the chemical from New Zealand as waste.

Contaminated packaging Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ROAD AND RAIL TRANSPORT Not classified as a Dangerous Good under NZS 5433 Transport of Dangerous Goods on

Land; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

IATA Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport

Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air;

NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

IMDG Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous

Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

**New Zealand** 

National regulations See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

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**International Inventories** 

NZIoC This material is listed on the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.

**TSCA** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **DSL/NDSL** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **EINECS/ELINCS ENCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **IECSC** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **KECL** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **PICCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. AIIC

Legend:

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

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

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

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

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**AIIC- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals** 

**International Regulations** 

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Supplier Material Safety Data Sheet

Prepared By This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by Ixom Operations Pty Ltd (Toxicology and

SDS Services).

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**Revision Note:** 

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

C Carcinogen

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

World Health Organization

#### **Disclaimer**

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.

**End of Safety Data Sheet**