

# Safety Data Sheet

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### **SECTION 1: Identification**

#### Identification

Product form : Substance

Substance name : Anhydrous Ammonia

Chemical name Ammonia CAS No 7664-41-7 Product code SG-1001-00035

Formula : NH3

Other means of identification : Anhydrous ammonia

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

Use of the substance/mixture : Test gas/Calibration gas

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

Air Liquide USA LLC and its affiliates 9811 Katy Freeway, Suite 100 Houston, TX 77024 - USA T 1-800-819-1704 www.us.airliquide.com

#### **Emergency telephone number**

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

# SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

#### **GHS-US** classification

Flammable gases H221 Category 2 Gases under pressure H280 Liquefied gas H332

Acute toxicity (inhalation:gas)

Category 4

Skin corrosion/irritation H314

Category 1B

Serious eye H318

damage/eye irritation

Category 1

Full text of H statements : see section 16

# **Label elements**

# **GHS-US** labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)







GHS04

GHS05

GHS07

Signal word (GHS-US) : Danger

H221 - Flammable gas Hazard statements (GHS-US)

H280 - Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

CGA-HG22 - Corrosive to the respiratory tract

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, open flames, sparks. - No smoking

P260 - Do not breathe gas

P262 - Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P280 - Wear protective clothing, protective gloves, eye protection, face protection

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P284 - Wear respiratory protection. Consult respirator supplier's product information for the selection of the appropriate respiratory protection

P303+P361+P353 - If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

P304+P340 - If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

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 doctor

P312 - Call a doctor if you feel unwell

P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P377 - Leaking gas fire: Do not extinguish, unless leak can be stopped safely

P381 - Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

P405 - Store locked up

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

CGA-PG02 - Protect from sunlight when ambient temperature exceeds 52°C (125°F)

CGA-PG05 - Use a back flow preventive device in the piping CGA-PG06 - Close valve after each use and when empty CGA-PG10 - Use only with equipment rated for cylinder pressure

CGA-PG14 - Approach suspected leak area with caution

CGA-PG20 - Use only with equipment of compatible materials of construction and rated for

cylinder pressure

CGA-PG21 - Open valve slowly

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

# SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

# 3.1. Substance

| Name                                    | Product identifier | %    | GHS-US classification   |
|---|--------------------|------|---|
| Anhydrous Ammonia<br>(Main constituent) | (CAS No) 7664-41-7 | > 99 | Flam. Gas 2, H221<br>Liquefied gas, H280<br>Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:gas),<br>H332<br>Skin Corr. 1B, H314<br>Eve Dam. 1, H318 |

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

#### 3.2. Mixture

Not applicable

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Apply

artificial respiration with bag and mask if breathing stopped. Immediately call a poison center or

doctor/physician

First-aid measures after skin contact : IF ON SKIN : Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Get immediate medical advice /

attention. Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing

before reuse.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for

several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation occurs, seek medical attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

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

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Harmful if inhaled. Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Symptoms/injuries upon intravenous

administration

: Not known.

Chronic symptoms : None known.

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

No additional information available

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use water jet to extinguish.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : This product is flammable.

Explosion hazard : Heat may build pressure, rupturing closed containers, spreading fire and increasing risk of

burns and injuries.

Reactivity : None known.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : In case of fire: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Use water spray

or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Protection during firefighting : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g., Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire

fighters. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory

protection.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

General measures : Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear protective equipment consistent with the site emergency plan.

Emergency procedures : Escape the danger area by the closest safe route. Close doors and windows of adjacent

premises. Keep containers closed. Mark the danger area. Seal off low-lying areas. Keep

upwind.

### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Standard protective clothing and equipment (e.g., Self Contained Breathing Apparatus) for fire

fighters. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate and limit access. Ventilate area. Remove ignition sources. Monitor concentration of

released product. Consider the risk of potentially explosive atmospheres. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering atmospheres of unknown contaminant concentration until

proven to be safe.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Try to stop release if safe to do so.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Try to stop release if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up : Dispose of this material and its container in accordance with local regulations.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See also Sections 8 and 13.

# SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : Pressurized container: Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Use equipment rated for cylinder

pressure. Close valve after each use and when empty.

Precautions for safe handling : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use only outdoors or

in a well-ventilated area. Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so. Keep away from heat,

hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage conditions : Store locked up. Do not expose to temperatures exceeding 52°C (125°F). Keep container

closed when not in use. Protect cylinder from physical damage.

Incompatible products : None known.

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Incompatible materials : Acids. Oxidizing materials.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits. Provide adequate general and local

exhaust ventilation. Systems under pressure should be regularly checked for leakages. Oxygen detectors should be used when asphyxiating gases may be released. Consider work permit

system e.g. for maintenance activities.

Hand protection : Wear working gloves when handling gas containers. 29 CFR 1910.138: Hand Protection. In

addition wear chemically resistant protective gloves when making or breaking process

connections.

Eye protection : Wear safety glasses with side shields. 29 CFR 1910.133: Eye and Face Protection. Wear

goggles and faceshield when transfilling or breaking transfer connections.

Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing, e.g. - lab coats, coveralls or flame resistant clothing.

Respiratory protection : Wear a respirator when performing non-routine tasks not limited to line breaking or sampling.

Wear a respirator during routine operations if determined to be necessary during a process-

Wear a respirator during routine operations if determined to be necessary during a processspecific review. Consult respirator suppliers' product information or their representatives for the

selection of the appropriate respirator. See Sections 5 & 6.

Thermal hazard protection : None necessary during normal and routine operations.

Environmental exposure controls : Refer to local regulations for restriction of emissions to the atmosphere. See section 13 for

specific methods for waste gas treatment.

Other information : Wear safety shoes while handling containers. 29 CFR 1910.136: Foot Protection.

: No data available

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Gas

Appearance : Clear, colorless gas.

Color : Colorless Odor : Pungent.

Odor threshold : No data available pH : No data available Melting point : No data available Freezing point : No data available : No data available

Boiling point : -33 °C
Critical temperature : 132 °C

Critical pressure : 11350 kPa
Flash point : No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : See Section 2.1 and 2.2 Explosion limits : No data available Explosive properties : No data available

Vapor pressure : 860 kPa

Oxidizing properties

Relative density : No data available Relative vapor density at 20 °C : No data available

Molecular mass : 17 g/mol

Relative gas density : Lighter or similar to air Solubility : No data available Log Pow : No data available

Auto-ignition temperature : 630 °C

Decomposition temperature : No data available Viscosity : No data available

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Viscosity, kinematic : No data available Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

9.2. Other information

Additional information : None

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

None known.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Acids. Oxidizing materials.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Likely routes of exposure : Inhalation

Acute toxicity : Inhalation:gas: Harmful if inhaled.

# Anhydrous Ammonia (7664-41-7)

ATE US (gases) 3669.000 ppmV/4h

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified Carcinogenicity : Not classified Reproductive toxicity : Not classified Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified Specific target organ toxicity (repeated : Not classified

exposure)

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Harmful if inhaled. Corrosive to the respiratory tract. Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Ingestion is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Symptoms/injuries upon intravenous : Not known. administration

Chronic symptoms : None known.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

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#### Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### Other adverse effects

No additional information available

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods

: Contact supplier if guidance is required. Do not discharge into any place where its accumulation could be dangerous. Ensure that the emission levels from local regulations or operating permits are not exceeded. Waste gas should be flared through a suitable burner with flash back arrestor. Do not discharge into areas where there is a risk of forming an explosive mixture with air.

Waste disposal recommendations

Refer to the CGA Pamphlet P-63 "Disposal of Gases" available at www.cganet.com for more

guidance on suitable disposal methods.

Additional information

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### **Department of Transportation (DOT)**

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN1005 Ammonia, anhydrous, 2.2

UN-No.(DOT) : UN1005

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Ammonia, anhydrous

Class (DOT) : 2.2 - Class 2.2 - Non-flammable compressed gas 49 CFR 173.115

: None.

Hazard labels (DOT) 2.2 - Non-flammable gas



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DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)

DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)

DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102)

**DOT Symbols** 

: 314;315

: D - Proper shipping name for domestic use only, or to and from Canada

: 13 - The words Inhalation Hazard shall be entered on each shipping paper in association with the shipping description, shall be marked on each non-bulk package in association with the proper shipping name and identification number, and shall be marked on two opposing sides of each bulk package. Size of marking on bulk package must conform to 172.302(b) of this subchapter. The requirements of 172.203(m) and 172.505 of this subchapter do not apply T50 - When portable tank instruction T50 is referenced in Column (7) of the 172.101 Table, the applicable liquefied compressed gases are authorized to be transported in portable tanks in

accordance with the requirements of 173.313 of this subchapter

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx)

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : Forbidden (49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : Forbidden

CFR 175.75)

**DOT Vessel Stowage Location** 

: D - The material must be stowed "on deck only" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers or one

passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length, but the material is prohibited on passenger vessels in which the limiting number of passengers is exceeded

**DOT Vessel Stowage Other** 40 - Stow "clear of living quarters",52 - Stow "separated from" acids,57 - Stow "separated

from" chlorine

Other information : No supplementary information available.

**TDG** 

Transport document description : UN1005 ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, 2.3

UN-No. (TDG) : UN1005

: ANHYDROUS AMMONIA TDG Proper Shipping Name

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**TDG Primary Hazard Classes** : 2.3 - Class 2.3 - Toxic Gas.

TDG Subsidiary Classes

23 - (1) A consignor of these dangerous goods must include, except for UN1005, **TDG Special Provisions** 

ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, the words "toxic by inhalation" or "toxic — inhalation hazard" or "toxique par inhalation" or "toxicité par inhalation" in the following places, unless the words are already part of the shipping name: (a)on a shipping document, immediately after the description of the dangerous goods; (b)on a small means of containment, next to the shipping name of the dangerous goods; and (c)on a large means of containment, next to the placard for the primary class of the dangerous goods or the placard for the subsidiary class, if any. For example, the notation on a shipping document would be "UN1935, CYANIDE SOLUTION, N.O.S., Class 6.1, PG I, toxic by inhalation". (2) This special provision does not apply to a person who transports these dangerous goods in accordance with an exemption set out in sections 1.15, 1.17 or 1.17.1 of Part 1 (Coming Into Force, Repeal, Interpretation, General Provisions and Special Cases). (3) A consignor of UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, must include the words "inhalation hazard" or "dangereux par inhalation": (a)on a shipping document, immediately after the shipping name of the dangerous goods; and (b)on a small means of containment, next to the shipping name of the dangerous goods. When UN1005, ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, is contained in a large means of containment on which is affixed the anhydrous ammonia placard, the words "Anhydrous Ammonia, Inhalation Hazard" or "Ammoniac anhydre, dangereux par inhalation" must be displayed next to the placard in accordance with paragraph 4.18.2(b).

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Passenger Carrying Road Vehicle or Passenger : Forbidden

Carrying Railway Vehicle Index

Passenger Carrying Ship Index : Forbidden

Transport by sea

UN-No. (IMDG) : 1005

Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : Ammonia, Anhydrous Class (IMDG) : 2.3 - Toxic gases

Subsidiary risks (IMDG) : 8

Air transport

UN-No. (IATA) : 1005

Proper Shipping Name (IATA) Ammonia, Anhydrous Class (IATA) : 2.3 - Gases : toxic

Subsidiary risk (IATA) : 8

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

No additional information available

#### 15.2. International regulations

# **CANADA**

No additional information available

### **EU-Regulations**

No additional information available

#### **National regulations**

No additional information available

#### 15.3. US State regulations

No additional information available

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

This Safety Data Sheet is offered pursuant to OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 Other information

CFR, 1910.1200. Other government regulations must be reviewed for applicability to this

product.

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#### Full text of H-phrases:

| H221 | Flammable gas                                      |  |
|------|--|--|
| H280 | Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated |  |
| H314 | Causes severe skin burns and eye damage            |  |
| H318 | Causes serious eye damage                          |  |
| H332 | Harmful if inhaled                                 |  |

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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