# SAFETY DATA SHEET SPECTRUM®



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# 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product Name AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE, 26 DEG BE, TECHNICAL

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) A1200

UN/ID no UN2672

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use

No information available

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Address** 

Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp. 14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 516-8000

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

## Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Gases)	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category B
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3

# Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

## Label elements

Danger

## Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed

Harmful if inhaled

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

May cause respiratory irritation



Appearance Clear Physical state Liquid Odor Strong

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

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Do not breathe dusts or mists

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

Specific treatment (see .? on this label)

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

# **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

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

## **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

# Unknown acute toxicity

- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute oral toxicity
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (gas)
- 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (dust/mist)

## Other information

No information available.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

# **Substance**

Not applicable.

## <u>Mixture</u>

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade secret
Water	7732-18-5	69 - 73	*
Ammonia	7664-41-7	27 - 31	*

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

# 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is

required.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical

attention immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur. Get immediate medical

advice/attention.

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

eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

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

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get immediate medical

advice/attention.

Self-protection of the first aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Use personal protective equipment as

required. See section 8 for more information.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** Burning sensation. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in breathing.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians** Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood

pressure may occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

surrounding environment.

Large Fire CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition

can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Hazardous combustion products Ammonia. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact none.

Sensitivity to static discharge none.

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 Attention! Corrosive material. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate

> ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid generation of dust. Do not

breathe dust.

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

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. **Methods for containment** 

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

# 7. Handling and storage

## Precautions for safe handling

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with Advice on safe handling

skin, eyes or clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated

clothing and wash before reuse. Avoid breathing vapors or mists.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach

of children. Protect from moisture. Store locked up. Store away from other materials.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or **Exposure Limits** 

level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure

limits from the sources listed here.

	Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
	Ammonia 7664-41-7	No data available	50 ppm TWA 35 mg/m³ TWA	300 ppm IDLH
ı	1004-41-1		35 mg/m² rvvA	

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Showers **Engineering controls** 

> Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Tight sealing safety goggles. Face protection shield. Hand protection Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron. Skin and body protection

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

General hygiene considerations Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do

not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

None known

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical state** Liquid **Appearance** Clear Color Colorless Odor Strong

**Odor threshold** No information available

Remarks • Method Property Values

11.6 - this is the actual pH in a 1 N None known Hq

solution

Melting point / freezing point -69.2 °C / -92.6 °F None known 31 - 38 °C / 87.8 - 100.4 °F Boiling point / boiling range None known Flash point no data available None known **Evaporation rate** no data available None known Flammability (solid, gas) no data available None known

Flammability Limit in Air Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressure 287.9 @ 25 °C None known Vapor density no data available None known Relative density 0.898 None known Water solubility Soluble in water None known Solubility(ies) no data available None known **Partition coefficient** No data available None known **Autoignition temperature** no data available None known **Decomposition temperature** None known

Kinematic viscosity no data available None known **Dynamic viscosity** No data available None known

Other information

**Explosive properties** No information available **Oxidizing properties** No information available No information available Softening point

Molecular weight 35.05

**VOC Content (%)** No information available **Liquid 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 Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods. Excessive heat.

**Incompatible materials** Acids. Bases. Oxidizing agent.

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# 11. Toxicological information

## Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive by inhalation.

(based on components). Inhalation of corrosive fumes/gases may cause coughing, choking, headache, dizziness, and weakness for several hours. Pulmonary edema may occur with tightness in the chest, shortness of breath, bluish skin, decreased blood pressure, and increased heart rate. Inhaled corrosive substances can lead to a toxic edema of the lungs. Pulmonary edema can be fatal. May cause irritation of respiratory tract. Harmful by

inhalation.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye

damage. (based on components). Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage

including blindness. May cause irreversible damage to eyes.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive. (based on

components). Causes burns.

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes burns. (based on

components). Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts. May cause severe burning pain in the mouth and stomach with vomiting and diarrhea of dark blood. Blood pressure may decrease. Brownish or yellowish stains may be seen around the mouth. Swelling of the throat may cause shortness of breath and choking. May cause lung

damage if swallowed. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** Redness. Burning. May cause blindness. Coughing and/ or wheezing.

**Acute toxicity** 

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

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

ATEmix (oral) 1,296.30 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-gas) 2,592.60 ppm
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 1.86 mg/l

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**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Water	90 mL/kg (Rat)	-	-
7732-18-5	-		
Ammonia	= 350 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 2000 ppm (Rat) 4 h
7664-41-7			

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

**Skin corrosion/irritation**Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes burns.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Causes burns.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available. No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure STOT - repeated exposure Target organ effects May cause respiratory irritation. No information available. respiratory system, Eyes, Skin.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available.

Interactive effects No information available.

# 12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Ammonia	-	LC50: 0.26 - 4.6mg/L	-	LC50: =25.4mg/L (48h,
7664-41-7		(96h, Lepomis		Daphnia magna)
		macrochirus) LC50: 0.73		
		- 2.35mg/L (96h,		
		Pimephales promelas)		
		LC50: =0.44mg/L (96h,		
		Cyprinus carpio) LC50:		
		=1.17mg/L (96h, Lepomis		
		macrochirus) LC50:		
		=1.19mg/L (96h, Poecilia		
		reticulata) LC50:		
		=5.9mg/L (96h,		
		Pimephales promelas)		
		LC50: >1.5mg/L (96h,		
		Poecilia reticulata)		

Persistence and degradability Bioaccumulation

No information available. Inherently biodegradable.

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Ammonia	-1.14
7664-41-7	

Other adverse effects No information available.

# 13. Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

products

Waste from residues/unused

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

# 14. Transport information

DOT

UN/ID no UN2672

Proper Shipping Name: Ammonia solution

Hazard class 8
Packing group: |||

Special Provisions336, IB3, IP8, T7, TP2Marine PollutantSevere Marine Pollutant

**Description:** UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III

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TDG

**UN-No:** UN2672

Proper Shipping Name: Ammonia solution

Hazard class 8
Packing Group: |||

**Description:** UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III

MEX

UN-No UN2672

Proper Shipping Name Ammonia solution

Hazard class 8
Packing Group III

**Description** UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III

ICAO (air)

**UN-No**: UN2672

Proper Shipping Name: Ammonia solution

Hazard class 8
Packing Group: III
Special Provisions A64

**Description:** UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III

<u>IATA</u>

UN number UN2672

Proper Shipping Name: Ammonia solution

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III

**Description:** UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III

<u>IMDG</u>

UN number UN2672

Proper shipping name Ammonia solution

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III
EmS-No F-A, S-B
Marine pollutant P

**Description** UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III, Marine pollutant

RID

UN number UN2672

Proper Shipping Name: Ammonia solution

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III
Classification code C5
Special Provisions 543

**Description:** UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Labels 8

ADR

UN number 2672

Proper Shipping Name: Ammonia solution

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III
Classification code C5

Tunnel restriction code (E) Special Provisions 543

**Description:** 2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III, (E), ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Labels

<u>ADN</u>

UN/ID No UN2672

Proper shipping name Ammonia solution

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing Group III
Classification code C5
Special Provisions 543

Description UN2672, Ammonia solution, 8, III, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

Hazard label(s) 8
Limited quantity (LQ) 5 L
Equipment Requirements PP, EP

# 15. Regulatory information

## **International Inventories**

**TSCA** Complies

DSL/NDSL Complies EINECS/ELINCS Complies

ENCS This product complies with ENCS: IECSC This product complies with China:

**KECL** Complies PICCS Complies

AICS All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical

Substances (AICS).

Legend:

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

## **US Federal Regulations**

## **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

Chemical name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Ammonia - 7664-41-7	1.0

## SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

# **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Ammonia 7664-41-7	-	-	-	Present

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302).

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs
Ammonia	100 lb final RQ	-
7664-41-7	45.4 kg final RQ	

## **US State Regulations**

## **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Ammonia	0084	Present	Environmental hazard
7664-41-7			

## U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

# 16. Other information

**NFPA** 

Health hazards 3

Flammability 0

Instability 0

Physical and chemical properties -

HMIS

Health hazards 3

Flammability 0

Physical hazards 0

Personal protection X

## 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

## 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

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

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 World Health Organization

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