

SDS 1170 Aluminium Sulfate

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

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<b>Product</b>	Aluminium Sulfate Octadecahydrate				<b>Code</b>	1170
<b>CAS#</b>	<b>HSNO#</b>	<b>UN #</b>	<b>DG Class/es</b>	<b>Packing group #</b>	<b>Tracking?</b>	<b>Handlers Certificate?</b>
7784-31-8	HSR004337	3260	8	III	No	No

**Recommended use:** Laboratory Investigations

**2. Hazards identification**

2.1 GHS Classification

Serious eye damage (Category A)

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements



Pictogram Signal word **Danger**

Hazard statement(s)

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)

Response

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.

2.3 Other hazards

None

**3. Composition/information on ingredients**

Formula: Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>12</sub>S<sub>3</sub> · 18H<sub>2</sub>O

Molecular weight: 342.15 g/mol

Component	Concentration
Aluminium sulfate octadecahydrate	
CAS No. 7784-31-8	<=100%

**4. First aid measures**

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

## 5. Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No data available

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information

No data available

## 6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No data available

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits Table

Component	CAS No	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Aluminium sulfate dodecahydrate	7784-31-8	TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	New Zealand. Workplace Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants
		WES-TWA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	New Zealand. Workplace Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices.

Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type or type respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

## **9. Physical and chemical properties**

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance

Form: powder

Colour: white

b) Odour

No data available

c) Odour Threshold

No data available

d) pH

No data available

e) Melting point/freezing point

Melting point/range: 86.5 °C

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range

No data available

g) Flash point

Not applicable

h) Evaporation rate

No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas)

No data available

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

No data available

- k) Vapour pressure  
No data available
- l) Vapour density  
No data available
- m) Relative density 1.690 g/cm<sup>3</sup>
- n) Water solubility  
No data available
- o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water  
No data available
- p) Auto-ignition temperature  
No data available
- q) Decomposition temperature  
No data available
- r) Viscosity  
No data available

## **10. Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

No data available

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Air Exposure to moisture

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Incompatible with strong bases and oxidizing agents.

Ammonia, Water, Amines

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Sulphur oxides, Aluminium oxide

Other decomposition products - No data available

## **11. Toxicological information**

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - > 5,000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit - No skin irritation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit - Severe eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available

Potential health effects

Inhalation

May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

Ingestion

May be harmful if swallowed.

Skin

May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

Eyes

Causes eye burns.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

## 12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available

12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

## 13. Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## 14. Transport Information Table

		<b>ADR/RID – European packaging certification</b>	<b>IMDG International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code</b>	<b>IATA – DGR International Air Travel Association – Dangerous Goods Regulations</b>
<b>14.1</b>	<b>UN Number</b>	3260	3260	3260
<b>14.2</b>	<b>UN Proper Shipping name</b>	CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC,	CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Aluminium	Corrosive solid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. (Aluminium sulphate hydrate)

		INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Aluminium sulphate hydrate)	sulphate hydrate)	
<b>14.3</b>	<b>Transport Hazard Class</b>	8	8	8
<b>14.4</b>	<b>Packaging group</b>	III	III	III
<b>14.5</b>	<b>Environmental Hazards</b>	No	No	No
<b>14.6</b>	<b>Special precautions for user</b>	No data available		

## 15. Regulatory information

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

National regulatory information

HSNO Approval Code: HSR004337

HSNO Group Standard Approval: HSR002596 - Laboratory Chemicals and Reagent Kits Group Standard 2006

Tracking Required: not required

Approved Handler Cert.: not required

## 16. Disclaimer

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