

Safety Data Sheet **DIAMMONIUM PHOSPHATE**

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Identification of the Material & Supplier

Product Name: Diammonium Phosphate

Other Names: DAP, Secondary Ammonium Phosphate, DAP 18-46-0

Recommended Use: Fertilizer

Hazards Identification

Hazards Classification DAP is not classified as hazardous according to Safe Work Australia criteria

Risk Phrase DAP is not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the ADG Code

Composition/Information on Ingredients

Diammonium Phosphate (NH₄)₂HPO₄ **Chemical Identity**

Proportion of Ingredients Phosphate as P 18.0% 20.0% Nitrogen as N

Sulphur as S 1.7%

CAS Number 7783-28-0

7704-34-9

First Aid Measures

Eye Contact Immediately flush with fresh water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyes open

while flushing with water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Skin Contact Immediately remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Flush skin with fresh

water for at least 15 minutes. Use soap if available or follow by flushing with soap and water. Do not reuse contaminated clothing without laundering. Seek

medical attention if irritation persists.

Remove victim to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not Inhalation

breathing, administer artificial respiration. Seek medical attention

immediately.

Ingestion If victim is conscious and alert, give 2 to 4 cups of water. Never give anything

by mouth to an unconscious person. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration of liquid into lungs. Seek medical

attention immediately.

Fire Fighting Measures

Flammability DAP is non flammable and does not support combustion.

Suitable Extinguishing Small fires: water spray, foam, dry chemical or CO2

Large fires: water spray, fog or foam Media

Hazards from Combustion

Ammonia fumes may be released. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus **Products**

with full protective clothing.

Hazchem Code None allocated.



Accidental Release Measures

Emergency Procedures Isolate the area and deny entry to nonessential personnel. Emergency

responders and/or clean up personnel should wear appropriate protective

clothing and equipment.

Methods and Materials for Containment & Cleanup

Prevent from entering drains or waterways. Collect material promptly.

Minimise dust generation during clean up operation.

Handling & Storage Precautions for Safe

None listed

Handling

Conditions for Safe Storage Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated location. Prevent product from getting wet

as it will cause caking and handling problems.

Storage Incompatibilities

Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

National Exposure Controls No specific official limit. ACGIH recommended value for inhalable particulate

TLV/TWA: 10mg/m³

Engineering Controls Use in well ventilated areas. Avoid dusty areas.

Personal Protective

Wear gloves, long sleeve shirt and long trousers to prevent skin contact. In Equipment dusty areas use a P2 respirator and wear chemical safety glasses to prevent

eve contact.

Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance Brown, granulated solid material.

Slight odour. Odour

pH of 10% Solution 7.3

Vapour Pressure Approximately zero **Boiling Point** Not applicable **Melting Point** Not applicable Solubility 87% in water at 20°C

Specific Gravity 1.84

Bulk Density $0.9-1.0t/m^3$

Stability & Reactivity

Stable under normal temperatures and pressures Stability

Reactivity

Incompatible Materials Incompatible with bromine trifluoride, bromine trichloride, potassium

dichromate with sulphuric acid, and hot nitric acid.

Decomposition Products Extreme temperatures such as fire causes formation of toxic fumes of PO_x

and NH3

Toxicological Information

Health Effects Low toxicity. If handled according to instructions there is no danger to

humans. There is no known effect from chronic exposure to DAP.

Inhalation of dust may cause irritation to the nose and upper respiratory tract. Prolonged skin contact may cause some irritation, including redness and

itchina.

Eye contact may cause irritation, redness and pain.

Ingestion of large amounts may give rise to gastro-intestinal irritation with

symptoms such as nausea, vomiting, diarrhea.

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LD50 (ingestion): >2,000mg/kg (rat) **Toxicity Data**

LD50 (dermal): >5,000mg/kg (rat)



Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity Aquatic:

Fish 96 hour LC50: >31-1,506mg/litre

Algae, OECD Guideline 201 (green algae, Selenastrum)

No toxicity up to 97.1mg/L; stimulation observed at 6.41mg/L and higher.

Non toxic to aquatic organisms as defined by USEPA.

May leach into groundwater if released to soil. Will not evaporate readily.

Mobility Persistence & Degradability Unknown Bioaccumulative Potential Unknown

Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods &

Containers

Dispose of on a farm, or authorized waste facility in accordance with statutory

requirements.

Transport Information

UN Number None allocated **UN Proper Shipping Name** None allocated Class & Subsidiary Risk None allocated Packing Group None allocated Hazchem Code None allocated

Regulatory Information

Australian Regulatory Information

A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSDP).

All chemicals listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

Other Information

Key/Legend NOHSC National Occupational Health and Safety Commission

United States Environmental Protection Authority **USEPA**

SUSDP Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons ACGIH American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists OECD Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development

Exposure Standard – Time weighted average ES-TWA Exposure Standard – Short term exposure level ES-STEL

ES-Peak Exposure Standard – Peak level

LDLo The lowest dose in an animal study in which lethality

occurred.

LD50 Lethal dose 50. The single dose of a substance that causes

death of 50% of an animal population from exposure other

than inhalation

 t/m^3 Tonnes per cubic metre mg/m³ Milligrams per cubic metre mg/kg Milligrams per kilogram

pН Hydrogen ion concentration on a scale of 0-14

Disclaimer

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