

# **Safety Data Sheet**

# Ferric Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate, ACS

#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Ferric Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate, ACS

Synonyms/Generic Names: Ammonium iron alum; Ammonium ferric sulfate dodecahydrate; Iron

ammonium alum, Ammonium Iron (III) dodecahydrate

**Product Number: 2185** 

Product Use: Industrial, Manufacturing or Laboratory use

Manufacturer: Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc.

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#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Signal Words: Warning

**Pictograms:** 



#### **GHS Classification:**

Skin irritation	Category 2
Eye irritation	Category 2A

#### **GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:**

#### **Hazard Statements:**

H315+H320	Causes skin and eye irritation.

#### **Precautionary Statements:**

P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.	
P280	Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection.	
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.	
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove	
	contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.	
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.	
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.	

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P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
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#### **Potential Health Effects**

Eyes	Causes eye irritation.
Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

## **NFPA Ratings**

Health	1
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0
Specific hazard	Not Available

# **HMIS Ratings**

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# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS#	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Ferric Ammonium Sulfate Dodecahydrate	>99	7783-83-7	233-382-4	H <sub>4</sub> FeNO <sub>8</sub> S <sub>2</sub> -12H <sub>2</sub> O	482.19 g/mol

# 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes	Rinse with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention if necessary.
Inhalation	Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not
	breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if necessary.
Skin	Flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and
	wash using soap. Get medical attention if necessary.
Ingestion	Do Not Induce Vomiting! Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If
	conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention if necessary.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable)	Product is not flammable. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire.	
extinguishing media	Cool containers with water.	
Special protective equipment	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective	
and precautions for	clothing, including eye protection and boots.	
firefighters		
Specific hazards arising from	Emits toxic fumes (oxides of iron, nitrogen or sulfur) under fire	
the chemical	conditions. (See also Stability and Reactivity section).	

# **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment.
Environmental precautions	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment
	may be subject to federal/national or local reporting requirements.
Methods and materials for	Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and
containment and cleaning up	place in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Clean surfaces

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thoroughly with water to remove residual contamination. Dispose of all
waste and cleanup materials in accordance with regulations.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use. Avoid formation of dusts.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool, dry well ventilated area. Light sensitive and hygroscopic material. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure controls: Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### Personal Protection

Eyes	Wear chemical safety glasses or goggles.	
Inhalation	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an	
	approved respirator.	
Skin	Wear nitrile or rubber gloves, apron or lab coat.	
Other	Not Available	

#### **Other Recommendations**

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	Colorless to pale violet crystalline solid.
Odor	Odorless.
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	1 at 482.2 g/l at 25°C (77°F)
Melting point/freezing point	37°C (98.6°F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	230°C (446°F)
Flash point	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Available
Vapor pressure	Not Available
Vapor density	Not Available
Density	Not Available
Solubility (ies)	Easily soluble in cold water. Insoluble in alcohol.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not Available
Auto-ignition temperature	Not Available
Decomposition temperature	Not Available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	Will not occur.

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Conditions to Avoid	Not Available
Incompatible Materials	Strong oxidizing agents
Hazardous Decomposition	Oxides of iron, nitrogen or sulfur.
Products	

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Acute Toxicity**

Skin	Not Available
Eyes	Not Available
Respiratory	Not Available
Ingestion	Not Available

Carcinogenicity

IARC	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
ACGIH	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
NTP	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
OSHA	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

Skin	Irritation, redness, itchiness.
Eyes	Irritation, redness, watering eyes, itchiness.
Respiratory	Irritation, coughing, wheezing, sore throat, chest pain.
Ingestion	Irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, lack of appetite, abdominal pain, black stool. Pink
	urine is a strong indicator of iron poisoning.

Chronic Toxicity	Not Available
Teratogenicity	Not Available
Mutagenicity	Not Available
Embryotoxicity	Not Available
Specific Target Organ	Not Available
Toxicity	
Reproductive Toxicity	Not Available

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

Aquatic Vertebrate	Not Available
Aquatic	Not Available
Invertebrate	
Terrestrial	Not Available

Persistence and Degradability	Not Available
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not Available
Mobility in Soil	Not Available
PBT and vPvB Assessment	Not Available
Other Adverse Effects	Not Available

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Residues	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product container.
Product	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or
Containers	local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary
	before disposing of waste product container.

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

# 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT	Not Dangerous Goods
TDG	Not Dangerous Goods
IMDG	Not Dangerous Goods
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	Not Dangerous Goods

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA Active inventory.
DSL / NDSL	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Rhode Island: Hazardous Substance List	Not Listed
Massachusetts: Toxic or Hazardous Substance List, Right to Know	Not Listed
Pennsylvania: Hazardous Substance List	Not Listed
New Jersey: Right to Know Hazardous Substance	Not Listed
List	
SARA 302	Not Listed
SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	Acute Health Hazard.
SARA 312	Acute Health Hazard.
SARA 313	Not Listed
WHMIS Canada	Not Listed

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Original	07/19/2012
Revision 1	10/07/2014
Revision 2	08/23/2021

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