

# **Safety Data Sheet**

# Ammonium Metavanadate

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Ammonium Metavanadate

Synonyms/Generic Names: Vanadic Acid, Ammonium Salt, Ammonium trioxovanadate

**SDS Number:** 51.00

Product Use: For Educational Use Only

Manufacturer: Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc.

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

OSHA Hazards: Target organ effect, Highly toxic by inhalation, Toxic by ingestion, Irritant

**Target Organs:** Blood, nervous system, upper respiratory tract.

Signal Words: Danger

**Pictograms:** 



### **GHS Classification:**

Acute toxicity, Oral	Category 3
Acute toxicity, Inhalation	Category 1
Acute toxicity, Dermal	Category 5
Skin irritation	Category 2
Eye irritation	Category 2A
Specific target organ toxicity– single exposure	Category 3

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

## **Hazard Statements:**

H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H313	May be harmful in contact with skin.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

## **Precautionary Statements:**

P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.	
P284	Wear respiratory protection.	
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact	
	lenses, if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing.	
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.	

## **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	3
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0
Specific hazard	Not Available

## **HMIS Ratings**

Health	3
Fire	0
Reactivity	0
Personal	E

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS#	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Ammonium Metavanadate	>99	7803-55-6	232-261-3	H <sub>4</sub> NO <sub>3</sub> V	116.98 g/mol

## 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes	Immediately rinse with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention immediately.
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 immediately.
Skin	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated
	clothing and wash using soap. Get medical attention immediately.
Ingestion	Do Not Induce Vomiting! Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If
	conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention immediately.

## **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable (and unsuitable)	Product is not flammable. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire. Cool		
extinguishing media	containers with water.		
Special protective equipment	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective		
and precautions for firefighters	clothing, including eye protection and boots.		

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Specific hazards arising from	Emits toxic fumes (ammonia, nitrogen oxides, and vanadium oxides)
the chemical	under fire conditions. (See also Stability and Reactivity section)

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment.
emergency procedures	
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 place
containment and cleaning up	spill in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Clean surfaces 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. Moisture sensitive. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Occupational exposure controls:

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Ammonium Metavanadate	0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	REL	NIOSH

TWA: Time Weighted Average over 8 hours of work.

TLV: Threshold Limit Value over 8 hours of work.

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit during x minutes. IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

CEIL: Ceiling

#### **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. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Other	Not Available

#### **Other Recommendations**

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

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	White to yellowish powder
Odor	Not Available
Odor threshold	Not Available
pH	Not Available
Melting point/freezing point	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not Available
Flash point	Not Flammable
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Explosive
Vapor pressure	Not Available
Vapor density	Not Available
Relative density	2.32 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Solubility (ies)	Not Available
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.
Conditions to Avoid	Moisture, excess light,
Incompatible Materials	Strong acids, oxidizing agents
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Ammonia, nitrogen oxides, vanadium oxides.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Acute Toxicity** 

Skin	LD50 Dermal – rat – 2102 mg/kg
Eyes	Not Available
Respiratory	LC50 Inhalation – rat – 4hr – 7.8 μg/L
Ingestion	LD50 Oral – rat – 58.1 mg/kg
Other	LD50 Intraperitoneal - rat - 18 mg/kg
	LD50 Subcutaneous - rat - 23 mg/kg

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	Green discoloration of skin, irritation, itching.	
Eyes	Irritation.	
Respiratory	Sore throat, coughing, labored breathing,	
Ingestion	Nausea, vomiting, abdominal cramping, hypermotility, metallic taste, green tongue.	

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Chronic Toxicity	Damage to target organs.
Teratogenicity	Fetal death and birth defects.
	- Developmental Toxicity - Hamster - Intraplacental
	Specific Developmental Abnormalities: Musculoskeletal system
Mutagenicity	Mutagenic for somatic cells.
	- Genotoxicity in vitro - Human - lymphocyte
	Micronucleus test
	-Genotoxicity in vitro - Human - lymphocyte
	DNA damage
	-Genotoxicity in vitro - Human - lymphocyte
	Sister chromatid exchange
Embryotoxicity	Post-implantation mortality.
Specific Target Organ Toxicity	Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.
Reproductive Toxicity	Reproductive effects.
	-Reproductive toxicity - Hamster - Intraperitoneal
	-Effects on Fertility: Post-implantation mortality (e.g., dead and/or resorbed implants per
	total number of implants). Effects on Embryo or Fetus: Fetal death.
Respiratory/Skin Sensitization	Not Available

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Ecotoxicity**

Aquatic Vertebrate	Not Available
Aquatic Invertebrate	Not Available
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

## 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 products or residues.
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	UN2859, Ammonium metavanadate, 6.1, pg II
TDG	UN2859, AMMONIUM METAVANADATE, 6.1, pg II
IMDG	UN2859, AMMONIUM METAVANADATE, 6.1, pg II
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	UN2859, Ammonium metavanadate, 6.1, pg II

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA inventory.
DSCL (EEC)	All ingredients are listed on the DSCL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
SARA 302	Not Listed
SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard
SARA 312	Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard
SARA 313	Listed: Ammonium Metavanadate
WHMIS Canada	Class D-1A: Poisonous and infectious material- Immediate and serious effects- Very toxic
	Class D-2B: Poisonous and infectious material- Immediate and serious effects- Toxic

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Revision	Date
Revision 1	06/11/2012
Revision 2	06/20/2013

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