



Safety Data Sheet

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Section 1 - Identification

1.1 Product Identifier

Product Name : Ammonium Fluoride

CAS No. : 12125-01-8

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Reagent for analysis

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : 9920 Pacific Heights Blvd
Suit 150
San Diego
California -92121

1.4 Emergency Telephone number

Emergency phone : +1 (858) 245-0283

Section 2: Hazard Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or the mixture

Acute toxicity	Category 3	H301:Toxic if swallowed.
Acute toxicity	Category 3	H331:Toxic if inhaled.
Acute toxicity	Category 3	H311:Toxic in contact with skin.

2.2 Label elements

Label according Regulation (EC) 1272/2008

Pictogram



Signal Word:

DANGER

Hazard statements

H301+H311+H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

Precautionary statements

Prevention

P261 Avoid breathing dust.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing.

P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P302+P352+P312 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

P304+P340+P311 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

Supplemental Hazard Statements none

2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Ecological information:

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Toxicological information:

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Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substance

Formula	:	H_4FN
Molecular weight	:	37.04 g/mol
CAS-No.	:	12125-01-8
EC-No.	:	235-185-9
Index-No.	:	009-006-00-8

Section 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Hydrofluoric (HF) acid burns require immediate and specialized first aid and medical treatment. Symptoms may be delayed up to 24 hours depending on the concentration of HF. After decontamination with water, further damage can occur due to penetration/absorption of the fluoride ion. Treatment should be directed toward binding the fluoride ion as well as the effects of exposure. Skin exposures can be treated with a 2.5% calcium gluconate gel repeated until burning ceases. More serious skin exposures may require subcutaneous calcium gluconate except for digital areas unless the physician is experienced in this technique, due to the potential for tissue injury from increased pressure. Absorption can readily occur through the subungual areas and should be considered when undergoing decontamination. Prevention of absorption of the fluoride ion in cases of ingestion can be obtained by giving milk, chewable calcium carbonate tablets or Milk of Magnesia to conscious victims. Conditions such as hypocalcemia, hypomagnesemia and cardiac arrhythmias should be monitored for, since they can occur after exposure. Countermeasurements must be implemented at once. First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air. Immediately call in physician. Keep respiratory tract clear. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.

In case of skin contact

First treatment with calcium gluconate paste. After contact with skin: Rinse with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes. Immediately remove contaminated clothes. Apply calcium gluconate gel (preparation: boil 5 g of calcium gluconate in 85 ml of hot distilled water, add 10 g glycerol. Allow 5 g of Carmellose-sodium to swell in the hot solution. Stable for 6 months, store in a cool place) and massage into the skin until the pain subsides, in between rinse with water and apply fresh gel. Continue gel therapy for another 15 minutes after the pain has subsided. If no calcium gluconate gel is available, apply several dressings thoroughly moistened with 20 % calcium gluconate solution. Medical advice absolutely required! Call a physician immediately.

In case of eye contact

After contact with eyes: Rinse with plenty of water keeping eyelids open, protecting the unaffected eye (at least 10 minutes). Seek medical advice immediately! Remove contact Lenses.

If swallowed

After swallowing: Immediately give to drink plenty of water, add calcium (in the form of calcium gluconate or calcium lactate). Caution: In the case of vomiting risk of perforation! Administer more calcium gluconate solution. Laxative: Sodium sulfate (1 tablespoon/1/4 l water). Seek medical advice immediately. Ensure that injured persons remain calm and protect them against heat loss.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labeling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11.

4.3 Indications of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note for the doctor: It is recommended to consult a doctor with experience in the treatment of lesions caused by hydrofluoric acid. If a systemic effect is suspected, monitoring and treatment in an intensive care unit is urgently required. Caution, ventricular fibrillation due to electrolyte imbalance.

Section 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing Media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazard arising from the substance or mixture

Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)

Hydrogen fluoride

Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

5.4 Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

Section 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid generation and inhalation of dusts in all circumstances. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environment precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

Avoid generation of dusts.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

Section 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture.

Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Dry. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorised persons.

Hygroscopic. Do not store in glass

Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1C: Combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic compounds or compounds which causing chronic effects

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

Section 8: Exposure controls – Personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

8.2 Exposure Controls

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

Skin protection

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0,11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

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Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0,11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Body Protection

protective clothing

Respiratory protection

Recommended Filter type: Filter B-(P3)

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer.

These measures have to be properly documented.

Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Crystals with lumps
Color	: white
Odor	: ammoniacal
Melting point/freezing point	: Melting point: (sublimed)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	: Not applicable
Flammability (solid,gas)	: No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	: No data available
Flash point	: does not flash
Autoignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: ca. 100 °C
pH	: ca.6 at 50 g/l at 20 °C
Viscosity	: Viscosity, kinematic: No data available Viscosity, dynamic: No data available
Water solubility	: 820 g/l at 20 °C
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water	: No data available
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Density	: ca.1,01 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Relative density	: No data available

Relative vapour density : No data available

Particle characteristics : No data available

Explosive properties : Not classified as explosive.

Oxidizing properties : none

9.2 Other safety information

No data available

Section 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No data available

10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Generates dangerous gases or fumes in contact with:
acids

Release of:

Hydrogen fluoride

Risk of explosion with:

halogen-halogen compounds

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Reacts dangerously with glass.
no information available

10.5 Incompatible materials

glass

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

Section 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 100,1 mg/kg

(Expert judgement)

Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 0,6 mg/l - dust/mist

(Expert judgement)

Acute toxicity estimate Dermal - 300,1 mg/kg

(Expert judgement)

Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

Remarks: (National Toxicology Program)

Carcinogenicity

No data available

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

11.2 Additional Information

Endocrine disrupting properties

Product:

Assessment : The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

RTECS: BQ6300000

Fluoride ion can reduce serum calcium levels possibly causing fatal hypocalcemia.

Salivation, Nausea, Vomiting, Fever, Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin.

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

Section 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulated potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

Product:

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12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

Section 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

No data available

Section 14: Transportation information

14.1 UN Number or ID number

ADR	2505
IMDG	2505
IATA	2505

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR	AMMONIUM FLUORIDE
IMDG	AMMONIUM FLUORIDE
IATA	AMMONIUM FLUORIDE

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR	6.1
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IMDG 6.1

IATA 6.1

14.4 Packaging group

ADR III

IMDG III

IATA III

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR no

IMDG no

IATA no

14.6 Special precautions for user

Tunnel restriction code : (E)

Further information : No data available

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

Section 15: Regulatory information

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

This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

Authorisations and/or restrictions on use

REACH - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles (Annex XVII) : Ammonium fluoride

National legislation

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

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15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

Section 16: Other information

Full text of H-statements

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H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.

Further information

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