# SAFETY DATA SHEET AMMONIA 0.88 SG TECHNICAL

According to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

# 1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

PRODUCT NAME AMMONIA 0.88 SG TECHNICAL

PRODUCT NO. 2596

APPLICATION General chemical reagent

**SUPPLIER** 

**Special Plasters** 

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#### **2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Causes burns. Irritating to respiratory system. Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

CLASSIFICATION C;R34. Xi;R37. N;R50.

### 3 COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Name	EC No.	CAS-No.	Content	Classification
AMMONIA%	215-647-6	1336-21-6	30-60%	C;R34 N;R50

The Full Text for all R-Phrases are Displayed in Section 16

EC No. 215-647-6 CAS-No. 1336-21-6

# **4 FIRST-AID MEASURES**

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

CAUTION! First aid personnel must be aware of own risk during rescue! First aid personnel must protect themselves with all necessary personal protective equipment during the assistance of casualties. When breathing is difficult, properly trained personnel may assist the casualty by administering oxygen. If casualty needs to be resuscitated avoid mouth to mouth contact, use a mechanical device such as a bag and mask to provide artificial respiration. Place unconscious person on the side in the recovery position and ensure breathing can take place. Do not give victim anything to drink if they are unconscious. If medical attention is required take this information sheet with the casualty.

#### INHALATION

Remove victim immediately from source of exposure. Provide rest, warmth and fresh air. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

#### INGESTION

Do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Get medical attention immediately!

#### SKIN CONTACT

Immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Rinse the skin immediately with lots of water. Get medical attention immediately.

#### **EYE CONTACT**

May cause permanent damage if eye is not immediately irrigated. Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water or eye wash solution while lifting the eyelids. If possible remove any contact lenses and continue to wash. Get medical attention.

## **5 FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

## **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

Water spray.

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#### **UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS**

Vapours may ignite.

#### SPECIFIC HAZARDS

In case of fire, toxic and corrosive gases may be formed. Ammonia. Nitrous gases (NOx).

#### PROTECTIVE MEASURES IN FIRE

Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

### **6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

#### SPILL CLEAN UP METHODS

Small Spillages Absorb with sand or other inert absorbent. Large Spillages Dam and absorb spillages with sand, earth or other inert material. Collect spillage in containers, seal securely and deliver for disposal according to local regulations. Containers with collected spillage must be properly labelled with correct contents and hazard symbol. Wash spillage site well with water and detergent, be aware of the potential for surfaces to become slippery. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage. If there is a risk of vapours causing a pressure build up, allow the containers to vent before sealing.

## 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **USAGE PRECAUTIONS**

Avoid inhalation of vapours/spray and contact with skin and eyes.

#### STORAGE PRECAUTIONS

Store in closed original container at temperatures below 20 C. Store away from direct sunlight and moisture

#### STORAGE CLASS

Corrosive storage.

### 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Name	Std	TWA - 8 hrs		STEL - 15 min		Notes
AMMONIA%	OES	25 ppm	18 mg/m3	35 ppm	25 mg/m3	

#### **ENGINEERING MEASURES**

Provide adequate ventilation, including appropriate local extraction, to ensure that the defined workplace exposure limit is not exceeded. If vapours or mists are generated, work in a fume cupboard.

# RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT

Wear suitable respiratory protection if vapours or mists are generated.

# HAND PROTECTION

Use full-length gloves. Rubber or plastic Be aware that the liquid may penetrate the gloves. Frequent change is advisable. The most suitable glove must be chosen in consultation with the gloves supplier, who can inform about the breakthrough time of the glove material.

## EYE PROTECTION

Wear approved safety goggles.

#### OTHER PROTECTION

Wear suitable protective clothing as protection against splashing or contamination. Provide eyewash station and safety shower. If there is a risk of splashing then wear a face shield. Wear plastic apron and full length gloves if handling large amounts.

#### HYGIENE MEASURES

Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly if skin becomes wet or contaminated. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes wet or contaminated. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

# 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE Liquid
COLOUR Colourless
ODOUR Pungent

SOLUBILITY Miscible with water.

RELATIVE DENSITY 0.88-0.91 VAPOUR DENSITY (air=1) 0.6
VAPOUR PRESSURE 330 mm Hg 0 pH-VALUE, CONC. SOLUTION 14

FLAMMABILITY LIMIT - LOWER(%) 15.4 (Ammonia) FLAMMABILITY LIMIT - UPPER(%) 33.6 (Ammonia)

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# 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

MATERIALS TO AVOID

Strong acids. Bases. Strong oxidising substances. Copper and zinc. lodine.

# 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXIC DOSE 1 - LD 50

350 mg/kg (oral rat)

INHALATION

Severe irritant effect, coughing, bronchitis, pulmonary oedema.

INGESTION

May cause severe internal injury. Gastric pains and bloody vomiting. Nausea. Irritation of the mouth, the oesophagus and the gastrointestinal tract. There is a risk of perforation of the oesophagus and stomach.

SKIN CONTACT

Severely irritating. May cause skin burns or dermatitis.

**EYE CONTACT** 

Strongly corrosive. Causes severe burns and serious eye damage. Immediate first aid is imperative. Possible blindness.

### 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ECOTOXICITY** 

Very toxic to aquatic organisms. Harmful effect due to pH shift Do not allow to enter drinking water, waste water or soil.

EC 50, 48 Hrs, DAPHNIA, mg/l

Daphnia magna 24

**BIOACCUMULATION** 

Low bioaccumulation potential.

**ACUTE FISH TOXICITY** 

Ammonium ions: toxic from 0.3mg/l

# 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHODS

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

## 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION



UK ROAD CLASS 8

PROPER SHIPPING NAME AMMONIA SOLUTION

UN NO. ROAD 2672 UK ROAD PACK GR. II

ADR CLASS NO. 8 ADR CLASS Class 8: Corrosive substances.

ADR PACK GROUP III ADR LABEL NO. 8

HAZCHEM CODE 2R CEFIC TEC(R) NO. 80GC5-II+III

RID CLASS NO. 8 RID PACK GROUP III
UN NO. SEA 2672 IMDG CLASS 8
IMDG PACK GR. III EMS F-A, S-B

MARINE POLLUTANT No. UN NO. AIR 2672
AIR CLASS 8 AIR PACK GR. III

# 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

LABELLING

## **AMMONIA 0.88 SG TECHNICAL**





Corrosive

Dangerous for the environment

CONTAINS AMMONIA 33%

RISK PHRASES

R34 Causes burns.

R37 Irritating to respiratory system.

R50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

SAFETY PHRASES

S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical

advice.

S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show label

where possible).

S51 Use only in well-ventilated areas.
S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

S57 Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

S60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

S61 Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets.

# STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health.

### APPROVED CODE OF PRACTICE

Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply. COSHH essentials: Easy steps to control chemicals. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations.

**GUIDANCE NOTES** 

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. Introduction to Local Exhaust Ventilation HS(G)37.

# NATIONAL REGULATIONS

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended)

# **16 OTHER INFORMATION**

REVISION COMMENTS

Change to section 5

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SAFETY DATA SHEET STATUS

Approved.

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