1. Identification

Product Name: Ammonium Dichromate (Certified)

Cat No.: A644-12; A644-50; A644-100; A644-212; A644-500

Synonyms: Ammonium dichromate(VI); Ammonium bichromate

Recommended Use: Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against: No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet:

Company: Fisher Scientific
One Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Emergency Telephone Number: CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification:
This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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<td>Acute dermal toxicity</td>
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<td>Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists</td>
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<td>Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)</td>
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Label Elements:

Signal Word:
Danger

Hazard Statements:
May intensify fire; oxidizer
Toxic if swallowed
Harmful in contact with skin
Fatal if inhaled
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
May cause an allergic skin reaction
May cause genetic defects
May cause cancer
May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child
Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary Statements
Prevention
Obtain special instructions before use
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Use personal protective equipment as required
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Wear respiratory protection
In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection
Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
Wear protective gloves
Response
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
Inhalation
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
Skin
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
Eyes
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
Ingestion
Rinse mouth
Do NOT induce vomiting
Storage
Store locked up
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
Disposal
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant
Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)
Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
May form combustible dust concentrations in air
Other hazards
WARNING! This product contains a chemical known in the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.
WARNING! This product contains a chemical known in the State of California to cause cancer.

### 3. Composition / information on ingredients

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**4. First-aid measures**

**Eye Contact**
Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Skin Contact**
Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Inhalation**
Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion**
Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

**Most important symptoms/effects**
Breathing difficulties. Causes burns by all exposure routes. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause allergic skin reaction. Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation: Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing

**Notes to Physician**
Treat symptomatically

**5. Fire-fighting measures**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**
Water.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**
No information available

**Flash Point**
No information available

**Method**
No information available

**Autoignition Temperature**
218 °C / 424.4 °F

**Explosion Limits**

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**Oxidizing Properties**
Oxidizer

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**
Oxidizer: Contact with combustible/organic material may cause fire. Risk of explosion if heated under confinement. Dust can form an explosive mixture in air. Very toxic. Corrosive Material. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**
Nitrogen oxides (NOx) Highly toxic fumes Chromium oxide

**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**
As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**NFPA**

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**6. Accidental release measures**

** Personal Precautions**
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Remove all sources of ignition. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
Environmental Precautions

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc) away from spilled material. Remove all sources of ignition. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

7. Handling and storage

Handling

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe dust. Do not ingest. Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

Storage

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not store near combustible materials. Containers should be vented periodically in order to overcome pressure buildup.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines

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Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration
NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Engineering Measures

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face Protection

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA’s eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin and body protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory Protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard
Yes

Stability
Oxidizer: Contact with combustible/organic material may cause fire. Risk of explosion by shock, friction, fire or other sources of ignition. Risk of explosion if heated under confinement.

Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible Materials
Acids, Bases, Alcohols, Reducing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products
Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Highly toxic fumes, Chromium oxide

Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions
None under normal processing.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity
No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Component Information

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Toxicologically Synergistic Products
No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation
Causes burns by all exposure routes

Sensitization
May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact

Carcinogenicity
The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

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Mutagenic Effects
Mutagenic; May cause heritable genetic damage

Reproductive Effects
May impair fertility.
Developmental Effects  May cause harm to the unborn child.

Teratogenicity  Teratogenic effects have occurred in experimental animals.

STOT - single exposure  None known
STOT - repeated exposure  None known

Aspiration hazard  No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed  Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation: Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing

Endocrine Disruptor Information  No information available

Other Adverse Effects  See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity  This product contains the following substance(s) which are hazardous for the environment.

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Persistence and Degradability  No information available
Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation  No information available.
Mobility  No information available.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods  Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

DOT  
UN-No  UN1439
Proper Shipping Name  AMMONIUM DICHROMATE
Hazard Class  5.1
Packing Group  II

TDG  
UN-No  UN1439
Proper Shipping Name  AMMONIUM DICHROMATE
Hazard Class  5.1
Packing Group  II

IATA  
UN-No  UN1439
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Hazard Class  5.1
Packing Group  II

IMDG/IMO  
UN-No  UN1439
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15. Regulatory information

International Inventories
### Component: Ammonium bichromate

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**Legend:**
- **X** - Listed
- **E** - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- **F** - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- **N** - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- **P** - Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- **R** - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- **S** - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- **T** - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- **XU** - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).
- **Y1** - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- **Y2** - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

### U.S. Federal Regulations

#### TSCA 12(b)

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#### SARA 313

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#### SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

- **Acute Health Hazard**: Yes
- **Chronic Health Hazard**: Yes
- **Fire Hazard**: Yes
- **Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard**: No
- **Reactive Hazard**: Yes

#### Clean Water Act

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#### Clean Air Act

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#### OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

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#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

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#### California Proposition 65

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:

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Ammonium Dichromate (Certified)

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U.S. Department of Transportation

- Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
- DOT Marine Pollutant: N
- DOT Severe Marine Pollutant: N

U.S. Department of Homeland Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade

No information available

Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

WHMIS Hazard Class

- C Oxidizing materials
- D1A Very toxic materials
- D2A Very toxic materials
- D2B Toxic materials
- E Corrosive material

16. Other information

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This document has been updated to comply with the US OSHA HazCom 2012 Standard replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS); SDS sections updated; 2

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End of SDS