

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

According to 29 CFR 1910.1200 Hazard Communication Standard 2012 (HazCom 2012)

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## SECTION 1: Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product name Copper 3 – Reagent A

Product number R-8012A

Recommended use and

restrictions

Water analysis. To be used in accordance with manufacturer instructions or under the direct

guidance of the manufacturer.

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## SECTION 2: Hazard(s) Identification

Physical hazards Not classified

Health hazards Eye damage/irritation Category 1

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1C
Acute (short-term) aquatic toxicity hazard Category 2

**Environmental hazards** 

Label elements
Hazard pictograms



Signal word Danger

Hazard statements Causes severe skin burns and serious eye damage. Toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statements

Prevention Do not breathe mist or vapor. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Wear protective

gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Avoid release into the environment.

Response IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a physician or poison control center.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

IF ON SKIN (OR HAIR): Immediately take off all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call

a physician or poison control center.

Collect spillage.

Storage Store locked up. Keep tightly capped. Store out of direct sunlight between 36°F–85°F.

Disposal Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international

regulations.

Hazards not otherwise

classified

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients			
Mixture			
Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	% w/w
Water	Dihydrogen oxide	7732-18-5	65-85
Ammonium Chloride	Salmiac	12125-02-9	10-15
Ammonium Citrate	Citric acid triammonium salt	3458-72-8	5-10

Ammonium Hydroxide Ammonia water 1336-21-6 5-10

The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures

### If inhaled

Remove individual to fresh air. Seek medical advice/attention if breathing becomes difficult or if respiratory irritation develops. Give oxygen or artificial respiration if needed.

#### In case of skin contact

Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 20 minutes. If clothing comes in contact with the product, the clothing should be removed and laundered before reuse. Seek medical advice/attention if irritation develops.

## In case of eye contact

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If symptoms persist or in all cases of concern, seek medical advice/attention.

#### If swallowed

Rinse mouth. Give one or two glasses of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to a person who is unconscious or is having convulsions. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed by physician. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content does not get into the lungs. Immediately call a physician.

### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Direct skin or eye contact may cause corrosive burns. Symptoms may include pain, redness or swelling. Scarring or permanent damage, including blindness, could result. Inhalation may cause severe respiratory irritation, such as coughing and wheezing. Inhalation could result in pulmonary edema, symptoms—chest pain, shortness of breath—may be delayed. Ingestion may produce burns to the lips, oral cavity, upper airway, esophagus, and possibly the digestive tract. Symptoms may include abdominal pain, vomiting, burns, perforations, and bleeding.

Refer to section 11 of the SDS for delayed and immediate effects and chronic effects from short- and long-term exposure.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.

Chemical burns: Flush with water immediately. While flushing, remove clothes which do not adhere to affected area. Call an ambulance. Continue flushing during transport to hospital. Keep person under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

#### **General information**

Ensure medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting Measures

## **Extinguishing media**

Unsuitable extinguishing media Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

## Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard Not flammable Explosion hazard Not explosive

Reactivity Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

Hazardous combustion Ammonia, hydrogen chloride, nitrogen oxides.

products

Advice for firefighters

Precautionary measures Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire; hazardous fumes will be present.

Firefighting Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

equipment/instructions

Protection during firefighting Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Other information Refer to section 9 of the SDS for flammability properties.

## SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Keep out of low areas. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during cleanup. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protective equipment, refer to section 8 of the SDS.

## **Environmental precautions**

Avoid discharge into drains, watercourses, or onto the ground.

## Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Ventilate the area. Dike the spilled material where this is possible. Stop leak if it can be done without risk. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth, and place into containers. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements, or confined areas. Following product recovery, flush area with water. Never return spills to original containers for reuse. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazards as the spilled product. In the event of large spill or accidental release, notify relevant authorities in accordance with all applicable regulations.

#### Reference to other sections

For exposure controls and personal protection, refer to section 8 of the SDS. For waste disposal, refer to section 13 of the SDS.

## SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Do not breathe mist or vapor. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Do not taste or swallow. Avoid prolonged exposure. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. For personal protective equipment, refer to section 8 of the SDS. Keep away from incompatibles. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Label containers appropriately.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up. Keep tightly capped. Store out of direct sunlight between 36°F–85°F. Store away from incompatible materials (refer to section 10 of the SDS).

## SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

#### Occupational exposure limits

#### **US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values**

Components	Type	Value
Ammonia (7664-41-7)	TWA	25 ppm (18 mg/m <sup>3</sup> )
Ammonia (7664-41-7)	STEL	35 ppm (27 mg/m <sup>3</sup> )

#### **US NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards**

Components	Туре	Value	
Ammonia (7664-41-7)	TWA	25 ppm (18 mg/m³)	
Ammonia (7664-41-7)	STEL	35 ppm (27 mg/m³)	
Ammonia (7664-41-7)	IDLH	300 ppm (210 mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	
US OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Cont	aminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)		
Components	Tyne	Value	

TWA

## **Biological limit values**

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

#### **Exposure controls**

Appropriate engineering

Ammonia (7664-41-7)

controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Eyewash facilities and emergency shower must be available when handling this product.

50 ppm (35 mg/m<sup>3</sup>)

### Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear appropriate chemical safety goggles if contact is likely to occur.

Skin protection Wear appropriate chemical-resistant gloves and clothing if contact is likely to occur.

Body protection Wear appropriate protective clothing if contact is likely to occur

Respiratory protection In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Use a NIOSH/MSHA

approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fumes at levels exceeding the

exposure limits. Advice should be sought from respiratory protection suppliers.

## SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid Form Liquid

Color Clear, colorless
Odor Ammonia

Odor threshold No data available

pH 9.5

Evaporation rate

Mo data available

Melting point/freezing point

No data available

Initial boiling point (boiling

No data available

range)

Flash point Not applicable

Specific gravity 1.03

Auto-ignition temperature No data available Decomposition temperature No data available Flammability (solid, gas) No data available Upper Flammability Limit No data available No data available Lower Flammability Limit Vapor pressure No data available Vapor density No data available Relative density 1.03 g/mL at 22°C Solubility Soluble in water Partition coefficient No data available

(n-octanol/water)

Viscosity

No data available
Explosive properties

Not explosive
Oxidizing properties

Not oxidizing

## SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions of use, storage, and transport. **Chemical stability** Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (refer to section 7 of the SDS).

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid Contact with incompatible materials. Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents. Halogens, nitrates, metals, and metal compounds.

**Hazardous decomposition** No hazardous decomposition products known.

products

## SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

## Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Avoid inhalation of this product. Use in a well-ventilated area. Substance can be absorbed into

the body by inhalation of its aerosol or vapor.

Skin contact Protect exposed skin from contact. Use caution to avoid splashes.

Eye contact Avoid close eye contact; Use caution to avoid splashes. Wear eye protection.

Ingestion Avoid accidental ingestion by observing good hygiene practices. Wash hands thoroughly after

handling this product.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical, and toxicological characteristics

Corrosive skin/eye damage may occur. Refer to section 4 of the SDS for most important

symptoms and effects.

#### Delayed and immediate effects and chronic effects from short- and long-term exposure

Acute toxicity This product is classified as an acute toxicity hazard. Acute toxicity estimate (ATE) for the

mixture has been calculated based on chapter 3 of GHS.

#### Product acute toxicity estimate (ATE)

ATEmix (Oral) >2500 mg/kg

ATEmix (Dermal) No data available

ATEmix (Inhalation) No data available

Component(s) Species Acute toxicity data

## Ammonium chloride (CAS 12125-02-9)

LD50 (Oral) Rat 1650 mg/kg (Source: NIOSH)

LD50 (Dermal)Not applicableNo data availableLC50 (Inhalation)Not applicableNo data available

#### Ammonium hydroxide (CAS 1336-21-6)

LD50 (Oral) Rat 350 mg/kg (Source: NIOSH)

LD50 (Dermal) Not applicable No data available
LC50 (Inhalation) Not applicable No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation Causes severe skin burns

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Causes serious eye damage

Respiratory sensitization No data available Skin sensitization No data available Germ cell mutagenicity No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1096)

Not regulated

**US National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens** 

Not listed

Reproductive toxicity No data available Specific target organ toxicity No data available

(single exposure)

Specific target organ toxicity

(repeated exposure)

No data available

No data available **Aspiration hazard** 

## SECTION 12: Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity** This product is classified as environmentally hazardous.

No data available

Ammonium chloride (CAS 12125-02-9)

Rainbow trout 96hr LC50 = 0.42 - 0.56 mg/LAmerican lobster 48hr EC50 = 0.237 - 0.288 mg/L

Ammonium hydroxide (CAS 1336-21-6)

Fathead minnow 96hr LC50 = 8.2 mg/LWater flea 48hr EC50 = 0.66 mg/L Persistence and degradability No data available Bioaccumulative potential No data available

Other adverse effects Large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

### SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

Collect and reclaim or dispose of in sealed containers at a licensed waste disposal site. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

## SECTION 14: Transport Information

DOT

Mobility in soil

3266 **UN** number

**UN Proper shipping name** Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s (Ammonium hydroxide solution)

Reportable Quantity 1000 lbs, Ammonium hydroxide

Class (Subsidiary risk) 8 8 Label(s) Packing group Ш

**Special provisions** IB3, T7, TP1, TP28

Packaging exceptions 154 Packaging, non-bulk 203

IATA

**UN** number 3266

**UN Proper shipping name** Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s (Ammonium hydroxide solution)

8 Class (Subsidiary risk) Packing group Ш Special provisions A3, A803

**IMDG** 

UN number 3266

**UN Proper shipping name** Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s (Ammonium hydroxide solution)

Class (Subsidiary risk) 8
Packing group III

**Environmental hazards** 

Marine pollutant No
Special provisions 223, 274
EmS F-A, S-B

Special precautions for user

Read safety instructions, SDS, and emergency procedures before handling.

This substance/mixture is not intended to be transported in bulk.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

**DOT** hazard pictograms



IATA/IMDG hazard pictograms

## SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

## **US** federal regulations

#### **CERCLA Hazardous Substance (40 CFR 302.4)**

Chemical name	CAS number	Reportable Quantity
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9	5000 lbs
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	1000 lbs

### SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance (40 CFR 355 Appendices A / B)

Not regulated

### **SARA 304 Emergency Release Notification**

Not regulated

#### SARA 311/312 Hazardous Chemical

Chemical name	CAS number	
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9	
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	
SARA 313 (TRI reporting)		
Chemical name	CAS number	
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	

## **TSCA Section 8(b) Chemical Inventory**

All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory list.

## TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated

## Other federal regulations

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)

Not regulated

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated

## Clean Water Act, Toxic and Priority Pollutants (40 CFR 401.15 and CFR 423, Appendix A)

Not regulated

## Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)

Not regulated

#### **US** state regulations

#### California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (California Proposition 65)

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

## Massachusetts Right-to-Know Act

Chemical name	CAS number
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6
New Jersey Worker and Communi	ity Right-to-Know Act
Chemical name	CAS number
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6
Pennsylvania Worker and Commu	ınity Right-to-Know Act
Chemical name	CAS number
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9

### Rhode Island Right-to-Know Act

Ammonium hydroxide

Chemical name	CAS number	
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9	
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	

1336-21-6

## SECTION 16: Other Information

#### NFPA Rating

Health hazard 3 0 Fire hazard Reactivity 0 Specific N/A

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This document embodies significant change(s) that may impact classification, safe handling, or health information for the associated product(s). The information contained herein should be reviewed in its entirety before handling material.

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