



SAFETY DATA SHEET

SPECTRUS* MCX3500

1. Identification

Product identifier SPECTRUS MCX3500
Other means of identification None.
Recommended use Biocide
Recommended restrictions Industrial use only.

Company/undertaking identification

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.
Health hazards Acute toxicity, inhalation Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2B
OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Warning
Hazard statement Harmful if inhaled. Causes skin irritation. Causes eye irritation.

Precautionary statement

Prevention Avoid breathing mist. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves.

Response If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

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

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC) None known.

Supplemental information None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Components	CAS #	Percent
Ammonia, Anhydrous	7664-41-7	2.5 - 10

Composition comments Information for specific product ingredients as required by the U.S. OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD is listed. Refer to additional sections of this SDS for our assessment of the potential hazards of this formulation.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed. Call a poison center or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
Skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Eye contact	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Irritation of eyes. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim warm. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.
General information	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO ₂).
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, protective clothing and face mask.
Fire fighting equipment/instructions	In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. Cool containers / tanks with water spray.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Avoid breathing mist. 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 protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water. Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination. Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.
Environmental precautions	Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling	Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value
Ammonia, Anhydrous (CAS 7664-41-7)	PEL	35 mg/m ³
		50 ppm

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value
Ammonia, Anhydrous (CAS 7664-41-7)	STEL	35 ppm
	TWA	25 ppm

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Components	Type	Value
Ammonia, Anhydrous (CAS 7664-41-7)	STEL	27 mg/m ³
		35 ppm
	TWA	18 mg/m ³ 25 ppm

Biological limit values

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

Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

Hand protection

Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. The choice of an appropriate glove does not only depend on its material but also on other quality features and is different from one producer to the other. Glove selection must take into account any solvents and other hazards present.

Other

Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.

Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.34 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.

Thermal hazards

Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Color

Colorless

Physical state

Liquid

Odor

Ammonia odor

Odor threshold

Not available.

Melting point/freezing point

20 °F (-7 °C)

Initial boiling point and boiling range

232 °F (111 °C)

Flash point

> 200 °F (> 93 °C) P-M(CC)

Evaporation rate

Slower than Ether

Flammability (solid, gas)

Not applicable.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower (%)

Not available.

Flammability limit - upper (%)

Not available.

Explosive limit - lower (%)

Not available.

Explosive limit - upper (%)

Not available.

Vapor pressure	18 mmHg
Vapor pressure temp.	70 °F (21 °C)
Vapor density	< 1
Relative density	1.16
Relative density temperature	70 °F (21 °C)
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	100 %
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.
Other information	
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Oxidizing properties	Not oxidizing.
Pour point	14 °F (-10 °C)
Specific gravity	1.162
VOC	0 % ESTIMATED
pH (concentrated product)	9.2 Neat
pH in aqueous solution	Not available.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Contact with incompatible materials.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids.
Hazardous decomposition products	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	Harmful if inhaled.
Skin contact	Causes skin irritation.
Eye contact	Causes eye irritation.
Ingestion	Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Irritation of eyes. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Harmful if inhaled.

Product	Species	Test Results
SPECTRUS MCX3500 (CAS Mixture)		
Acute		
<i>Dermal</i>		
LD50	Rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg
<i>Inhalation</i>		
LC50	Rat	> 2.08 mg/l, 4 hours
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	> 5000 mg/kg

Components	Species	Test Results
Ammonia, Anhydrous (CAS 7664-41-7)		
Acute		
<i>Inhalation</i>		
LC50	Rat	2000 ppm, 4 Hour
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	350 mg/kg
Skin corrosion/irritation	Causes skin irritation.	
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Causes eye irritation.	
Respiratory or skin sensitization		
Respiratory sensitization	This product is not expected to cause respiratory sensitization.	
Skin sensitization	This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.	
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.	
Carcinogenicity	Not classified.	
IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity		
Not listed.		
OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)		
Not regulated.		
US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens		
Not listed.		
Reproductive toxicity	This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.	
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not classified.	
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Not classified.	
Aspiration hazard	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.	
Chronic effects	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.	

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Product	Species	Test Results	
SPECTRUS MCX3500 (CAS Mixture)			
Aquatic			
Crustacea	LC50	Ceriodaphnia	812.3 mg/L, Static Renewal Bioassay, 48 H
		Daphnia magna	933 mg/L, Static Renewal Bioassay, 48 H
	NOEL	Ceriodaphnia	500 mg/L, Static Renewal Bioassay, 48 H
		Daphnia magna	500 mg/L, Static Renewal Bioassay, 48 H
Fish	LC50	Fathead Minnow	397.6 mg/L, Static Renewal Bioassay, 96 H
	NOEL	Fathead Minnow	250 mg/L, Static Renewal Bioassay, 96 H

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects Not available.

Persistence and degradability

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Incinerate the material under controlled conditions in an approved incinerator. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Local disposal regulations	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Hazardous waste code	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
Waste from residues / unused products	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
Contaminated packaging	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT

UN number	UN3266
UN proper shipping name	Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s. (AMMONIA, SOLUTION), RQ(AMMONIA ANHYDROUS, NICKEL)
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	8
Subsidiary risk	-
Packing group	III
Special precautions for user	Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.
ERG number	154

Some containers may be exempt from Dangerous Goods/Hazmat Transport Regulations, please check BOL for exact container classification.

IATA

UN number	UN3266
UN proper shipping name	Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s. (AMMONIA, SOLUTION)
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	8
Subsidiary risk	-
Packing group	III
Environmental hazards	No.
ERG Code	154
Special precautions for user	Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

IMDG

UN number	UN3266
UN proper shipping name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (AMMONIA, SOLUTION), RQ(AMMONIA ANHYDROUS, NICKEL)
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	8
Subsidiary risk	-
Packing group	III
Environmental hazards	
Marine pollutant	No.
EmS	F-A, S-B
Special precautions for user	Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

DOT





15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

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

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Ammonia, Anhydrous (CAS 7664-41-7) Listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Ammonia, Anhydrous (CAS 7664-41-7) 100 LBS

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)

Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Chemical name	CAS number	Reportable quantity (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity, lower value (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity, upper value (pounds)
Ammonia, Anhydrous	7664-41-7	100	500		

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical

No

Classified hazard categories

Acute toxicity (any route of exposure)
Skin corrosion or irritation
Serious eye damage or eye irritation

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Chemical name	CAS number	% by wt.
Ammonia, Anhydrous	7664-41-7	2.5 - 10

Other federal regulations

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

CHROMIUM (CAS 7440-47-3)

NICKEL (CAS 7440-02-0)

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

Ammonia, Anhydrous (CAS 7664-41-7)

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)

Not regulated.

Inventory status

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

FIFRA registration number 1448-433-3876

TSCA

This is an EPA registered biocide and is exempt from TSCA inventory requirements.

FIFRA hazard statement

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed

This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms

USERS OF A PESTICIDAL PRODUCT SHOULD REFER TO THE PRODUCT LABEL FOR PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS.

US state regulations**California Proposition 65**

WARNING: WARNING: This product can expose you to NICKEL, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

NICKEL (CAS 7440-02-0)

Listed: October 1, 1989

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

No ingredient listed.

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Female reproductive toxin

No ingredient listed.

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Male reproductive toxin

No ingredient listed.

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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Version # 1.0

NFPA ratings Health: 2
Flammability: 0
Instability: 0

NFPA ratings

**List of abbreviations**

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
BOD: Biochemical Oxygen Demand
CAS: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number
COD: Chemical Oxygen Demand
DOT: Department of Transportation (49 CFR 172.101).
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer.
IATA: International Air Transport Association
IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
LC50: Lethal Concentration, 50%
LD50: Lethal Dose, 50%
NOEL: No Observed Effect Level
OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration.
STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit
TOC: Total Organic Carbon
TSRN indicates a Trade Secret Registry Number is used in place of the CAS number.
TWA: Time Weighted Average

References: No data available

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Revision information Exposure controls/personal protection: Appropriate engineering controls
Exposure controls/personal protection: Respiratory protection

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