

# **1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name	Ammonium Thiosulphate Solution	
Other Names	ATS; SECOFIT TS	
Uses	For industrial use; photochemical products; fertilisers; for professional use.	
Chemical Family	No Data Available	
Chemical Formula	(NH4)2S2O3	
Chemical Name	Ammonium thiosulphate solution	
Product Description	No Data Available	

#### Contact Details of the Supplier of this Safety Data Sheet

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#### **Emergency Contact Details**

For emergencies only; DO NOT contact these companies for general product advice.

Organisation	Location	Telephone
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National Poisons Centre	New Zealand	0800-764766
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# 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

## **Poisons Schedule (Aust)**

Not Scheduled

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#### Globally Harmonised System

Hazard Classification	NOT hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)
Signal Word	None

#### **National Transport Commission (Australia)**

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Dangerous Goods Classification	NOT Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

#### Safe Work Australia

National Guide for Classifying Hazardous Chemicals under the Model WHS Regulations

Hazard Classification

NOT hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia under Model WHS Regulations

### **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Ammonium thiosulfate	(NH4)2S2O3	7783-18-8	>=60 % w/w
Water	H2O	7732-18-5	Balance %

#### **4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure		
Swallowed	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth, then drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get immediate medical advice/attention. If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain an open airway and prevent aspiration. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.	
Eye	IF IN EYES: Immediately flush eyes with running water for several minutes, holding eyelids open and occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.	
Skin	IF ON SKIN: Remove and isolate contaminated clothing and shoes. Immediately flush skin with running water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse.	
Inhaled	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If respiratory symptoms persist, get medical advice/attention. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult.	
Advice to Doctor	Treat symptomatically. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.	
Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure	No information available.	

# **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

General Measures	Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk. Cool containers with water spray until well after fire is out.
Flammability Conditions	Non-combustible; material itself does not burn.
Extinguishing Media	If material is involved in a fire, use dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2), foam or water spray for extinction. Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.
Fire and Explosion Hazard	Containers may explode when heated. Heating may cause the release of ammonia vapours; NH3 (16-25%) may form flammable mixtures with air.
Hazardous Products of Combustion	Fire or heat may produce irritating and/or toxic gases, including Sulphur dioxide; Nitrogen oxides; Ammonia.
Special Fire Fighting Instructions	Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains. Fire residues and contaminated firefighting water must be disposed of in accordance within the local regulations.
Personal Protective Equipment	Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Structural firefighters' protective clothing will only provide limited protection.
Flash Point	No Data Available
Lower Explosion Limit	No Data Available
Upper Explosion Limit	No Data Available
Auto Ignition Temperature	No Data Available
Hazchem Code	No Data Available

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

General Response Procedure	Ensure adequate ventilation. ELIMINATE all ignition sources. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid breathing vapours and contact with eyes, skin and clothing.
Clean Up Procedures	Pick up with sand or other non-combustible absorbent material and place into containers for later disposal (see SECTION 13). *Never return spills to original containers for re-use.
Containment	Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Dike far ahead of large spill for later disposal.
Decontamination	Wash with plenty of water. Retain contaminated washing water and dispose it.
Environmental Precautionary Measures	Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. In case of entry into waterways, soil or drains, inform the responsible authorities.
Evacuation Criteria	Spill or leak area should be isolated immediately. Remove persons to safety. Keep unauthorised personnel away.
Personal Precautionary Measures	Wear personal protection equipment (see SECTION 8).

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE	
Handling	Safety showers and eyewash facilities should be provided within the immediate work area for emergency use. Ensure adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid breathing mist/vapours and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Wear personal protection equipment (see SECTION 8).
Storage	Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place, out of direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from food/feedstuffs and incompatible materials (see SECTION 10).
Container	Being non-corrosive, the product can be stored in mild steel or aluminium containers, as well as in any type of storage used for fluid fertilisers. As with all other nitrogen solutions, it should not be allowed to contact with tin, copper, brass or other alloys.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General	No occupational exposure limit available for the product. DECOMPOSITION PRODUCT: Ammonia (CAS No. 7664-41-7): - Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard: TWA = 25 ppm (17 mg/m3); STEL = 35 ppm (24 mg/m3). - New Zealand Workplace Exposure Standard [Next review 2023]: TWA = 25 ppm (17 mg/m3); STEL = 35 ppm (24 mg/m3).
Exposure Limits	No Data Available
<b>Biological Limits</b>	No information available.
Engineering Measures	A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing dispersion of it into the general work area.
Personal Protection Equipment	<ul> <li>Respiratory protection: In case of inadequate ventilation, wear respiratory protection. Recommended: Filter mask FFP2/FFP3 for solid particles or, in the presence of gases and/or vapours, Combined filter B/K-P2 (refer to AS/NZS 1715 &amp; 1716).</li> <li>Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to avoid eye contact. Recommended: Safety glasses with side protection or goggles.</li> <li>Hand protection: Handle with gloves. Recommended: Nitrile rubber (Recommended thickness: 0.4 mm; Penetration time: &gt;480 min).</li> <li>Skin/body protection: Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to prevent skin contact. Recommended: Wear chemical-resistant clothing and safety shoes.</li> </ul>
Special Hazards Precaustions	Personal protective equipment selections vary based on potential exposure conditions and working conditions. The final choice of protective equipment will depend upon a risk assessment.
Work Hygienic Practices	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash 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

Physical State	Liquid
Appearance	Clear liquid
Odour	Pungent
Colour	Colourless or pale yellow
рН	8.0 - 9.0 100 % (as is)
Vapour Pressure	No Data Available
<b>Relative Vapour Density</b>	No Data Available
Boiling Point	+/- 105 °C
Melting Point	No Data Available
Freezing Point	approx. 0 °C
Solubility	100% miscible with water
Specific Gravity	1.33 kg/dm3
Flash Point	No Data Available
Auto Ignition Temp	No Data Available
Evaporation Rate	No Data Available
Bulk Density	No Data Available
Corrosion Rate	No Data Available
Decomposition Temperature	No Data Available
Density	1.32 - 1.34 kg/dm3
Specific Heat	No Data Available
Molecular Weight	No Data Available
Net Propellant Weight	No Data Available

Octanol Water Coefficient	No Data Available
Particle Size	No Data Available
Partition Coefficient	No Data Available
Saturated Vapour Concentration	No Data Available
Vapour Temperature	No Data Available
Viscosity	No Data Available
Volatile Percent	No Data Available
VOC Volume	No Data Available
Additional Characteristics	No information available.
Potential for Dust Explosion	Not applicable.
Fast or Intensely Burning Characteristics	No information available.
Flame Propagation or Burning Rate of Solid Materials	No information available.
Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a Fire	No information available.
Properties That May Initiate or Contribute to Fire Intensity	Non-combustible; material itself does not burn.
Reactions That Release Gases or Vapours	Fire or heat may produce irritating and/or toxic gases, including Sulphur dioxide; Nitrogen oxides; Ammonia.
Release of Invisible Flammable Vapours and Gases	Heating may cause the release of ammonia vapours; NH3 (16-25%) may form flammable mixtures with air.

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

General Information	Blending with strong acids and anhydrous ammonia should be avoided.
Chemical Stability	Stable under normal temperature conditions.
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid extreme temperatures and sources of ignition.
Materials to Avoid	Incompatible/reactive with strong oxidising agents, acids, alkalis, zinc, water reactive materials.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Fire or heat may produce irritating and/or toxic gases, including Sulphur dioxide; Nitrogen oxides; Ammonia.
Hazardous Polymerisation	Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

#### **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **General Information**

- Acute toxicity: Not classified. Based on toxicological data, classification criteria are not met. May cause discomfort if swallowed. Ingestion may cause irritation and malaise. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

- Skin corrosion/irritation: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause irritation.
- Eye damage/irritation: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. May cause eye irritation on direct contact.
- Respiratory/skin sensitisation: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Germ cell mutagenicity: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Carcinogenicity: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.
- Reproductive toxicity: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- STOT (single exposure): Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Vapours and spray mist may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.

- STOT (repeated exposure):

None

- Aspiration hazard: Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Acute

Ingestion

Acute toxicity (Oral): COMPONENT: Ammonium thiosulphate (CAS No. 7783-18-8): - LD50, Rat: 2,890 mg/kg

**Carcinogen Category** 

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION** 

Ecotoxicity	The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.
Persistence/Degradability	No information available.
Mobility	This product is water soluble and may disperse in soil.
Environmental Fate	Adopt good working practices, so that the product is not released into the environment.
<b>Bioaccumulation Potential</b>	Not bioaccumulative.
Environmental Impact	No Data Available

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

General Information	Recover, if possible. Disposal must be in accordance with current applicable laws and regulations, and material characteristics at time of disposal.
Special Precautions for Land Fill	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

<b>Land Transport (Australia)</b> ADG Code	
Proper Shipping Name	Ammonium Thiosulphate Solution
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.
<b>Land Transport (Malaysia)</b> ADR Code	
Proper Shipping Name	Ammonium Thiosulphate Solution
Class	No Data Available

Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.
Land Transport (New Zealand)	

Proper Shipping Name	Ammonium Thiosulphate Solution
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

#### Land Transport (United States of America) US DOT

Ammonium Thiosulphate Solution
No Data Available
NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for LAND transport.

# Sea Transport

NZS5433

IMDG Code	
Proper Shipping Name	Ammonium Thiosulphate Solution
Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
EMS	No Data Available
Marine Pollutant	No
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for SEA transport.
Air Transport	
IATA DGR	

Proper Shipping Name

Ammonium Thiosulphate Solution

Class	No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
UN Number	No Data Available
Hazchem	No Data Available
Pack Group	No Data Available
Special Provision	No Data Available
Comments	NON-DANGEROUS GOODS: Not regulated for AIR transport.

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	by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

15. REGULATORY INFORMATIO	N
General Information Poisons Schedule (Aust)	Appendix B - Substances considered not to require control by scheduling (Low toxicity; Any use). Not Scheduled
Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand) Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015	
Approval Code	Not Hazardous
National/Regional Inventories	
Australia (AIIC)	Listed
Canada (DSL)	Listed
Canada (NDSL)	Not Listed
China (IECSC)	Listed
Europe (EINECS)	231-982-0
Europe (REACh)	01-2119537325-41-0000
Japan (ENCS/METI)	1-405
Korea (KECI)	KE-01751
Malaysia (EHS Register)	Not Listed
New Zealand (NZIoC)	Listed
Philippines (PICCS)	Listed
Switzerland (Giftliste 1)	Not Determined

Switzerland (Inventory of Notified Not Determined Substances)

Taiwan (NCSR)	Listed
USA (TSCA)	Listed

16. OTHER INFORMATION	
Related Product Codes	AMTHIO1002, AMTHIO1003, AMTHIO1004, AMTHIO2000, AMTHIO2100, AMTHIO2500, AMTHIO2501, AMTHIO3000, AMTHIO3500, AMTHIO4500, AMTHIO4700, AMTHIO4800, AMTHIO4900, AMTHIO4901, AMTHIO4902, AMTHIO5000, AMTHIO5100, AMTHIO5200, AMTHIO5300, AMTHIO5400, AMTHIO5500, AMTHIO5600, AMTHIO5601, AMTHIO5602, AMTHIO5700, AMTHIO5701, AMTHIO5702, AMTHIO5703, AMTHIO5704, AMTHIO5705, AMTHIO5707, AMTHIO5800, AMTHIO5801, AMTHIO5900, AMTHIO6000, AMTHIO6500, AMTHIO7000, AMTHIO7100, AMTHIO7200
Revision	6
Revision Date	16 Nov 2020
Reason for Issue	Updated SDS
Reason for Issue Key/Legend	<ul> <li>Less Than</li> <li>Greater Than</li> <li>AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances</li> <li>atm Atmosphere</li> <li>CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)</li> <li>cm<sup>2</sup> Square Centimetres</li> <li>CO2 Carbon Dioxide</li> <li>COD Chemical Oxygen Demand</li> <li>deg C (°C) Degrees Celcius</li> <li>EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand</li> <li>deg F (°F) Degrees Farenheit</li> <li>g Grams</li> <li>g/cm<sup>3</sup> Grams per Cubic Centimetre</li> <li>g/l Grams per Litre</li> <li>HSNO Hazardous Substance and New Organism</li> <li>IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health</li> <li>immiscible Liquids are insoluable in each other.</li> <li>inHg Inch of Mercury</li> <li>inH20 Inch of Water</li> <li>K Kelvin</li> <li>kg Kilogram</li> <li>kg/kilogram</li> <li>kg/m<sup>3</sup> Kilograms per Cubic Metre</li> <li>lb Pound</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>LC50 LC stands for lethal concentration. LC50 is the concentration of a material in air which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals. The material is inhaled over a set period of time, usually 1 or 4 hours.</li> <li>LD50 LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD50 is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (on half) of a group of test animals.</li> <li>Itr or L Litre</li> <li>m<sup>3</sup> Cubic Metre</li> <li>mbar Millibar</li> <li>mg /24H Milligrams per 24 Hours</li> <li>mg/kg Milligrams per Cubic Metre</li> <li>Misc or Miscible Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.</li> <li>mmH2O Millimetres of Water</li> <li>mPa.s Millipacals per Second</li> <li>N/A Not Applicable</li> <li>NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health</li> <li>NOHSC National Occupational Heath and Safety Commission</li> <li>OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development</li> <li>Oz Ounce</li> <li>PEL Permissible Exposure Limit</li> <li>Pa Pascal</li> </ul>

pyb Parts per Billion
pym Parts per Million
pym/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hours
pym/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hours
psi Pounds per Square Inch
R Rankine
RCP Reciprocal Calculation Procedure
STEL Short Term Exposure Limit
TLV Threshold Limit Value
tne Tonne
TWA Time Weighted Average
ug/24H Micrograms per 24 Hours
UN United Nations
wt Weight