



I. Product and Company Information

Product Name:	Alumina Trihydrate – Wet Filter Cake	Synonym:	Alumina Trihydrate, Hydrated Alumina
Chemical Name:	Aluminum Hydroxide	CAS Number:	21645-51-2
Manufacturer's Name: Southern Ionics Incorporated 579 Commerce Street West Point, MS 39773 Customer Service: 1-800-953-3585 Web Site www.southernionics.com	Emergency Contacts: After hours (Southern Ionics) 1-888-610-2379 For Chemical Emergency, Spill or Accident Call CHEMTREC at 1-800-424-9300 CHEMTREC CCN - 20596		

II. Hazard Identification

OSHA HCS / GHS Classification(s):		Hazard Statement(s):	
Not classified under GHS Rules		May cause eye irritation.	
		May cause skin irritation.	
		May be harmful if swallowed.	
		May cause mild irritation of upper respiratory tract.	
GHS Signal Word:	Precautionary Statement(s):		
	Prevention:	See Section VIII. Personal Protective Equipment.	
GHS Symbol(s): Not Applicable	Response:	See Section IV. First Aid Measures.	

III. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name:	CAS Reg #'s	%
Aluminum Hydroxide	21645-51-2	99.5

IV. First Aid Measures

Eyes:	Immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. Cold water may be used. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Seek medical attention, if you feel unwell.
Dermal / Skin:	Remove contaminated clothing and wash exposed area thoroughly with soap and water. Seek medical attention, if you feel unwell.
Inhalation:	Move to fresh air immediately. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention, if you feel unwell.
Ingestion:	If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. If conscious give 4 to 8 ounces of water to dilute material. Seek medical attention, if you feel unwell.

V. Fire Fighting Measures

NFPA Hazard Rating:	Health (Blue)	Fire (Red)	Reactivity (Yellow)	Special Instructions (White)
	1	0	0	None
NFPA Hazard Classification: 0 = Least 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = High 4 = Extreme				
Extinguishing Media:	Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.			
Special Firefighting Procedure:	Wear NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Use water spray to keep containers cool and to knock down fumes.			

VI. Accidental Release Measures

Precaution if Spilled or Released:	Avoid generating dust.
Neutralizing Chemicals:	None.

VII. Handling and Storage

Handling:	Handle all chemicals with respect. Keep separated from incompatible substances. Handle only with equipment, materials, and supplies specified by their manufacturer as being compatible and appropriate for use with this product.
Storage:	Consult the appropriate SII Product Bulletin for temperature recommendations. Do not store this material near food, animal feed, or drinking water. Store in well-ventilated area. Store away from excessive heat (e.g., steam pipes, radiators) and from reactive materials. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

VIII. Exposure Control / Personal Protective Equipment

Component Workplace Control Parameters:				
Components:	CAS-No.	Value	Parameters	Basis
No Data Available				
Engineering Controls:	Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of dust below respective threshold limit value.			
General Hygiene:	Practice good personal hygiene after using this material, especially before eating, drinking, smoking, or using the toilet.			
Personal Protection Equipment:				
Eye:	Use safety glasses with side shields. Eye protection worn must be compatible with respiratory protection system employed.			
Skin:	Chemically resistant gloves should be worn whenever this material is handled.			
Respiratory:	None required under normal conditions. When conditions warrant a respirator, use NIOSH approved respirator and cartridge for particulates.			
Other Protective Items:	Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work-station location.			
HMIS Classification:	Health (Blue)	Flammability (Red)	Physical Hazard (Yellow)	PPE (White)
	1	0	0	See Above
Hazard Classification: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe				

IX. Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State:	Crystalline powder	pH:	8.5 - 10.2 (20 % in water)
Appearance:	White to off-white	Molecular Weight:	
Odor:	No Data Available	Odor Threshold:	No Data Available
Specific Gravity:(H₂O=1)	See Bulk Density	Weight per Gallon:	Not Applicable
Vapor Density: (Air=1)	No Data Available	Vapor Pressure:	No Data Available
Boiling Point:	Not Applicable	Freezing/Melting Point:	Decomposes before melting
Lower Explosive Limit:	Not Applicable	Upper Explosive Limit:	Not Applicable
Flash Point:	Not Applicable	Autoignition Temp:	Not Applicable
Solubility in Water:	Insoluble	Bulk Density:	0.15 - 1.3
Other:	Relative Density: 2.3 - 2.6		

X. Stability and Reactivity Data

Chemical Stability:	Product is stable under normal or expected use.
Conditions To Avoid:	Heating the material above 392 °F/200 °C will result in a sudden release of water vapor (steam).
Incompatible Materials:	Avoid contact with strong acids and basis.
Hazardous Products of Decomposition:	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

XI. Toxicological Information

Routes of Entry:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eyes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Skin <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ingestion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inhalation					
Sign and symptoms of Exposure:	May cause irritation to eyes, skin, and respiratory passages.					
Eye Contact:	May cause irritation.					
Ingestion:	May be harmful if swallowed.					
Skin Contact:	May cause irritation.					
Inhalation:	May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.					
Carcinogenicity:	NPT	Not Listed	IARC	Not Listed	OSHA	Not Regulated
Ingredient Name:	Species		Test		Route	Results
Aluminum hydroxide	Rat		5000 mg/kg		oral	LD50
Comments:						

XII. Ecological Information

Ingredient Name:	Species	Test	Period	Results
No Data Available				
Comments:				

XIII. Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal:	Always dispose of material in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.
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XIV. Transportation Information

Proper Shipping Name:	Aluminum Hydroxide				
DOT Classification:	Not Regulated by USDOT				
Identification Number:		Packing Group:		Other Labels:	

XV. Regulatory Information

Inventory Status:		US Regulations:	
U. S. TSCA	Yes	SARA 302 TPQ	Not Listed
Europe EINECS	Yes	SARA 304 RQ	Not Listed
Canadian DSL	Yes	SARA 313 List	Not Listed
Japan ENCS	Yes	CERCLA (RQ)	Not Listed
Korean KECI	Yes	RCRA 261.33	Not Listed
Philippines PICCS	Yes		
Australian AICS	Yes		
		SARA 311/312 <input type="checkbox"/> Acute <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic <input type="checkbox"/> Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Release of Pressure <input type="checkbox"/> Reactive	
International Regulations:		Other Regulations:	
Canada WHMIS	Not Listed	California PROP 65	Not Listed
EINECS	244-492-7		

XVI. Other Information

NSF Certification:	_____
Other:	_____
Revision Notes:	_____

SALES OFFICE

For Product Information:
 TEL: 662-494-3055
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 West Point, MS 39773

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