

Classified According to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS)

# **SECTION 1: Identification**

#### **1.1. Product Identifier**

Trade Name or Designation:

Ammonium Oxalate, 4% (w/v)

Product Number: 685 Other Identifying Product Numbers: 685-1, 685-16, 685-32, 685-5, 685-8

1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

General Laboratory Reagent

# 1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Company: Ricca Chemical Company Address: 448 West Fork Drive

Arlington, TX 76012 USA

Telephone: 888-467-4222

#### 1.4. Emergency Telephone Number (24 hours)

CHEMTREC (USA) CHEMTREC (International) 800-424-9300 1+ 703-527-3887

#### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) Identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

For the full text of the Hazard and Precautionary Statements listed below, see Section 16.

This product is not categorized as hazardous in any GHS hazard class.

#### 2.2. GHS Label Elements

Pictograms: None Required.

Signal Word: None Required.



Hazard Statements: None Required.

Precautionary Statements: None Required.

#### **2.4. Hazards not Otherwise Classified or Covered by GHS** Data not available.

# **SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients**

#### 3.1. Components of Substance or Mixture

Chemical Name	Formula	Molecular Weight	CAS Number	Weight%
Water	H₂O	18.01 g/mol	7732-18-5	96.15
Ammonium Oxalate	$(NH_4)_2C_2O_4\cdot H_2O_4$	142.11 g/mol	6009-70-7	3.85

## **SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures**

#### 4.1. General First Aid Information

Eye Contact:	May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing.		
Inhalation:	Not expected to require first aid. If necessary, remove to fresh air.		

Skin Contact: May cause irritation, redness, and pain.

**Ingestion:** Dilute with water or milk. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician if necessary.

#### 4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

May cause irritation to the eyes and skin. Wash areas of contact with water. Call a physician if irritation develops. If ingested, dilute with water. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician. May affect kidneys, gastrointestinal system, lungs, central nervous system. EYE CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing. SKIN CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, and pain. CHRONIC EFFECTS / CARCINOGENICITY: Chronic ingestion of small amounts may cause hypocalcemic tetany (calcium deficiency in blood), urinary calculi (hardening of mineral salts around organic material found in the urinary tract).

#### 4.3. Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

Irrigate immediately with large quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Wash areas of contact with soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Dilute with water or milk. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician if necessary.

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# **SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures**

# 5.1. Extinguishing Media

Use any means suitable for extinguishing surrounding fire.

## 5.2. Specific Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

Not considered to be a fire or explosion hazard.

#### 5.3. Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters

Use protective clothing and NIOSH-approved breathing equipment appropriate for the surrounding fire.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures**

#### 6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Wear appropriate PPE for the size and nature of the spill. As a general rule, wear safety glasses and gloves.

#### 6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Absorb with suitable material and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and Storage**

#### 7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling and Storage Conditions

As with all chemicals, wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Protect from freezing and physical damage.

# **SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

#### **8.1 Control Parameters**

Chemical Name	Limit Type	Country Exposure Limit	Information Source
Data not available.			

#### 8.2. Exposure Controls

Engineering Controls: No specific controls are needed. Normal room ventilation is adequate.

Respiratory Protection: Normal room ventilation is adequate.

Skin Protection: Chemical resistant gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Safety glasses or goggles.

#### 8.3. Personal Protective Equipment

Normal room ventilation is adequate. Chemical resistant gloves. Safety glasses or goggles.

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# **SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

# 9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Colorless liquid Physical State: Liquid Odor: Data not available. Odor Threshold: Data not available. pH: Approximately 6 - 7 Melting/Freezing Point: Approximately 0°C Initial Boiling Point/Range: Approximately 100°C - Approximately 100°C Flash Point: Data not available. Evaporation Rate: Data not available. Flammability: Data not available. Flammability/Explosive Limits: Data not available. Vapor Pressure: Data not available. Vapor Density: Data not available. Relative Density: 1.04 Solubility: Miscible Partition Coefficient: Data not available. Auto-Ignition Temperature: Data not available. **Decomposition Temperature:** Data not available. Viscosity: Data not available. Explosive Properties: Data not available. Oxidizing Properties: Data not available.

# **SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity**

# 10.1. Reactivity and Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

# **10.2. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

Data not available.

# **10.3. Conditions to Avoid and Incompatible Materials**

Sodium Hypochlorite plus Ammonium Acetate.

# **10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Will not occur.

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# **SECTION 11: Toxicological Information**

## 11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

# Acute Toxicity - Oral Exposure: Not applicable. Acute Toxicity - Dermal Exposure: Not applicable.

# Acute Toxicity - Inhalation Exposure:

Not applicable.

#### Acute Toxicity - Other Information:

LD50, Oral, Rat: No information available on normal routes of exposure

# Skin Corrosion and Irritation:

Not applicable.

#### Serious Eye Damage and Irritation: Not applicable.

Not applicable.

#### Respiratory Sensitization: Not applicable.

#### Skin Sensitization: Not applicable.

# Germ Cell Mutagenicity:

Not applicable.

#### Carcinogenicity: Not applicable.

#### **Reproductive Toxicity:**

Not applicable.

# Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Single Exposure:

Not applicable.

# Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Repeated Exposure:

Not applicable.

# Aspiration Hazard:

Not applicable.

## Additional Toxicology Information:

Data not available.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological Information**

#### 12.1. Ecotoxicity

Not applicable.



12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Data not available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Data not available.

#### 12.4. Mobility in Soil

Data not available.

12.5. Other Adverse Ecological Effects

Data not available.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Data not available.

# **SECTION 14: Transportation Information**

# 14.1. Transportation by Land-Department of Transportation (DOT, United States of America)

Not regulated according to DOT Regulations.



# 14.2. Transportation by Air - International Air Transport Association (IATA)

Not regulated according to IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations.

# 14.3 Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG, Canada)

Not regulated according to TDG Regulations.

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory Information**

15.1. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazards

Not listed.

- 15.2. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Not listed.
- **15.3. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 311/312 Hazardous Chemicals** Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): 5000 lb final RQ (listed under Ammonium oxalate); 2270 kg final RQ (listed under Ammonium oxalate)

#### 15.4. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 313 Toxic Release Inventory (TRI)

Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): "1.0 % de minimis concentration (10% of total aqueous Ammonia is reportable under this listing)" As Aqueous ammonia from water dissociable ammonium salts and other sources [RR-47925-4]

# 15.5. Massachusetts Right-to-Know Substance List

Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): Present

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# **15.6. Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Hazardous Substances** Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): Environmental hazard

Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): Present Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): "Present" As Ethyl alcohol and water [RR-00802-6] Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present

- 15.7. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Components Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): sn 0108
- 15.8. California Proposition 65 Not listed.

# 15.9. Canada Domestic Substances List / Non-Domestic Substances List (DSL/NDSL)

Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): Present (DSL) Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present (DSL)

# 15.10. United States of America Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) List

All components of this solution are listed as active on the TSCA Inventory or are mixtures (hydrates) of active items listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): Present (ACTIVE) Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present (ACTIVE)

# 15.11. European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS), European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS), and No Longer Polymers (NLP)

Ammonium Oxalate (CAS # 6009-70-7): 214-202-3 Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): 231-791-2

# **SECTION 16: Other Information**

# 16.1. Full Text of Hazard Statements and Precautionary Statements

#### 16.2. Miscellaneous Hazard Classes

Canadian Carcinogenicity Hazard Class: Not Applicable.

Physical Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (PHNOC): Not Applicable.

Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HHNOC): Not Applicable.

Biohazardous Infectious Materials Hazard Class: Not Applicable.



## 16.3. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Rating

Health:1Flammability:0Reactivity:0Special Hazard:



#### 16.4. Document Revision

Last Revision Date: 2023-09-11

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When handled properly by qualified personnel, the product described herein does not present a significant health or safety hazard. Alteration of its characteristics by concentration, evaporation, addition of other substances, or other means may present hazards not specifically addressed herein and which must be evaluated by the user. The information furnished herein is believed to be accurate and represents the best data currently available to us. No warranty, expressed or implied, is made and RICCA CHEMICAL COMPANY assumes no legal responsibility or liability whatsoever resulting from its use.