FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Ammonium Iodide

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SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ammonium iodide

CAS#: 12027-06-4

SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

White to off-white crystalline powder. Odorless. Irritating to body tissues. Avoid all body tissue contact.

FLINN AT-A-GLANCE
Health-1

Flammability-0 Reactivity-1 Exposure-1 Storage-1

0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

Call a physician and seek medical attention for further treatment, observation, and support after first aid. Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye or External: Immediately flush with fresh water for at least 15 minutes.

Internal: Rinse mouth. Give large quantities of water for dilution. Call a physician or poison control at once.

SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Nonflammable solid.

NFPA Code

None established

When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes of HI, NH₃, and NO_x.

Fire Fighting Instructions: Use a triclass, dry chemical fire extinguisher. Firefighters should wear PPE and SCBA with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.

SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Restrict unprotected personnel from the area. Sweep up the spill, place in a sealed bag or container, and dispose. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #2. Store with acetates, halides, sulfates, sulfates, thiosulfates, and phosphates.

Moisture and light sensitive material. Store in a cool, dry place. Deliquescent; store in Flinn Chem-Saf Bag.

SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves, and chemical-resistant apron.

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SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

White to off-white crystalline powder.

Melting point: 551 °

Solubility: Water soluble (154.2g/100 ml)

Formula: NH₄I

Formula weight: 144.94

Melting point: 551 °C (sublimes)

Specific gravity: 2.5

SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Avoid contact with strong acids and bases.

Shelf life: Fair to poor.

SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute effects: Irritant. ORL-RAT LD_{50} : N.A. Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT LC_{50} : N.A. Target organs: Mucous membranes, eyes. SKN-RBT LD_{50} : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Data not yet available.

SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply, before proceeding. Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #26a is one option.

SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping name: Not regulated

Hazard class: N/A UN number: N/A N/A = Not applicable

SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (234-717-7).

SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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