

1. Identification

Product Code **CA6654-56**

Product Name **AMMONIUM NICKEL (II) SULPHATE 6H₂O**

CAS Number 7785-20-8

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2. Composition

Component	CAS No	EEC No	Conc w/w	Classification & Risk Phrases	Exp (See 8.1)
AMMONIUM NICKEL (II) SULPHATE 6H ₂ O	7785-20-8	239-793-5	100.0%	T : R23/24/25,R36/37/38,R42/43,R45	N/A

3. Hazards Identification

Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. May cause sensitisation by inhalation and skin contact. May cause cancer.

4. First Aid Measures

Eyes Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.

Skin Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash before re-use. Thoroughly wash off skin with soap and water. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.

Inhalation Remove from exposure, wearing protective clothing and breathing apparatus if necessary. If there is difficulty in breathing give oxygen if available. If breathing stops or shows signs of failing, apply artificial resuscitation. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION URGENTLY.

Ingestion Wash out the patients mouth thoroughly with water. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION URGENTLY.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Hazards Evacuate area immediately. Keep up wind. Avoid exposure to toxic vapours and fumes. Fire-fighters should wear protective clothing and breathing apparatus. May evolve toxic fumes if involved in a fire.

Extinguishing Media Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly.

Unsuitable Media Nothing specified.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal Protection	Evacuate area immediately. Avoid breathing dust-wear respiratory protective equipment. Do not allow general use of area until it is safe to do so.
Enviromental	Notify the Environmental Agency and local Environmental Health Officer if major spillage occurs.
Major Spillage	Vacuum up into container for removal. Carefully remove material from vacuum cleaner and transfer to sealable container for disposal. Carry out this operation under fume extraction. Wash area down with copious amounts of water.
Minor Spillage	Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

7. Storage & Handling

Handling Precautions	Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath dust. Do not allow to contaminate clothing. Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains dust concentrations below the recommended limits.
Storage Conditions	Well ventilated, cool, dry storage .

8.1 Occupational Exposure Limits

No prescribed exposure limits available

8.2 Personal Protection

Respiratory	If process creates significant amounts of dust use L.E.V. or wear suitable dust mask.
Hands	Use nitrile gloves or PVC gauntlets.
Eyes	Use chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.
Skin	Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance	Green crystals.
Odour	No specific odour.
pH	Not available
Boiling point	999.0 °C
Melting point	999.0 °C
Flash point	Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	Not available
Auto Ignition	Not available
Explosive properties	No.
Oxidising Properties	No.
Vapour Presure	Not available.
Relative Density	Not available
Water Solubility	Very soluble in water.

10. Stability & Reactivity

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid exposure to heat.
Materials to Avoid	Strong oxidising agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Hazardous products of decomposition may include: Sulphur oxides, ammonia, nickel and nickel oxides.

11. Toxicological Information

Eyes	Contact with the solid or dust will be irritating to the eyes.
Skin	Contact with the solid or dust will be irritating to the skin. Repeated exposure may cause dermatitis.
LD50 Skin	Not available
Ingest	Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation.
LD50 Ingest	Rat 400 mg/kg
Inhalation	Prolonged exposure to dust or fume concentrations above the occupational exposure limits may produce irritation of the eyes, nose, throat and respiratory tract.
Carcinogenicity	Carcinogen - category 3. It is suspected as a long term carcinogen in man but evidence is inconclusive.
Mutagenicity	Not considered to be a mutagen.
Reproductive Effects	No information is available.

12. Ecological

Nickel salts are harmful to the environment.

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods	Dissolve in water and adjust pH to 7, then precipitate out as the sulphide. Filter off the insoluble material and dispose of at a licensed land-fill site. Destroy excess sulphide with sodium hypochlorite, neutralise the solution and wash to drain with copious amounts of water.
Contaminated Packaging	Use a licensed waste disposer.

14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name	Toxic Solid, Inorganic, n.o.s.
UN Number	3288
UN Classification	6.1 Toxic
Subsidiary Risk	None
Flash Point	Not available
Packing Group	III
Marine pollutant	No
ADR Hazard ID	60

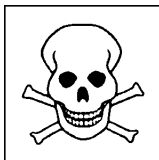


15. Regulatory Information

Labelling	Toxic.
Classification	

Label Symbols

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Risk & safety Phrases	Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. May cause sensitisation by inhalation and skin contact. May cause cancer. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label).
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16. Other Information

Document Information This document has been prepared in accordance with directive 88/379/EEC.

The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment.

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