

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name	Calcium Nitrate Tetrahydrate
Other Names	Calcium dinitrate, tetrahydrate
Uses	Fertilizer.
Chemical Family	No Data Available
Chemical Formula	Ca(NO ₃) ₂ .4H ₂ O
Chemical Name	Nitric acid, calcium salt, tetrahydrate
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
Poisons Information Centre	Westmead NSW	1800-251525 131126
Chemcall	Australia	1800-127406 +64-4-9179888
Chemcall	Malaysia	+64-4-9179888
Chemcall	New Zealand	0800-243622 +64-4-9179888
National Poisons Centre	New Zealand	0800-764766
CHEMTREC	USA & Canada	1-800-424-9300 CN723420 +1-703-527-3887

2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not Scheduled

Globally Harmonised System



Hazard Classification Hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

Hazard Categories Oxidising Solids - Category 3
Acute Toxicity (Oral) - Category 4
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation - Category 2A

Pictograms



Signal Word Warning

Hazard Statements

H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer.
H302 Harmful if swallowed.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary Statements

Prevention	P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	
	P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.	
	P220	Keep/Store away from clothing/combustible materials.	
	P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.	
	Response	P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use water for extinction.
		P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
		P330	Rinse mouth.
Disposal	P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.	
	P301 + P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.	
	P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations.	

National Transport Commission (Australia)

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

Dangerous Goods Classification Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

HSNO Classifications

Physical Hazards	5.1.1C	Oxidising substances that are liquids or solids: low hazard
Health Hazards	6.1D	Substances that are acutely toxic - Harmful
	6.4A	Substances that are irritating to the eye

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Calcium nitrate, tetrahydrate	Ca(NO3)2.4H2O	13477-34-4	>=98 - 100 %



4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

Swallowed	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Call a Poison Centre or doctor/physician for advice. 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. Get medical advice/attention.
Skin	IF ON SKIN: Wash off immediately with plenty of soap and water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. 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. Call a Poison Centre or doctor/physician for advice. Apply resuscitation if victim is not breathing - Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult.
Advice to Doctor	In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Treat symptomatically. Keep victim calm and warm - Obtain immediate medical care. Ensure that attending medical personnel are aware of identity and nature of the product(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.
Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure	No information available.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

General Measures	If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area. Do not move cargo if cargo has been exposed to heat. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out – If impossible, withdraw from area and let fire burn. Avoid getting water inside containers - a violent reaction may occur. Dam fire control water for later disposal.
Flammability Conditions	OXIDISING SUBSTANCE: Will accelerate burning when involved in a fire. Not combustible; Has a fire-promoting effect due to release of oxygen. May ignite combustibles.
Extinguishing Media	If material is involved in a fire, use flooding quantities of water for extinction - Do not use dry chemicals, Carbon dioxide (CO2) or foam. Large fire: Flood fire area with water from a protected position.
Fire and Explosion Hazard	Risk if violent reaction or explosion! May explode from heating, shock, friction or contamination. May intensify fire; oxidizer.
Hazardous Products of Combustion	Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours. Fire/decomposition may cause evolution of nitrous gases, nitrogen oxides.
Special Fire Fighting Instructions	Contain runoff from fire control or dilution water - Runoff may pollute waterways; Runoff may create fire or explosion hazard.
Personal Protective Equipment	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and chemical splash suit. Structural firefighter's uniform will provide limited protection.
Flash Point	132 °C
Lower Explosion Limit	No Data Available
Upper Explosion Limit	No Data Available
Auto Ignition Temperature	No Data Available
Hazchem Code	1Z

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

General Response Procedure	Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Do not contaminate - Keep combustibles away from spilled material. ELIMINATE all ignition sources - Prevent exposure to heat. Do not touch or walk through spilled material - Slippery when spilt! Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Avoid generating dust. Avoid breathing dust and contact with eyes, skin and clothing.
Clean Up Procedures	Use clean, non-sparking tools to transfer material to a suitable container for reclamation or disposal (see SECTION 13). Move container from spill area.
Containment	Stop leak if safe to do so - Prevent entry into waterways, drains or confined areas. Use water spray to knock down vapours or divert vapour clouds.
Decontamination	Small amounts of residue may be flushed to sewer with plenty of water. Spillages and decontamination runoff should be prevented from entering drains and watercourses.



Environmental Precautionary Measures

Evacuation Criteria

Spill or leak area should be isolated immediately. Keep unauthorised personnel away. Keep upwind and to higher ground. Large spill: Immediately contact Police or Fire Brigade; Consider initial downwind evacuation of areas within at least 100 m.

Personal Precautionary Measures

Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing (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, especially in confined areas. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. The substance must not be present at workplaces in quantities above that required for work to be progressed. Minimise dust generation and accumulation. Avoid breathing dust and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Use personal protective equipment as required (see SECTION 8). OXIDISING SUBSTANCE: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources - No smoking. Do not contaminate. Use leak-proof equipment with exhaust for refilling or transfer.

Storage

Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place, out of direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed - Do not leave container open. Protect from moisture - Substance is hygroscopic. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources - No smoking. Keep away from clothing and combustible materials, foodstuffs and other incompatible materials (see SECTION 10).

Container

Keep in the original container. Containers of this material may be hazardous when empty since they retain product residues; Observe all warnings and precautions listed for the product.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies. For dusts from solid substances without specific occupational exposure standards:

- Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard (Nuisance dusts): 8 hr TWA = 10 mg/m³ (measured as inhalable dust).
- New Zealand WES (Particulates not otherwise classified): TWA = 10 mg/m³; TWA = 3 mg/m³ (respirable dust).

Exposure Limits

No Data Available

Biological Limits

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

- Respiratory protection: In case of inadequate ventilation or in an emergency (e.g. unintentional release of substance), respiratory protection must be worn. Recommended: Particle filter P2 or P3 (refer to AS/NZS 1715 & 1716).
- Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to avoid eye contact. Recommended: Wear glasses with side protection.
- Hand protection: Handle with gloves. Recommended: Natural rubber/Natural latex (NR) (0.5 mm), Polychloroprene (CR) (0.5 mm), Nitrile rubber/Nitrile latex (NBR) (0.35 mm), Butyl rubber (Butyl) (0.5 mm), Fluoro carbon rubber (FKM) (0.4 mm), Polyvinyl chloride (PVC) (0.5 mm).
- Skin/body protection: Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to avoid skin contact. Recommended: Depending on the risk, wear a tight, long apron and boots or suitable chemical protection clothing.

Special Hazards Precautions

No information available.

Work Hygienic Practices

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. Take care to maintain clean working place. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State

Solid

Appearance

Crystals



Odour	Odourless
Colour	White
pH	5.0 - 7.0 at 20 °C
Vapour Pressure	No Data Available
Relative Vapour Density	No Data Available
Boiling Point	132 °C
Melting Point	45 °C
Freezing Point	No Data Available
Solubility	No Data Available
Specific Gravity	1.86
Flash Point	132 °C
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	No Data Available
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	Protect from moisture - Substance is hygroscopic.
Potential for Dust Explosion	No information available.
Fast or Intensely Burning Characteristics	Risk if violent reaction or explosion! May explode from heating, shock, friction or contamination. May intensify fire; oxidizer.
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	OXIDISING SUBSTANCE: Will accelerate burning when involved in a fire. Not combustible; Has a fire-promoting effect due to release of oxygen. May ignite combustibles.
Reactions That Release Gases or Vapours	Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours. Fire/decomposition may cause evolution of nitrous gases, nitrogen oxides.
Release of Invisible Flammable Vapours and Gases	Release of oxygen at temperatures above 130 °C.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

General Information	Risk of explosion in contact with organic substances, ammonium nitrate/combustible liquids, metals in the form of powder, ammonium compounds.
Chemical Stability	Stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions.
Conditions to Avoid	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Do not contaminate.
Materials to Avoid	Incompatible/reactive with reducing agents, combustible substances.



Hazardous Decomposition Products	Fire/decomposition may cause evolution of nitrous gases, nitrogen oxides. *Release of oxygen at temperatures above 130 °C.
Hazardous Polymerisation	Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed. May cause abdominal pain, blue lips or fingernails, blue skin, confusion, convulsions, dizziness, headache, nausea, unconsciousness. - Skin corrosion/irritation: Non-irritating to the skin. - Eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye irritation; Redness. - Respiratory/skin sensitisation: No sensitization responses were observed. - Germ cell mutagenicity: No information available. - Carcinogenicity: Nitrate or nitrite (ingested) under conditions that result in endogenous nitrosation is classified by the IARC Monographs as "possibly carcinogenic to humans" (Group 2A). - Reproductive toxicity: No information available. - STOT (single exposure): Inhalation may cause cough, sore throat. - STOT (repeated exposure): No information available. - Aspiration toxicity: No information available.
Acute	
 Ingestion	Acute toxicity (Oral): - LD50, Rat: 3,900 mg/kg
Carcinogen Category	None

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity	Aquatic toxicity: - LC50, Fish (Poecilia reticulata): 1,378 mg/l (96 h). - EC50, Crustacea (Daphnia magna): 490 mg/l (48 h). - EC50, Algae/aquatic plants (Benthic diatoms): 1,700 mg/l (10 d).
Persistence/Degradability	No information available.
Mobility	No information available.
Environmental Fate	Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.
Bioaccumulation Potential	No information available.
Environmental Impact	No Data Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General Information	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations. Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be managed in an appropriate and approved waste disposal facility. Processing, use or contamination of this product may change the waste management options.
Special Precautions for Land Fill	Contaminated packaging: Containers of this material may be hazardous when empty since they retain product residues; Observe all warnings and precautions listed for the product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land Transport (Australia)
ADG Code



Proper Shipping Name	CALCIUM NITRATE
Class	5.1 Oxidising Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
EPG	31 Oxidizing Substances
UN Number	1454
Hazchem	1Z
Pack Group	III
Special Provision	No Data Available

Land Transport (Indonesia)

Proper Shipping Name	CALCIUM NITRATE
Class	5.1 Oxidising Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
EPG	31 Oxidizing Substances
UN Number	1454
Hazchem	1Z
Pack Group	III
Special Provision	No Data Available

Land Transport (Malaysia)

ADR Code

Proper Shipping Name	CALCIUM NITRATE
Class	5.1 Oxidising Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
EPG	31 Oxidizing Substances
UN Number	1454
Hazchem	1Z
Pack Group	III
Special Provision	No Data Available

Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name	CALCIUM NITRATE
Class	5.1 Oxidising Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
EPG	31 Oxidizing Substances
UN Number	1454
Hazchem	1Z
Pack Group	III
Special Provision	No Data Available

Land Transport (United States of America)

US DOT

Proper Shipping Name	CALCIUM NITRATE
Class	5.1 Oxidising Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s)	No Data Available
ERG	140 Oxidizers
UN Number	1454
Hazchem	1Z



Pack Group III
Special Provision No Data Available

Sea Transport
 IMDG Code

Proper Shipping Name CALCIUM NITRATE
Class 5.1 Oxidising Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available
UN Number 1454
Hazchem 1Z
Pack Group III
Special Provision No Data Available
EMS F-A, S-Q
Marine Pollutant No

Air Transport
 IATA DGR

Proper Shipping Name CALCIUM NITRATE
Class 5.1 Oxidising Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available
UN Number 1454
Hazchem 1Z
Pack Group III
Special Provision No Data Available

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General Information No Data Available
Poisons Schedule (Aust) Not Scheduled

Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code HSR002570
 HSR003543 (Revoked)

National/Regional Inventories

Australia (AICS) Listed
Canada (DSL) Not Determined
Canada (NDSL) Not Determined



China (IECSC)	Not Determined
Europe (EINECS)	Not Determined
Europe (REACH)	Not Determined
Japan (ENCS/METI)	Not Determined
Korea (KECI)	Not Determined
Malaysia (EHS Register)	Not Determined
New Zealand (NZIoC)	Listed
Philippines (PICCS)	Not Determined
Switzerland (Giftliste 1)	Not Determined
Switzerland (Inventory of Notified Substances)	Not Determined
Taiwan (NCSR)	Not Determined
USA (TSCA)	Not Determined

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Related Product Codes

CANITR0100, CANITR0200, CANITR0300, CANITR0400, CANITR0401, CANITR0500, CANITR0502, CANITR0503, CANITR0700, CANITR0800, CANITR1000, CANITR1001, CANITR1002, CANITR1003, CANITR1004, CANITR1005, CANITR1006, CANITR1007, CANITR1008, CANITR1009, CANITR1010, CANITR1011, CANITR1012, CANITR1013, CANITR1014, CANITR1015, CANITR1016, CANITR1017, CANITR1018, CANITR1019, CANITR1100, CANITR1107, CANITR1108, CANITR1110, CANITR1200, CANITR1201, CANITR1215, CANITR1217, CANITR1300, CANITR1500, CANITR1802, CANITR1803, CANITR1804, CANITR1805, CANITR1806, CANITR1807, CANITR1808, CANITR1809, CANITR1900, CANITR2200, CANITR2201, CANITR2202, CANITR2204, CANITR2205, CANITR2500, CANITR2501, CANITR2600, CANITR2900, CANITR3000, CANITR3001, CANITR3002, CANITR3003, CANITR3004, CANITR3005, CANITR3006, CANITR3100, CANITR3200, CANITR3300, CANITR3501, CANITR3502, CANITR3700, CANITR3800, CANITR3900, CANITR4000, CANITR4001, CANITR4300, CANITR4301, CANITR4302, CANITR4600, CANITR4800, CANITR4900, CANITR5100, CANITR5200, CANITR5300, CANITR5400, CANITR5500, CANITR5800, CANITR5801, CANITR5900, CANITR5901, CANITR6300, CANITR6500, CANITR6900, CANITR7000, CANITR7500, CANITR8000, CANITR8001, CANITR8002, CANITR8900, CANITR9000, CANITR9400, CANITR9600, CANITR9700, CANITR9800, CANITR9900, CANITR9901, CANITR9902

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Key/Legend

< Less Than
> Greater Than
AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
atm Atmosphere
CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)
cm² Square Centimetres
CO₂ Carbon Dioxide
COD Chemical Oxygen Demand
deg C (°C) Degrees Celcius
EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand
deg F (°F) Degrees Farenheit
g Grams
g/cm³ Grams per Cubic Centimetre
g/l Grams per Litre
HSNO Hazardous Substance and New Organism
IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health
immiscible Liquids are insoluable in each other.
inHg Inch of Mercury
inH₂O Inch of Water
K Kelvin
kg Kilogram
kg/m³ Kilograms per Cubic Metre
lb Pound



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.

LD50 LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD50 is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals.

ltr or **L** Litre

m³ Cubic Metre

mbar Millibar

mg Milligram

mg/24H Milligrams per 24 Hours

mg/kg Milligrams per Kilogram

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre

Misc or **Miscible** Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.

mm Millimetre

mmH₂O Millimetres of Water

mPa.s Millipascals per Second

N/A Not Applicable

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOHSC National Occupational Health and Safety Commission

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Oz Ounce

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

Pa Pascal

ppb Parts per Billion

ppm Parts per Million

ppm/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hours

ppm/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

