

Detector Tube Types NH3 - xxx

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0. General notes

These products are articles according to article 3.3 of regulation (EC) no. 1907/2006 (REACH). It is not necessary to supply a Safety Data Sheet for these products. Safety Data Sheets stipulate according to Article 31 for hazardous substances and preparations, but not for articles. MSA is obliged to supply its customers with appropriate information to ensure safe handling. A special format is not required for this information.

1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

Product identifier: Detector Tube Types NH3 - xxx
Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
Use of the substance/mixture: Detector tube
Uses advised against: The product is to be used exclusively for the applications named in the directions for use.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: MSA AUER GmbH
Street: Thiemannstrasse 1
Place: D-12059 Berlin
Telephone: ++49-30-6886-0
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Emergency telephone: 1-800-255-3924 USA/CDN
++1-813-248-0585 internat.

Further Information: Apply Safety data sheet to the following products:

Part-No.	Product name
D5085755	NH3 - A
D5085814	NH3 - 20
D5085815	NH3 - 0,1 %
D5085845	NH3 - 2
D5085914	NH3 - 20
D5085945	NH3 - 2
D5086859	NH3 - 100
D5092845	NH3 - ETW

2. Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture:

This mixture is not classified as dangerous according to Directive 1999/45/EC.

As an article the product does not need to be labelled in accordance with EC-directives or respective national laws.

Label elements

S phrases:

02 Keep out of the reach of children.
26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Additional advice on labelling:

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Other hazards: Detector tube: No hazards deemed to be of major importance.
Content: No hazards deemed to be of major importance.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical characterization: Sealed glass tube, filled with inert granules, treated with chemicals, which are not dangerous in their concentration.

4. First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

After inhalation: Not applicable for intact detector tubes.
When indicator material is spilled: If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

After contact with skin: Not applicable for intact detector tubes.
When indicator material is spilled: Wash off immediately with plenty of water.

After contact with eyes: Not applicable for intact detector tubes.
When indicator material is spilled: In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

After ingestion: Not applicable for intact detector tubes.
When indicator material is spilled: If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: The product itself does not burn. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to the environment.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons: None.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: None.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Release not possible if used properly.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: When indicator material is spilled: Mop up whilst dry. Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact of breakage of glass and indicator material. Dispose of as described in section 13.

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7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling:

See the specific Instruction for use.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion:

No special precautions required.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Advice on storage compatibility:

Do not store together with edibles.

Further information on storage conditions:

See the specific Instruction for use. Recommended storage temperature: 20°C

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Additional advice on limit values:

Release not possible if used properly.

Exposure controls

Protective and hygiene measures:

Avoid contact with eyes or skin after breaking of the tub tips. Avoid contact of breakage of glass and indicator material. Do not take up glass breads and content of the tube with bare hands. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of the workday.

Respiratory protection:

Not required.

Hand protection:

Not required.

When indicator material is spilled: Protective gloves made out of: Nitrile rubber, butyl rubber

Eye protection:

Not required.

Skin protection:

Not required.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:

Granules in a glass tube.

Colour:

yellow

Odour:

almost odorless

pH-Value (at 20 °C):

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Test method

50 g/l water

Changes in the physical state

Melting point:

n.a.

Boiling point:

n.a.

Flash point:

n.a.

Lower explosion limits:

n.a.

Upper explosion limits:

n.a.

Vapour pressure:

n.a.

Water solubility:

low solubility

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Viscosity / dynamic:

n.a.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity:	None if handled correctly
Possibility of hazardous reactions:	None if handled correctly
Conditions to avoid:	None if handled correctly
Hazardous decomposition products:	No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.
Further information:	After the opening of the tube: Sensitive to air (discolouration)

11. Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects	Not applicable for intact detector tubes.
Toxicocinetics, metabolism and distribution:	When indicator material is spilled: No data available.
Acute toxicity:	Not applicable for intact detector tubes. When indicator material is spilled: No data available.

12. Ecological information

Toxicity:	Not applicable for intact detector tubes. When indicator material is spilled: No data available.
Persistence and degradability:	Not applicable for intact detector tubes. When indicator material is spilled: No data available.
Bioaccumulative potential:	Not applicable for intact detector tubes. When indicator material is spilled: No data available.
Further information:	When indicator material is spilled: Should not be released into the environment.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods	
Recommendation Waste disposal number of waste from residues/unused products:	150202 WASTE PACKAGING; ABSORBENTS, WIPING CLOTHS, FILTER MATERIALS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED; absorbents, filter materials, wiping cloths and protective clothing; absorbents, filter materials (including oil filters not otherwise specified), wiping cloths, protective clothing contaminated by dangerous substances Classified as hazardous waste.

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**Recommendation Waste disposal
number of contaminated packaging:**

150101
WASTE PACKAGING; ABSORBENTS, WIPING CLOTHS,
FILTER MATERIALS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING NOT
OTHERWISE SPECIFIED; packaging (including separately
collected municipal packaging waste); paper and cardboard
packaging

14. Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

**Other applicable information (land
transport):**

Not classified as dangerous regarding transport regulations.

Inland waterways transport

**Other applicable information (inland
waterways transport):**

Not classified as dangerous regarding transport regulations.

Marine transport

**Other applicable information (marine
transport):**

Not classified as dangerous regarding transport regulations.

Air transport

**Other applicable information (air
transport):**

Not classified as dangerous regarding transport regulations.

15. Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulatory information

16. Other information

Changes:

Sections which have been changed in comparison to the
preceding edition: 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14

Abbreviations and acronyms:

n.a. = not applicable
n.d. = not determined

Further Information:

The information is based on present levels of our knowledge.
It does not, however, give assurances of product properties
and establishes no contract legal rights.
The product is to be used exclusively for the applications
named in the technical leaflet or in the processing instructions.
The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for
adhering to existing laws and regulations.

*(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the
sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)*