



# AQUASPHERE COAGULANTS Inc.

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 01 – MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

MATERIAL NAME

WHMIS Classification: Class D2B.

### SPHEREPAC P-55/P-65/P-70

CHEMICAL NAME: Polyaluminum Chloride Powder

USE: Treatment of potable water, waste water, and industrial process water.

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### SECTION 02 – HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT	% CONC.	CAS#	LD50	LC50
All Ingredients are considered non hazardous				
Aluminum Chloride Hydroxide Sulfate	60-100	1327-41-9	N/A	N/A

### SECTION 03 – HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE:

SKIN: Yes. ABSORPTION: No.

EYES: Yes.

INGESTION: Yes.

INHALATION: No.

#### EFFECTS OF ACUTE EXPOSURE:

SKIN: May cause an irritation.

EYES: May cause an irritation.

INGESTION: May cause an irritation to the mouth and digestive tracts.

INHALATION: May cause respiratory tract irritation.

#### EFFECTS OF CHRONIC EXPOSURE:

SKIN: Frequent or prolonged contact may cause dermatitis.

### SECTION 04 – FIRST AID MEASURES

SKIN: Flush thoroughly with water.

EYES: Flush eyes immediately and thoroughly with water taking care to rinse under eyelids. If irritation persists, consult a physician.

INGESTION: Give water or milk to drink. Induce vomiting if victim is conscious. Never induce vomiting in an unconscious or convulsive person. Consult a physician.

INHALATION: In case of discomfort, remove to fresh air. If irritation persists, consult a physician.

### SECTION 05 – FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD

Flammability: Non combustible.

If so, under what condition:

Extinguishing media:	N/AP.	Explosive properties:	N/AP
Flash Point:	N/AP.	Oxidizing properties:	N/AP
Auto-ignition temperature:	N/AP.	NFPA fire code:	N/AP
Lower flammable limit:	N/AP		
Upper flammable limit:	N/AP		

Hazardous combustion products: Hydrogen Chloride, Aluminum oxide and oxides of sulfur.

### SECTION 06 – SPILL MANAGEMENT

In case of spill: Contain spill if possible. Recover spill in a container if possible. Wash area. May be flushed to a sanitary sewer if allowed, or recovered with absorbent materials for disposal. See disposal considerations (Sect. 13).

WARNING: Will give an astringent taste to water supply. Hydrolyzes. May develop mild heat on contact with water. High concentrations may increase lead content of water if lead supply pipes are used.

**SECTION 07 – STORAGE AND HANDLING**

HANDLING METHODS AND PRACTICES: See Sect. 3 and 8 for precautions. Avoid accidents. Handle in containers, piping and pumps made of stainless steel, fiberglass or glass. Maintain good personal hygiene.

STORAGE REQUIREMENTS: **KEEP AWAY FROM MOISTURE AND HUMIDITY.** Store in a dry environment at room temperature.

Do not store in containers made of aluminum, magnesium, zinc or copper alloys. Keep away from incompatible materials. Avoid contact with strong alkalis.

**SECTION 08 – PREVENTIVE MEASURES**

EYES: Where spillages may occur, wear goggles or chemical safety glasses.

SKIN: Where spillages may occur, wear impervious gloves.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: If high dust concentrations wear a dust mask and for liquid solution a respirator.

**SECTION 09 – PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Physical state:	Powder.
Appearance:	Off-White powder
Bulk density:	.85.
Boiling point:	.N/AV
Freezing point:	N/AP
Evaporation rate:	N/D
Vapor density (air=1):	N/AP
Water solubility:	Hydrolyses.
% volatility:	N/D
Partition coefficient:	N/D
PH: (37 % sol.)	2.0- 3.0

**SECTION 10 – REACTIVITY DATA**

Chemical stability : Stable. When stored in dry conditions.

If not, in what conditions?:

Incompatibility with other substances: Avoid contact with strong alkali, oxidizers and hydro-reactive materials.

Conditions of reactivity: Rapidly hydrolyses at >90 °C.

Hazardous polymerization: N/AP

Hazardous decomposition:

**SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES**

LD50 of material (specify species and route): N/AV

LC50 of material (specify species and route): N/AV

CARCINOGENICITY / MUTAGENICITY / TERATOGENICITY: None known.

**SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

N/AV

**SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Do not pollute with careless disposal practices. Recycle if possible. Dispose of waste in a manner consistent with all Federal, State, or Local regulations in effect.

**SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Not regulated for transport

**SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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**SECTION 16 – ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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N/AV = not available

N/AP = not applicable

N/D = not determined

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