# NALCO Water

#### SAFETY DATA SHEET

## NALCO® CV941

## Section: 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : NALCO® CV941

Other means of identification : Not applicable.

Restrictions on use : Refer to available product literature or ask your local Sales Representative for

restrictions on use and dose limits.

Company : Nalco Company

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#### **Section: 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### **GHS Classification**

Skin corrosion : Category 1B Serious eye damage : Category 1

Specific target organ toxicity

- single exposure

Category 3 (Respiratory system)

#### **GHS Label element**

Hazard pictograms :





Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statements : Prevention:

Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective

gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response:

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage:

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

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Other hazards : None known.

Section: 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name CAS-No. Concentration: (%)

Ammonium Hydroxide 1336-21-6 10 - 30

**Section: 4. FIRST AID MEASURES** 

In case of eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15

minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Get medical attention immediately.

In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Use a mild

soap if available. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before

reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

If swallowed : Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by

mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

If inhaled : Remove to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if symptoms

occur.

Protection of first-aiders : In event of emergency assess the danger before taking action. Do not put

yourself at risk of injury. If in doubt, contact emergency responders. Use

personal protective equipment as required.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

## **Section: 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the

surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

None known.

Specific hazards during

firefighting

Not flammable or combustible.

Hazardous combustion

products

: Decomposition products may include the following materials: nitrogen oxides

(NOx) ammonia

Special protective equipment:

for firefighters

Use personal protective equipment.

Specific extinguishing

methods

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in

accordance with local regulations. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not

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breathe fumes.

#### Section: 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only.

Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

Environmental precautions

Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway. Flush away traces with water.

## Section: 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling : Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Do not get in

eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Use only

with adequate ventilation.

Conditions for safe storage : Do not store near acids. Keep out of reach of children. Keep container tightly

closed. Store in suitable labelled containers.

Suitable material : The following compatibility data is suggested based on similar product data

and/or industry experience: Compatibility with Plastic Materials can vary; we

therefore recommend that compatibility is tested prior to use.

Unsuitable material : not determined

#### Section: 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Form of exposure	Permissible concentration	Basis
Ammonium Hydroxide	1336-21-6	TWA	25 ppm (Ammonia)	ACGIH
		STEL	35 ppm (Ammonia)	ACGIH
		TWA	25 ppm 18 mg/m3 (Ammonia)	NIOSH REL
		STEL	35 ppm 27 mg/m3 (Ammonia)	NIOSH REL

Engineering measures : Effective exhaust ventilation system. Maintain air concentrations below

occupational exposure standards.

#### Personal protective equipment

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Eye protection : Safety goggles

Face-shield

Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.

Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of

degradation or chemical breakthrough.

Skin protection : Personal protective equipment comprising: suitable protective gloves, safety

goggles and protective clothing

Respiratory protection : When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use

appropriate certified respirators.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove

and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

The Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) recommendations provided above have been made in good faith based on typical expected conditions of use. PPE selection should always be completed in conjunction with a proper risk assessment and in accordance with a PPE management program.

## Section: 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : Liquid

Colour : colourless

Odour : Ammoniacal

Flash point : > 93.3 °C

pH : 11.00

Odour Threshold : no data available

Melting point/freezing point : no data available

Initial boiling point and boiling:

range

71 °C

Evaporation rate : no data available
Flammability (solid, gas) : Not applicable.
Upper explosion limit : no data available
Lower explosion limit : no data available
Vapour pressure : no data available
Relative vapour density : no data available

Relative density : 0.865 - 1.057, (25 °C),

Density : no data available

Water solubility : completely soluble

Solubility in other solvents : no data available

Partition coefficient: n- : no data available

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octanol/water

Auto-ignition temperature : no data available
Thermal decomposition : no data available
Viscosity, dynamic : no data available
Viscosity, kinematic : no data available
Molecular weight : no data available
VOC : no data available

# Section: 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid : Extremes of temperature

Incompatible materials : Strong oxidizing agents

Strong acids

Hazardous decomposition

products

Decomposition products may include the following materials:

nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Ammonia

## Section: 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of : Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

exposure

**Potential Health Effects** 

Eyes : Causes serious eye damage.

Skin : Causes severe skin burns.

Ingestion : Causes digestive tract burns.

Inhalation : May cause respiratory tract irritation. May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation.

Chronic Exposure : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

**Experience with human exposure** 

Eye contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion

Skin contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion

Ingestion : Corrosion, Abdominal pain

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Inhalation Respiratory irritation, Cough

**Toxicity** 

**Product** 

Acute oral toxicity no data available Acute inhalation toxicity no data available Acute dermal toxicity no data available Skin corrosion/irritation no data available Serious eye damage/eye no data available

irritation

Respiratory or skin

sensitization

no data available

Carcinogenicity no data available no data available Reproductive effects Germ cell mutagenicity no data available Teratogenicity no data available STOT - single exposure no data available STOT - repeated exposure no data available Aspiration toxicity no data available

# Section: 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Ecotoxicity**

**Environmental Effects** : Toxic to aquatic life.

**Product** 

Toxicity to fish

LC50 Fathead Minnow: 7 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

Test substance: Active Substance

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

LC50 Ceriodaphnia dubia: < 10 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

Test substance: Active Substance

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)

> EC50: < 10 mg/l Exposure time: 7 d

Species: Ceriodaphnia dubia Test substance: Active Substance

LC50: < 9 mg/l

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Exposure time: 7 d

Species: Ceriodaphnia dubia Test substance: Active Substance

#### Persistence and degradability

Greater than 95% of this product consists of inorganic substances for which a biodegradation value is not applicable.

## **Mobility**

The environmental fate was estimated using a level III fugacity model embedded in the EPI (estimation program interface) Suite TM, provided by the US EPA. The model assumes a steady state condition between the total input and output. The level III model does not require equilibrium between the defined media. The information provided is intended to give the user a general estimate of the environmental fate of this product under the defined conditions of the models.

If released into the environment this material is expected to distribute to the air, water and soil/sediment in the approximate respective percentages;

Air : <5% Water : 30 - 50% Soil : 50 - 70%

The portion in water is expected to be soluble or dispersible.

#### Bioaccumulative potential

This preparation or material is not expected to bioaccumulate.

#### Other information

no data available

## Section: 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

If this product becomes a waste, it could meet the criteria of a hazardous waste as defined by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261. Before disposal, it should be determined if the waste meets the criteria of a hazardous waste.

Hazardous Waste: : D002

Disposal methods : The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water

courses or the soil. Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Dispose of wastes in

an approved waste disposal facility.

Disposal considerations : Dispose of as unused product. Empty containers should be

taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal. Do not re-use empty containers.

## Section: 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipper/consignor/sender is responsible to ensure that the packaging, labeling, and markings are in compliance with the selected mode of transport.

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The presence of an RQ component (Reportable Quantity for U.S. DOT) in this product causes it to be regulated with an additional description of RQ for road, or as Environmentally hazardous for road and air, ONLY when the net weight in the package exceeds the calculated RQ for the product.

## Land transport (DOT)

Proper shipping name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

Technical name(s) : Ammonium Hydroxide

UN/ID No. : UN 3266

Transport hazard class(es) : 8
Packing group : III

Reportable Quantity (per

package)

: 4,760 lbs

RQ Component : AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE

Air transport (IATA)

Proper shipping name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

Technical name(s) : Ammonium Hydroxide

UN/ID No. : UN 3266

Transport hazard class(es) : 8
Packing group : III
Reportable Quantity (per : 4,760 lbs

package)

RQ Component : AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE

Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

Proper shipping name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

Technical name(s) : Ammonium Hydroxide

UN/ID No. : UN 3266

Transport hazard class(es) : 8
Packing group : III

\*Marine pollutant : AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE

# **Section: 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA list : Not relevant

## **EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act**

# **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ (lbs)	Calculated product RQ (lbs)
Ammonium Hydroxide	1336-21-6	1000	4763

## SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Skin corrosion or irritation

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

<sup>\*</sup> Note: This product is regulated as a Marine Pollutant when shipped by Rail or Highway (in bulk quantities), and when shipped by water in all quantities.

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Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)

SARA 302 : This material does not contain any components with a section 302

EHS TPQ.

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels established

by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Ammonium Hydroxide 1336-21-6 20 - 30 %

## California Prop. 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

#### **INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL CONTROL LAWS:**

#### **United States TSCA Inventory**

The substances in this preparation are included on or exempted from the TSCA 8(b) Inventory (40 CFR 710)

## **Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)**

The substance(s) in this preparation are included in or exempted from the Domestic Substance List (DSL).

## New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA New Zealand

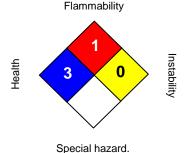
All substances in this product comply with the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act 1996, and are listed on or are exempt from the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.

## Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI)

All substances in this product comply with the Chemical Control Act (CCA) and are listed on the Existing Chemicals List (ECL)

# **Section: 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## NFPA:



#### HMIS III:



0 = not significant, 1 = Slight,

2 = Moderate, 3 = High

4 = Extreme, \* = Chronic

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