

### 1. IDENTIFICATION

<b>Product Name</b>	<b>Sodium Nitrate</b>
<b>Other Names</b>	Nitrate of Soda; Sodium Nitrate Prilled; Sodium Nitrate Technical
<b>Uses</b>	Catalyst; fertiliser; fluxing agent; oxidant; preservative; propellant.
<b>Chemical Family</b>	No Data Available
<b>Chemical Formula</b>	NaNO <sub>3</sub>
<b>Chemical Name</b>	Nitric acid, sodium salt
<b>Product Description</b>	No Data Available

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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
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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

<b>Hazard Classification</b>	Hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)	
<b>Hazard Categories</b>	Oxidising Solids - Category 3 Serious Eye Damage/Irritation - Category 2A	
<b>Pictograms</b>		
<b>Signal Word</b>	Warning	
<b>Hazard Statements</b>	<b>H272</b>	May intensify fire; oxidizer.
	<b>H319</b>	Causes serious eye irritation.
<b>Precautionary Statements</b>	Prevention	<b>P210</b> Keep away from heat. <b>P221</b> Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles/organic material. <b>P280</b> Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection.
	Response	<b>P370 + P378</b> In case of fire: Use water for extinction. <b>P337 + P313</b> If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. <b>P305 + P351 + P338</b> IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
	Disposal	<b>P501</b> 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)

<b>Dangerous Goods Classification</b>	Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)
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**Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)**

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

<b>HSNO Classifications</b>	Physical Hazards	<b>5.1.1C</b>	Oxidising substances that are liquids or solids: low hazard
	Health Hazards	<b>6.1D</b>	Substances that are acutely toxic - Harmful

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

*Ingredients*

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Sodium nitrate	NaNO <sub>3</sub>	7631-99-4	>98 - 100 %

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

*Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure*

**Swallowed** IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth, then drink plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Call a Poison Centre or doctor/physician for advice. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person.

<b>Eye</b>	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. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.
<b>Skin</b>	IF ON SKIN: Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash skin with plenty of soap and water. In case of gross contamination, drench contaminated clothing and skin with plenty of water before removing clothes. If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse.
<b>Inhaled</b>	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If respiratory symptoms persist, get medical advice/attention. Apply resuscitation if victim is not breathing - Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult.
<b>Advice to Doctor</b>	Treat symptomatically (symptoms may be delayed). May cause methemoglobinemia. 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.
<b>Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure</b>	No information available.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

<b>General Measures</b>	If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area. Do not move cargo if cargo has been exposed to heat. Large fire: Flood fire area with water from a protected position. Cool containers with water spray 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. *When any large containers are involved in a fire, consider initial evacuation of areas within 800 m in all directions.
<b>Flammability Conditions</b>	OXIDISING SUBSTANCE: Not combustible; however, Will accelerate burning when involved in a fire. May intensify fire; oxidizer.
<b>Extinguishing Media</b>	Use flooding quantities of water for extinction - Do not use dry chemicals, Carbon dioxide (CO2) or foam.
<b>Fire and Explosion Hazard</b>	May explode from heating, shock, friction or contamination. May ignite combustibles. Containers may explode when heated.
<b>Hazardous Products of Combustion</b>	Decomposes on heating emitting irritating and/or toxic fumes, including oxides of Nitrogen (brown fumes).
<b>Special Fire Fighting Instructions</b>	Contain fire control water for later disposal - Runoff may create fire or explosion hazard and may pollute waterways.
<b>Personal Protective Equipment</b>	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and chemical splash suit. Structural firefighter's uniform will provide limited protection.
<b>Flash Point</b>	No Data Available
<b>Lower Explosion Limit</b>	No Data Available
<b>Upper Explosion Limit</b>	No Data Available
<b>Auto Ignition Temperature</b>	No Data Available
<b>Hazchem Code</b>	1Z

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<b>General Response Procedure</b>	Ensure adequate ventilation. ELIMINATE all ignition sources - Prevent exposure to heat. Do not contaminate - Keep combustibles away from spilled material. Avoid generating dust. Avoid breathing dust/vapours and contact with eyes, skin and clothing.
<b>Clean Up Procedures</b>	Use clean, non-sparking tools to transfer material to a clean, dry container for recovery or disposal (see SECTION 13). Move container from spill area.
<b>Containment</b>	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.
<b>Decontamination</b>	Wash away remainder with plenty of water.
<b>Environmental Precautionary Measures</b>	Spillages and decontamination runoff should be prevented from entering drains and watercourses.
<b>Evacuation Criteria</b>	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.  Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing (see SECTION 8).

**Personal Precautionary Measures****7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

<b>Handling</b>	Safety showers and eyewash facilities should be provided within the immediate work area for emergency use. Ensure adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid generating dust. Avoid breathing dust/vapours and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection (see SECTION 8). Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources - No smoking.
<b>Storage</b>	Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place, out of direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Protect from moisture. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources - No smoking. Keep away from clothing, other combustible materials and incompatible materials (see SECTION 10).
<b>Container</b>	Keep only in the original container.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

<b>General</b>	No specific exposure standards are available for this product. For dusts from solid substances without specific occupational exposure standards: - Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard (Nuisance dusts): 8 hr TWA = 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (measured as inhalable dust). - New Zealand WES (Particulates not otherwise classified): TWA = 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; TWA = 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable dust). DECOMPOSITION PRODUCT: Nitrogen dioxide: - Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard: TWA = 3 ppm (5.6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ); STEL = 5 ppm (9.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ). - New Zealand Workplace Exposure Standard [Next review: 2022]: Interim WES-TWA = 1 ppm (1.9 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ).
<b>Exposure Limits</b>	No Data Available
<b>Biological Limits</b>	DNEL Values for Workers: - Dermal (long-term, systemic effects): 20.8 mg/kg/day. - Inhalation (long-term, systemic effects): 36.7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> . PNEC Values: - Freshwater: 0.45 mg/L - Marine water: 0.045 mg/L - Intermittent releases: 4.5 mg/L - Sewage treatment plant (STP): 18 mg/L
<b>Engineering Measures</b>	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.
<b>Personal Protection Equipment</b>	- Respiratory protection: In case of inadequate ventilation, wear respiratory protection. Recommended: Dust mask/particulate filter respirator (refer to AS/NZS 1715 & 1716). - Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to prevent eye contact. Recommended: Chemical goggles. - Hand protection: Wear protective gloves. Recommended: Impervious gloves, e.g. Nitrile rubber. - Skin/body protection: Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to avoid skin contact. Recommended: Overalls; Boots.
<b>Special Hazards Precautions</b>	No information available.
<b>Work Hygienic Practices</b>	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before storage or reuse.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

<b>Physical State</b>	Solid
<b>Appearance</b>	Crystalline or prilled
<b>Odour</b>	Odourless
<b>Colour</b>	White
<b>pH</b>	8 - 10 (5% aqueous solution)
<b>Vapour Pressure</b>	Considered negligible (@ No Data Available)

<b>Relative Vapour Density</b>	No Data Available
<b>Boiling Point</b>	No Data Available
<b>Melting Point</b>	306 - 307 °C
<b>Freezing Point</b>	No Data Available
<b>Solubility</b>	Soluble in water (88 g/100 ml)
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	2.26
<b>Flash Point</b>	No Data Available
<b>Auto Ignition Temp</b>	No Data Available
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No Data Available
<b>Bulk Density</b>	No Data Available
<b>Corrosion Rate</b>	No Data Available
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	>550 °C
<b>Density</b>	No Data Available
<b>Specific Heat</b>	No Data Available
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	No Data Available
<b>Net Propellant Weight</b>	No Data Available
<b>Octanol Water Coefficient</b>	No Data Available
<b>Particle Size</b>	No Data Available
<b>Partition Coefficient</b>	No Data Available
<b>Saturated Vapour Concentration</b>	No Data Available
<b>Vapour Temperature</b>	No Data Available
<b>Viscosity</b>	No Data Available
<b>Volatile Percent</b>	No Data Available
<b>VOC Volume</b>	No Data Available
<b>Additional Characteristics</b>	Hygroscopic: absorbs moisture or water from surrounding air.
<b>Potential for Dust Explosion</b>	No information available.
<b>Fast or Intensely Burning Characteristics</b>	May explode from heating, shock, friction or contamination.
<b>Flame Propagation or Burning Rate of Solid Materials</b>	No information available.
<b>Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a Fire</b>	No information available.
<b>Properties That May Initiate or Contribute to Fire Intensity</b>	OXIDISING SUBSTANCE: Not combustible; however, Will accelerate burning when involved in a fire. May intensify fire; oxidizer. May ignite combustibles.
<b>Reactions That Release Gases or Vapours</b>	Decomposes on heating emitting irritating and/or toxic fumes, including oxides of Nitrogen (brown fumes), Sodium nitrite and Sodium oxide.
<b>Release of Invisible Flammable Vapours and Gases</b>	No information available.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>General Information</b>	No hazardous reactions when handled and stored according to provisions.
<b>Chemical Stability</b>	Stable under normal storage and temperature conditions.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Avoid generating dust. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials.
<b>Materials to Avoid</b>	Incompatible/reactive with flammable, combustible and reducing agents; Ammonium compounds; Strong acids.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Decomposes on heating emitting irritating and/or toxic fumes, including oxides of Nitrogen (brown fumes), Sodium nitrite and Sodium oxide.
<b>Hazardous Polymerisation</b>	No information available.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>General Information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Acute toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. May be harmful if swallowed. Ingestion in large quantities may cause Gastrointestinal complaints. Absorption of nitrates by ingestion, inhalation or through burnt or broken skin may cause dilation of the blood vessels by direct smooth muscle relaxation with a subsequent lowering of blood pressure and may also cause breathing difficulties, cyanosis and methaemoglobinaemia.</li> <li>- Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. May cause irritation. Non-irritant (Rabbit) [Equivalent/similar to OECD Guideline 404; Data obtained by analogy].</li> <li>- Eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye irritation. Irritant (Rabbit) [OECD Guideline 405].</li> <li>- Respiratory/skin sensitisation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Not sensitising (Mouse) [OECD Guideline 429].</li> <li>- Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Overall assessment of data indicates that the product is not genotoxic in vitro/in vivo.</li> <li>- Carcinogenicity: Based on available data/literature information, the classification criteria are not met. If nitrosating agents are used with this product, nitrosamines may form. Some nitrosamines have been shown to be carcinogenic in tests with laboratory animals.</li> <li>- Reproductive toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. At the highest dose tested, no adverse effects on sexual function, fertility or development were observed in a repeated dose toxicity study [OECD Guideline 422; Data obtained from chemically related substance].</li> <li>- STOT (single exposure): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. May cause irritation to the respiratory tract. Thermal decomposition can lead to the release of irritating gases and vapours (Delayed adverse effects possible).</li> <li>- STOT (repeated exposure): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.</li> <li>- Aspiration toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Physicochemical/toxicological data does not indicate a potential aspiration hazard.</li> </ul>
<b>Acute</b>	
<b>Ingestion</b>	Acute toxicity (Oral): - LD50, Rat: >2,000 mg/kg bw. [OECD TG 425; Data obtained by analogy].
<b>Other</b>	Acute toxicity (Dermal): - LD50, Rat: >5,000 mg/kg bw. [OECD TG 402; Data obtained by analogy].
<b>Inhalation</b>	Acute toxicity (Inhalation): - LC50, Rat: >0.527 mg/L (maximum achievable concentration, 4 h) [OECD TG 403; Data obtained by analogy].
<b>Carcinogen Category</b>	None

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	<p>Aquatic toxicity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- LC50, Fish (freshwater): 6,000 mg/L (96 h) [Literature information].</li> <li>- LC50, Fish (marine water): 4,400 mg/L (96 h) [Literature information].</li> <li>- EC50, Crustacea (Daphnia magna): 8,600 mg/L (24 h) [Literature information].</li> <li>- EC50, Algae (several species): &gt;1,700 mg/L (10 d) [Literature information].</li> </ul>
<b>Persistence/Degradability</b>	In aqueous compartments, the substance will dissociate into sodium and nitrate ions. Sodium ions are not subject to further degradation. Under anoxic conditions, nitrate is subjected to denitrification and is ultimately converted into molecular Nitrogen as part of the Nitrogen cycle.
<b>Mobility</b>	Expected to be highly mobile in soil. Nitrate has low potential for adsorption; Portion not taken up by plants can leach to ground water. Sodium can participate in ion exchange processes.
<b>Environmental Fate</b>	The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment; however, May cause eutrophication at very low concentration. Prevent entry into drains and waterways. *Excess nitrate leaching may enrich waters leading to eutrophication.
<b>Bioaccumulation Potential</b>	Sodium nitrate has low potential for bioaccumulation based on physio-chemical properties (Material highly soluble in water).
<b>Environmental Impact</b>	No Data Available

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

<b>General Information</b>	This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste and in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.
<b>Special Precautions for Land Fill</b>	No information available.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****Land Transport (Australia)**

ADG Code

<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	SODIUM NITRATE
<b>Class</b>	5.1 Oxidising Substances
<b>Subsidiary Risk(s)</b>	No Data Available
<b>EPG</b>	31 Oxidizing Substances
<b>UN Number</b>	1498
<b>Hazchem</b>	1Z
<b>Pack Group</b>	III
<b>Special Provision</b>	No Data Available

**Land Transport (Malaysia)**

ADR Code

<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	SODIUM NITRATE
<b>Class</b>	5.1 Oxidising Substances
<b>Subsidiary Risk(s)</b>	No Data Available
<b>EPG</b>	31 Oxidizing Substances
<b>UN Number</b>	1498
<b>Hazchem</b>	1Z
<b>Pack Group</b>	III
<b>Special Provision</b>	No Data Available

**Land Transport (New Zealand)**

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<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	SODIUM NITRATE
<b>Class</b>	5.1 Oxidising Substances
<b>Subsidiary Risk(s)</b>	No Data Available
<b>EPG</b>	31 Oxidizing Substances
<b>UN Number</b>	1498
<b>Hazchem</b>	1Z
<b>Pack Group</b>	III
<b>Special Provision</b>	No Data Available

**Land Transport (United States of America)**

US DOT

<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	SODIUM NITRATE
<b>Class</b>	5.1 Oxidising Substances
<b>Subsidiary Risk(s)</b>	No Data Available
<b>ERG</b>	140 Oxidizers
<b>UN Number</b>	1498
<b>Hazchem</b>	1Z
<b>Pack Group</b>	III
<b>Special Provision</b>	No Data Available

**Sea Transport**

IMDG Code

<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	SODIUM NITRATE
<b>Class</b>	5.1 Oxidising Substances
<b>Subsidiary Risk(s)</b>	No Data Available
<b>UN Number</b>	1498
<b>Hazchem</b>	1Z
<b>Pack Group</b>	III
<b>Special Provision</b>	No Data Available
<b>EMS</b>	F-A, S-Q
<b>Marine Pollutant</b>	No

**Air Transport**

IATA DGR

<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	SODIUM NITRATE
<b>Class</b>	5.1 Oxidising Substances
<b>Subsidiary Risk(s)</b>	No Data Available
<b>UN Number</b>	1498
<b>Hazchem</b>	1Z
<b>Pack Group</b>	III
<b>Special Provision</b>	No Data Available

**National Transport Commission (Australia)**

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

<b>Dangerous Goods Classification</b>	Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)
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**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

<b>General Information</b>	No Data Available
<b>Poisons Schedule (Aust)</b>	Not Scheduled

**Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)**

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

<b>Approval Code</b>	HSR001350
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**National/Regional Inventories**

<b>Australia (AICS)</b>	Listed
<b>Canada (DSL)</b>	Not Determined
<b>Canada (NDSL)</b>	Not Determined
<b>China (IECSC)</b>	Not Determined
<b>Europe (EINECS)</b>	231-554-3



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

NISODA1000, NISODA1001, NISODA1002, NISODA1003, NISODA1004, NISODA1005, NISODA1006, NISODA1007, NISODA1008, NISODA1009, NISODA1010, NISODA1011, NISODA1012, NISODA1013, NISODA1014, NISODA1015, NISODA1051, NISODA1500, NISODA1800, NISODA1801, NISODA1802, NISODA1803, NISODA2000, NISODA2001, NISODA2002, NISODA2003, NISODA2500, NISODA3000, NISODA3100, NISODA3400, NISODA3500, NISODA3600, NISODA3700, NISODA3800, NISODA3900, NISODA4000, NISODA5000, NISODA5001, NISODA5002, NISODA5100, NISODA5101, NISODA5102, NISODA5103, NISODA5104, NISODA5105, NISODA5106, NISODA5107, NISODA5200, NISODA5201, NISODA5202, NISODA5203, NISODA5204, NISODA5205, NISODA5206, NISODA5207, NISODA5208, NISODA5209, NISODA5210, NISODA5211, NISODA5212, NISODA5213, NISODA5214, NISODA5215, NISODA5300, NISODA5301, NISODA5302, NISODA5303, NISODA5304, NISODA5400, NISODA5401, NISODA5500, NISODA5600, NISODA5601, NISODA5602, NISODA5610, NISODA5700, NISODA5800, NISODA5900, NISODA6000, NISODA6001, NISODA6002, NISODA6100, NISODA6700, NISODA7000, NISODA8000, NISODA8001, NISODA8100, NISODA8400, NISODA8500, NISODA8501, NISODA8600, NISODA9000, NISODA9500, NISODA9600, NISODA9700, NISODA9950, NISODA9951

### Revision

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### Revision Date

26 Jun 2019

### Key/Legend

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> Greater Than

**AICS** Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**atm** Atmosphere

**CAS** Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

**cm<sup>2</sup>** Square Centimetres

**CO<sub>2</sub>** 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/cm<sup>3</sup>** 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

**inH<sub>2</sub>O** Inch of Water

**K** Kelvin

**kg** Kilogram

**kg/m<sup>3</sup>** 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  
**m<sup>3</sup>** Cubic Metre  
**mbar** Millibar  
**mg** Milligram  
**mg/24H** Milligrams per 24 Hours  
**mg/kg** Milligrams per Kilogram  
**mg/m<sup>3</sup>** Milligrams per Cubic Metre  
**Misc** or **Miscible** Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.  
**mm** Millimetre  
**mmH<sub>2</sub>O** 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