

1. Product And Company Identification

Product Name: AS-2820

Synonyms/ Use: Coagulant Aid

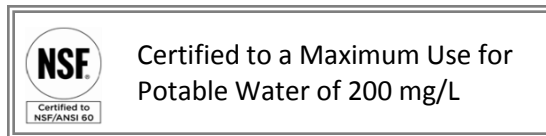
Manufacturer/Supplier:

Applied Specialties, Inc.

33555 Pin Oak Parkway

Avon Lake, OH 44012

Customer Information Number: 440-933-9442



For Chemical Emergency Spills, Leaks, Fire, Exposure or Accident: call Chemtrec 800-424-9300 Day or Night

2. Hazardous Identification

Signal Word: **Danger**

Pictograms:



Hazard Statement(s): Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Harmful if swallowed. Harmful if inhaled. Harmful in contact with skin.

Precautionary Statement(s):

Prevention	Do not breathe dust or vapors (Aspiration hazard if inhaled or swallowed)	(P260)
	Avoid breathing mist or vapors.	(P261)
	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.	(P264)
	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	(P270)
	Use only in a well-ventilated area.	(P271)
	Wear protective gloves and eye/ face protection.	(P280)

Carcinogenicity: None of the components in this product at concentrations greater than 0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH as a carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity: No reproductive effects reported

Teratogenicity: No teratogenic effects reported

Genotoxicity: No mutagenic effects reported

Precautionary Statements for response, storage, and disposal

Specific treatment (see first aid section of label).	(P321)
Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.	(P362)
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.	(P363)
Store locked up.	(P405)
Dispose of contents/container in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations.	(P501)



3. Chemical Composition

Component	CAS Number	Wt%
Iron (III) chloride	7705-08-0	34 – 44
Hydrogen chloride	7647-01-0	0.5 – 2.0
1,2-ethanediamine, polymer with (chloromethyl) oxirane and N-methylmethanamine	42751-79-1	3.5 – 4.5

Chemical identity of some ingredients may be withheld as confidential as permitted by 29 CFR 1910.1200 and various State right to know laws.

4. First Aid Measures

General Advice: Remove contaminated clothing immediately.

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of running water for at least 15 minutes, lifting the lower and upper lids. Consult an ophthalmologist immediately.

Skin Contact: Wash thoroughly with soap and water to remove any chemical from skin. Get medical attention. Contaminated clothing should be removed and laundered.

Inhalation: If difficulties occur after product has been inhaled, remove to fresh air and get medical attention. If breathing has stopped start artificial respirations and call 911.

Ingestion: Immediately rinse mouth. Get medical attention immediately. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person or if person is having convulsions. If vomiting occurs naturally, have casualty lean forward to reduce the risk of aspiration.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point and Method: Not combustible or flammable.

Extinguishing Media

Use water fog or spray, dry chemical, foam, or carbon dioxide. If water is used, restrict pedestrian and vehicular traffic in areas where a slip hazard may exist.

General Hazard

Restrict pedestrian and vehicular traffic. Keep upwind. Avoid bodily contact with the material. Containers can build pressure if exposed to heat. Cool containers using water.

Fire Fighting Equipment

Wear NIOSH/MSHA approved, pressure-demand self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. The degree of risk is governed by the burning substance and the fire conditions. Contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Restrict access until clean-up operations are complete. Wear appropriate Personal Protective Equipment and stay upwind. Note that spills pose a slip hazard.

1. Dike around the spill area to prevent spreading.
2. For small spills: Dilute with water and neutralize with lime or similar base to a solid consistency.
3. For large spills: Remove spill using a vacuum truck, Dilute residue with water and neutralize with lime or similar base to a solid consistency.
4. Vacuum or sweep spilled material into approved container.



5. Dispose of all material in accordance with to all FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL REGULATIONS.
NOTE: DO NOT wash or pour into any surface waters/ground waters or streams or directly into sewers.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Avoid inhalation of vapors. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Use with adequate ventilation. Practice good industrial hygiene. Wash after handling and before eating, drinking, or smoking.

Storage

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place. Do not store in metal – Containers and feed equipment should be constructed out of appropriate material such as polyethylene, polypropylene, PVC, rubber-lined steel, fiberglass reinforced polyester (FRP), or titanium. Store in a secured place.
Temperature Tolerance – Avoid extremes.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Occupational Exposure Limits

Iron (III) chloride	1 mg/m ³	OSHA PEL
Hydrogen chloride	7 mg/m ³	OSHA PEL

Exposure Guidelines

Work in well ventilated areas. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Wear protective clothing as necessary to minimize contact. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Engineering Controls

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to reduce airborne levels below established guidelines. Use local exhaust ventilation in areas where these levels may be exceeded.

Personal Protection

- Respirator: Wear a NIOSH/MSHA approved or equivalent vapor/particulate respirator as necessary.
- Eye Protection: Tight fitting safety goggles and face shield
- Gloves: Chemical resistant gloves and check with glove manufacturers' recommendations, consider all work functions when selecting the best glove
- Clothing: Impermeable protective clothing as necessary to minimize contact.
- Other: Eye wash and safety showers should be in immediate work area; practice good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Refer to Section 3 for exposure limits.

9. Physical And Chemical Properties

Appearance	Dark red to brown liquid
Odor	Sharp
Boiling Point	~ 100°C
Freezing Point	< -40°C
Flash Point	Not applicable
Specific Gravity	1.32 – 1.38 g/mL
Product pH	< 1.0
Solubility In Water	100%

10. Stability And Reactivity

Stability	The product is stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
Hazardous Reactions	No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to instructions.



Incompatibilities	Strong bases, stainless steel, aluminum, copper, iron, most metals, leather.
Materials to avoid	Avoid contact with metal. Do not expose to elevated temperatures for extended periods.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Hydrogen chloride.
Oxidizing Properties	Not fire-propagating.

11. Toxicological Information

Acute Toxicity for Iron (III) chloride

Oral Rat	LD ₅₀	450 mg/kg
Irritation/Corrosion	Skin	irritant
	Eye	Severe irritant
Chronic Toxicity	No data available	
Sensitization	Not expected	
Carcinogenicity	This product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by IARC, NTP, ACGIH, or OSHA.	
Mutagenicity	No data available	
Reproductive Toxicity	No data available	
Cytotoxicity	No data available	
Target organs	n/a	

12. Ecological Information

Aquatic toxicity for Iron (III) chloride

Toxicity to Fish		
LC ₅₀ (96 hr)	Bluegill sunfish	59 mg/L
Toxicity Aquatic Invertebrates		
EC50 (48 hr)	Daphnia magna	27 mg/L
Bioaccumulation	Accumulation in organisms is not to be expected.	
Biodegradation	not applicable	

13. Disposal Considerations

Product Residues

Disposal – Dispose in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations. It is the waste generator’s responsibility to determine if a particular waste is hazardous under RCRA

Used Packaging

Dispose of in a licensed facility and in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers.

14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name	Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. (Ferric chloride)
Hazard Class	8
Identification Number	UN 3264
Packaging Group	II
Label Required	Corrosive



15. Regulatory Information

Federal Regulations

CERCLA/SUPERFUND (40 CFR 117, Section 302)

Component	CAS Number	Reportable Quantity
Iron (III) chloride	7705-08-0	2,270 lbs

SARA EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES (40 CFR 355)

Component	CAS Number
None listed	

SARA HAZARD CATEGORIES (40 CFR 370, Sections 311, 312)

[X] Acute [] Chronic [] Fire [] Pressure [] Reactive [] None

SARA TOXIC SUBSTANCES (40 CFR 372, Section 313)

This product contains the following toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the emergency planning and Right – to – know Act of 1986 and of 40CFR 372.

Component	CAS Number
None listed	

US TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT/INVENTORY STATUS (TSCA)

All components are listed

RCRA STATUS

It is the waste generator’s responsibility to determine if a particular waste is hazardous under RCRA

NTP, IARC, OSHA, & ACGIH STATUS

None of the components in this product at concentrations greater than 0.1% are listed

DOT REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ) (49 CFR, Subchapter C, Section 172.101, Appendix A)

Component	CAS Number	Concentration	RQ
Iron (III) chloride	7705-08-0	34 – 44	2,270 lbs

State Regulations

PENNSYLVANIA, NEW JERSEY, and MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT-TO-KNOW INFORMATION:

Component	CAS Number
Iron (III) chloride	7705-08-0
Hydrogen chloride	7647-01-0

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65: THIS PRODUCT DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICALS KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER OR REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

Other Information

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