

### **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

## 1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name Winter Storm Ice Melter

CAS # Mixture
Product use De-icer.

Manufacturer North American Salt Company

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Supplier Compass Minerals International

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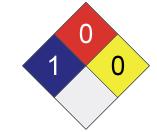
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Website: www.compassminerals.com

LEGEND
HMIS/NFPA

Severe 4
Serious 3
Moderate 2
Slight 1
Minimal 0





### 2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview CAUTION

EYE AND SKIN IRRITANT.

Potential short term health effects

**Routes of exposure** Eye, Skin contact, Inhalation, Ingestion.

Eyes May cause irritation.

Skin May cause irritation.

**Inhalation** Dusts of this product may cause irritation of the nose, throat, and respiratory tract.

**Ingestion** May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.

Target organs Eyes. Skin. Respiratory system.

Chronic effects Prolonged or repeated exposure can cause drying, defatting and dermatitis.

Signs and symptoms Symptoms may include redness, edema, drying, defatting and cracking of the skin.

Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting.

# 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Ingredient(s)	CAS#	Percent
Potassium chloride	7447-40-7	30 - 60
Sodium chloride	7647-14-5	30 - 60
Urea	57-13-6	0.1 - 1

### 4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures

**Eye contact** Flush with cool water. Remove contact lenses, if applicable, and continue flushing.

Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

Skin contact Flush with cool water. Wash with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation

persists.

**Inhalation** If symptoms develop move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical

attention.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water, then drink one or two glasses of water.

Obtain medical attention. Never give anything by mouth if victim is unconscious, or is

convulsing.

Notes to physician Symptoms may be delayed.

General advice Not available

	5. Fire Fighting Measures	
Flammable properties	Not flammable by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.	
Extinguishing media		
Suitable extinguishing media	Treat for surrounding material.	
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Not available	
Protection of firefighters		
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Not available	
Protective equipment for firefighters	Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing apparatus.	
	6. Accidental Release Measures	
Personal precautions	Before attempting clean up, refer to hazard data given above. Use broom or dry vacuum to collect material for proper disposal without raising dust. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.	
Methods for containment	None necessary.	
Methods for cleaning up	Before attempting clean up, refer to hazard data given above. Use broom or dry vacuum to collect material for proper disposal without raising dust. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.	
	7. Handling and Storage	
Handling	Avoid breathing dusts from this material.	
Storage	Keep out of reach of children. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.	
8. Exp	oosure Controls / Personal Protection	
Exposure limits		
Ingredient(s)	Exposure Limits	
Potassium chloride	ACGIH-TLV	
	Not established	
	OSHA-PEL	
	Not established	
Sodium chloride	ACGIH-TLV	
	Not established	
	OSHA-PEL	
	Not established	
Urea	ACGIH-TLV	
	TWA: 10 mg/m3	
	OSHA-PEL	
	Not established	
Engineering controls	TWA PEL: No specific limits have been established for potassium chloride or sodium chloride (soluble substances). As a guideline, OSHA (United States) has established the following limits which are generally recognized for inert or nuisance dust. Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated (PNOR): 5mg/cu.m. Respirable Dust 8-Hour TWA PEL, 15mg/cu.m. Total Dust 8-Hour TWA PEL.	
	TWA TLV: No specific limits have been established for potassium chloride or sodium chloride (soluble substances). As a guideline, ACGIH (United States) has established the following limits which are generally recognized for inert or nuisance dust. Particulates (insolubles) Not Otherwise Classified (PNOC): 10mg/cu.m. Inhalable Particulate 8-Hours TWA TLV, 3mg/cu.m. Respirable Particulate TWA TLV.	
	Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fumes, or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.	

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Personal protective equipment

Eye / face protection Safety glasses.

Hand protection Rubber gloves. Confirm with a reputable supplier first.

**Skin and body protection** As required by employer code.

Respiratory protection Where exposure guideline levels may be exceeded, use an approved NIOSH respirator or

NIOSH-approved filtering facepiece.

General hygiene considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. When using do not

eat or drink. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

### 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

AppearanceCrystalline.ColorWhiteFormCrystalline.OdorOdorless.Odor thresholdNot availablePhysical stateSolid

pHNot availableMelting pointNot availableFreezing pointNot availableBoiling pointNot availableFlash pointNot available

Flammability limits in air, lower, %

by volume

**Evaporation rate** 

Not available
Not applicable

Flammability limits in air, upper, %

by volume

Not applicable

Vapor pressure

Vapor density

Specific gravity

Octanol/water coefficient

Solubility (H2O)

Auto-ignition temperature

Not available

Not available

Not available

Not available

Not available

# 10. Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information

**Chemical stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Conditions to avoid Do not mix with incompatible materials.

**Incompatible materials**This product reacts with acids.

Hazardous decomposition products May include and are not limited to: Halogenated compounds. Some metallic oxides.

Possibility of hazardous reactions Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

### 11. Toxicological Information

Not available

# Component analysis - LC50 Ingredient(s) LC50

Sodium chloride > 21000 mg/m3 rat

Urea Not available

Component analysis - Oral LD50

Potassium chloride

Ingredient(s) LD50

Potassium chloride 2500 mg/kg guinea pig; 1500 mg/kg mouse; 2600 mg/kg rat

Sodium chloride 3000 mg/kg rat

Urea 8471 mg/kg rat

Effects of acute exposure

EyeMay cause irritation.SkinMay cause irritation.

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**Inhalation** Dusts of this product may cause irritation of the nose, throat, and respiratory tract.

**Ingestion** May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.

Sensitization

Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA and ACGIH.

Chronic effects

Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA and ACGIH.

Carcinogenicity

Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA and ACGIH.

Mutagenicity

Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA and ACGIH.

Reproductive effects

Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA and ACGIH.

Teratogenicity

Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA and ACGIH.

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# 12. Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity**Maybe harmful to freshwater aquatic species and to plants that are not saline tolerant.

Environmental effects

Aquatic toxicity

Persistence / degradability

Bioaccumulation / accumulation

Partition coefficient

Mobility in environmental media

Not available

Not available

13. Disposal Considerations

Waste codes Not available

Disposal instructions Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state/provincial and local

environmental control regulations.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Contaminated packaging

Chemical fate information

Not available

Not available

Not available

# 14. Transport Information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

### Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG)

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

# 15. Regulatory Information

Canadian federal regulations This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled

Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the

Controlled Products Regulations.

US Federal regulations This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard

Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

CERCLA/SARA Hazardous Substances - Not applicable.

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

29 CFR 1910.1200 hazardous

No

chemical

**CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity** 

None

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - No

Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

Section 302 extremely No

hazardous substance

Section 311 hazardous chemical No

Clean Air Act (CAA)

Clean Water Act (CWA)

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)

Not available

Not available

Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA)Not availableFood and Drug Administration (FDA)Not availableWHMIS statusControlled

WHMIS classification Class D - Division 2B

WHMIS labeling



State regulations This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause

cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Inventory name

Country(s) or regionInventory nameOn inventory (yes/no)\*CanadaDomestic Substances List (DSL)YesCanadaNon-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)NoUnited States & Puerto RicoToxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) InventoryYes

A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

### 16. Other Information

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and reliable. While every effort has been made to ensure full disclosure of product hazards, in some cases data is not available and is so stated. Since conditions of actual product use are beyond control of the supplier, it is assumed that users of this material have been fully trained according to the requirements of all applicable legislation and regulatory instruments. No warranty, expressed or implied, is made and supplier will not be liable for any losses, injuries or consequential damages which may result from the use

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