



# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identifier

Product Name

### Preface

### Other means of identification

SDS #

ADAMA-179p

Registration Number(s)

EPA Reg No 66222-248

UN/ID No

UN3082

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use

EPA registered pesticide.

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Manufacturer Address

Makhteshim Agan of North America, Inc. (d/b/a ADAMA)

3120 Highwoods Blvd., Suite 100

Raleigh, NC 27604

1-919-256-9300

### Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Telephone (24 hr)

For fire, spill and/or leak contact INFOTRAC:

1-800-535-5053 (North America) 1-352-323-3500 (International)

For medical emergencies and health/safety inquiries, contact PROSAR:

1-877-250-9291

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This chemical is a product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-EPA registered chemicals. Please see Section 15 for additional EPA information.

**Appearance** green to dark brown liquid

**Physical state** Liquid

**Odor** Faint

### Classification

Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)

Category 4

### Signal Word

Warning

### Hazard statements

Harmful if inhaled



**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
Call a poison center or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

**Other hazards**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**Unknown Acute Toxicity**

63.93% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Technical Imazethapyr	81335-77-5	22.87
Ammonium hydroxide	1336-21-6	5.1
Stabilizer	Proprietary	15-20
pH adjuster	Proprietary	<1

\*\*If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.\*\*

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**First Aid Measures**

<b>Eye Contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash the skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.
<b>Inhalation</b>	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

**Most important symptoms and effects**

<b>Symptoms</b>	Harmful if inhaled.
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**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.
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### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Foam, Dry Chemical, Carbon Dioxide. Water spray (fog).

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** Not determined.

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

If product is heated above decomposition temperature, toxic vapors will be released. The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released if the product is involved in a fire.

**Hazardous Combustion Products** Smoke, fumes or vapors, and oxides of carbon.

**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal Precautions** Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

### Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for Clean-Up** Dike spillage. Pick up with suitable absorbent material. Place into suitable containers for reuse or disposal in a licensed facility. Spilled substance/product should be recovered and applied according to label rates whenever possible. If application of spilled substance/product is not possible, then spills should be contained, solidified, and placed in suitable containers for disposal. After decontamination, spill area can be washed with water. Collect wash water for approved disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on Safe Handling**

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL BLENDING, AND PACKAGING WORKERS. PESTICIDE APPLICATORS & WORKERS must refer to the Product Label and Directions for Use attached to the product for Agricultural Use Requirements in accordance with the EPA Worker Protection Standard 40 CFR part 170. Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide good ventilation of working area (local exhaust ventilation if necessary). Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep container tightly sealed. Protect contents from the effects of light. Protect against heat. Protect from air. Handle and open container with care. Do not open until ready to use. Once container is opened, content should be used as soon as possible. Avoid aerosol formation. Avoid dust formation. Provide means for controlling leaks and spills. Do not return residues to the storage containers. Follow label warnings even after container is emptied. The substance/product may be handled only by appropriately trained personnel. Avoid all direct contact with the substance/product. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of dusts/mists/vapors. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment. Protection against fire and explosion: The relevant fire protection measures should be noted. Fire extinguishers should be kept handy. Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear. Avoid extreme heat. Keep away from oxidizing substances. Electrical equipment should conform to national electric code. Ground all transfer equipment properly to prevent electrostatic discharge. Electrostatic discharge may cause ignition.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Storage Conditions**

Segregate from incompatible substances. Segregate from foods and animal feeds. Segregate from textiles and similar materials. Further information on storage conditions: Keep only in the original container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from ignition sources, heat or flame. Protect containers from physical damage. Protect against contamination. The authority permits and storage regulations must be observed. Storage stability: If substance/product crystallizes, thaw at room temperature. Protect from temperatures below: 5 °C Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored below indicated temperature for extended periods of time. Protect from temperatures above: 30 °C Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored above indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

**Incompatible Materials**

Oxidizers.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION****Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
pH adjuster	STEL: 15 ppm TWA: 10 ppm	TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 25 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 10 ppm (vacated) TWA: 25 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 50 ppm TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 25 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 15 ppm STEL: 37 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Appropriate engineering controls****Engineering Controls**

Please refer to the product label. Use only with adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment****Eye/Face Protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields. Tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles). Wear face shield if splashing hazard exists.

**Skin and Body Protection**

Chemical resistant protective gloves, Protective glove selection must be based on the user's assessment of the workplace hazards. Body protection must be chosen depending on activity and possible exposure, e.g. head protection, apron, protective boots, chemical-protection suit.

**Respiratory Protection**

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) TC23C Chemical/Mechanical type filter system to remove a combination of particles, gas and vapors. For situations where the airborne concentrations may exceed the level for which an air purifying respirator is effective, or where the levels are unknown or Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH), use NIOSH-certified full facepiece pressure demand self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) or a full facepiece pressure demand supplied-air respirator (SAR) with escape provisions.

**General Hygiene Considerations**

Wear long sleeved work shirt and long work pants in addition to other stated personal protective equipment. Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye wash. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Personal protective equipment should be decontaminated prior to reuse. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks). Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Store work clothing separately. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. No eating, drinking, smoking or tobacco use at the place of work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical state</b>	Liquid	<b>Odor</b>	Faint
<b>Appearance</b>	green to dark brown liquid	<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Not determined
<b>Color</b>	green to dark brown		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	6.6	
<b>Melting Point/Freezing Point</b>	approximately 0°C	
<b>Boiling Point/Boiling Range</b>	approximately 0°C	
<b>Flash Point</b>	>100	
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	Not determined	
<b>Flammability (Solid, Gas)</b>	Not determined	
<b>Flammability Limits in Air</b>		
<b>Upper Flammability Limits</b>	Not determined	
<b>Lower Flammability Limit</b>	Not determined	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	23.3	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	Not determined	
<b>Relative Density</b>	Not determined	
<b>Water Solubility</b>	Not determined	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	Not determined	
<b>Partition Coefficient</b>	Not determined	
<b>Auto-ignition Temperature</b>	Not determined	
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not determined	
<b>Kinematic Viscosity</b>	Not determined	
<b>Dynamic Viscosity</b>	Not determined	
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	Not determined	
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	Not determined	

### Other Information

<b>Bulk Density</b>	1.09-1.12 g/ml
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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions.

### Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
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### Conditions to Avoid

Keep out of reach of children.

### Incompatible Materials

Oxidizers.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Smoke, fumes or vapors, and oxides of carbon.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Product Information

<b>Eye Contact</b>	Avoid contact with eyes.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Avoid contact with skin.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Harmful by inhalation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do not ingest.

### Component Information

Chemical Name	ATEmix (oral)	ATEmix (dermal)	Inhalation LC50
Technical Imazethapyr 81335-77-5	> 5 g/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Ammonium hydroxide 1336-21-6	= 350 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Stabilizer	= 8471 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
pH adjuster	= 3310 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 1060 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 11.4 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h

### Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects

**Symptoms** Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Carcinogenicity** Based on information provided, this product is not a carcinogen.

### Numerical measures of toxicity

**Acute Oral LD50 (Rat):** >5,000 mg/kg

**Acute Dermal LD50 (Rabbit):** >5,000 mg/kg

**Acute Inhalation LC50 (Rat):** >2.67 mg/L (4-hr)

**Eye Irritation:** Non-irritating.

**Dermal Irritation:** Non-irritating.

**Dermal Sensitization:** Not a skin sensitizer.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Ammonium hydroxide 1336-21-6		8.2: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50	0.66: 48 h Daphnia pulex mg/L EC50 0.66: 48 h water flea mg/L EC50
Stabilizer		16200 - 18300: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50	10000: 24 h Daphnia magna Straus mg/L EC50 3910: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static
pH adjuster		75: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 79: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static	65: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static 47: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

**Persistence/Degradability**

Not readily biodegradable.

**Bioaccumulation**

Not determined.

**Mobility**

Chemical Name	Partition Coefficient
Stabilizer	-1.59
pH adjuster	-0.31

**Other Adverse Effects**

Not determined

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Waste Treatment Methods****Disposal of Wastes**

Pesticide wastes are regulated. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mix or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If pesticide wastes cannot be disposed of according to label instructions, contact the State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

**Contaminated Packaging**

Rinse thoroughly at least three times (triple rinse) in accordance with EPA recommendations. Consult state or local disposal authorities for approved alternative procedures such as container recycling. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers.

**California Hazardous Waste Status**

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Ammonium hydroxide 1336-21-6	Toxic Corrosive
pH adjuster	Toxic Corrosive Ignitable

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****DOT**

Pack size less than 119 Gallon (450 Liters): Not Regulated

Pack sizes over 119 Gallon (450 Liters):

**UN/ID No** UN3082  
**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substances, liquid, n.o.s. (IMAZETHAPYR)  
**Hazard Class** 9  
**Packing Group** III  
**Reportable Quantity (RQ)** 1000 Lbs. (Ammonium hydroxide)  
**Marine Pollutant** Yes.

**IATA**

**UN/ID No** UN3082  
**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substances, liquid, n.o.s. (IMAZETHAPYR)  
**Hazard Class** 9  
**Packing Group** III  
**Marine Pollutant** Yes

**IMDG**

<b>UN/ID No</b>	UN3082
<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (IMAZETHAPYR)
<b>Hazard Class</b>	9
<b>Packing Group</b>	III
<b>Marine Pollutant</b>	Yes

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****International Inventories**

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL/NDSL	EINECS/E LINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Technical Imazethapyr	X				X			
Ammonium hydroxide	X	X	X	Present	X	Present	X	X
Stabilizer	X	X	X	Present	X	Present	X	X
pH adjuster	X	X	X	Present	X	Present	X	X

**Legend:**

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**US Federal Regulations****CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Ammonium hydroxide 1336-21-6	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ
pH adjuster	5000 lb		RQ 5000 lb final RQ RQ 2270 kg final RQ

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Ammonium hydroxide - 1336-21-6	1336-21-6	5.1	1.0

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Ammonium hydroxide	1000 lb			X
pH adjuster	5000 lb			X

**US State Regulations****U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Ammonium hydroxide 1336-21-6	X	X	X
pH adjuster	X	X	X



**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** 66222-248**EPA Statement**

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

**EPA Pesticide Label**

CAUTION. Harmful if absorbed through the skin or inhaled. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Difference between SDS and EPA pesticide label**

	<b>EPA</b>	<b>OSHA</b>
<b>Signal Word</b>	Caution	Warning
Acute toxicity- inhalation	Harmful if inhaled	Harmful if inhaled
Acute toxicity- dermal	Harmful if absorbed through the skin	N/A
Eye damage/ irritation	Causes moderate eye irritation	N/A

**16. OTHER INFORMATION****NFPA****Health Hazards****Flammability****Instability****Special Hazards**

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None

**HMIS****Health Hazards****Flammability****Physical hazards****Personal Protection**

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See Section 8

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**