

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

### Product identifier

**Product Name** Natural Chemistry Spa Phosphate Remover

### Other means of identification

**Product Code** 14251NCM

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

**Recommended Use** Swimming pool chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** Do not mix with other chemicals

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

### Emergency telephone number

**Emergency Telephone** Chemtrec (Transportation) 1-800-424-9300, 703-527-3887  
Poison Control Center (Medical) : (877) 800-5553

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Skin sensitization	Category 1

### Label elements

#### Emergency Overview

**Danger**

### **Hazard statements**

Causes serious eye damage  
May cause an allergic skin reaction



**Color** colorless

**Physical state** liquid

**Odor** Odorless

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace

### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned:  
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

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Not applicable

**Other Information**

21% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS****Mixture**

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Lanthanum chloride, hydrate	20211-76-1	15 - 40

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****Description of first aid measures**

<b>Eye contact</b>	Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Call a physician.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms** May cause allergic skin reaction. May cause blurred vision and serious eye damage.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****Suitable extinguishing media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** None known.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

During heating or in case of fire poisonous gases are produced.

**Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.

**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** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

### Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information. Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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

**Methods for cleaning up** Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Do not mix with other chemicals.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep out of the reach of children. Protect from direct sunlight.

**Incompatible materials** Oxidizing agents. Strong alkalies.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

**Exposure Guidelines** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin and body protection** Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical state</b>	liquid	<b>Odor</b>	Odorless
<b>Appearance</b>	liquid	<b>Odor threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Color</b>	colorless		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	2-5	
<b>Melting point / freezing point</b>	No information available	
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	110 °C / 230 °F	
<b>Flash point</b>	No information available	
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No information available	
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No information available	
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		
<b>Upper flammability limit:</b>	No information available	
<b>Lower flammability limit:</b>	No information available	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No information available	
<b>Vapor density</b>	No information available	
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	No information available	
<b>Water solubility</b>	completely miscible	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No information available	
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No information available	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No information available	
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No information available	
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No information available	
<b>Density</b>	No information available	
<b>Bulk density</b>	No information available	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available	

### Other Information

<b>Softening point</b>	No information available
<b>Molecular weight</b>	No information available
<b>VOC Content (%)</b>	No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No data available

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

### Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

### Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents. Strong alkalis.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

May emit toxic fumes under fire conditions. Metal oxides. Hydrogen chloride.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

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<b>Inhalation</b>	Avoid breathing (dust, vapor, mist, gas). No known effect.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Severely irritating to eyes. Risk of serious damage to eyes.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Substance may cause slight skin irritation. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May be harmful if swallowed.

**Information on toxicological effects**

**Symptoms** No information available.

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

<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Risk of serious damage to eyes.
<b>Sensitization</b>	May cause sensitization by skin contact.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	No information available.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information****12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity**

Toxic to aquatic life

21% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

**Persistence and degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

**Mobility**

No information available.

**Other adverse effects**

No information available

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Waste treatment methods**

**Disposal of wastes** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse container. Refer to all federal, state and local regulations prior to disposal of container and unused contents by reuse, recycle or disposal.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

<b>Note:</b>	Product classified as UN 3077 or UN 3082 that are shipped in containers not exceeding 5 kg or 5 L may ship as Not Subject to the provisions of the IMDG Code and Not Restricted under IATA. Refer to IMDG Ch 2.10 and IATA SP-197.
<b>DOT</b>	Not regulated
<b>IATA</b>	Not regulated
<b>IMDG</b>	
<b>UN/ID no.</b>	UN3082
<b>Proper shipping name</b>	Environmentally Hazardous Substance, Liquid, N.O.S. (Lanthanum Chloride)
<b>Hazard Class</b>	9
<b>Packing Group</b>	III
<b>EmS-No.</b>	F-A, S-F

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

<b>TSCA</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies

### Legend:

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

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

### US Federal Regulations

#### SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

<b>Acute health hazard</b>	Yes
<b>Chronic Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Fire hazard</b>	No
<b>Sudden release of pressure hazard</b>	No
<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	No

#### CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

### US State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

**U.S. EPA Label Information**

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** This product does not contain any substances regulated as pesticides

**Difference between SDS and CPSC label**

This product is regulated under Consumer Product Safety Commission and is subject to certain labeling requirements under the Federal Hazardous Substances Act (16 CFR Part 1500) . These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets and for workplace product labels.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OF THE LAST REVISION**

<b>NFPA</b>	Health hazards 2	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Properties -
<b>HMIS</b>	Health hazards 2	Flammability 0	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection X

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