

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier:** (3N5) 99.95% Aluminum Trifluoromethanesulfonate

**Product Code:** AL-CFS-035

**CAS Number:** 74974-61-1

**Relevant identified uses of the substance:** Scientific research and development

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## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

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

Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 1 B

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 1

Combustible dust Yes

Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

May form combustible dust concentrations in air

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Precautionary Statements

Prevention

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Response

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Skin

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower  
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

Storage

Store locked up

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified



Component CAS-No Weight %

Aluminium trifluoromethanesulfonate 74974-61-1 99

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### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

Ingestion Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Difficulty in breathing. Product is a corrosive material.

Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation: Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

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### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available

Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature Not applicable

Explosion Limits

Upper No data available

Lower No data available

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Sulfur oxides. Burning produces obnoxious and toxic fumes. Gaseous hydrogen fluoride (HF).

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.

NFPA

Health

3

Flammability

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Instability

1

Physical hazards

N/A

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## SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid dust formation. Remove all sources of ignition.

Environmental Precautions Should not be released into the environment.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Do not let this chemical enter the environment. Avoid dust formation

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## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Handling Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Storage Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Refer product specification and/or product label for specific storage temperature requirement. Keep container tightly closed.

Corrosives area. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

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## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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

Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face Protection Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory Protection Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Physical State Powder Solid

Appearance White

Odor No information available

Odor Threshold No information available

pH No information available

Melting Point/Range 300 °C / 572 °F

Boiling Point/Range No information available

Flash Point No information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

Upper No data available

Lower No data available

Vapor Pressure No information available

Vapor Density Not applicable

Specific Gravity No information available

Solubility No information available

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water No data available

Autoignition Temperature Not applicable

Decomposition Temperature No information available

Viscosity Not applicable

Molecular Formula C3 Al F9 O9 S3

Molecular Weight 474.19

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## **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

Stability Stable under normal conditions. Hygroscopic.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water. Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Sulfur oxides,

Burning produces obnoxious

and toxic fumes, Gaseous hydrogen fluoride (HF)

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

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## **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Acute Toxicity

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Component Information

Toxicologically Synergistic

Products

No information available

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

Irritation Causes burns by all exposure routes

Sensitization No information available

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component CAS-No IARC NTP ACGIH OSHA Mexico

Aluminium trifluoromethanesulfonate

74974-61-1 Not listed Not listed Not listed Not listed Not listed

Mutagenic Effects No information available

Reproductive Effects No information available.

Developmental Effects No information available.

Teratogenicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known

STOT - repeated exposure None known

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed

Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation: Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting

Endocrine Disruptor Information No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

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## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains.

Persistence and Degradability Insoluble in water

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available.

Mobility Is not likely mobile in the environment due to its low water solubility

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## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

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## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DOT

UN-No UN3261

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8

Packing Group III

TDG

UN-No UN3261

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.

Hazard Class 8

Packing Group III  
IATA  
UN-No UN3261  
Proper Shipping Name CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S.\*  
Hazard Class 8  
Packing Group III  
IMDG/IMO  
UN-No UN3261  
Proper Shipping Name Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s.  
Hazard Class 8  
Packing Group III

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## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

United States of America Inventory  
Component CAS-No TSCA TSCA Inventory notification -  
Active/Inactive  
TSCA - EPA Regulatory  
Flags  
Aluminium  
trifluoromethanesulfonate  
74974-61-1 - - -  
Legend:  
TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)  
X - Listed  
'-' - Not Listed  
TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable  
International Inventories  
Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (ECL).  
Component CAS-No DSL NDSL EINECS PICCS ENCS AICS IECSC KECL  
Aluminium  
trifluoromethanesulfonate  
74974-61-1 - - - - -  
U.S. Federal Regulations  
SARA 313 Not applicable  
SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information  
CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable  
Clean Air Act Not applicable  
OSHA - Occupational Safety and  
Health Administration  
Not applicable  
CERCLA Not applicable  
California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.  
U.S. State Right-to-Know  
Regulations  
Not applicable  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
Reportable Quantity (RQ): N  
DOT Marine Pollutant N  
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N  
U.S. Department of Homeland  
Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.  
Other International Regulations  
Mexico - Grade No information available

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## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH). The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. American Elements shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale. COPYRIGHT 1997-2022 AMERICAN ELEMENTS. LICENSED GRANTED TO MAKE UNLIMITED PAPER COPIES FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY.