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www.exponent.com/multimedia/cases/hend.html

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Chemical Accident Reconstruction Services (CHEMAXX) specializes in all types of chemical-related accidents, injuries, fires and explosions. ... Rocket Fuel Plant Explosion- Nevada. A rocket fuel (ammonium perchlorate) plant exploded in Nevada in May 1988 ... 77 million in damages to surrounding homes by the explosion shock wave ...

www.chemaxx.com/explosion1.htm

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... Considerable interest has been taken in the explosion hazards to be encountered in the use of perchloric ... of the magnesium Perchlorate, with the subsequent explosion of the latter.2 ...

www.auburn.edu/administration/safety/crcperchloric.html

4. [Fire and Explosions at an Ammonium Perchlorate Plant \(PEPCON\)](#)

Description of Aptech Engineering's investigation of the origin and cause of the fire and explosion at the PEPCON ammonium perchlorate

manufacturing plant in Henderson, Nevada. ... containers, reconstructing and locating the explosion sequence, and analyzing the metallurgical ...

www.failure-analysis-consultant.com/case_html/Explosion1.htm

5. [MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET](#)

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... Trade Name. Cesium Perchlorate. Chemical Family ... form explosive mixtures with carbonaceous materials. Fire and explosion hazard when associated with carbonaceous ...

www.espi-metals.com/msds%27s/cesiumperchlorate.pdf

6. [19910925 Classification of Ammonium Perchlorate.](#)

... different authorities in the classification of ammonium perchlorate (AP) as an oxidizer or as an ... and articles which have a mass explosion hazard. Division 1.2 Substances and ...

www.osha.gov/dts/hib/hib_data/hib19910925.html

7. [NOVA Online | Fireworks! | Anatomy of a Firework \(non-Flash\) | PBS](#)

Anatomy of a Firework. Click on labels for details. When most of us think "fireworks," we think of brilliant bursts of light and color we've seen paint a night sky. ... The more the compartment can resist the explosion and bottle up its force, the bigger the ... firework manufacturers use mixtures of perchlorate, a different kind of explosive than ...

www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/fireworks/anat_nf.html

8. [x Clark County - PEPCON Explosion x](#)

Clark County - PEPCON Explosion. Ten years ago, the PEPCON explosion changed many lives and the face of Clark County forever. ... The stuff was ammonium perchlorate, an oxidizer used in National Aeronautics and Space Administration's space ... The first explosion was the smallest, but employees knew early to get ...

www.kool-breeze.net/clark1.htm

9. [METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT TOUR OF THE KERR-McGEE PERCHLORATE GROUNDWATER TREATMENT SYSTEM](#)

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... LAS VEGAS VALLEY. PERCHLORATE. REMEDIAL EFFORTS ... May 1988: Destroyed in Explosion. May 1988: Destroyed in Explosion ...

www.tribalwater.net/perchlorate/TribalClO4.pdf

10. [Untitled](#)

... CHEMICALS WHICH ARE A POTENTIAL FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARD9 20 29 ... ammonium nitrate. ammonium perchlorate. calcium hydride ...

www.hoslink.com/Ellis/CHFEXP.htm

11. [Potassium Perchlorate Hummel Croton Inc.](#)

... Fire/Explosion Hazards: Explosion can occur if there is a fire in a closed space containing potassium perchlorate and a ... closed container with potassium perchlorate which is not open ...
www.ordnancechemicals.com/kclo4_m.html

12. [International Chemical Safety Cards \(WHO/IPCS/ILO\)](#)

... SODIUM PERCHLORATE. ICSC: 0715. Sodium perchlorate. Perchloric acid, sodium salt ... substances. Many reactions may cause fire or explosion. Gives off irritating or toxic fumes (or gases) ...
www.cdc.gov/NIOSH/ipcsneng/neng0715.html

13. [EWG in the News || Story Content](#)

... Gas MTBE Nuclear Waste Organic Food Perchlorate/Rocket Fuel Teflon/PFCs Report Archive: 2004 ... from '88 Nevada explosion is tainting food. Rocket fuel: Perchlorate in the Colorado ...
www.ewg.org/news/story.php?id=3215

14. [ICSC 1006 - PERCHLORIC ACID \(72% SOLUTION\)](#)

... October 2000. Hydronium perchlorate. CAS No: 7601-90-3 ... Many reactions may cause fire or explosion. Gives off irritating or toxic fumes (or gases) in a fire ...
www.ilo.org/public/english/protection/safework/cis/products/icsc/dtash...

15. [Model/High Power Rocket Regulatory Environment](#)

this page provides my viewpoint on the current regulatory situation with model and high power rocketry. ... Larger motors typically use Ammonium Perchlorate Composite Propellant (APCP). This is similar to the ... primary and common purpose to function by explosion. You would really have ...
home.earthlink.net/~david.schultz/regulation/atf.html

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