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Ammonia

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A colorless inorganic compound of nitrogen and hydrogen with the formula NH_3 , usually in gaseous form with a characteristic pungent odor. Ammonia is irritating to the skin, eyes, nose, throat, and lungs. It is essential for many biological processes and has various industrial applications.