

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Substance

Substance name : Sodium Sulfite

Formula : Na₂SO₃

Molecular weight : 126.04 g/mol

CAS No. : 7757-83-7

Product code : LW-NA2SO3

Synonyms : Disodium Sulfite

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : 1.800.424.9300 (USA)

+1.703.527.3887 (INT)

SECTION 2: Hazards Identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

None.

2.3. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Synonyms : Disodium Sulfite

Formula : Na2SO3

Molecular Weight : 126.04 g/mol CAS-No. : 7757-83-7

Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration
Sodium Sulfite		<= 100 %

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SECTION 4: Description of first aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General advice : Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance.

First-aid measures after inhalation : If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give

artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse

mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Dry powder

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Sulphur oxides, Sodium oxides

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

5.4. More Information

No data available.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Do not flush with water. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

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6.4. Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. Do not store near acids.

Air and moisture sensitive.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Non Combustible Solids

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

8.3. Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under

appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN

166(EU).

Skin Protection : Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use

proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable

laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

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Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M) data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659

87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for

any specific use scenario.

Body protection : Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the

concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the

dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection : Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are

appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type

N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators

and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Environmental exposure controls : Do not let product enter drains.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance : Form: powder

Color: white

Odor : No data available
Odor Threshold : No data available

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pH : 9.0 - 10.5 at 126 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F)

Melting point/freezing point : Decomposes before melting.

Initial boiling point and boiling range : Not applicable Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : The product is not flammable.

Upper/lower flammability or : No data available

explosive limits

Vapor pressure : No data available
Vapor density : No data available

Relative density : 2.630 g/cm3

Water solubility : 126 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - completely soluble

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : No data available
Auto-ignition temperature : does not ignite
Decomposition temperature : No data available
Viscosity : No data available
Explosive properties : No data available

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

9.2. Other safety information

No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No data available

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Exposure to air may affect product quality. Exposure to moisture may affect product quality.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Acids, Strong oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

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In the event of fire: see section 5.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : LD50 Oral - Rat - 3,560 mg/kg

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 4 h - > 5,500 mg/m3

Sigma-Aldrich - S0505 Page 5 of 7 LD50 Dermal - Rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation : Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation (OECD Test Guideline 404)

Serious eye damage/irritation : Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Mild eye irritation (OECD Test Guideline 405)

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in

certain sensitive individuals.

in vivo assay - Mouse

Result: Did not cause sensitization on laboratory animals.

Germ cell mutagenicity : No data available

Carcinogenicity

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC: : 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans

(Sodium sulphite)

ACGIH: : No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: : No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

OSHA: : No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity : No data available

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Specific target organ toxicity (single

exposure)

Specific target organ toxicity

(repeated exposure)

Aspiration hazard

: No data available

: No data available

: No data available

Additional Information : RTECS: WE2150000

May cause irritation of the:, Gastrointestinal tract, violent colic,

Diarrhea, Disturbance of:, circulatory system, Central

Nervous system depression, death, Persons with allergies and/or asthma may exhibit hypersensitivity to sulfites. To the best of

our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity to fish : LC50 - Gambusia affinis (Mosquito fish) - 660 mg/l - 96 h

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability : The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable

to inorganic substances.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential : No data available

12.3. Mobility in soil : No data available

12.4. Results of PBT and vPvB : PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety

assessment assessment not required/not conducted.

12.6. Other adverse effects : No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product : Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal

company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service

to dispose of this material.

Contaminated Packaging : Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components

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California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

HMIS Rating

Health Hazard : 1
Chronic Health Hazard : *
Flammability : 0
Physical Hazard : 0

NFPA Rating

Health hazard : 1

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Fire Hazard : 0 Reactivity Hazard 0

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