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SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION
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PRODUCT NAME: SODIUM CARBONATE, ANHYDROUS
COMMON SYNONYMS: SODA ASH; DISODIUM CARBONATE
CHEMICAL FAMILY: INORGANIC SODIUM COMPOUNDS
FORMULA: NA2CO3
FORMULA WT.: 105.99
CAS NO.: 497-19-8
NIOSH/RTECS NO.: VZ4050000
PRODUCT USE: LABORATORY REAGENT
PRODUCT CODES: 4502,5151,5605,4923,5198,3602,5179,5134,3604,5154,3605

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PRECAUTIONARY LABELING
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BAKER SAF-T-DATA* SYSTEM

HEALTH	-	1	SLIGHT
FLAMMABILITY	-	0	NONE
REACTIVITY	-	1	SLIGHT
CONTACT	-	1	SLIGHT

LABORATORY PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

GOGGLES; LAB COAT

U.S. PRECAUTIONARY LABELING

CAUTION

MAY CAUSE IRRITATION. MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.
DURING USE AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN, CLOTHING. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER
HANDLING. WHEN NOT IN USE KEEP IN TIGHTLY CLOSED CONTAINER.

INTERNATIONAL LABELING

AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES. AFTER CONTACT WITH SKIN, WASH IMMEDIATELY WITH
PLENTY OF WATER. KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED.

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SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA (CONTINUED)

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UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS
NONE IDENTIFIED.

TOXIC GASES PRODUCED
CARBON MONOXIDE, CARBON DIOXIDE, OXIDES

EXPLOSION DATA-SENSITIVITY TO MECHANICAL IMPACT
NONE IDENTIFIED.

EXPLOSION DATA-SENSITIVITY TO STATIC DISCHARGE
NONE IDENTIFIED.

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SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

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THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (TLV/TWA): NOT ESTABLISHED

SHORT-TERM EXPOSURE LIMIT (STEL): NOT ESTABLISHED

PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (PEL): NOT ESTABLISHED

TOXICITY OF COMPONENTS

INTRAPERITONEAL MOUSE LD50 FOR SODIUM CARBONATE, ANHYDROUS 117 MG/KG
INHALATION-2HR MOUSE LC50 FOR SODIUM CARBONATE, ANHYDROUS 1200 MG/M3
CARCINOGENICITY: NTP: NO IARC: NO Z LIST: NO OSHA REG: NO

CARCINOGENICITY
NONE IDENTIFIED.

REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS
NONE IDENTIFIED.

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

INHALATION: IRRITATION OF UPPER RESPIRATORY TRACT, IRRITATION OF
MUCOUS MEMBRANES

SKIN CONTACT: IRRITATION

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SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA (CONTINUED)

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EYE CONTACT: IRRITATION

SKIN ABSORPTION: NONE IDENTIFIED

INGESTION: INGESTION OF LARGE QUANTITIES MAY CAUSE GASTROINTESTINAL
IRRITATION, NAUSEA, VOMITING, DIARRHEA

CHRONIC EFFECTS: NONE IDENTIFIED

TARGET ORGANS
NONE IDENTIFIED

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE
NONE IDENTIFIED

PRIMARY ROUTES OF ENTRY
INHALATION, INGESTION, SKIN CONTACT, EYE CONTACT

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

INGESTION: IF SWALLOWED AND THE PERSON IS CONSCIOUS, IMMEDIATELY GIVE
LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

INHALATION: IF A PERSON BREATHES IN LARGE AMOUNTS, MOVE THE EXPOSED
PERSON TO FRESH AIR.

SKIN CONTACT: IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY WASH SKIN WITH PLENTY OF
SOAP AND WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES.

EYE CONTACT: IN CASE OF EYE CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH PLENTY OF
WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES.

SARA/TITLE III HAZARD CATEGORIES AND LISTS

ACUTE: NO CHRONIC: NO FLAMMABILITY: NO PRESSURE: NO REACTIVITY: NO

EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE: NO
CERCLA HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE: NO
TOXIC CHEMICALS: NO
TSCA INVENTORY: YES

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SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA
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STABILITY: STABLE HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: HUMIDITY

INCOMPATIBLES: STRONG ACIDS, ALUMINUM, FLUORINE, OXIDES OF
PHOSPHORUS, LITHIUM

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: CARBON MONOXIDE, CARBON DIOXIDE

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SECTION VII - SPILL & DISPOSAL PROCEDURES
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STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF A SPILL OR DISCHARGE
WEAR SUITABLE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. CAREFULLY SWEEP UP AND REMOVE.

DISPOSAL PROCEDURE
DISPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL
ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

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SECTION VIII - INDUSTRIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT
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VENTILATION: USE ADEQUATE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION TO
KEEP FUME OR DUST LEVELS AS LOW AS POSSIBLE.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: NONE REQUIRED WHERE ADEQUATE VENTILATION CONDITIONS
EXIST. IF AIRBORNE CONCENTRATION IS HIGH, USE AN
APPROPRIATE RESPIRATOR OR DUST MASK.

EYE/SKIN PROTECTION: SAFETY GOGGLES, RUBBER GLOVES ARE RECOMMENDED.

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SECTION IX - STORAGE AND HANDLING PRECAUTIONS
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SAF-T-DATA* STORAGE COLOR CODE: ORANGE (GENERAL STORAGE)

STORAGE REQUIREMENTS
KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED. SUITABLE FOR ANY GENERAL CHEMICAL STORAGE
AREA.

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SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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DOMESTIC (D.O.T.)

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. (NON-REGULATED)

INTERNATIONAL (I.M.O.)

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. (NON-REGULATED)
MARINE POLLUTANTS: NO

AIR (I.C.A.O.)

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: CHEMICALS, N.O.S. (NON-REGULATED)

U.S. CUSTOMS HARMONIZATION NUMBER: 28362000002

N/A = NOT APPLICABLE OR NOT AVAILABLE
/E = NOT ESTABLISHED

THE INFORMATION IN THIS MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED THEREUNDER (29 CFR 1910.1200 ET. SEQ.) AND THE CANADIAN WORKPLACE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM. THIS DOCUMENT IS INTENDED ONLY AS A GUIDE TO THE APPROPRIATE PRECAUTIONARY HANDLING OF THE MATERIAL BY A PERSON TRAINED IN, OR SUPERVISED BY A PERSON TRAINED IN, CHEMICAL HANDLING. THE USER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR DETERMINING THE PRECAUTIONS AND DANGERS OF THIS CHEMICAL FOR HIS OR HER PARTICULAR APPLICATION. DEPENDING ON USAGE, PROTECTIVE CLOTHING INCLUDING EYE AND FACE GUARDS AND RESPIRATORS MUST BE USED TO AVOID CONTACT WITH MATERIAL OR BREATHING CHEMICAL VAPORS/FUMES.

EXPOSURE TO THIS PRODUCT MAY HAVE SERIOUS ADVERSE HEALTH EFFECTS. THIS CHEMICAL MAY INTERACT WITH OTHER SUBSTANCES. SINCE THE POTENTIAL USES ARE SO VARIED, BAKER CANNOT WARN OF ALL OF THE POTENTIAL DANGERS OF USE OR INTERACTION WITH OTHER CHEMICALS OR MATERIALS. BAKER WARRANTS THAT THE CHEMICAL MEETS THE SPECIFICATIONS SET FORTH ON THE LABEL. BAKER DISCLAIMS ANY OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED WITH REGARD TO THE PRODUCT SUPPLIED HEREUNDER, ITS MERCHANTABILITY OR ITS FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.

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