MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

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Material Safety Data Sheet

Section 1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name

Sodium Sulfate, Anhydrous, Granular, GR

Product Code Effective Date SX0760 10/29/2001

Manufacturer

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Synonym

SALT CAKE; DISODIUM SULFATE

Material Uses **Chemical Family** Analytical reagent.

Inorganic salt.

Section 2. Composition and Information on Ingredients

Component

SODIUM SULFATE

CAS# 7757-82-6

% by 100

Section 3. Hazards Identification

Physical State and Appearance Solid. (Crystalline granules solid.)

Emergency Overview

CAUTION!

MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY TRACT, EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION.

Routes of Entry

Inhalation. Ingestion.

Potential Acute Health Effects

Eyes May be hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant).

Skin May be hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant). Skin inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening,

or, occasionally, blistering,

Inhalation May be hazardous in case of inhalation (lung irritant).

Ingestion May be hazardous in case of ingestion.

Potential Chronic Health Effects

Carcinogenic Effects This material is not known to cause cancer in animals or humans.

Additional information See Toxicological Information (section 11)

Medical Conditions

Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

Aggravated by Overexposure:

Section 4. First Aid Measures

Eye Contact Skin Contact Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least

15 minutes. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention.

In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Cold water may be used. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes

before reuse. Get medical attention.

Inhalation

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get

medical attention.

Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight

clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flammability of the Product

Non-flammable.

Auto-ignition Temperature Flash Points

Not applicable.

Flammable Limits

Not applicable.

Products of Combustion

Not applicable. Not available.

Fire Hazards in Presence of

Not applicable.

Various Substances

Explosion Hazards in Presence Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: No.

of Various Substances

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: No.

Fire Fighting Media

and Instructions

Not applicable.

Protective Clothing (Fire) Special Remarks on Fire

Not applicable. Not available.

Hazards

Special Remarks on Explosion Not available.

Hazards

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill and Leak Large Spill and Leak Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container.

Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow to evacuate through the sanitary system.

Spill Kit Information

No specific spill kit required for this product.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Handling Storage

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Avoid breathing dust. Keep container closed.

Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

Personal Protection

Eyes Splash goggles.

Body Lab coat.

Respiratory Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

Hands Gloves.

Feet Not applicable.

a Large Spill

Personal Protection in Case of Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self-contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE

> handling this product. **Exposure Limits**

Product Name SODIUM SULFATE

Not available.

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Odor

Not available.

Color

White Physical State and Appearance Solid. (Crystalline granules solid. Powdered solid.)

Molecular Weight

142.04 g/mole O4-S.2Na

Molecular Formula

Not available.

Boiling/Condensation Point

Not available. 887.9°C (1630.2°F)

Melting/Freezing Point Specific Gravity

Not available. Not available.

Vapor Pressure Vapor Density

Not available. Not available. Not available.

Odor Threshold **Evaporation Rate** LogKow

Solubility

Not available Soluble in water.

Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability and Reactivity

The product is stable.

Conditions of Instability Incompatibility with Various Not available. Not available.

Substances

Rem/Incompatibility **Hazardous Decomposition**

Not available. Not available.

Products Hazardous Polymerization

Will not occur.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

RTECS Number:

WE1650000 Sodium Sulfate

Toxicity Chronic Effects on Humans Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 5989 mg/kg [Mouse].

Acute Effects on Humans

Not available.

May be hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant). May be hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant). Skin

inflammation is characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or, occasionally, blistering. May be hazardous in case of

inhalation (lung irritant). May be hazardous in case of ingestion. Not available.

Synergetic Products (Toxicologically) Irritancy

Draize Test: Not available.

Sensitization Not available.

Carcinogenic Effects

This material is not known to cause cancer in animals or humans.

Toxicity to Reproductive System

Tests on laboratory animals for reproductive effects are cited in Registry of Toxic Effects on Chemical Substances (RTECS).

Teratogenic Effects Not available. Not available. Mutagenic Effects

Section 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity **BOD5** and COD

Not available. Not available.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation

The products of degradation are less toxic than the product itself.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

EPA Waste Number

Treatment

Material does not have an EPA Waste Number and is not a listed waste, however consultation with a permitted waste disposal site (TSD) should be accomplished. Always contact a permitted waste disposal (TSD) to assure compliance

with all current local, state, and Federal Regulations.

Section 14. Transport Information

DOT Classification Not available Not available. TDG Classification IMO/IMDG Classification Not available. ICAO/IATA Classification Not available

Section 15. Regulatory Information

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 8(b) inventory: SODIUM SULFATE

SARA 302/304/311/312 extremely hazardous substances: No products were found. SARA 302/304 emergency planning and notification: No products were found.

SARA 302/304/311/312 hazardous chemicals: SODIUM SULFATE

SARA 311/312 MSDS distribution - chemical inventory - hazard identification: SODIUM SULFATE: Delayed

(Chronic) Health Hazard

SARA 313 toxic chemical notification and release reporting: No products were found.

Clean Water Act (CWA) 307: No products were found. Clean Water Act (CWA) 311: No products were found.

Clean air act (CAA) 112 accidental release prevention: No products were found. Clean air act (CAA) 112 regulated flammable substances: No products were found. Clean air act (CAA) 112 regulated toxic substances: No products were found.

WHMIS (Canada)

Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada). CEPA DSL: SODIUM SULFATE

International Regulations

EINECS SODIUM SULFATE 231-820-9

DSCL (EEC)

R36/37/38- Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

International Lists Australia (NICNAS): SODIUM SULFATE

Japan (MITI): SODIUM SULFATE

Korea (TCCL): SODIUM SULFATE

Philippines (RA6969): SODIUM SULFATE

China: No products were found.

State Regulations

Pennsylvania RTK: SODIUM SULFATE: (environmental hazard, generic environmental hazard)

Massachusetts RTK: SODIUM SULFATE California prop. 65: No products were found.

Section 16. Other Information

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

Health Fire Hazard

Reactivity 2 Specific Hazard

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