

SODIUM CARBONATE

Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2020/878
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Substance
Substance name : SODIUM CARBONATE
Chemical name : sodium carbonate
IUPAC name : sodium carbonate
EC Index-No. : 011-005-00-2
EC-No. : 207-838-8
CAS-No. : 497-19-8
REACH registration No. : 01-2119485498-19-0004, 01-2119485498-19-0028
Synonyms : DISODIUM CARBONATE, Soda Ash Light, Soda Ash Dense

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

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

No additional information available

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Newport Industries Ltd
Parkshot House
5 Kew Road
TW9 2PR Richmond - United Kingdom
T 02083322519 - F 02089406691
www.newport-industries.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +1 703-741-5970/1-800-424-9300 CNN 993712
For Hazardous Materials Incident
Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident
Call CHEMTREC

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2 H319

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

Causes serious eye irritation.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



GHS07

Signal word (CLP) : Warning
Hazard statements (CLP) : H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.
Precautionary statements (CLP) : P280 - Wear protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.
P102 - Keep out of reach of children.

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P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

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Full text of H-statements: see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash skin with plenty of water.
First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion : Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

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

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Eye irritation.

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

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product.
Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear personal protective equipment.
Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1. National occupational exposure and biological limit values

No additional information available

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

| SODIUM CARBONATE (497-19-8) | |
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| DNEL/DMEL (Workers) | |
| Long-term - local effects, inhalation | 10 mg/m ³ |
| DNEL/DMEL (General population) | |
| Acute - local effects, inhalation | 10 mg/m ³ |

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8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Safety glasses

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

Hand protection:

Protective gloves

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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| Physical state | : Solid |
| Colour | : white. |
| Molecular mass | : 105.99 g/mol Source: National Library of Medicine/Hazardous Substances Data Bank |
| Odour | : odourless. |
| Odour threshold | : Not available |
| Melting point | : 851 °C |
| Freezing point | : Not applicable |
| Boiling point | : Not applicable |
| Flammability | : Non flammable. |
| Explosive limits | : Not applicable |
| Lower explosive limit (LEL) | : Not applicable |
| Upper explosive limit (UEL) | : Not applicable |
| Flash point | : Not applicable |
| Auto-ignition temperature | : Not applicable |
| Decomposition temperature | : Above 400°C CO ₂ begins to be released. |
| pH | : 11-12 |
| pH solution | : Not available |
| Viscosity, kinematic | : Not applicable |
| Solubility | : Water: 0.215 g/ml 20°C Source: OECD Screening Information Data Set |

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| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) | : Not available |
| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) | : -6.19 Source: Quantitative Structure Activity Relation |
| Vapour pressure | : Not available |
| Vapour pressure at 50°C | : Not available |
| Density | : Not available |
| Relative density | : 2.5 Source: International Chemical Safety Cards |
| Relative vapour density at 20°C | : Not applicable |
| Particle size | : Not available |
| Particle size distribution | : Not available |
| Particle shape | : Not available |
| Particle aspect ratio | : Not available |
| Particle aggregation state | : Not available |
| Particle agglomeration state | : Not available |
| Particle specific surface area | : Not available |
| Particle dustiness | : Not available |

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

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| Acute toxicity (oral) | : Not classified |
| Acute toxicity (dermal) | : Not classified |
| Acute toxicity (inhalation) | : Not classified |

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| LD50 oral rat | 2800 mg/kg |
| LD50 oral | 6600 mg/kg |
| LD50 dermal rabbit | > 2000 mg/kg Source: OECD Screening Information Data Set |

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| LC50 Inhalation - Rat (Dust/Mist) | 1.2 mg/l Source: SIDS |
| Skin corrosion/irritation | : Not classified pH: 11-12 |
| Serious eye damage/irritation | : Causes serious eye irritation. pH: 11-12 |
| Respiratory or skin sensitisation | : Not classified |
| Germ cell mutagenicity | : Not classified |
| Carcinogenicity | : Not classified |
| Reproductive toxicity | : Not classified |
| STOT-single exposure | : Not classified |
| STOT-repeated exposure | : Not classified |
| Aspiration hazard | : Not classified |

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| Viscosity, kinematic | Not applicable |
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11.2. Information on other hazards

11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties

Adverse health effects caused by endocrine disrupting properties : The substance is not included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605

11.2.2. Other information

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Not classified

Not rapidly degradable

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| LC50 - Fish [1] | 300 mg/l Source: International Uniform Chemical Information Database |
| EC50 - Crustacea [1] | 200 – 227 mg/l Source: OECD Screening Information Data Set |
| EC50 96h - Algae [1] | 242 mg/l Source: ECOTOX |

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) | -6.19 Source: Quantitative Structure Activity Relation |
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12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

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12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

| ADR | IMDG | IATA | ADN | RID |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 14.1. UN number or ID number | | | | |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| 14.2. UN proper shipping name | | | | |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) | | | | |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| 14.4. Packing group | | | | |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| 14.5. Environmental hazards | | | | |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable |
| No supplementary information available | | | | |

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Not applicable

Transport by sea

Not applicable

Air transport

Not applicable

Inland waterway transport

Not applicable

Rail transport

Not applicable

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

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SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

Not listed on REACH Annex XVII

Not listed on the REACH Candidate List

Not listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Not listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012)

Not listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021)

15.1.2. National regulations

Germany

Employment restrictions : Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Working Mothers (MuSchG)
Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Young People in Employment (JArbSchG)

Water hazard class (WGK) : WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV; ID No. 222)

Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject to the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

Netherlands

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Borstvoeding : The substance is not listed

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen –

Vruchtbaarheid

SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Ontwikkeling : The substance is not listed

Switzerland

Storage class (LK) : LK 10/12 - Liquids

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

| Indication of changes | | | |
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| Section | Changed item | Change | Comments |
| | Supersedes version of | Modified | |
| | Revision date | Modified | |
| | Substance type | Added | |
| 2.2 | S-phrases | Added | |
| 2.2 | R-phrases | Added | |
| 2.2 | Hazard symbols | Added | |
| 8.1 | Long-term - local effects, inhalation | Added | |
| 8.1 | Acute - local effects, inhalation | Added | |
| 9.1 | Solubility in water | Added | |
| 9.1 | Relative density | Added | |
| 9.1 | Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) | Added | |
| 9.1 | Molecular mass | Added | |
| 9.1 | Melting point | Added | |
| 9.1 | Boiling point | Added | |
| 11.1 | LD50 dermal rabbit | Added | |

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| 12.1 | LC50 Inhalation - Rat (Dust/Mist) | Added | |
| 12.1 | LC50 - Fish [1] | Added | |
| 12.1 | EC50 96h - Algae [1] | Added | |
| 12.1 | EC50 - Crustacea [1] | Added | |
| 12.3 | Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) | Added | |

| Abbreviations and acronyms | |
|----------------------------|---|
| ADN | European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways |
| ADR | European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road |
| ATE | Acute Toxicity Estimate |
| BCF | Bioconcentration factor |
| BLV | Biological limit value |
| BOD | Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD) |
| COD | Chemical oxygen demand (COD) |
| DMEL | Derived Minimal Effect level |
| DNEL | Derived-No Effect Level |
| EC-No. | European Community number |
| EC50 | Median effective concentration |
| EN | European Standard |
| IARC | International Agency for Research on Cancer |
| IATA | International Air Transport Association |
| IMDG | International Maritime Dangerous Goods |
| LC50 | Median lethal concentration |
| LD50 | Median lethal dose |
| LOAEL | Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level |
| NOAEC | No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration |
| NOAEL | No-Observed Adverse Effect Level |
| NOEC | No-Observed Effect Concentration |
| OECD | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development |
| OEL | Occupational Exposure Limit |
| PBT | Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic |
| PNEC | Predicted No-Effect Concentration |
| RID | Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail |
| SDS | Safety Data Sheet |
| STP | Sewage treatment plant |
| ThOD | Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD) |
| TLM | Median Tolerance Limit |
| VOC | Volatile Organic Compounds |

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Abbreviations and acronyms

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|---------|--|
| CAS-No. | Chemical Abstract Service number |
| N.O.S. | Not Otherwise Specified |
| vPvB | Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative |
| ED | Endocrine disrupting properties |

Full text of H- and EUH-statements

| | |
|--------------|---|
| Eye Irrit. 2 | Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2 |
| H319 | Causes serious eye irritation. |

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This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.