

SODIUM SULPHITE 98%

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product name : Sodium Sulphite 98%
CAS-No. : 7757-83-7
Synonym Name : Sodium sulfite (Sodium sulfite anhydrous ; Sodium sulphite)
Formula : Na₂SO₃

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use³

Recommended use : Paper manufacture, food additive, water treatment, waste treatment, other industrial processes.

1.3. Supplier

Manufacturer Name : **National company for sulphur products**
Address: National Company For Sulphur Products,
 Head Office: P.O Box 2951, Riyadh 11461
 Email: ncsp@ncsp.com.sa
 Tel :011 4647711 Fax: 2170866
Factory : 3rd Industrial Area - Dammam

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Tel :011 4647711 Fax: 2170866

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS-US classification

Skincorrosion/irritation Category 2 : H31 Causes skin irritation
 Eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A : H319 Causes serious eye irritation
 Full text of H statements : see section 16

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

GHS-US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US) :



GHS07

Signal word (GHS-US) :

Warning

Hazard statements (GHS-US) :

H315 - Causes skin irritation
 H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) :

P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
 P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection.
 P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
 P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
 Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
 P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
 P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
 P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

Other hazards not contributing to the classification :

None.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable



SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Sodium Sulphite, Anhydrous (Main constituent)	(CAS-No.) 7757-83-7	Min 98.0	Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319

Full text of hazard classes and 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 general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Allow victim to breathe fresh air. Allow the victim to rest.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
- If skin irritation occurs : Get medical advice/attention.
- 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

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

- Measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.
- Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause respiratory irritation.
- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.
- Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Central nervous system depression. Diarrhoea. Nausea. Vomiting.

4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Obtain medical assistance.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray.
- Sand. Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Fire hazard : Not flammable.
- Explosion hazard : Not applicable.

5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- 6.1.2. Protective equipment : Gloves. Safety glasses.
- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.3. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

6.2. Environmental precautions

- Emergency procedures : Ventilate area. Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Minimize generation of dust. Store away from other material.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor.

Hygiene measures : Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong acids.

Incompatible materials : Moisture.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.
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8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Personal protective equipment:

Gloves. Safety glasses.



Hand protection

: Wear protective gloves

Eye protection

: Chemical goggles or safety glasses

Skin and body protection

: Wear suitable protective clothing

Respiratory protection

: Respiratory protection not required in normal conditions

Other information

: Do not eat, drink or smoke during use

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid
 Color : white
 Odor : Odorless
 Odor threshold : No data available
 pH in 5% solution : 8.5 - 10.5
 Melting point : > 500 °C
 Freezing point : No data available
 Boiling point : No data available
 Flash point : No data available
 Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available
 available Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable.

Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Specific gravity / density	: 2.63 g/cm ³
Molecular mass	: 126.04 g/mol
Solubility	: Moderately soluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: > 500 °C
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

10.2. Chemical stability

Hygroscopic.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Air contact. Heat. Moisture. Incompatible materials.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong oxidizers.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Sodium oxide. Sulfur compounds.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Likely routes of exposure : Inhalation; Skin and eye contact

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Sodium Sulfite, Anhydrous (7757-83-7)	
LD50 oral rat	2610 mg/kg
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	> 5.5 mg/l/4h
ATE US (oral)	2610 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified



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IARC group	3 - Not classifiable
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: May cause respiratory irritation. Symptoms/effects after skin contact: Causes skin irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye irritation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Central nervous system depression. Diarrhoea. Nausea. Vomiting.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

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LC50 fish 1	220 - 460 mg/l
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12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Not established.
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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
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12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (IATA)

In accordance with (IATA)

IATA Not regulated

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Sodium Sulphite, Anhydrous (7757-83-7)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

Sodium Sulphite, Anhydrous (7757-83-7)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

National regulations

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Not listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

SECTION 16: Other information

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Other information : None.

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H319	Causes serious eye irritation

NFPA health hazard

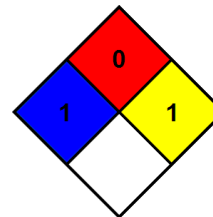
: 1 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause significant irritation.

NFPA fire hazard

: 0 - Materials that will not burn under typical fire conditions, including intrinsically noncombustible materials such as concrete, stone, and sand.

NFPA reactivity

: 1 - Materials that in themselves are normally stable but can become unstable at elevated temperatures and pressures.



Hazard Rating

Health

: 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible

Flammability

: 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn

Physical

: 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that are normally stable but can become unstable (self-react) at high temperatures and pressures. Materials may react non-violently with water or undergo hazardous polymerization in the absence of inhibitors.

Personal protection

: B - Safety glasses, Gloves

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