

Material Safety Data Sheet



SODIUM METABISULPHITE LR

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1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name : SODIUM METABISULPHITE LR
Product code : 18580
Identification of the product : SODIUM METABISULPHITE LR
CAS No : 7681-57-4
EC Index-No. : 016-063-00-2
EC No. : 231-673-0
Synonyms : Sodium hydrogensulphite, Sodium disulphite, Sodium pyrosulphite

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company identification MOLYCHEM INDIA LLP
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Tel: +91 22 4066 8111, 2205 7772 .
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Works: Plot No. B/9, Badlapur M.I.D.C.,
OPP.Shobhavat Textile Co., Kulgaon, Badlapur (E),
Dist.-Thane-421 503.

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +91 22 4066 8111 (10:00am - 6:00 pm)

2. Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4 H302

Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318

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Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

Harmful if swallowed. Causes serious eye damage.

2.2. Label elements

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

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Hazard pictograms (CLP)



Signal word (CLP)

GHS07

: Danger

Hazard statements (CLP)

: H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

Precautionary statements (CLP)

: P280 - Wear protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

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

3. Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Name : SODIUM METABISULPHITE LR

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3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

4. First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Give oxygen or artificial respiration if necessary. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash skin with plenty of water.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately

First-aid measures after ingestion : Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

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

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage. Serious damage to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Harmful if swallowed.

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

Treat symptomatically.

5. Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : dry chemical powder, alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide (CO₂). Water spray. Dry powder. Foam

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

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.

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. Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Avoid contact with skin and eyes

6.1.2. For emergency responders

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

Emergency procedures : Stop release.

6.2. Environmental precautions

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Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product. Clear up rapidly by scoop or vacuum.
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.

7. Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear personal protective equipment.
Hygiene measures : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling. 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 original container. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a dry place. Protect from moisture. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool
Storage away from : Direct sunlight. Air contact. Moisture.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

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

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No additional information available

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Eye protection : Chemical goggles or safety glasses
Hand protection : Wear protective gloves
Skin protection : Wear suitable protective clothing
Respiratory protection : Wear appropriate mask. [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.
Thermal hazards : No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Avoid release to the environment

9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid
Appearance : powder or crystalline powder.
Molecular mass : 190.1 g/mol
Colour : White to off-white to pale yellow
Odour : Pungent
Odour threshold : No data available
pH : 4 – 4.8 (50 g/l at 20°C)
Relative evaporation rate : No data available
Melting point : 150 °C (slow decomposition)
Freezing point : Not applicable
Boiling point : No data available
Flash point : Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature : Not applicable
Decomposition temperature : > 150 °C
Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable.
Vapour pressure : No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C : No data available
Relative density : No data available
Density : 1.48 g/cm³
Solubility : Soluble in glycerol.

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Water: 650 g/l at 20 °C
Ethanol: Moderately soluble in ethanol.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) : -3.7
Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable
Viscosity, dynamic : No data available
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidising properties : No data available
Explosive limits : Not applicable

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

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

Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Air contact. Moisture.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Acids

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

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

11. Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Harmful if swallowed.
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified
Additional information : Not classified
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

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Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
STOT-single exposure : Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified
Aspiration hazard : Not classified

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

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

13. Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose of contents/container to a licensed hazardous-waste disposal contractor or collection site except for empty clean containers which can be disposed of as nonhazardous waste.

14. Transport information

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

14.1. UN number

UN-No. (ADR) : Not regulated
UN-No. (IMDG) : Not regulated
UN-No. (IATA) : Not regulated
UN-No. (ADN) : Not regulated
UN-No. (RID) : Not regulated

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR) : Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (ADN) : Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name (RID) : Not regulated

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR) : Not regulated

IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : Not regulated

IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : Not regulated

ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : Not regulated

RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : Not regulated

14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : Not regulated
Packing group (IMDG) : Not regulated
Packing group (IATA) : Not regulated
Packing group (ADN) : Not regulated
Packing group (RID) : Not regulated

14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No
Marine pollutant : No
Other information : No supplementary information available

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Not regulated

Transport by sea

Not regulated

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Air transport

Not regulated

Inland waterway transport

Not regulated

Rail transport

Not regulated

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

15. Regulatory information

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

15.1.1 EU-Regulations

No REACH Annex XVII restrictions

SODIUM METABISULPHITE is not on the REACH Candidate List

SODIUM METABISULPHITE is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

SODIUM METABISULPHITE is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

SODIUM METABISULPHITE is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

15.1.2. National regulations

Germany

Water hazard class (WGK)

: WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water
(Classification according to AwSV; ID No. 1169)

Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

: Is not subject of 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

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting

: The substance is not listed

giftige stoffen – Borstvoeding

: The substance is not listed

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting

: The substance is not listed

giftige stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid

NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting

: The substance is not listed

giftige stoffen – Ontwikkeling

Denmark

Danish National Regulations

: Young people below the age of 18 years are not
allowed to use the product

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

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No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

16. Other information

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
COD	Chemical oxygen demand
COD	Chemical oxygen demand
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

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VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
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
Flam. Liq. 2	Flammable liquids, Category 2
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity — Single exposure, Category 3, Narcosis
H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
EUH066	Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

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