

Sodium Thiosulfate Anhydrous

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier Sodium Thiosulfate Anhydrous

Other Means of D

Disodium Thiosulfate (Anhydrous), Thiosulfuric Acid (Sodium salt)

Identification

Product Code(s) SO8130

Product Family Inorganic Solid

Recommended Use Laboratory and industrial use.

Restrictions on Use None known.

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SDS No. 0229

SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classified according to Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015) and the US Hazard Communication Standard (HCS 2012).

Classification

Not classified under any hazard class.

Label Elements

Not applicable

Other Hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers
Sodium thiosulfate	7772-98-7	>99	Disodium Thiosulfate, Thiosulfuric Acid (Sodium salt)

SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

First-aid Measures

Inhalation

Remove source of exposure or move to fresh air. Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by Poison Centre or doctor.

Skin Contact

Immediately rinse with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15-20 minutes. If skin irritation or a rash occurs, get medical advice or attention.

Eye Contact

Immediately rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15-20 minutes, while holding the

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eyelid(s) open.

Ingestion

Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. If vomiting occurs naturally, lie on your side in the recovery position. Rinse mouth with water again. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by the Poison Centre or doctor.

First-aid Comments

Some of the first-aid procedures recommended here require advanced first-aid training. If exposed or concerned, get medical advice or attention.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

None known.

Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment

Special Instructions

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Not combustible. Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

None known.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

Does not burn. Closed containers may rupture violently when heated releasing contents. In contact with water releases flammable gas.

In a fire, the following hazardous materials may be generated: flammable hydrogen; very toxic, flammable hydrogen sulfide; corrosive sulfur oxides; corrosive sulfuric acid.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters

Fight fire from a protected, explosion-resistant location or maximum distance possible. Approach fire from upwind to avoid hazardous vapours or gases. For a massive fire, immediately evacuate the area and use unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles.

Fire-fighters may enter the area if positive pressure SCBA and full Bunker Gear is worn. Chemical protective clothing (e.g. chemical splash suit) and positive pressure SCBA may be necessary.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Emergency responders: use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled product unless wearing appropriate protective equipment. Remove or isolate incompatible materials as well as other hazardous materials. Increase ventilation to area or move leaking container to a well-ventilated and secure area.

Environmental Precautions

Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any waterway. If the spill is inside a building, prevent product from entering drains, ventilation systems and confined areas.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Avoid generating dust. Collect using shovel/scoop or approved HEPA vacuum and place in a suitable container for disposal. Flush spill area.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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Precautions for Safe Handling

Only use where there is adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Avoid generating dusts. Wash hands thoroughly after handling this material.

Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in an area that is: cool, dry, well-ventilated. Store in the original, labelled, shipping container. Protect from conditions listed in Conditions to Avoid in Section 10 (Stability and Reactivity). Separate from incompatible materials (see Section 10: Stability and Reactivity).

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

Chemical Name	ACGIH	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA	
Sodium thiosulfate	Not established		Not established				

Appropriate Engineering Controls

The hazard potential of this product is relatively low. General ventilation is usually adequate. Use local exhaust ventilation, if general ventilation is not adequate to control amount in the air.

Individual Protection Measures

Eve/Face Protection

Wear chemical safety goggles and face shield when contact is possible.

Skin Protection

Wear chemical protective clothing e.g. gloves, aprons, boots.

Suitable materials are: nitrile rubber, butyl rubber, neoprene rubber, polyvinyl chloride, Viton®.

Respiratory Protection

Not normally required if product is used as directed. No specific guidelines are available. Contact chemical manufacturer/supplier for advice.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance Colourless powder.

Odour Not available

Odour Threshold Not available

pH 7.8 (10% solution)

Melting Point/Freezing Point Not applicable (melting); Not applicable (freezing)

Initial Boiling Point/Range Not applicable
Flash Point Not applicable
Evaporation Rate Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas) Not available

Upper/Lower Flammability or

Explosive Limit

Not applicable (upper); Not applicable (lower)

Vapour PressureNot availableVapour Density (air = 1)Not applicableRelative Density (water = 1)2.27 at 25 °C

Solubility Very soluble in water; Insoluble in alcohols (e.g. ethanol).

Partition Coefficient, Not applicable

n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)

Auto-ignition Temperature Not available

Decomposition Temperature ~ 100 °C (212 °F)

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Viscosity Not available (kinematic); Not applicable (dynamic)

Other Information

Physical State Solid

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

None known.

Chemical Stability

Normally stable.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Decomposes violently in the presence of increased temperature.

Conditions to Avoid

High temperatures. Incompatible materials. Acidic conditions (low pH). Alkaline conditions (high pH). Temperatures above 223 °C

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents (e.g. perchloric acid), strong acids (e.g. hydrochloric acid), water.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Very toxic, flammable hydrogen sulfide; corrosive sulfur oxides; corrosive sulfuric acid.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation; skin contact; eye contact; ingestion.

Acute Toxicity

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
Sodium thiosulfate		> 5000 mg/kg (rat)	

LC50: No information was located.

LD50 (oral): No information was located.

LD50 (dermal): No information was located.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

No information was located.

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

No information was located.

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

Inhalation

No information was located.

Skin Absorption

No information was located.

Ingestion

No information was located.

Aspiration Hazard

No information was located.

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Repeated Exposure

No information was located.

Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

No information was located.

Carcinogenicity

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Chemical Name	IARC	ACGIH®	NTP	OSHA
Sodium thiosulfate	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

Reproductive Toxicity

Development of Offspring

No information was located.

Sexual Function and Fertility

No information was located.

Effects on or via Lactation

No information was located.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

No information was located.

Interactive Effects

No information was located.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This section is not required by WHMIS. This section is not required by OSHA HCS 2012.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not regulated under Canadian TDG regulations. Not regulated under US DOT Regulations. Not regulated under IATA Regulations.

Environmental

Not applicable

Hazards

Special Precautions Not applicable

Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

Canada

Domestic Substances List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)

Listed on the DSL.

USA

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 8(b)

Listed on the TSCA Inventory.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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