

MSDS for 5% Sodium Thiosulfate Catalog # 8725A

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Section 1 - Product Identification

An aqueous solution of sodium thiosulfate.

Section II - Composition/Information on Components

Ingredients	CAS#	OSHA Pel	ACGIH TLV	Other Limits	%
Sodium Thiosulfate	7772-98-7				5% w/v

Section III - Hazards Identification

Overview: May be harmful if swallowed. May be irritating to skin and eyes.

Safety Ratings

Health: Slight

Flammability: None

Reactivity: None

Contact: None

Recommended safety equipment: Nothing unusual. Storage: General storage

NFPA Ratings

Health = 1 Flammability = 0

Reactivity = 0

Potential Health Effects

The toxicology of this compound has not been completely examined. It is presumed that the toxicity of this item is similar to other weak reducing agents.

Inhalation: May be irritating

Ingestion: While the toxicity of this compound is low, large doses may cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, etc.

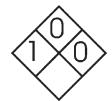
Skin contact. Not normally a problem

Eye contact: May be irritating Chronic Exposure: Unknown

Aggravation of preexisting conditions: Unknown



Inhalation: Unlikely to be a problem. Remove from source of exposure and get medical attention for any breathing difficulty. *Ingestion*: If the victim is conscious, induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.



Skin Contact: Wash affected area with soap and water. Get medical advice if irritation develops.

Eye Contact: Rinse thoroughly with running water. Get medical advice if irritation develops.

Section V - Fire Fighting Measures

Flash point: Not applicable.

Flammable Limits: Not applicable. Fire: Not normally a fire Hazard,

Explosion: Not Normally an explosion hazards.

Fire Extinguishing Media: Any means suitable for surrounding fire.

Special information: Pyrolysis will release corrosive oxides.

Section VI - Accidental Release Measures

Absorb with a suitable absorbent (such as paper towels) and store in a suitable container for disposal.

Section VII - Handling and Storage

Store in a closed container, protected from freezing.

Section VIII - Exposure Control/Personal Protection

Airborne Exposure Limits: See section II

Ventilation System: Usually not required. When required, Refer to the ACGIH document, "Industrial Ventilation, a Manual of Recommended Practices" for details about ventilation.

Personal Respirator: Usually not required. In case of emergency, or when exposure levels are unknown, use a positive pressure, full face piece, air supplied respirator.

Skin protection: Protective gloves are not required but recommended as part of good laboratory practice.

Eye Protection: Laboratory safety goggles or similar products are not required but recommended as part of good laboratory practice.

Section IX - Physical and Chemical Properties

Boiling Point: 100°C Density: 1.02 g/ml

Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 18 @ 20°C Evaporation Rate (water = 1): 1

Vapor Density (air = 1): 0.6 Solubility: Infinitely miscible with water

Appearance and Odor: A clear, colorless liquid.

Section X - Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Freezes at low temperature.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nothing unusual.

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Incompatibilities: Nothing unusual.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive cold/heat and light.

Section XI - Toxicological Information

None relating to normal exposure.

Cancer lists

Ingredient Known Carcinogenicity? Anticipated? IARC Category

Sodium Thiosulfate No No None

Section XII - Ecological Information

Environmental Fate: Biodegradable Environmental Toxicity: None

Section XIII - Disposal

Waste disposal is usually not restricted but local ordinances vary. Insure compliance with all government regulations.

Section XIV - Transportation information

Not Regulated

Section XV - Regulatory Information

Chemical Inventory Status

IngredientTSCAECSodium ThiosulfateYesYes

Federal, State and International Regulations

SARA 302 SARA 313 <u>RCRA</u> **TSCA Ingredient** RQ **TPQ** <u>List</u> Category 261.33 8(D) Sodium Thiosulfate No No No No No No

Chemical Weapons Convention: No TSCA 12(b): No CDTA: No

SARA 311/312: Acute: Yes, Chronic: No, Fire: No

Section XVI - Other Information

This information is believed to be correct but is not waranteed as such, nor does it purport to be all inclusive.

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