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# Safety data sheet according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- · 1.1 Product identifier
- · Product name: Compensation Reagent Total Nitrogen
- · Catalog number: 424409, 424409-0
- 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
- · Application of the substance / the preparation: Reagent for water analysis
- · 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
- · Supplier:

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· 1.4 Emergency telephone number:

+44 1235 239670 Languages: English

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

- · 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
- · Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS05 corrosion

Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

- · 2.2 Label elements
- · Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is classified and labelled according to the GB CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms





GHS05 GHS07

· Signal word Danger

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#### · Hazard-determining components of labelling:

disodium disulphite

Hazard statements

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

**Precautionary statements** 

P260 Do not breathe dust.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection.

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

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

do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a doctor.

· Additional information:

EUH031 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

· 2.3 Other hazards No further relevant information available.

#### · Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB), according to the criteria given in Annex XIII of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

Determination of endocrine-disrupting properties

The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

- · 3.2 Mixtures
- · Description: Mixture of inorganic compounds.

· Dangerous components:			
CAS: 7681-57-4 EINECS: 231-673-0 Index No: 016-063-00-2 Reg.nr.: 01-2119531326-45-XXXX	disodium disulphite	♦ Eye Dam. 1, H318; ♦ Acute Tox. 4, H302, EUH031	70–80%
CAS: 497-19-8 EINECS: 207-838-8 Index No: 011-005-00-2 Reg.nr.: 01-2119485498-19-XXXX	sodium carbonate	◆ Eye Irrit. 2, H319	10–20%

Additional information For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

- · 4.1 Description of first aid measures
- · General information Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- · After inhalation Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of symptoms.
- · After skin contact Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- · After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes (at least 15 min) under running water.

Call a doctor immediately.

· After swallowing

Rinse out mouth and then drink 1-2 glasses of water.

Seek medical treatment.

- · Information for doctor Sulphites are strong sensitizers.
- 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

burns

allergic reactions

after inhalation:

coughing

breathing difficulty

mucous membrane irritation

after swallowing:

irritations

gastric or intestinal trouble

sickness vomiting

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diarrhoea absorption

• 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No further relevant information available.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

- 5.1 Extinguishing media
- · Suitable extinguishing agents Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- · 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

The product is not combustible.

Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.

Can be released in case of fire:

Sulphur oxides (SOx)

Sodium oxide

- · 5.3 Advice for firefighters
- Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

Additional information

Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

- · 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
- · Advice for non-emergency personnel:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Advice for emergency responders:

Put on breathing apparatus.

Protective equipment: see section 8

- · 6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.
- · 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Collect mechanically.

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for information on disposal.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

- · 7.1 Precautions for safe handling
- · Advice on safe handling: Prevent formation of dust.
- · Hygiene measures:

Avoid contact with the eyes.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

- · 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
- · Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Store in cool location.
- Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from oxidising agents.

Do not store together with acids.

Further information about storage conditions:

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Protect from heat and direct sunlight.

Protect from the effects of light.

Protect from humidity and keep away from water.

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- · Recommended storage temperature: 20°C +/- 5°C
- · 7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### · 8.1 Control parameters

· Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite

WEL (Great Britain) Long-term value: 5 mg/m³

- Regulatory information WEL (Great Britain): EH40/2020
- · DNFI s

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite

Inhalative DNEL 10 mg/m³ (Worker / long-term /systemic effects)

(MERCK)

CAS: 497-19-8 sodium carbonate

Inhalative DNEL 10 mg/m³ (Worker / long-term / local effects)

Recommended monitoring procedures:

Methods for measurement of the workplace atmosphere have to correspond to the requirements of norms DIN EN 482 and DIN EN 689.

· PNECs

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

#### CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite

PNEC 75.4 mg/l (Sewage treatment plant)

0.1 mg/l (Marine water)

1 mg/l (Fresh water)

- · Additional information: The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.
- · 8.2 Exposure controls
- · Engineering measures:

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment. See item 7.

· Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled.

- · Eye/face protection Tightly sealed safety glasses.
- · Hand protection

Protective gloves.

Preventive skin protection by use of skin-protecting agents is recommended.

After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

Material of gloves

nitrile rubber, NBR

Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm

· Penetration time of glove material

Value for the permeation: Level = 1 ( < 10 min )

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- · Other skin protection (body protection): Protective work clothing.
- · Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
- · Recommended filter device for short term use: Filter P2
- · Environmental exposure controls Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.

#### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

- · 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties
- Physical state Solid

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(Contd. of page 4) · Form: Powder

· Colour: White · Odour: Sulphurous · Odour threshold: Not determined.

· Melting point/Freezing point: > 150°C (CAS 7681-57-4)

· Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range Not determined.

Flammability The product is not combustible. **Explosive properties:** Product is not explosive.

· Lower and upper explosion limit

Lower: Not applicable. Upper: Not applicable. · Flash point: Not applicable. · Auto-ignition temperature: Not applicable (solid). Decomposition temperature: > 150°C (CAS 7681-57-4) 6.7

· pH at 20°C Not applicable (solid).

· Kinematic viscosity

· Solubility

· Water:

· Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value) Not applicable (mixture). · Vapour pressure: Not applicable (solid).

· Density and/or relative density

· Density at 20°C: ~ 2.4 g/cm<sup>3</sup> · Relative density: Not determined. Relative gas density Not applicable (solid). · Particle characteristics Not determined.

· 9.2 Other information

· Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Corrosive to metals Void

· Other safety characteristics

Oxidising properties: none

Additional information

· Solids content: 100

· Solvent content:

0.0 % · Organic solvents: Water: 0 %

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

· 10.1 Reactivity see section 10.3

· 10.2 Chemical stability Stable at ambient temperature (room temperature).

· 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts with acids releasing sulphur dioxide

Reacts with oxidizing agents

- 10.4 Conditions to avoid Strong heating (decomposition)
- · 10.5 Incompatible materials: aluminium
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:

Sulphur dioxide

In case of fire: see section 5.

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

- · 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
- · Acute toxicity

Classification according to calculation procedure:

Harmful if swallowed.

Acute toxicity estimate (ATE<sub>MIX</sub>) - Calculation method:

Oral CLP ATE<sub>(MIX)</sub> 1925 mg/kg (.)

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· LD/LC50 v	· LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:				
CAS: 768	CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite				
Oral	LD50	1540 mg/kg (rat) (OECD 401) (MERCK)			
Dermal	LD50.	>2000 mg/kg (rat) (RTECS)			
Inhalative	LC50	>5.5 mg/l /4h (rat) (OECD 403) Registrant, ECHA: the value is given in analogy to sodium sulphite			
CAS: 497-	-19-8 s	odium carbonate			
Oral	LD50	2800 mg/kg (rat) (Registrant, ECHA)			
	LDLo	714 mg/kg (human) (RTECS)			
Dermal	LD50.	>2000 mg/kg (rabbit) (US-EPA) (Registrant, ECHA: No deaths occured at this concentration)			
Inhalative	LC50	5750 mg/l/2h (rat) (OECD 403)			

- · Skin corrosion/irritation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Serious eye damage/irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

Risk of corneal clouding.

Information on components:

CAS 497-19-8: chronic: dermatitis

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	CAS: 7681-57-4	CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite		
ſ	Irritation of skin	OECD 404	(rabbit: no irritation)	
	Irritation of eyes	OECD 405	(rabbit: severe irritations)	
ſ	CAS: 497-19-8 sodium carbonate			
ſ			(rabbit: slight irritation)	
	Irritation of eyes	OECD 405	(rabbit: irritation) (US-EPA)	

· Respiratory or skin sensitisation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· Information on components:			
CAS: 7681-5	CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite		
Sensitisation	OECD 406	(guinea pig: negative)	
	OECD 429		
		Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse	
		Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in certain sensitive individuals.	
		individuals.	

- · Germ cell mutagenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Carcinogenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Reproductive toxicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Information on components:

CAS 7681-57-4: Did not show teratogenic effects in animal experients.

CAS 7681-57-4: Did not show carcinogenic effects in animal experiments (IUCLID).

CAS 7681-57-4: No impairment of reproductive performance in animal experiments (IUCLID).

CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite		
OECD 471 (negative) (Bacterial Reverse Mutation Test - Ames test)		
CAS: 497-19-8 sodium carbonate		
OECD 471 (Bacterial Reverse Mutation Test - Ames test) negative / Escherichia coli		

- · STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -single exposure Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -repeated exposure Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Aspiration hazard Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- · Information on likely routes of exposure

When working with sodium metabisulfite, inhalative and dermal exposures are to be expected. [GESTIS]

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#### · Additional toxicological information:

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. (source: GESTIS)

Main toxic effects:

Acute: Irritant effect on the eyes and respiratory tract, acute intolerance reactions (in case of disposition)

chronic: allergic skin diseases (rare)

Further information (Merck):

Symptoms of exposure may include burning sensation, coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache,

nausea, and vomiting.

Persons with allergies and/or asthma may exhibit hypersensitivity to sulfites.

- · 11.2 Information on other hazards
- · Endocrine disrupting properties The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- · Other information

According to the information available to us, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties of the substances mentioned in Chapter 3 have not been thoroughly investigated.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### · 12.1 Toxicity

#### · Aquatic toxicity:

### CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite

EC50 89 mg/l/48h (Daphnia magna) (OECD 202)

(MERCK)

IC50 48 mg/l/72h (Desmodesmus subspicatus) (OECD 201)

(MERCK)

LC50 | 150–220 mg/l/96h (rainbow trout) (DIN 38412 Teil 15)

(Merck)

### CAS: 497-19-8 sodium carbonate

EC50 | 220-227 mg/l/48h (Daphnia magna) (US-EPA)

(Merck)

LC50 300 mg/l/96h (bluegill) (IUCLID)

(Registrant, ECHA)

#### · Bacterial toxicity:

#### CAS: 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite

EC50 56 mg/l (Pseudomonas putida) (17h)

(IUCLID)

# 12.2 Persistence and degradability

#### Other information:

Mixture of inorganic compounds.

Methods for the determination of biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

- · 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.
- · 12.4 Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.
- · 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB), according to the criteria given in Annex XIII of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

- 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- · 12.7 Other adverse effects Avoid transfer into the environment.
- · Water hazard:

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralised.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### · 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### · Recommendation

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system. Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.

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16 05 07\* discarded inorganic chemicals consisting of or containing hazardous substances

- · Uncleaned packagings:
- Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- Recommended cleaning agent: Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

· 14.1 UN number or ID number · ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· 14.2 UN proper shipping name · ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	
· ADR, IMDG, IATA · Class	Void
· 14.4 Packing group · ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· 14.5 Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
· 14.6 Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
· 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IM instruments	<b>O</b> Not applicable.
· Transport/Additional information:	Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

- · 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- · Poisons Act UK
- · Regulated explosives precursors

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Regulated poisons

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Reportable explosives precursors

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Reportable poisons

None of the ingredients is listed.

- · Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors not regulated
- Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Regulation (EC) No 1334/2000 setting up a Community regime for the control of exports of dual-use items and technology:

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Regulation (EC) No 273/2004 on drug precursors

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Regulation (EC) No 111/2005 laying down rules for the monitoring of trade between the Community and third countries in drug precursors

None of the ingredients is listed.

Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer:

None of the ingredients is listed.

· REGULATION (EU) 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants (POP)

None of the ingredients is listed.

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#### · LIST OF SUBSTANCES SUBJECT TO AUTHORISATION (ANNEX XIV)

None of the ingredients is listed.

Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57

This product does not contain any substances of very high concern above the legal concentration limit of ≥ 0.1% (w / w).

Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to UK REACH

This product does not contain any substances of very high concern above the legal concentration limit of ≥ 0.1% (w / w).

- · Directive 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III):
- · Named dangerous substances ANNEX I None of the ingredients is listed.
- · Information about limitation of use: Not required.
- · 15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

This Safety Data Sheets is in compliance with Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Article 31 as amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878.

· Training hints Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

#### · Relevant phrases

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Causes serious eye irritation. H319

EUH031 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

#### Abbreviations and acronyms:

OECD: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

STOT: specific target organ toxicity

SE: single exposure RE: repeated exposure

EC50: half maximal effective concentration

IC50: half maximal inhibitory concentration

NOEL or NOEC: No Observed Effect Level or Concentration

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (UK REACH)

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (ÚK REACH)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4 Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 2

Data arise from safety data sheets, reference works and literature.

ECHA: European CHemicals Agency http://echa.europa.eu

IUCLID (International Uniform Chemical Information Database)

RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances) GESTIS- Stoffdatenbank (Substance Database, Germany)

\* Data compared to the previous version altered.