



Safety Data Sheet

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

Product identifier:

Product name: Sodium methoxide

SDS No. : 7207E-1

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

Research and Development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazards identification

GHS classification and label elements of the product

Classification of the substance or mixture

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Flammable solids: Category 1

Self-heating substances and mixtures: Category 1

HEALTH HAZARDS

Acute toxicity (Oral): Category 4

Skin corrosion/irritation: Category 1

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Category 1

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure: Category 3(Narcosis)

Label elements



Signal word: Danger

HAZARD STATEMENT

Flammable solid

Self-heating; may catch fire

Harmful if swallowed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

May cause drowsiness or dizziness

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT

Prevention

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Keep cool.

Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wash contaminated parts thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.



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

Response

In case of fire: Use appropriate media to extinguish.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Maintain air gap between stacks or pallets.

Store bulk masses greater than specified value at temperatures not exceeding specified values.

Store separately.

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulation.

Specific Physical and Chemical hazards

Self-heating material. May catch fire spontaneously.

Flammable solid. Vapor/air mixture may explode.

3. Composition/information on ingredients**Mixture/Substance selection:****Substance**

Ingredient name:Sodium methoxide

Content (%):95(min)

Chemical formula:CH₃ONa

Chemicals No, Japan:2-203

CAS No.:124-41-4

MW:54.02

ECNO:204-699-5

Note : The figures shown above are not the specifications of the product.

4. First-aid measures**Descriptions of first-aid measures****IF INHALED**

Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF ON SKIN (or hair)

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.

If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

IF IN EYES

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.

IF SWALLOWED

Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.



5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

In case of fire, use water mist, foam, dry powder, CO₂, dry sand to extinguish.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Dry-powder firefighting equipment – except for phosphate etc., hydrogen carbonate etc.

Dry-powder extinguisher – except for phosphate etc., hydrogen carbonate etc.

Advice for firefighters

Specific fire-fighting measures

Evacuate non-essential personnel to safe area.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Wear fire resistant or flame retardant clothing.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece operated positive pressure mode.

6. Accidental release measures

Personnel precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ventilate area until material pick up is complete.

Wear proper protective equipment.

Environmental precautions

Prevent spills from entering sewers, watercourses or low areas.

Avoid raising dust.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal.

Preventive measures for secondary accident

Collect spillage.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Preventive measures

(Exposure Control for handling personnel)

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

(Protective measures against fire and explosion)

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

(Exhaust/ventilator)

Exhaust/ventilator should be available.

(Safety treatments)

Avoid contact with skin.

Avoid contact with eyes.

Safety Measures

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

Any incompatibilities

See "10.Stability and Reactivity"

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash contaminated parts thoroughly after handling.



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

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage

Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed.

Maintain air gap between stacks or pallets.

Store bulk masses greater than specified value at temperatures not exceeding specified values.

Store in a cool, dry place. Do not store in direct sunlight.

(Incompatible storage condition)

Store separately.

Container and packaging materials for safe handling

Polyethylene

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation.

Eye wash station should be available.

Washing facilities should be available.

Individual protection measures

Respiratory protection

Wear respiratory protection.

Hand protection

Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection

Wear eye/face protection.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state: Powder

Color: White to pale brown

Odor: Slightly characteristic odour

Melting point/Freezing point: (decomposes) >50°C

Boiling point or initial boiling point data is not available.

Boiling range data is not available.

Flammability (gases, liquids and solids) data is not available.

Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit:

Lower explosion limit: 7.3 vol %

Upper explosion limit: 36 vol %

Flash point data is not available.

Auto-ignition temperature: (Sodium methoxide)> 50°C

Decomposition temperature data is not available.

pH data is not available.

Kinematic viscosity data is not available.

Solubility:

Solubility in water: reaction

n-Octanol/water partition coefficient data is not available.

Vapor pressure data is not available.

Density and/or relative density: 1.3g/cm³

Relative vapor density (Air=1) data is not available.



Particle characteristics data is not available.

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

Not available.

Chemical stability

Hygroscopic substance.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Dust explosion possible if in powder or granular form, mixed with air.

Heating may cause violent combustion or explosion. Reacts violently with water. This produces flammable methanol and corrosive sodium hydroxide. The substance may ignite spontaneously on contact with moist air. The substance is a strong reducing agent. The substance is a strong base. It reacts violently with acid and is corrosive. Attacks many metals. This produces flammable/explosive gas (hydrogen). (ICSC 0771)

Conditions to avoid

Contact with incompatible materials.

Contact with fire source.

Incompatible materials

Acids, Water, Metals

Hazardous decomposition products

Methanol, Sodium hydroxide, Hydrogen

11. Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity (Oral)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Sodium methoxide)

rat LD50=800mg/kg (SIDS, 2008)

Irritant properties

Skin corrosion/irritation

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Sodium methoxide)

rabbit corrosive (SIDS, Access on Aug. 2008)

Serious eye damage/irritation

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Sodium methoxide)

rabbit necrosis (SIDS, Access on Aug. 2008)

Allergenic and sensitizing effects data is not available.

Mutagenic effects data is not available.

Carcinogenic effects data is not available.

Reproductive toxicity data is not available.

STOT

STOT-single exposure

[cat.3 (drow./dizz.)]

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Sodium methoxide)

narcotic effect (SIDS, 2008)

STOT-repeated exposure data is not available.

Aspiration hazard data is not available.

Information on other hazards

May cause lung disorders by massive inhalation of powdered substance.



-e.g. fibrosis of lung tissue, cough, sputum, breath shortness, dyspnea, decline of lung function, interstitial lung disease, pneumothorax

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity data is not available.

Water solubility

(Sodium methoxide)
reaction (ICSC, 2009)

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability data is not available.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential data is not available.

Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil data is not available.

Other adverse effects

Ozone depleting chemical data is not available.

13. Disposal considerations

Description of waste residues and information on their safe handling and methods of disposal, including the disposal of any contaminated packaging

Waste treatment methods

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulation.

14. Transport Information

UN No. or ID No.: 1431

UN Proper Shipping Name :

SODIUM METHYLATE

Class or division (Transport hazard class) : 4.2

Subsidiary hazard(s) : 8

Packing group : II

ERG GUIDE No.: 138

IMDG Code (International Maritime Dangerous Goods Regulations)

UN No.: 1431

Proper Shipping Name :

SODIUM METHYLATE

Class or division : 4.2

Subsidiary hazard(s) : 8

Packing group : II

IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations

UN No.: 1431

Proper Shipping Name :

SODIUM METHYLATE

Class or division : 4.2

Subsidiary hazard(s) : 8

Hazard labels : Spont. comb. & Corrosive

Packing group : II

Environmental hazards

MARPOL Annex III – Prevention of pollution by harmful substances

Marine pollutants (yes/no) : no



15. Regulatory Information

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

U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

Chemicals listed in TSCA Inventory

Sodium methoxide

Other regulatory information

Ensure this material in compliance with federal requirements and ensure conformity to local regulations.

16. Other information

GHS classification and labelling

Flam. Sol. 1: H228 Flammable solid

Self-heat. 1: H251 Self-heating; may catch fire

Acute Tox. 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed

Skin Corr. 1: H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Eye Dam. 1: H318 Causes serious eye damage

STOT SE 3: H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness

Reference Book

Globally Harmonized System of classification and labelling of chemicals, UN

Recommendations on the TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS 21th edit., 2019 UN

IMDG Code, 2018 Edition (Incorporating Amendment 39-18)

IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations (62nd Edition) 2021

2020 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK (US DOT)

2022 TLVs and BEIs. (ACGIH)

Supplier's data/information

General Disclaimer

This data sheet was created based on the information we currently have and may be revised according to new information. In addition, the precautions apply only to normal handling, and in the case of special handling, please make adequate countermeasure to maintain your safety.

The data given here is based on current knowledge and experience. The purpose of this Safety Data Sheet is to describe the products in terms of their safety requirements. The data does not signify any warranty with regard to the products' properties.

The GHS classification data given here is based on current Japan official data (NITE published in 2020).