



SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION: PRODUCT IDENTIFIER AND CHEMICAL IDENTITY

Product Identifier MODIFIED SODIUM DISILICATE

Other Names None

Manufacturer's Product Code 19932

Recommended Use Various

Details of Supplier/Manufacturer

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SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazardous chemical	according to classification by Safe Work Australia
Non-dangerous goods	according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

Signal Word DANGER

Hazardous chemical classification	Pictogram	Hazard statement
Skin Corrosion/Irritation, Category 1	CORROSION	H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single exposure), Category 3	EXCLAMATION MARK	H335 May cause respiratory irritation

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Precautionary statements:

GENERAL	
P101	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand
P102	Keep out of reach of children
P103	Read label before use
PREVENTATIVE	
P260	Do not breathe dusts or mists
P264	Wash thoroughly after handling
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
P280	Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection
RESPONSE	
P301 + P330 +	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting
P331	
P303+361+353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
P305+351+338	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 POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
STORAGE	
P403 + P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
P405	Store locked up
DISPOSAL	
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations

SECTION 3 COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients Names and Proportions

Chemical Entity	CAS Number	Proportion (%)
Sodium Silicate	1344-09-8	> 90

SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary first aid measures

Inhalation:	Keep victim calm and remove to fresh air if safe to do so. If rapid recovery does not occur, seek medical attention. Remove contaminated clothing
Skin Contact:	If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly with water and follow by washing with soap if available. If irritation occurs, seek medical attention
Eye Contact:	If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical assistance
Ingestion:	Rinse mouth and lips with water, do NOT induce vomiting. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention

Symptoms caused by exposure

Inhalation:	May cause coughing, sneezing and breathing difficulty
Skin:	May cause redness and dryness of skin
Eye:	May cause redness, soreness and blurred vision
Ingestion:	May cause irritation of mouth and throat

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Medical attention and special treatment

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing equipment

Non-flammable solid. Use appropriate extinguishing media most suitable for surrounding fire conditions.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Data not available.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid contact with spilled or released material. Shut off leaks, if possible without personal risks. Isolate hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary or unprotected personnel. Ventilate contaminated area thoroughly.

Environmental precautions

Keep product out of storm water and sewer drains using sand, earth or other appropriate barriers.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Spills best cleaned up by vacuum device to avoid generating airborne dust. Dispose of in accordance with regional regulations.

SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid breathing material. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not ingest. Do not eat, drink or smoke in contaminated areas. Handle and open containers with care in a well-ventilated area. Keep container closed after use. Do not empty into drains.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Protect from moisture to prevent hardening.

SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure control measures

From National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC) Worksafe Australia - no exposure standard has been established for this product, however the exposure standard for dust not otherwise specified is 10mg/m³ for inspirable dust and 3mg/m³ for respirable dust.

Biological monitoring

No biological limit allocated.

Engineering controls

Ensure that adequate ventilation is provided. Avoid generating and inhaling mists and vapours. Keep containers closed when not in use.

Individual protection measures

Eye and face protection:	Wear safety goggles.
Skin protection:	Use solvent resistant gloves, nitrile for longer term protection or PVC and neoprene for incidental splashes.

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Respiratory protection:	If work practices do not maintain adequate ventilation, use appropriate respiratory protection equipment. When using respirators, select an appropriate combination of mask and filter. Select a filter for organic gases and vapours (boiling point > 65°C). Respirators should comply with AS1716 or an equivalent approved by a state/territory authority.
Thermal hazards:	Not applicable.

SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	White fine powder
Odour:	None
Odour threshold (ppm):	Data not available
pH (1% solution):	11
Melting point/freezing point (°C):	Data not available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C):	Data not available
Flash point (°C):	Data not available
Evaporation rate (Butyl acetate = 1):	Data not available
Flammability:	Data not available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits (%):	Data not available
Vapour pressure (mmHg @ 20°C):	Data not available
Vapour density (air = 1):	Data not available
Density (g/ml @ 15°C):	0.6 (average)
Solubility:	Soluble in water
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Data not available
Auto-ignition temperature (°C):	Data not available
Decomposition temperature (°C):	Data not available
Kinematic viscosity (mm²/s @ 20°C):	Data not available

SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of use.

Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions of use.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Stable under normal conditions of use.

Conditions to avoid

Keep free of moisture and generating dust.

Incompatible materials

Strong acids, oxidizing agents.

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Hazardous decomposition products

Sodium oxide vapours may be generated at high temperatures.

SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity:	Expected to be of low toxicity
Skin corrosion/irritation:	Contact with skin will result in severe irritation. Corrosive to skin – may cause burns.
Serious eye damage/irritation:	A severe eye irritant. Corrosive to eyes; contact can cause corneal burns. Contamination of eyes can result in permanent injury.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation:	Data not available.
Germ cell mutagenicity:	Not expected to be a mutagen
Carcinogenicity:	Not expected to be a carcinogen
Reproductive toxicity:	Not expected to impair reproduction
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) – single exposure:	Irritating to the nose, throat and respiratory tract
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) – repeated exposure:	Data not available
Aspiration hazard:	Data not available

SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Acute toxicity:

Fish –	Data not available
Aquatic invertebrate –	Data not available
Algae –	Data not available
Microorganisms –	Data not available

Chronic toxicity:

Fish –	Data not available
Aquatic invertebrate –	Data not available
Algae –	Data not available
Microorganisms –	Data not available

Persistence and degradability

Data not available.

Bioaccumulative potential

Data not available.

Mobility in soil

Data not available.

Other adverse effects

Data not available.

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SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Ensure waste disposal conforms to local waste disposal regulations.

SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN number:	Not applicable
Proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Australian Dangerous Goods class:	Not applicable
Australian Dangerous Goods packing group:	Not applicable
Hazchem code:	Not applicable

SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP), Poisons Schedule:	Not applicable
Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS):	Listed
Dangerous Goods Initial Emergency Response Guide (SAA/SNZ HB76):	Not applicable

SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION

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This SDS summarises product safety information at the date of issue, to the best of our knowledge, as a general guide. Recochem cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product is used, so prior to usage each user must assess and control the risks associated with their use of the product. Users should also consult the relevant legislation governing the use and storage of this product. We make no warranties, express or implied, and assume no liability in connection with any use of information contained within this document. If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact Recochem on (07) 3308 5200.

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