



SAFETY DATA SHEET

SODIUM CARBONATE

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Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name: SODIUM CARBONATE

REACH registered number(s): 01-2119485498-19-XXXX

CAS number: 497-19-8

EINECS number: 207-838-8

Index number: 011-005-00-2

Synonyms: DISODIUM CARBONATE

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

Use of substance / mixture: PC18: Ink and toners. PC37: Water treatment chemicals. PC34: Textile dyes, finishing and impregnating products; including bleaches and other processing aids. PC21: Laboratory chemicals. PC20: Products such as pH-regulators, flocculants, precipitants, neutralization agents. PC9b: Fillers, putties, plasters, modelling clay.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: Celtic Chemicals Limited

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Kenfig Industrial Estate

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Neath Port Talbot

SA13 2PE

United Kingdom

Tel: +44 (0) 1656 749358

Fax: +44 (0) 1656 746490

Email: sales@celticchemicals.co.uk

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: +44 (0) 1656 749358

(office hours only)

Section 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CLP: Eye Irrit. 2: H319

Most important adverse effects: Causes serious eye irritation.

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2.2. Label elements

Label elements:

Hazard statements: H319: Causes serious eye irritation.

Hazard pictograms: GHS07: Exclamation mark



Signal words: Warning

Precautionary statements: P264: Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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

P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

2.3. Other hazards

Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Chemical identity: SODIUM CARBONATE

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Section 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Skin contact: Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin. Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. Consult a doctor.

Inhalation: Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. Consult a doctor.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Skin contact: There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely.

Ingestion: There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat.

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest. Exposure may cause coughing or wheezing.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

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4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Immediate / special treatment: Eye bathing equipment should be available on the premises.

Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Exposure hazards: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

Section 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions: Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. If outside do not approach from downwind. If outside keep bystanders upwind and away from danger point. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Do not create dust.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up procedures: Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

Section 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Avoid direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Do not handle in a confined space. Avoid the formation or spread of dust in the air.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed. The floor of the storage room must be impermeable to prevent the escape of liquids.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): No data available.

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Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Workplace exposure limits: No data available.

DNEL/PNEC Values

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Type	Exposure	Value	Population	Effect
DNEL	Inhalation	10 mg/m ³	Workers	Systemic
DNEL	Inhalation	10 mg/m ³	General Population	Systemic

Hazardous ingredients:

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8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. The floor of the storage room must be impermeable to prevent the escape of liquids.

Respiratory protection: Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency. Respiratory protective device with particle filter.

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

Skin protection: Protective clothing.

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State: Solid

Colour: White

Odour: Odourless

Evaporation rate: Not applicable.

Oxidising: Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

Solubility in water: Soluble

Viscosity: Not applicable.

Boiling point/range°C: Not applicable.

Melting point/range°C: 851

Flammability limits %: lower: Not applicable.

upper: Not applicable.

Flash point°C: Not applicable.

Part.coeff. n-octanol/water: Not applicable.

Autoflammability°C: Not applicable.

Vapour pressure: Not applicable.

Relative density: 2520 g/L

pH: Not applicable.

VOC g/l: Not applicable.

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9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

Section 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity: Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.
Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid: Heat.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

Section 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Toxicity values:

Route	Species	Test	Value	Units
ORL	MUS	LD50	6600	mg/kg
ORL	RAT	LD50	4090	mg/kg
SCU	MUS	LD50	2210	mg/kg

Hazardous ingredients:

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Relevant hazards for product:

Hazard	Route	Basis
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Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Hazardous: calculated
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Symptoms / routes of exposure

Skin contact: There may be irritation and redness at the site of contact.

Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely.

Ingestion: There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat.

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest. Exposure may cause coughing or wheezing.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

Section 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values: No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: Not applicable.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No bioaccumulation potential.

12.4. Mobility in soil

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT identification: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: No data available.

Section 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal operations: Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialised disposal company.

NB: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

Section 14: Transport information

Transport class: This product does not require a classification for transport.

Section 15: Regulatory information

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

Specific regulations: Not applicable.

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15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier.

Section 16: Other information

Other information

Other information: according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2015/830

* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

Phrases used in s.2 and s.3: H319: Causes serious eye irritation.

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.