# Safety Data Sheet SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE

### **Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification**

### Supplier's Information:

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**Product Name: Sodium Hypochlorite** 

**Product Code: Special** 

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**Use Dilution Information:** Use Product full strength on area to be cleaner or Dilute 1 to 1.

### Section 2 - Hazard Identification

# Product as a Concentrate GHS Overview:

Eye Corrosive, Corrosive to Gastrointestinal Tract. Skin Corrosive.

# GHS Label Elements: Signal Word: Danger

Symbol:



### **Hazard Statements:**

Causes Skin Irritation/Damage Causes Eye Irritation/Damage May Cause Respiratory Irritation

#### **Precautionary Statements**

**Prevention:** Wear protective gloves. Wear eye or full face protection. Wear protective clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

#### Response:

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Skin Contact: If skin comes in contact with product: Flush exposed area with cool water for 15 minutes. Consult a physician if irritation develops or persists. Eye Contact: If this product comes in contact with eyes, flush eyes with luke warm water for 30 minutes and consult a physician if irritation develops or persists. If Swallowed: Have patient drink large amounts of milk or plain water. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Consult a physician immediately. If Inhaled: Remove to clean atmosphere and consult physician immediately. Storage: No specific restriction identified. Disposal: See Section 13 for waste disposal

Other Hazards: None known.

# Product at Use Dilution GHS Overview:

Eye Severe Irritant, Severe Irritant to Gastrointestinal Tract, Skin Irritant

GHS Label Elements: Signal Word: Danger

Symbol:



#### **Hazard Statements:**

May Cause Skin Irritation/Damage May Cause Eye Irritation/Damage

#### **Precautionary Statements**

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### Response:

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**Disposal:** See Section 13 for waste disposal info.

Other Hazards: None known.

### **Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients**

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Hazardous Ingredients	Concentration Range	CAS Number
Sodium Hypochlorite	12 - 13 %	7681-52-9

# **Product at Use Dilution**

Hazardous Ingredients	Concentration Range	CAS Number
Sodium Hypochlorite	4 - 13 %	7681-52-9

#### **Section 4 - First Aid Procedures**

#### Product as a Concentrate:

**Skin Contact:** If skin comes in contact with product: Flush exposed area with cool water for 15 minutes. Consult a physician if irritation persists.

**Eye Contact:** If this product comes in contact with eyes, flush eyes with luke warm water for 30 minutes and consult a physician if irritation persists.

**Ingestion: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING.** Have patient drink large amounts of milk or plain water. Consult a physician immediately.

**Inhalation:** Remove to clean atmosphere and consult physician immediately

#### **Product at Use Dilutions:**

**Skin Contact:** If skin comes in contact with product: Flush exposed area with cool water for 15 minutes. Consult a physician if irritation persists.

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**Inhalation:** Remove to clean atmosphere and consult physician immediately.

### **Protection of First Responders:**

No action shall be taken involving personal risk or without suitable training. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth to mouth resuscitation. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing it, or wear gloves.

### Note to Physician:

Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.

# **Section 5 - Fire Fighting Information**

#### **Product as a Concentrate:**

**Suitable Fire Extinguishing Media:** Use water spray, fog, or foam.

**Specific Fire Hazards:** In a fire or if heated, pressure increase may occur and the container may burst.

Hazardous Thermal Decompostion Products: None known.

**Specific Fire - Fighting Methods:** Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the area if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. **Special Protective Equipment for Fire-fighters:** Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with full-face piece operated in positive pressure mode.

### **Section 6 - Accidental Spill Procedures**

#### **Product as a Concentrate:**

**Personal Precautions:** Initiate company's spill response procedures immediately. Keep people out of the area. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (See Section 8). Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid contact with spilled material and prevent runoff contact with soil and surface waterways.

Methods for Cleaning Up: Follow company's spill response procedures. Keep people away from spill area. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (See Section 8). Absorb / Neutralize liquid material. Use a tool to scoop up solid or absorbed material and put into appropriate labeled container. Use a water rinse for a final clean-up.

#### Product at Use Dilution:

**Personal Precautions:** Initiate company's spill response procedures immediately. Keep people out of the area. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (See Section 8). Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

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### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

#### **Product as a Concentrate**

**Handling:** Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapor or fumes. Use only in adequately ventilated areas. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Storage:** Keep out of the reach of children. Keep container tightly closed. Store between the following temperatures: -25oC and 40oC.

#### **Product at Use Dilution**

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**Storage:** Keep out of the reach of children. Keep container tightly closed.

# **Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

Control Parameters: **Ingredients Name** 

Sodium Hypochlorite

Exposure Limits
ACGIH TLV: 1 mg/m3
NIOSH TWA: 1 mg/m3

**Appropriate Engineering Controls:** Use only in adequate ventilation. If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapor, or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

### Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

**Eye Protection:** Use chemical splash goggles. For continued or severe exposure wear a

face shield over goggles.

**Hand Protection:** Use chemical resistant, impervious gloves.

**Skin Protection:** Use synthetic apron, other protective equipment as necessary to prevent

skin contact.

**Respiratory Protection:** A respirator is not needed under normal and intended conditions of product

use.

**Hygiene Measures:** Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical prod-

ucts, before eating, smoking, and using lavatory and at the end of working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially con-

taminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing.

# **Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties**

Product as a Concentrate: Physical State: Liquid

Color: Colorless to a pale greenish yellow

**Odor:** Pungent Chlorine like odor

pH: 12.0 Flash Point: None Explosion Limits: None

**Flammability:** Will not burn or support combustion

Melting Point: Not Applicable

**Boiling Point:** Decomposes at 110°C (230°F)

**Evaporation Rate:** Not Determined

**Vapor Pressure:** 31.1 mm Hg at 32°C (89.6°F)

Vapor Density: Not Determined Specific Gravity: 1.19 +/- 0.03

Solubility: 100%

Viscosity: Same as water

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

#### **Product as a Concentrate**

**Stability:** This product is stable.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Under normal conditions of storage and use, no hazardous

reactions will occur.

Conditions to Avoid: None

**Materials to Avoid:** Extremely reactive or incompatible materials such as acids.

Reactive or incompatible with the following materials: Oxidizers.

Slightly reactive or incompatible with the following materials: Metals.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Under normal conditions of storage and use hazardous de-

composition shall not occur.

### **Section 10 - Toxicological Information (cont.)**

Routes of Exposure: Skin Contact, Eye Contact, Inhalation, Ingestion.

#### **Product as a Concentrate**

**Symptoms** 

Skin Contact: Adverse symptoms may include the Skin Contact: Adverse symptoms may include following: Pain or irritation, redness, rash. Blistering may occur.

following: Pain or irritation, redness, watering. Inhalation: Adverse symptoms may include the following: Coughing, respiratory tract irritation. **Ingestion:** Adverse symptoms may include the following: Stomach pains, diarrhea.

### **Acute Toxicity**

**Skin Contact:** Causes damage / irritation. **Eye Contact:** Causes damage / irritation.

**Inhalation:** Can cause slight respiratory irritation.

**Ingestion:** Causes burns to the mouth, throat and stomach.

### **Toxicity Data**

Product / Ingredient Name Not Applicable

#### **Chronic Toxicity**

**Carcinogenicity:** No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Mutagenicity:** No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Teratogenicity:** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

# **Section 11 - Ecological Information**

#### **Product as a Concentrate**

**Ecotoxicity:** This material is harmful to aquatic life. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public waters unles this product is specifically identified and addressed in an NPDES permit. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifiying the sewage treatment authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the U.S. EPA

### **Aquatic and Terrestrial Toxicity**

Product / Ingredient Name	Results	Species	<u>Exposure</u>
Sodium Hypochlorite	Acute LC50 - 2.9 mg/l	Bluegill / Sunfish	96 Hours
	Acute LC50 - 3 - 5 mg/kg	Rat	24 Hours

Other Adverse Effects: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Product at Use Dilutions**

**Symptoms** 

the following: Pain or irritation, redness, rash. Blistering may occur.

**Eye Contact:** Adverse symptoms may include the **Eye Contact:** Adverse symptoms may include the following: Pain or irritation, redness, watering. Inhalation: Adverse symptoms may include the following: Coughing, respiratory tract irritation. **Ingestion:** Adverse symptoms may include the following: Stomach pains, diarrhea.

### Section 13 - Disposal Methods & Considerations

#### **Product as a Concentrate**

Disposal Methods: Avoid disposal. Attempt to use product completely in accordance with intended

use. Disposal should be in accordance with all local, State, and Federal regulations.

RCRA Classification: None

## **Section 14 - Transportation Information**

Note: Certain shipping modes or packaging sizes may have exceptions from the transportation regulations. The classification provided may not reflect those exceptions and may not apply to all shipping modes or packaging sizes.

**DOT (U.S. Department of Transportation)** 

**DOT Classification:** Corrosive

**DOT Proper Shipping Name: UN1791, Hypochlorite Solution** 

Shipping Class: 8 Packaging Group: II

**IMO / IMDG** 

IMO / IMDG Classification: Corrosive

IMO / IMDG Proper Shipping Name: UN1791, Hypochlorite Solution

Shipping Class: 8 Packaging Group: II

# **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

#### **Product as a Concentrate**

**U.S. Federal Regulations** 

**TSCA 8(b) Inventory:** All components are listed or exempt.

SARA 302/304/311/312 Extremely Hazardous Substances: No Listed Substances.

SARA 313 Product Names CAS Number Concentration:

No Listed Substances. **California Prop. 65**No Listed Substances.

### **Section 16 - Other Information**

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

NFPA RATING
0 = Non-Hazardous
I = Slight Hazard
2 = Hazardous
3 = Extreme Hazard
4 = Deadly



Hazardous Material Information System (U.S.A.)

HEALTH	3
FLAMMABILITY	0
REACTIVITY	2
PERSONAL	В

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#### Note to Reader:

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