

ALDRICH CHEMICAL CO INC./SUB OF SIGMA-ALDRICH CORP -- 30781-5 SODIUM METASILICATE --
6810-01-446-6836

===== Product Identification =====

Product ID:30781-5 SODIUM METASILICATE

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=== Responsible Party ===

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===== Composition/Information on Ingredients =====

Ingred Name:SODIUM METASILICATE

CAS:6834-92-0

RTECS #:VV9275000

Fraction by Wt: 100%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

===== Hazard

s Identification =====

LD50 LC50 Mixture:ORAL, RAT LD50:1153MG/KG

Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:YES Ingestion:YES

Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:HAMRFUL IF INHAL/INGEST.MATL EXTREMELY
DESTRUCTIVE TO TISSUE OF MUC MEMBRANES & UPPER RESPIRATORY
TRACT.INHAL MAY BE FATAL AS RESULT OF SPASM,INFLAMM & EDEMA OF
LARYNX & BRONCHI,CHEM NEUMONITIS & PULM EDEMA.TO BEST OF OUR
KNOWLEDGE THE CHEM/PHYS/TOXICOLOGI

CAL PROPERTIES HAVE NOT BEEN
THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED.

Effects of Overexposure:SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE MAY INCLUDE BURNING
SENSATION,COUGHING,WHEEZING,LARYNGITIS,SHORTNESS OF
BREATH,HEADACHE,NAUSEA,VOMITING.

Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:NONE SPEC BY MFG.TARGET
ORGANS:LUNGS,THORAX,RESPIRATION,GI KIDNEY,URETER,BLADDER,PATERNAL
EFFECTS.

===== First Aid Measures =====

First Aid:IN CASE OF CONTACT IMMED FLUSH EYE OR SKIN W/COPIOUS AMTS OF

WATER FOR @LEAST 15MINS WHILE REMOVING CONTAM CLOTH/SHOES.ASSURE
ADEQUATE FLUSHING OF EYES BY SEPARATING EYELIDS W/FINGERS.IF INHAL
REMOVE TO FRESH AIR.IF NOT BREATHING GIVE ARTIFICIAL
RESPIRATION.IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT GIVE OXYGEN.IF INGEST WASH
OUT MOUTH W/H2O PROVIDED PERSON IS CONSC.CALL PHYSICIAN.

===== Fire Fighting Measures =====

Flash Point:NON-COMBUSTIBLE

Lower Limits:NP

Upper Limits:NP

Extinguishing Media:USE EXTINGUISHING ME
DIA APPROPRIATE FOR SURROUNDING
FIRE CONDITIONS.

Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS &
PROTECTIVE CLOTHING TO PREVENT CONTCT W/SKIN/EYES.

Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:EMITS TOXIC FUMES UNDER FIRE CONDITIONS.

===== Accidental Release Measures =====

Spill Release Procedures:EVACUATE AREA.WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING
APPARATUS,RUBBER BOOTS & HEAVY RUBBER GLOVES.ABSORB ON
SAND/VERMICULITE & PLACE IN CLOSED CONTAINERS FOR

DISPOSAL. VENTILATE AREA & WASH SPILL SITE AFT MATL PICKUP COMPLETE
Neutralizing Agent: NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

===== Handling and Storage =====

Handling and Storage Precautions: KEEP TIGHTLY CLOSED. HYGROSCOPIC. STORE
IN COOL DRY PLACE.

Other Precautions: KEEP AWAY FROM FOOD, DRINK, ANIMAL FEEDING STUFFS. AVOID
SKIN/EYE CONTACT. CORROSIVE. CAUSES BURNS. IRRIT TO RESP TRACT.

===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection =====

Respiratory

Protection: WEAR APPROPRIATE NIOSH/MSHA APPROVED RESPIRATOR.

Ventilation: USE ONLY IN CHEMICAL FUME HOOD.

Protective Gloves: CHEM RESISTANT GLOVES

Eye Protection: SAFETY GOGGLES; FACE SHIELD (8-INCHES MIN)

Other Protective Equipment: OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. SAF SHOWER & EYE
BATH.

Work Hygienic Practices: WASH CONTAM CLOTH BEF REUSE; DISCARD CONTAM
SHOES. DONT GET IN EYE/SKIN/CLOTH. AVOID PROL/REP EXPO. WASH
THOROUGHLY AFT HNDL

Supplemental Safety and Health

===== Physical/Chemical Properties =====

HCC: B1

Boiling Pt: B.P. Text: NP

Melt/Freeze Pt: M.P/F.P Text: NP

Decomp Temp: Decomp Text: NP

Vapor Pres: NP

Vapor Density: NP

Spec Gravity: NP

pH: NP

Evaporation Rate & Reference: NP

Solubility in Water: NP

Appearance and Odor: WHITE GRANULAR POWDER

Percent Volatiles by Volume: NP

Corrosion Rate: NP

===== Stability and Reactivity Data =====

HALOGENS, STRONG ACIDS.

Stability Condition to Avoid: NONE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER.

Hazardous Decomposi

tion Products:NATURE OF DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS NOT
KNOWN.

===== Disposal Considerations =====

Waste Disposal Methods:OBSERVE ALL LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL ENVIRO
REGULATIONS.BURY IN LANDFILL SITE APPROVED FOR DISPOSAL OF CHEMICAL
& HAZ WASTES.

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