

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name	Sodium Bisulfite
CAS number	7631-90-1
Synonyms	Sodium hydrogen sulfite

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

Identified uses	Laboratory Chemicals
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1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Lab Alley, LLC 12501 Pauls Valley Road Austin, Texas 78737 U.S.A.
Telephone	512-668-9918
Fax	512-886-4008

1.4 Emergency telephone

Emergency Phone #	US & Canada: 1-800-535-5053	INFOTRAC
	International 1-352-323-3500	INFOTRAC

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute oral toxicity Category 4
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3
Target organs - Respiratory system

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal Word

Warning.

Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed
May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary statements

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Components

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	Concentration
Sodium bisulfite	-	7631-90-5	>95%

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first-aid measures

General advice

Show this sheet to a doctor if medical advice is needed.

If inhaled

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

In case of skin contact

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

If swallowed

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None reasonably foreseeable.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO₂), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media No information available.

5.2 Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No information available.

5.3 Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

5.4 Further information

Flash Point No information available.

Autoignition Temperature No information available.

Explosion limits

Upper No information available.

Lower No information available.

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available.

NFPA

Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
3	0	2	N/A

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 2 for full list of hazard and precaution statements.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from acids. Incompatible materials.

Incompatibilities

Acids, Metals.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Occupational exposure limits

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Component	Type	Value
Sodium bisulfite	TWA	5 mg/m3

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Component	Type	Value
Sodium bisulfite	TWA	5 mg/m3

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Component	Type	Value
Sodium bisulfite	TWA	5 mg/m3

Biological occupational exposure limits

No information available.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Body Protection

Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Control of environmental exposure

Should not be released into the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Powder solid
Appearance	White
Odor	Rotten-egg like
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH	4-5 25% aq. sol
Melting Point/Range	150 °C / 302 °F
Boiling Point/Range	No information available
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable
Flammability (solid)	No information available
Flammability or explosive limit	No information available
Upper	No information available
Lower	No information available
Vapor Pressure	No information available
Vapor Density	Not applicable
Density	1.48
Solubility	300 g/l
Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water	No information available
Autoignition Temp	No information available
Decomposition Temp	No information available

Viscosity	No information available
Molecular Formula	NaHSO ₃
Molecular Weight	104.06
VOC Content(%)	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

9.2 Other safety information

No information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Reactive.

10.2 Chemical stability

Moisture sensitive.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Avoid dust formation. Excess heat. Exposure to air. Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water. Temperatures above 150 degrees Celsius. Acids.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Acids, Metals.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Sulfur oxides, sodium oxides.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Product Information, Component Information

Acute toxicity

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium bisulfite	1310 mg/kg	Not listed	Not listed

Skin corrosion/irritation

May cause skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

May cause eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

May cause skin or respiratory tract irritation.

Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available.

Carcinogenicity

Component	CAS	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Sodium bisulfite	7631-90-5	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Respiratory system.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

None known.

Reproductive toxicity

No information available.

Chronic effects

No information available.

11.2 Additional Information

No information available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Product		Species	Test Results
Sodium bisulfite	EC50	Water Flea (D. magna)	119 mg/L, 48h

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Soluble in water. Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

12.3 Bio accumulative potential

No information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

No information available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No information available.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No information available.

12.7 Other adverse effects

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste Disposal Methods

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

UN Number	Not Regulated
Proper Shipping name	Not Regulated
Hazard Class	None
Packaging Group	Not Regulated
Technical name	Sodium Bisulfite

IMDG

UN Number	Not Regulated
Proper Shipping name	Not Regulated
Hazard Class	None
Packaging Group	Not Regulated
Technical name	Sodium Bisulfite

IATA

UN Number	Not Regulated
Proper Shipping name	Not Regulated
Hazard Class	None
Packaging Group	Not Regulated
Technical name	Sodium Bisulfite

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

US federal regulations

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)
Not listed.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)
Sodium Bisulfite Hazardous Substance RQ: 5000 lb.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not applicable.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

See section 2 for more information.

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not applicable.

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

Sodium bisulfite Reportable Quantity: 5000 lb.

FEMA Priority Substances Respiratory Health and Safety in the Flavor Manufacturing Workplace

Not listed.

US state regulations

US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

Listed.

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Listed.

US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law

Listed.

California Proposition 65

Not listed.

SECTION 16: Other information

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SECTION 17: Disclaimer

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