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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

### Product identifier

**Product Name** UniVer® 3 Hardness Reagent

### Other means of identification

**Product Code(s)** 96299

**Safety data sheet number** M00168

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Hardness determination. Laboratory reagent.

**Uses advised against** None.

**Restrictions on use** None.

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### **Manufacturer Address**

Hach Company P.O.Box 389 Loveland, CO 80539 USA +1(970) 669-3050

#### **Emergency telephone number**

+1(303) 623-5716 - 24 Hour Service +1(515)232-2533 - 8am - 4pm CST

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### **Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

### Label elements

**Signal word - Warning**



### Hazard statements

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H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
H332 - Harmful if inhaled

**Precautionary statements**

P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
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

**Other Hazards Known**

May be harmful if swallowed  
May be harmful in contact with skin  
Causes mild skin irritation  
Harmful to aquatic life

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

**Substance**

Not applicable

**Mixture**

Chemical name	CAS No.	Percent Range	HMRIC #
Disodium carbonate	497-19-8	60 - 70%	-
Sodium sulfite	7757-83-7	20 - 30%	-
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9	10 - 20%	-
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate	148-18-5	1 - 5%	-
Tetrasodium EDTA	64-02-8	<1%	-
Silica, amorphous	7631-86-9	<1%	-
1-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 3-hydroxy-4-[(2-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl)azo]-	3147-14-6	<1%	-

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Description of first aid measures**

**General advice**

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Eye contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Skin contact**

Wash skin with soap and water.

**Ingestion**

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

**Self-protection of the first aider**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of

contamination.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms** Burning sensation. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in breathing.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** No information available.

**Hazardous combustion products** Nitrogen oxides. Sulfur oxides. Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide. Sodium oxides. Ammonia. Silicon dioxide.

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**U.S. Notice** Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous substances may respond to a spill according to federal regulations (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120(a)(v)) and per your company's emergency response plan and guidelines/procedures. See Section 13, Special Instructions for disposal assistance. Outside of the US, only persons properly qualified according to state or local regulations should respond to a spill involving chemicals.

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal precautions** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generation of dust. Do not breathe dust.

**Other Information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for cleaning up** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

**Reference to other sections** See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Avoid generation of dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children.

**Flammability class** Not applicable

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

#### Exposure Guidelines

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Ammonium chloride CAS#: 12125-02-9	STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume
Silica, amorphous CAS#: 7631-86-9	NDF	TWA: 50 µg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 20 mppcf :	IDLH: 3000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Respiratory protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**Hand Protection** Wear suitable gloves.

**Eye/face protection** If splashes are likely to occur, wear safety glasses with side-shields.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

**Environmental exposure controls** Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water.

**Thermal hazards** None under normal processing.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical state** Solid

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**Appearance** powder  
**Odor** Odorless

**Color** light pink  
**Odor threshold** No data available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>Molecular weight</b>	No data available	
<b>pH</b>	10.1	
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	95 °C / 203 °F	
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	No data available	
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not applicable	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	Not applicable	
<b>Vapor density (air = 1)</b>	Not applicable	
<b>Specific gravity (water = 1 / air = 1)</b>	2.25	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	log K <sub>ow</sub> ~ -0.01	
<b>Soil Organic Carbon-Water Partition Coefficient</b>	log K <sub>oc</sub> ~ 0	
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	Not applicable	
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	Not applicable	

#### Solubility(ies)

##### **Water solubility**

<u>Water solubility classification</u>	<u>Water solubility</u>	<u>Water Solubility Temperature</u>
Soluble	> 1000 mg/L	25 °C / 77 °F

##### **Solubility in other solvents**

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Solubility classification</u>	<u>Solubility</u>	<u>Solubility Temperature</u>
None reported	No information available	No data available	No information available

#### Other Information

##### **Metal Corrosivity**

**Steel Corrosion Rate** Not applicable  
**Aluminum Corrosion Rate** 0.56 mm/yr / 0.02 in/yr

##### **Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) Content** Not applicable

<b>Chemical name</b>	<b>CAS No.</b>	<b>Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content</b>	<b>CAA (Clean Air Act)</b>
Disodium carbonate	497-19-8	No data available	-
Sodium sulfite	7757-83-7	No data available	-
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9	No data available	-
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate	148-18-5	No data available	-

Chemical name	CAS No.	Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content	CAA (Clean Air Act)
Tetrasodium EDTA	64-02-8	No data available	-
Silica, amorphous	7631-86-9	No data available	-
1-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 3-hydroxy-4-[(2-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl)azo]-	3147-14-6	No data available	-

#### Explosive properties

Upper explosion limit No data available  
Lower explosion limit No data available

#### Flammable properties

Flash point Not applicable

#### Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit No data available  
Lower flammability limit No data available

#### Oxidizing properties

No data available.

#### Bulk density

No data available

#### Particle Size

No information available

#### Particle Size Distribution

No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Not applicable.

#### Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

#### Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None  
Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

#### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

#### Hazardous polymerization

None under normal processing.

#### Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Excessive heat.

#### Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, and strong bases.

#### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Nitrogen oxides. Sulfur oxides. Ammonia. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Information on Likely Routes of Exposure**

**Product Information**

<b>Inhalation</b>	May cause irritation of respiratory tract. Harmful by inhalation.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Causes serious eye irritation. May cause redness, itching, and pain.
<b>Skin contact</b>	May cause irritation. Prolonged contact may cause redness and irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.
<b>Symptoms</b>	May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Coughing and/ or wheezing.
<b>Aggravated Medical Conditions</b>	Skin disorders. Eye disorders. Preexisting eye disorders. Respiratory disorders.
<b>Toxicologically synergistic products</b>	None known.
<b>Toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution</b>	No information available.

**Product Acute Toxicity Data**

<b>Oral Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Dermal Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route</b>	No data available

**Unknown Acute Toxicity**

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

**Acute Toxicity Estimations (ATE)**

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

<b>ATEmix (oral)</b>	3,292.00 mg/kg
<b>ATEmix (dermal)</b>	2,731.00 mg/kg
<b>ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)</b>	1.80 mg/L
<b>ATEmix (inhalation-vapor)</b>	108.00 mg/L
<b>ATEmix (inhalation-gas)</b>	No information available

**Ingredient Acute Toxicity Data**

<b>Oral Exposure Route</b>		If available, see data below			
<b>Chemical name</b>	<b>Endpoint type</b>	<b>Reported dose</b>	<b>Exposure time</b>	<b>Toxicological effects</b>	<b>Key literature references and sources for data</b>
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	Rat LD <sub>50</sub>	4090 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	Rat LD <sub>50</sub>	3560 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	GESTIS (Information System on Hazardous Substances of the German Social Accident Insurance)
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	Rat LD <sub>50</sub>	1650 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (1 - 5%) CAS#: 148-18-5	Rat LD <sub>50</sub>	1500 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	GESTIS (Information System on Hazardous Substances of the German Social Accident Insurance)
Tetrasodium EDTA	Rat LD <sub>50</sub>	1658 mg/kg	None	None reported	ERMA (New Zealand)

(<1%) CAS#: 64-02-8			reported		Environmental Risk Management Authority)
1-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 3-hydroxy-4-[(2-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl)azo]- (<1%) CAS#: 3147-14-6	Rat	> 5000 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	No information available

**Dermal Exposure Route** If available, see data below

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	Mouse LD <sub>50</sub>	2210 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	No information available
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	Rat LD <sub>50</sub>	2000 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	EPA (United States Environmental Protection Agency)
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (1 - 5%) CAS#: 148-18-5	Rat LD <sub>50</sub>	> 1000 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	GESTIS (Information System on Hazardous Substances of the German Social Accident Insurance)

**Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route** If available, see data below

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	Rat LC <sub>50</sub>	1.15 mg/L	4 hours	None reported	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	Rat LC <sub>50</sub>	5.5 mg/L	4 hours	None reported	ECHA (The European Chemicals Agency)

**Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route** If available, see data below

**Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route** If available, see data below

**Product Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure Data**

<b>Oral Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Dermal Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route</b>	No data available
<b>Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route</b>	No data available

**Ingredient Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure Data**

**Oral Exposure Route** If available, see data below

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	Domestic mammal - Not specified LD <sub>Lo</sub>	1500 mg/kg	None reported	<b>Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration</b> Respiratory stimulation	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	Rat LC <sub>Lo</sub>	5000 mg/kg	None reported	None reported	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

**Dermal Exposure Route** If available, see data below

**Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route** If available, see data below

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	Rat LC <sub>Lo</sub>	2.19 mg/L	4 hours	<b>Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration</b> Dyspnea	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)



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**Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route**  
**Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route**

If available, see data below  
If available, see data below

**Aspiration toxicity**

If available, see data below

**Kinematic viscosity**

Not applicable

**Product Skin Corrosion/Irritation Data**

No data available.

**Key literature references and sources for data**

Outside testing

**Ingredient Skin Corrosion/Irritation Data**

If available, see data below

Chemical name	Test method	Species	Reported dose	Exposure time	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	Standard Draize Test	Rabbit	500 mg	24 hours	Mild skin irritant	ECHA (The European Chemicals Agency) HSDB (Hazardous Substances Data Bank)
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	Standard Draize Test	Rabbit	500 mg	4 hours	Not corrosive or irritating to skin	ECHA (The European Chemicals Agency)
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	Existing human experience	Human	None reported	None reported	Mild skin irritant	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	Standard Draize Test	Rabbit	500 mg	24 hours	Not corrosive or irritating to skin	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)

**Product Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Data**

No data available.

**Ingredient Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Data**

If available, see data below

Chemical name	Test method	Species	Reported dose	Exposure time	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	Standard Draize Test	Rabbit	100 mg	24 hours	Eye irritant	HSDB (Hazardous Substances Data Bank)
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	Standard Draize Test	Rabbit	162 mg	None reported	Mild eye irritant	ECHA (The European Chemicals Agency)
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	Standard Draize Test	Rabbit	25 mg	24 hours	Mild eye irritant	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)

**Sensitization Information**

**Product Sensitization Data**

**Skin Sensitization Exposure Route**

No data available.

**Respiratory Sensitization Exposure Route**

No data available.

**Ingredient Sensitization Data**

**Skin Sensitization Exposure Route**

If available, see data below.

Chemical name	Test method	Species	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	OECD Test No. 406: Skin Sensitization	Guinea pig	Not confirmed to be a skin sensitizer	OECD (Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development)
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	OECD Test No. 406: Skin Sensitization	Guinea pig	Not confirmed to be a skin sensitizer	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)

**Respiratory Sensitization Exposure Route** If available, see data below.

Chemical name	Test method	Species	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	Based on human experience	Human	Confirmed to be a respiratory sensitizer	OECD (Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development)

**Chronic Toxicity Information**

**Product Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeat Dose Data**

Oral Exposure Route	No data available.
Dermal Exposure Route	No data available.
Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route	No data available.
Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route	No data available.
Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route	No data available.

**Ingredient Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeat Exposure Data**

**Oral Exposure Route** If available, see data below

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	Rat TD <sub>Lo</sub>	3500 mg/kg	7 days	<b>Nutritional and Gross Metabolic</b> Metabolic acidosis	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	Rat TD <sub>Lo</sub>	556000 mg/kg	78 weeks	<b>Kidney, Ureter, or Bladder</b> Changes in tubules (including acute renal failure, acute tubular necrosis)	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

**Dermal Exposure Route** If available, see data below

**Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route** If available, see data below

Chemical name	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Exposure time	Toxicological effects	Key literature references and sources for data
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	Rat TC <sub>Lo</sub>	0.154 mg/L	28 days	<b>Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration</b> Structural or functional change in trachea or bronchi	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	Rat TC <sub>Lo</sub>	0.00541 mg/L	5 days	None reported	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

**Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route** If available, see data below

**Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route** If available, see data below

**Product Carcinogenicity Data**

Oral Exposure Route	No data available
Dermal Exposure Route	No data available
Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route	No data available
Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route	No data available
Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route	No data available

**Ingredient Carcinogenicity Data**

Chemical name	CAS No.	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Disodium carbonate	497-19-8	-	-	-	-
Sodium sulfite	7757-83-7	-	Group 3	-	-
Ammonium chloride	12125-02-9	-	-	-	-
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate	148-18-5	-	Group 3	-	-
Tetrasodium EDTA	64-02-8	-	-	-	-
Silica, amorphous	7631-86-9	-	Group 3	Known	X
1-Naphthalenesulfonic acid, 3-hydroxy-4-[(2-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl)azo]-	3147-14-6	-	-	-	-

**Legend**

<b>ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)</b>	Does not apply
<b>IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)</b>	Group 3 - Not classifiable as a human carcinogen
<b>NTP (National Toxicology Program)</b>	Does not apply
<b>OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)</b>	Does not apply

**Oral Exposure Route**

If available, see data below

**Dermal Exposure Route**

If available, see data below

**Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route**

If available, see data below

**Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route**

If available, see data below

**Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route**

If available, see data below

**Product Germ Cell Mutagenicity *invitro* Data**

No data available.

**Ingredient Germ Cell Mutagenicity *invitro* Data**

If available, see data below

Chemical name	Test	Cell Strain	Reported dose	Exposure time	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	Cytogenetic analysis	Mouse sperm cells	25 mg/L	None reported	Positive test result for mutagenicity	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	Cytogenetic analysis	Hamster fibroblast	400 mg/L	None reported	Positive test result for mutagenicity	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (1 - 5%) CAS#: 148-18-5	DNA damage	Human HeLa Cell	100 mmol/L	None reported	Positive test result for mutagenicity	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)
Chemical name	Test	Cell Strain	Reported dose	Exposure time	Results	Key literature references and sources for data
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	None reported	Human lymphocyte	0.1 mmol/L	None reported	Positive test result for mutagenicity	RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

**Product Germ Cell Mutagenicity *invivo* Data**

**Oral Exposure Route**

No data available

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 Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route  
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 Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route

No data available  
 No data available  
 No data available  
 No data available

**Ingredient Germ Cell Mutagenicity *in vivo* Data**

Oral Exposure Route  
 Dermal Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route

If available, see data below  
 If available, see data below  
 If available, see data below  
 If available, see data below  
 If available, see data below

**Product Reproductive Toxicity Data**

Oral Exposure Route  
 Dermal Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route

No data available  
 No data available  
 No data available  
 No data available  
 No data available

**Ingredient Reproductive Toxicity Data**

Oral Exposure Route  
 Dermal Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Dust/Mist) Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Vapor) Exposure Route  
 Inhalation (Gas) Exposure Route

If available, see data below  
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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity**

**Product Ecological Data**

**Aquatic toxicity**

Fish  
 Crustacea  
 Algae

No data available  
 No data available  
 No data available

**Ingredient Ecological Data**

**Aquatic toxicity**

**Fish**

If available, see ingredient data below

Chemical name	Exposure time	Species	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Key literature references and sources for data
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	96 hours	<i>Lepomis macrochirus</i>	LC <sub>50</sub>	300 mg/L	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	96 hours	<i>Leuciscus idus</i>	LC <sub>50</sub>	170 mg/L	OECD (Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development)
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	96 hours	<i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	LC <sub>50</sub>	3.98 mg/L	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (1 - 5%) CAS#: 148-18-5	96 hours	<i>Poecilia reticulata</i>	LC <sub>50</sub>	6.9 mg/L	GESTIS (Information System on Hazardous Substances of the German Social Accident Insurance)
Silica, amorphous	96 hours	<i>Brachydanio rerio</i>	LC <sub>50</sub>	5000 mg/L	IUCLID (The International

(<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9					Uniform Chemical Information Database)
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**Crustacea** If available, see ingredient data below

Chemical name	Exposure time	Species	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Key literature references and sources for data
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	48 Hours	<i>Daphnia magna</i>	EC <sub>50</sub>	265 mg/L	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	48 Hours	<i>Daphnia magna</i>	EC <sub>50</sub>	18 mg/L	OECD (Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development)
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	48 Hours	<i>Daphnia magna</i>	LC <sub>50</sub>	161 mg/L	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (1 - 5%) CAS#: 148-18-5	48 Hours	<i>Daphnia magna</i>	EC <sub>50</sub>	0.91 mg/L	GESTIS (Information System on Hazardous Substances of the German Social Accident Insurance)
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	48 Hours	<i>Ceriodaphnia dubia</i>	EC <sub>50</sub>	7600 mg/L	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)

**Algae** If available, see ingredient data below

Chemical name	Exposure time	Species	Endpoint type	Reported dose	Key literature references and sources for data
Sodium sulfite (20 - 30%) CAS#: 7757-83-7	None reported	<i>Chlamydomonas reinhardtii</i>	EC <sub>50</sub>	63 mg/L	OECD (Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development)
Sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (1 - 5%) CAS#: 148-18-5	72 Hours	<i>Chlorella pyrenoidosa</i>	EC <sub>50</sub>	1.4 mg/L	GESTIS (Information System on Hazardous Substances of the German Social Accident Insurance)
Silica, amorphous (<1%) CAS#: 7631-86-9	72 Hours	<i>Selenastrum capricornutum</i>	EC <sub>50</sub>	440 mg/L	IUCLID (The International Uniform Chemical Information Database)

**Other Information**

**Persistence and degradability**

**Product Biodegradability Data**

No data available.

**Ingredient Biodegradability Data**

Chemical name	Test method	Biodegradation	Exposure time	Results
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	None reported	None reported	None reported	Readily biodegradable
Ammonium chloride (10 - 20%) CAS#: 12125-02-9	None reported	None reported	None reported	Readily biodegradable

**Bioaccumulation**

**Product Bioaccumulation Data**

No data available.

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Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

log K<sub>ow</sub> ~ -0.01

#### Ingredient Bioaccumulation Data

Chemical name	Test method	Exposure time	Species	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)	Results
Disodium carbonate (60 - 70%) CAS#: 497-19-8	None reported	None reported	None reported	None reported	Does not have the potential to bioaccumulate

#### Mobility

Soil Organic Carbon-Water Partition Coefficient

log K<sub>oc</sub> ~ 0

#### Water solubility

Water solubility classification	Water solubility	Water Solubility Temperature
Soluble	> 1000 mg/L	25 °C / 77 °F

#### Other adverse effects

No information available.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging

Do not reuse empty containers.

Special instructions for disposal

Work in an approved fume hood. Dilute material with excess water making a weaker than 5% solution. Adjust to a pH between 6 and 9 with an acid, such as sulfuric or citric. If permitted by regulation. Open cold water tap completely, slowly pour the reacted material to the drain. Allow cold water to run for 5 minutes to completely flush the system.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### U.S. DOT

##### Special Provisions

Not regulated  
Contact with acids forms toxic fumes.

#### TDG

Not regulated

#### IATA

Not regulated

#### IMDG

Not regulated

#### Note:

No special precautions necessary.

#### Additional information

There is a possibility that this product could be contained in a reagent set or kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods. If the item is not in a reagent set or kit, the classification given above applies.

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If the item is part of a reagent set or kit the classification would change to the following:

UN3316 Chemical Kit, Hazard Class 9, Packing Group II or III.

If the item is not regulated, the Chemical Kit classification does not apply.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### National Inventories

**TSCA** Complies  
**DSL/NDSL** Complies

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

### International Inventories

**EINECS/ELINCS** Complies  
**ENCS** Complies  
**IECSC** Complies  
**KECL** Complies  
**PICCS** Complies  
**TCSI** Complies  
**AICS** Complies  
**NZIoC** Complies

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**TCSI** - Taiwan Chemical Substances Inventory

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

### US Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Ammonium chloride (CAS #: 12125-02-9)	1.0

#### **SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

**Acute health hazard** Yes  
**Chronic Health Hazard** No  
**Fire hazard** No  
**Sudden release of pressure hazard** No  
**Reactive Hazard** No

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Ammonium chloride 12125-02-9	5000 lb	-	-	X

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and

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Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Ammonium chloride 12125-02-9	5000 lb	-	RQ 5000 lb final RQ RQ 2270 kg final RQ

## US State Regulations

### California Proposition 65

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals

Chemical name	California Proposition 65
Silica, amorphous (CAS #: 7631-86-9)	Carcinogen



**WARNING:** This product can expose you to chemicals including Silica, amorphous, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer.

For more information, go to <http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov>

## U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Ammonium chloride 12125-02-9	X	X	X
Silica, amorphous 7631-86-9	-	X	X

## U.S. EPA Label Information

Chemical name	FIFRA	FDA
Disodium carbonate	180.1234	21 CFR 184.1742
Sodium sulfite	180.0910	21 CFR 182.3798
Ammonium chloride	180.0920	21 CFR 184.1138
Tetrasodium EDTA	180.0910	-
Silica, amorphous	180.0930	-

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OF THE LAST REVISION

### Special Comments

None

### Additional information

#### Global Automotive Declarable Substance List (GADSL)

Chemical name	Global Automotive Declarable Substance List Classifications	Global Automotive Declarable Substance List Thresholds
Sodium sulfite 7757-83-7	Prohibited Substance (LR) Declarable Substance (LR)	0.0 %

### NFPA and HMIS Classifications



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<b>NFPA</b>	<b>Health hazards - 2</b>	<b>Flammability - 0</b>	<b>Instability - 0</b>	<b>Physical and Chemical Properties -</b>
<b>HMIS</b>	<b>Health hazards - 1</b>	<b>Flammability - 0</b>	<b>Physical Hazards - 0</b>	<b>Personal protection - X</b> - See section 8 for more information

**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet**

NIOSH IDLH *Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health*  
 ACGIH ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)  
 NDF *no data*

**Legend - Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
MAC	Maximum Allowable Concentration	Ceiling	Ceiling Limit Value
X	Listed	Vacated	These values have no official status. The only binding levels of contaminants are those listed in the final OSHA PEL. These lists are for reference purposes only. Please note that some reference state regulations of these "liberated" exposure limits in their state regulations.
SKN*	Skin designation	SKN+	Skin sensitization
RSP+	Respiratory sensitization	**	Hazard Designation
C	Carcinogen	R	Reproductive toxicant
M	mutagen		

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