
MATERIAL SAFETY AND DATA SHEET

1. Product and Company Identification

Trade / Commercial Name **SODIUM PHOSPHATE TRIBASIC**

Chemical Name Sodium phosphate tribasic

Formula Na₃O₄P

Chemical Family

Synonyms Sodium phosphate; Trisodium orthophosphate; Phosphoric acid, trisodium salt

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ERG No 0 EAC

Company Identification:

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2. Composition

Hazardous Components Sodium phosphate tribasic

3. Hazards Identification

Low toxicity

Irritant

Harmful Dust

Mixes easily with water.

Gives off TOXIC or irritant fumes in a fire - keep upwind

4. First Aid Measures

<u>First Aid Skin</u>	Immediately remove contaminated clothing, including shoes. Wash affected area with plenty of soap and water for at least 20 minutes. Keep victim warm and comfortable to prevent shock.
<u>First Aid Eyes</u>	Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Hold eyelids open while washing.
<u>First Aid Ingested</u>	Not applicable.
<u>First Aid Inhalation</u>	IMMEDIATELY remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing of victim is difficult administer oxygen for a maximum period of one hour.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

6. Accidental Release Measures

7. Handling And Storage

Fire separation of at least 5M or 4Hr fire resistant wall from the following classes is recommended.

Flammable Gases Flammable Liquids

Flammable Solids Spontaneously Combustibles

Poison Corrosives

Storage in the same room or space is prohibited with the following classes:

The rooms or spaces should be at least 10M apart.

Explosives Oxidizing Agents

Organic Peroxides Radioactive

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Occupational Exposure Limits No Exposure Limits Established

Controls

The control measures appropriate for a particular worksite depend on how this material is used and on the extent of exposure. The best protection is to enclose operations and/or provide local exhaust ventilation at the site of chemical release. Use a non-sparking, grounded ventilation system separate from other exhaust ventilation systems. Exhaust directly to the outside. Supply sufficient replacement air to make up for air removed. Have a safety shower/eye wash fountain readily available in the immediate work area

Personal Protection

If engineering controls and work practices are not effective in

controlling this material, then wear suitable personal protection equipment, including chemical safety goggles & face shield, boots, imperious gloves, coveralls, & respiratory protection. Have appropriate equipment available for use in emergencies.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Small colourless crystals or crystalline powder; odourless
Physical State: Solid
Melting Point (degrees C): ~75 deg. C when heated rapidly
pH: 11.5 (0.1% solution)
Specific Gravity: 1.620

10. Stability And Reactivity

<u>Conditions to Avoid</u>	Chemical Stability: Stable
<u>Incompatible Materials</u>	Reactivity: Material is a strong caustic. Contact with strong acid generates excess heat.
<u>Other</u>	hermal decomposition produces toxic phosphorus oxide fumes

11. Toxicological Information

12. Ecological Information

No ecological problems are expected when the product is handled and used with due care.

13. Disposal Considerations

<u>Disposal Method Product</u>	There are no uniform EC regulations for the disposal of chemicals or residues. Chemical residues generally count as special waste. The disposal of the latter is regulated in the EC member countries through corresponding laws and regulations. We recommend that you contact the authorities in charge or approved waste disposal companies which will advise you on how to dispose of special waste.
<u>Disposal Method Packaging</u>	Disposal in accordance with local legal provisions.

14. Transport Information

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IMDG Code 9
Marine Pollutant False
Class Class: 9 Miscellaneous
Subsidiary Risks None
Tremcard Number

15. Regulatory Information

EEC Hazard Classification 9
Risk Phases Danger of cumulative effects
Safety Phases This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way
National Legislation