

Material Safety Data Sheet

Section1. Product Information and Company Identification			
Product name	SODIUM NITRITE		
Mol.formula	NaNO ₂	CAS NO	7632-00-0
Mol.wt	69.0 g/mol		
Manufacture name	Pioneers for laboratory chemicals		
Brand name	Piochem		
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Oxidizing solids (Category 3), H272
Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3), H301
Eye irritation (Category 2), H319
Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 1), H400

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 Label elements Labelling according Regulation (EC)

No 1272/2008 Pictogram

Signal word
Hazard statement(s)

Danger



H272
H301
H319

May intensify fire; oxidizer.
Toxic if swallowed.
Causes serious eye irritation.

H400
Precautionary statement(s)

P220
P273
P301 + P310
P305 + P351 + P338

Supplemental Hazard
Statements

Keep/Store away from clothing/ combustible materials.
Avoid release to the environment.

2.3 Other hazards

Very toxic to aquatic life.

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
none

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients 3.1 Substances

Formula : NaNO2
Molecular weight : 69.00 g/mol
CAS-No. : 7632-00-0
EC-No. : 231-555-9
Index-No. : 007-010-00-4

Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component	Classification	Concentration
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Sodium nitrite

CAS-No.	7632-00-0	Ox. Sol. 3; Acute Tox. 3; Eye	<= 100 %
EC-No.	231-555-9	Irrit. 2; Aquatic Acute 1; H272, Index-No. 007-010-00-4 H301, H319, H400	

M-Factor - Aquatic Acute: 1

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SECTION 4: First aid measures 4.1 Description of first aid measures General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures 5.1 Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Nitrogen oxides (NO_x), Sodium oxides **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Keep away from sources of ignition No smoking. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

hygroscopic

Storage class (TRGS 510): Oxidizing hazardous materials

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection 8.1 Control parameters 8.2 Exposure controls
Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Personal protective equipment Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use (EN 143) respirator

cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If th full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). **Control of environmental exposure**
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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| a) Appearance | Form: solid |
| b) Odour | odourless |
| c) Odour Threshold | No data available |
| d) pH | 9 |
| e) Melting point/freezing point | Melting point/range: 271 °C - lit. |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range | 320 °C |
| g) Flash point | No data available |
| h) Evaporation rate | No data available |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas) | No data available |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available |
| k) Vapour pressure | < 0.0001 hPa at 25 °C |
| l) Vapour density | No data available |
| m) Relative density | 2.168 g/cm ³ |
| n) Water solubility | 820 g/l at 20 °C |
| o) Partition coefficient: octanol/water | log Pow: -3.7 at 25 °C |
| p) Auto-ignition temperature | No data available |
| q) Decomposition temperature | No data available |
| r) Viscosity | No data available |
| s) Explosive properties | No data available |
| t) Oxidizing properties | The substance or mixture is classified as oxidizing with the category 3. |

9.2 Other safety information

No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No data available

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions No data available **10.4 Conditions to avoid** Exposure to moisture **10.5 Incompatible materials**

Acids, Powdered metals, Ammonia, Cyanides, Amines, Activated carbon, Combustible material, Reducing agents **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sodium oxides Other decomposition products - No data available
In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information 11.1 Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - 157.9 mg/kg(Sodium nitrite)

LD50 Oral - Mouse - 175 mg/kg(Sodium nitrite)

Remarks: Vascular:BP lowering not characterized in autonomic section. Vascular:Regional or general arteriolar or venous dilation. **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit(Sodium nitrite)

Result: No skin irritation - 48 h

(OECD Test Guideline 404)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit(Sodium nitrite)

Result: Eye irritation - 24 h

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available(Sodium nitrite)

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available(Sodium nitrite)

Carcinogenicity

IARC: 2A - Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans (Sodium nitrite)

Reproductive toxicity

No data available(Sodium nitrite)

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available(Sodium nitrite) **Specific target**

organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available(Sodium nitrite)

Additional Information

RTECS: RA1225000

Headache, Nausea, Incoordination., Absorption into the body leads to the formation of methemoglobin which in delayed 2 to 4 hours or longer.(Sodium nitrite)

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.(Sodium nitrite)

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence(Sodium nitrite)

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish flow-through test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 0.94 - 1.92 mg/l - 96.0 h(Sodium nitrite)

mortality NOEC - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 0.54 mg/l - 96.0 h(Sodium nitrite)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 12.5 mg/l - 48 h(Sodium nitrite)

invertebrates Toxicity to

algae NOEC - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 100 mg/l - 72 h(Sodium

nitrite)
(OECD Test Guideline 201)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available(Sodium nitrite)

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Very toxic to aquatic life.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations 13.1 Waste treatment methods Product

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber b highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: Transport information 14.1

UN number

ADR/RID: 1500 14.2 UN proper

shipping name ADR/RID: SODIUM

NITRITE

IMDG: SODIUM NITRITE

IATA: Sodium nitrite

14.3 Transport hazard class(es) ADR/RID:

5.1 (6.1) 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: III 14.5 Environmental

hazards ADR/RID: no 14.6 Special

precautions for user No data
available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information IMDG: 1500

IATA: 1500

IMDG: 5.1 (6.1)

IATA: 5.1 (6.1)

IMDG: III

IATA: III

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

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H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H400 Very toxic to
aquatic life.