



PRODUCT : SODA ASH DENSE

SECTION 1 : PRODUCT INFORMATION

T.D.G. CLASSIFICATION NOT REGULATED
 UN NUMBER N.AP.
 PACKING GROUP N.AP.
 PRODUCT NAME DENSE SODA ASH
 CHEMICAL NAME SODIUM CARBONATE ANHYDROUS
 SYNONYMS SODA ASH; SODA SALT; SODA CRYSTAL; DISODIUM CARBONATE
 WHMIS CLASSIFICATION D2B: MATERIAL CAUSING OTHER TOXIC EFFECTS
 CHEMICAL FORMULA Na_2CO_3
 MOLECULAR WEIGHT 105.99 g/mole
 CHEMICAL FAMILY INORGANIC
 MATERIAL USE REFER TO TECHNICAL LITERATURE; CLEANING AGENTS; FOOD ADDITIVE;

SECTION 2: HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS	%	T.L.V.	C.A.S. #	LD/50,ROUTE,SPECIE	LC/50,ROUTE,SPECIE
SODIUM CARBONATE	~100	10 MG/M ³ (PNOG ACGIH 93-94)	497-19-8	4000 MG/KG (ORAL, RAT)	800 MG/M ³ /2H (GUINEA PIG)

SECTION 3: PHYSICAL DATA

APPEARANCE WHITE (POWDER. HYGOSCOPIC (ABSORBS MOISTURE FROM THE AIR)
 PHYSICAL STATE SOLID
 ODOR NO ODOR
 ODOR THRESHOLD N.AV.
 VAPOR PRESSURE (MMHG) N.AV.
 VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1) N.AV.
 EVAPORATION RATE N.AV.
 BOILING POINT N.AV.
 MELTING POINT 815°C (1563.8°F)
 PH(1% SOLN/WATER) 11.5 [BASIC]
 SPECIFIC GRAVITY (WATER=1) 2.533 @ 20°C
 SOLUBILITY IN WATER (% W/W) 30% @ 30°C
 COEFFICIENT OF WATER/OIL N.AV.
 DIST.
 VOLATILITY N.AV.

SECTION 4 : FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FLAMMABILITY **NOT FLAMMABLE**
 IF YES, UNDER WHICH CONDITIONS?
 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA FOR FIRES INVOLVING THIS PRODUCT, WATER FOG, CARBON DIOXIDE (CO₂),
 ALCOHOL FOAM OR DRY CHEMICAL MAY BE USED. WATER SHOULD NOT BE USED
 IT MAY RESULT IN HEAT FORMATION. WEAR NIOSH APPROVED SELF-CONTAINED
 BREATHING APPARATUS (SCBA) WHEN EITHER IN CONFINED AREAS OR EXPOSED TO
 COMBUSTION PRODUCTS. USE WATER SPRAY TO COOL FIRE EXPOSED CONTAINERS.

 SPECIAL PROCEDURES WEAR FULL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT INCLUDING SELF-CONTAINED
 BREATHING APPARATUS
 FLASH POINT(C), METHOD N.AP.
 AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE N.AP.
 T.D.G. FLAM. CLASS NOT REGULATED
 UPPER FLAMMABLE LIMIT (UFL) N.AP.
 (% BY VOL)
 LOWER FLAMMABLE LIMIT (LFL) N.AP.
 (% BY VOL)
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EXPLOSION DATA

SENSITIVITY TO STATICN.AV.

DISCHARGE

SENSITIVITY TO IMPACT.N.AV.

RATE OF BURNING.N.AV.

EXPLOSIVE POWER. SODIUM CARBONATE AND ITS SOLUTION WILL NOT BURN OR SUPPORT COMBUSTION.

SECTION 5 : REACTIVITY DATA

CHEMICAL STABILITY

YES YES

NO, WHICH CONDITIONS? AVOID EXCESSIVE HEAT.

COMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER SUBSTANCES:

YES

NO, WHICH ONES? CONTACT WITH ACIDS WILL RELEASE CARBON DIOXIDE GAS. CAN REACT VIOLENTLY WITH RED HOT ALUMINUM METAL; FLUORINE GAS; LITHIUM AND 2,4,6 TRINITROTOLUENE

CONDITIONS TO AVOID SIMULTANEOUS EXPOSURE TO SODA ASH AND LIME DUST (CaO). IN THE PRESENCE MOISTURE (ie. PERSPIRATION) THE TWO MATERIALS COMBINE TO FORM CORROSIVE CAUSTIC SODA (NaOH) WHICH MAY CAUSE BURNS

REACTIVITY CONDITIONS MAY CORRODE FERROUS METALS AND MILD STEEL IN PRESENCE OF MOISTURE STRONG ACIDS, MAGNESIUM, FLUORINE GAS, PHOSPHOROUS PENTOXIDE, ACID, RED HOT ALUMINUM METAL AND WATER.

SULPHURIC

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION WILL NOT OCCUR

HAZARDOUS PRODUCTS CARBON MONOXIDE (CO); CARBON DIOXIDE (CO₂); AND NaO @ TEMPERATURES OF DECOMPOSITION ABOVE 400°C

SECTION 6: TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

ROUTE OF ENTRY

SKIN CONTACT. IRRITANT. MILD TO SEVERE IRRITATION. MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION FROM PROLONGED CONTACT, ESPECIALLY IN HOT WEATHER. SYMPTOMS INCLUDE ITCHING, BURNING, AND INFLAMMATION.

SKIN ABSORPTION. N.AV.

EYE CONTACT IRRITANT. MILD TO MODERATE IRRITATION. SYMPTOMS INCLUDE PAIN AND WATERING. PROLONGED CONTACT MAY DAMAGE EYES.

INHALATION DUST OR MIST INHALATION MAY IRRITATE NOSE, THROAT AND LUNGS. SYMPTOMS INCLUDE COUGHING, SNEEZING BREATHING DIFFICULTY AND CHEST DISCOMFORT.

INHALATION, CHRONIC. N.AV.

INGESTION ALTHOUGH LOW IN TOXICITY, INGESTION CAN BE HARMFUL. MAY CAUSE BURNING SENSATIONS, NAUSEA, VOMITING, STOMACH ACHE, STOMACH CRAMPS, CIRCULATORY COLLAPSE, DIARRHEA, AND DEATH.

EFFECTS OF ACUTE EXPOSURE. MODERATELY TOXIC

EFFECTS OF CHRONIC EXPOSURE. EXCESSIVE CONTACT MAY PRODUCE "SODA ULCERS" ON HANDS AND PERFORATION OF THE NASAL SEPTUM. REPEATED EXPOSURE TO A HIGHLY TOXIC MATERIAL MAY PRODUCE GENERAL DETERIORATION OF HEALTH BY AN ACCUMULATION IN ONE OR MANY HUMAN ORGANS.

LD 50 MATERIAL, SPECIES & SEE SECTION II

ROUTE

LC 50 MATERIAL, SPECIES & SEE SECTION II

ROUTE

EXPOSURE LIMIT OF MATERIAL SEE SECTION II

IRRITANCY OF MATERIAL SKIN IRRITATION: MILD (RABBIT) SOLUTIONS MAY BE CORROSIVE.

SENSITIZING CAPABILITY OF SENSITIVITY REACTIONS MAY OCCUR FROM PROLONGED AND REPEATED EXPOSURE

MATERIAL

CARCINOGENICITY OF MATERIAL. NONE

REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS N.AV.

SYNERGISTIC MATERIALS. N.AV.

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS N.AV.

TERATAGENIC EFFECTS N.AV.

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SECTION 7 : PREVENTATIVE MEASURES

GLOVES/TYPE..... WEAR COTTON GLOVES. IMPERVIOUS FOR SOLUTIONS OR WHERE CONTACT IS REPEATED

RESPIRATORY/TYPE..... IN DUSTY ATMOSPHERE, USE AN APPROVED DUST RESPIRATOR. BE SURE TO USE A MSHA/NIOSH APPROVED RESPIRATOR OR EQUIVALENT.

EYE/TYPE..... CHEMICAL SAFETY GOGGLES. DO NOT WEAR CONTACT LENSES.

FOOTWEAR/TYPE..... SAFETY SHOES. BOOTS.

CLOTHING /TYPE..... WEAR IMPERVIOUS PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. HARD HAT WITH BRIM. FULL SUIT. SUGGESTED PROTECTIVE CLOTHING MIGHT NOT BE SUFFICIENT; CONSULT A SPECIALIST BEFORE HANDLING THIS PRODUCT.

OTHER/TYPE..... EYE BATH AND SAFETY SHOWER

ENGINEERING CONTROLS..... LOCAL EXHAUST: IN ALL AREAS WHERE DUSTY OR MISTY CONDITIONS PREVAIL. NATURAL VENTILATION: ADEQUATE FOR OTHER AREAS. USE OTHER ENGINEERING CONTROLS TO KEEP AIRBORNE LEVELS BELOW RECOMMENDED EXPOSURE LIMITS. IF USER OPERATIONS GENERATE DUST, FUME, OR MIST, USE VENTILATION TO KEEP EXPOSURE TO AIRBORNE CONTAMINANTS BELOW THE EXPOSURE LIMIT.

LEAK/SPILL..... PICK UP SOLIDS AND PLACE IN A TIGHTLY SEALED CONTAINER. CAUTIOUSLY SPRAY RESIDUE WITH PLENTY OF WATER. KEEP CONTAMINATED WATER FROM ENTERING SEWERS AND WATER COURSES. USE APPROPRIATE TOOLS TO PUT THE SPILLED SOLID IN A CONVENIENT WASTE DISPOSAL CONTAINER. IF NECESSARY: NEUTRALIZE THE RESIDUE WITH A DILUTE SOLUTION OF ACETIC ACID. FINISH CLEANING BY SPREADING WATER ON THE CONTAMINATED SURFACE AND DISPOSE OF ACCORDING TO LOCAL AND REGIONAL AUTHORITY REQUIREMENTS.

WASTE DISPOSAL..... IN ACCORDANCE WITH MUNICIPAL, PROVINCIAL AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS

HANDLING PROCEDURES..... AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN AND CLOTHING. AVOID BREATHING DUST OR AND EQUIPMENT MIST. WHEN DISSOLVING, ADD WATER CAUTIOUSLY WITH STIRRING. MAINTAIN A GOOD PERSONAL HYGIENE.

STORAGE NEEDS..... STORE IN A COOL, DRY, WELL VENTILATED PLACE. STORE AWAY FROM INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS. PROLONGED STORAGE MAY CAUSE PRODUCT TO

CAKE AND BECOME WET FROM ATMOSPHERIC MOISTURE. KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED. HIGHLY TOXIC OR INFECTIOUS MATERIALS SHOULD BE STORED IN A SEPARATE LOCKED SAFETY CABINET ROOM.

SPECIAL SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS ... SEE SECTION 1 TDG CLASSIFICATION

SECTION 8 : FIRST AID MEASURES

INSTRUCTIONS:

SKIN CONTACT: REMOVE ANY CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH PLENTY OF SOAP AND WATER. WASH WITH A DISINFECTANT SOAP AND COVER THE CONTAMINATED SKIN WITH AN ANTI-BACTERIAL CREAM. GENTLY AND THOROUGHLY WASH THE CONTAMINATED SKIN WITH RUNNING WATER AND NON-ABRASIVE SOAP. BE PARTICULARLY CAREFUL TO CLEAN FOLDS, CREVICES, CREASES AND GROIN. COVER THE IRRITATED SKIN WITH AN EMOLLIENT. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

EYE CONTACT: CHECK FOR AND REMOVE ANY CONTACT LENSES. DO NOT USE AN EYE OINTMENT. FLUSH THE EYES WITH RUNNING WATER FOR 15 MINUTES. HOLD THE EYELIDS APART DURING THE RINSING TO ENSURE FLUSHING OF THE ENTIRE SURFACE OF THE EYE AND LIDS WITH WATER. SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION.

INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR OR ALLOW THE VICTIM TO REST IN A WELL VENTILATED AREA. RESTORE AND/OR SUPPORT BREATHING. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

INGESTION: GIVE 8 - 12 OUNCES OF WATER. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. EXAMINE THE LIPS AND MOUTH (IF NECESSARY, WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES) TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THE TISSUES ARE DAMAGED, A POSSIBLE INDICATION THAT THE TOXIC MATERIAL WAS INGESTED; THE ABSENCE OF SUCH SIGNS, HOWEVER, IS NOT CONCLUSIVE. LOOSEN TIGHT CLOTHING SUCH AS A COLLAR, TIE, BELT, OR WAISTBAND. IF THE VICTIM IS NOT BREATHING, PERFORM MOUTH-TO-MOUTH RESUSCITATION. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

SECTION 9 : PREPARATION INFORMATION

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LEGEND:

ACGIH AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENTAL INDUSTRIAL HYGIENISTS
CAS # CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERVICE REGISTRY NUMBER
LFL LOWER FLAMMABLE LIMIT
MSHA MINE SAFETY & HEALTH ADMINISTRATION
N.AP NOT APPLICABLE
N. AV NOT AVAILABLE
NIOSH NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH
SCBA SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS
T.D.G. TRANSPORTATION OF DANGEROUS GOODS ACT/REGULATIONS
TLV THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE
UFL UPPER FLAMMABLE LIMIT
WHMIS WORKPLACE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM

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