

SODIUM FLUOSILICATE

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Toxic

Producer

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Synonyms

Sodium hexafluorosilicate Sodium fluorosilicate

1. Identification of the product and the company

Identification of the product : Crystalline powder.

Trade name : SODIUM FLUOSILICATE .

Use : Industrial
Chemical formula : Na2SiF6
Producer : See distributor.

2. Information on ingredients

SUBSTANCE INCLUDED IN THE LIST OF DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES (ANNEX I OF DIRECTIVE 67/548 EEC)

 Substance name
 Value(s)
 CAS nr / EINECS nr / EC index
 Symbol(s)
 R-Phrase(s)

 Sodium fluorosilicate
 : >= 95 %
 016893-85-9 / 240-934-8 / ---- T
 23/24/25

3. Hazards identification

Risk Phrases : R23/24/25 - Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

- Inhalation : Irritating to respiratory system.

Breathing high concentrations of dust may lead to acute poisoning. Severe

exposures result in respiratory failure and death.

- Skin contact : Moisture and perspiration will accelerate tissue destruction.

Prolonged skin contact may cause a severe effect, progressing to a delayed burn.

Eye contact
 May cause eye irritation. May cause destruction of eye tissue.

- Ingestion : More severe exposures result in muscular weakness, tremors, convulsions, (

collapse), dyspnea, cardiac failure and death.

4. First aid measures

First aid

- Skin contact : Wash skin thoroughly with mild soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing

and shoes.

Wash clothing before re-using. Seek medical attention if ill effect or irritation

develops.

- Inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Take to hospital.

- Eye contact : In case of eye contact, immediately rinse with clean water for 20-30 minutes. Seek

medical advice.

- Ingestion : Give water to drink.

Induce vomiting

If swallowed seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.



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5. Fire - fighting measures

Flammable class : Not combustible.

- Suitable : Sand.

CO2 Powder.

- Not to be used : Water.

Special exposure hazards : In the presence of water, contact with metals may produce hydrogen which may

form explosive mixtureswith air. :

Protection against fire : Wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Total impervious protective suits, gloves, and boots must be worn.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions : Safety glasses.

Wear impervious rubber safety shoes.

Keep public away from danger area. Use rubber gloves. Respiratory protection

equipment may be necessary.

Environmental precautions : Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if product enters

sewers or public waters.

After spillage and/or leakage : Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal.

Avoid dust production.

7. Handling and storage

Storage : Store in dry, cool, well-ventilated area.

Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

Handling : Do not breathe dust. Avoid all contact with this substance. Wash hands plentifully

and other exposed areas with water after handling.

Remove contaminated clothing and shoes.

Wash clothing before re-using.

Packagings, even those that have been emptied, will retain product residue. Always

obey safety warnings and handle empty packagings as if they were full.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

- Respiratory protection : Approved dust mask should be used if dust are generated when handling this

material.

- Hand protection- Skin protection: Rubber Apron.

Wear impervious rubber safety shoes.

Wear long sleeves.

- Eye protection : Safety glasses.

Chemical goggles or face shield.

- Others : Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the

immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

Exposure controls : Provide adequate ventilation to minimize dust concentrations.

TLV-TWA [mg/m3] : 2.5

TLV-STEL [ppm] : No data available.

TLV-PEL[mg/m3] : 2.5

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Crystalline powder.

Colour : White.

Odour : Odourless.

Melting point [°C] : Decomposes

Initial boiling point [°C] : Decomposes

Density : 2.68

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9. Physical and chemical properties (continued)

Solubility in water [g/100 ml] : 0.652

Flash point [°C] : Not flammable.

10. Stability and reactivity

Physico-chemical stability : Stable.

Materials to avoid : acid, (Release of fluoric acid.)

Conditions to avoid : moisture, Heating

: In the presence of water, contact with metals can produces hydrogen which may Hazardous properties

form flammable mixtures with air.

Hazardous decomposition products : Fluoric acid

11. Toxicological information

- Inhalation : Harmful : may cause lung damage if swallowed.

Lethal concentration: (6h) 33 mg/m3

Breathing high concentrations of dust may lead to acute poisoning. Severe

exposures result in respiratory failure and death.

Oral lethal dose: 50-500 (mg/kg)

- Ocular : Irritating to eyes.

Mouse oral LD50 [mg/kg] : 70 Rat oral LD50 [mg/kg] 125

Rat inhalation LC50 [mg/m3/2h] : No data available.

12. Ecological information

Ecological effects information : Damage to plants. LC50-96 Hour - fish [mg/l] : No data available. 48 Hour-EC50 - Daphnia magna [mg/l] : No data available. : No data available. IC50 72h Algae [mg/l]

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal : Hazardous waste due to toxicity. Dispose of this material and its packing at

hazardous or special waste collection point. Dispose in a safe manner in

accordance with local/national regulations.

Empty packaging can have residues must be recyclable or eliminated in Packaging

accordance with local/ national regulations.

14. Transport information

Hazard Label(s)



Toxic.

Transport hazard symbol: 6

- UN No. : 2674 : Class 6.1 - ADR/RID/ADNR/IMO-IMDG : 60 - H.I. nr :

-Shipping name : Sodium fluorosilicate

- Packing group : 111 - IMDG-Marine pollution : No.



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15. Regulatory information

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R Phrase(s) : R23/24/25 - Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

S Phrase(s) : S01/02 - Keep locked up and out of reach of children.

S26 - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek

medical advice.

S45 - In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (

show the label when possible).

16. Other information

Further information : Revision - See : *

Product information : REGISTRY TOXIC NUMBER (RTECS/NIOSH) : VV 84 10 000

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