

1. Identification of the substance/preparation and of the company/undertaking

Identification of the product

Sodium fluoride

Manufacturer/supplier identification

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2. Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [EU-GHS/CLP]

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 2)

Skin irritation (Category 2)

Eye irritation (Category 2A)

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3)

Label elements

Pictogram

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H300 Fatal if swallowed.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H402 Harmful to aquatic organisms.

Precautionary statement(s)

P264 + P265 Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not touch eyes.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.

P301 + P316 IF SWALLOWED: Get emergency medical help immediately.

P501

Dispose of contents/container to waste factory.

Supplemental Hazard Statements
none

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Synonyms

Sodium fluoride

CAS-No.: 7681-49-4

M: 41.99 g/mol

Molecular formula: NaF

4. First aid measures

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.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

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

Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions

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

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.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Do not flush with water. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. Handling and storage

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.

Conditions for safe storage

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

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. Do not store near acids.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Appropriate engineering controls

General industrial hygiene practice.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

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.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Body Protection

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Form: powder

Colour: white

Odour: not available

pH value: not available

Melting point: 993 °C - lit.

Boiling point: 1704 °C

Ignition temperature: not available

Flash point: not available

Autoignition temperature: not available

Explosion limits

lower: not available

upper: not available

Density : 2.80 g/cm³

Bulk density: not available

Solubility in

water (20 °C) : soluble in water

diluted acids (20 °C) : not available

Thermal decomposition: not available

10. Stability and reactivity

Chemical stability

no data available

Conditions to avoid

Exposure to moisture.

Materials to avoid

Strong acids.

Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - no data available

11. Toxicological information**Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - female - 148.5 mg/kg

LD50 Intravenous - Rat - 26 mg/kg

Remarks: Nutritional and Gross Metabolic: Weight loss or decreased weight gain.

Skin corrosion or irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC: 3 - Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans (Sodium fluoride)

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

12. Ecological information**Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish mortality NOEC - Cyprinodon variegatus (sheepshead minnow) - 500 mg/l - 96h

LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 200 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 98 mg/l - 48 h

other aquatic

invertebrates

Persistence and degradability

no data available

Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

Mobility in soil

no data available

PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

Other adverse effects

no data available

13. Disposal considerations

Product

Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. Transport information**ADR/RID**

UN-Number: 1690 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: SODIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID

IMDG

UN-Number: 1690 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: SODIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID

Marine pollutant: no

IATA

UN-Number: 1690 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Sodium fluoride, solid

15. Regulatory information

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

16. Other information

General update.

Regional representation:

This information is given on the authorised Safety Data Sheet for your country.