



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product Name Sodium carbonate monohydrate

Cat No. : C7310

Synonyms Soda ash monohydrate.; Disodium carbonate monohydrate; Soda crystals (Crystalline/Granular/Certified ACS/NF/FCC/EP/BP)

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

Post Apple Scientific, inc.
8893 Gulf Rd
North East, PA 16428
Tel: 814-725-3330

Emergency Telephone Number

CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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| Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation | Category 2 |
| Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) | Category 3 |
| Target Organs - Central nervous system (CNS). | |

Label Elements

Signal Word

Warning

Hazard Statements

Causes serious eye irritation
May cause drowsiness or dizziness

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear eye/face protection

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

Storage

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

Store locked up

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

3. Composition / information on ingredients

| Component | CAS-No | Weight % |
|------------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Sodium carbonate monohydrate | 5968-11-6 | 100 |
| Sodium carbonate | 497-19-8 | - |

4. First-aid measures

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| Eye Contact | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention. |
| Skin Contact | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention. |
| Inhalation | Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. |
| Ingestion | Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention. |
| Most important symptoms/effects | No information available. |
| Notes to Physician | Treat symptomatically |

5. Fire-fighting measures

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| Suitable Extinguishing Media | Substance is nonflammable; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire. |
| Unsuitable Extinguishing Media | No information available |
| Flash Point | Not applicable |
| Method - | No information available |

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| Autoignition Temperature | No information available |
| Explosion Limits | |
| Upper | No data available |
| Lower | No data available |
| Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact | No information available |
| Sensitivity to Static Discharge | No information available |

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO₂) Sodium oxides

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

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Health
2

Flammability
0

Instability
1

Physical hazards
N/A

6. Accidental release measures

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| Personal Precautions | Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. |
| Environmental Precautions | Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information. |

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| Methods for Containment and Clean Up | Avoid dust formation. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. |
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7. Handling and storage

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| Handling | Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. |
| Storage | Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from moisture. |

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

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| Exposure Guidelines | This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies. |
| Engineering Measures | Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. |
| Personal Protective Equipment | |
| Eye/face Protection | Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166. |
| Skin and body protection | Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure. |
| Respiratory Protection | Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced. |
| Hygiene Measures | Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. |

9. Physical and chemical properties

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| Physical State | Powder Solid |
| Appearance | White |

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| Odor | Odorless |
| Odor Threshold | No information available |
| pH | No information available |
| Melting Point/Range | 851 °C / 1563.8 °F |
| Boiling Point/Range | No information available |
| Flash Point | Not applicable |
| Evaporation Rate | No information available |
| Flammability (solid,gas) | No information available |
| Flammability or explosive limits | |
| Upper | No data available |
| Lower | No data available |
| Vapor Pressure | No information available |
| Vapor Density | No information available |
| Relative Density | 2.25 |
| Solubility | Partly soluble in water |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available |
| Autoignition Temperature | No information available |
| Decomposition temperature | No information available |
| Viscosity | No information available |
| Molecular Formula | Na ₂ CO ₃ .H ₂ O |
| Molecular Weight | 124.00 |

10. Stability and reactivity

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| Reactive Hazard | None known, based on information available |
| Stability | Hygroscopic. |
| Conditions to Avoid | Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to moist air or water. |
| Incompatible Materials | Strong acids, Ammonia, Metals |
| Hazardous Decomposition Products | Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO ₂), Sodium oxides |
| Hazardous Polymerization | Hazardous polymerization does not occur. |
| Hazardous Reactions | None under normal processing. |

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information Component Information

| Component | LD50 Oral | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Sodium carbonate | 2800 mg/kg (Rat) | > 2000 mg/kg (rabbit) | 2.3 mg/l 2h (Rat) |

Toxicologically Synergistic Products No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

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| Irritation | Irritating to eyes and skin |
| Sensitization | No information available |
| Carcinogenicity | The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen. |

| Component | CAS-No | IARC | NTP | ACGIH | OSHA | Mexico |
|------------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Sodium carbonate monohydrate | 5968-11-6 | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |
| Sodium carbonate | 497-19-8 | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |

Mutagenic Effects No information available

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| Reproductive Effects | Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals. |
| Developmental Effects | No information available. |
| Teratogenicity | No information available. |
| STOT - single exposure | Central nervous system (CNS) |
| STOT - repeated exposure | None known |
| Aspiration hazard | No information available |
| Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed | No information available |
| Endocrine Disruptor Information | No information available |
| Other Adverse Effects | The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information. |

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

| Component | Freshwater Algae | Freshwater Fish | Microtox | Water Flea |
|------------------|------------------|---|----------|----------------------|
| Sodium carbonate | Not listed | Lepomis macrochirus: LC50: 300 mg/L/96h Gambusia affinis: LC50: 740 mg/L/96h | - | 265 mg/L EC50 = 48 h |

Persistence and Degradability No information available

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available.

Mobility No information available.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

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| DOT | Not regulated |
| TDG | Not regulated |
| IATA | Not regulated |
| IMDG/IMO | Not regulated |

15. Regulatory information

International Inventories

| Component | TSCA | DSL | NDSL | EINECS | ELINCS | NLP | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|------------------------------|------|-----|------|-----------|--------|-----|-------|------|------|-------|------|
| Sodium carbonate monohydrate | - | - | - | - | - | | X | X | X | X | - |
| Sodium carbonate | X | X | - | 207-838-8 | - | | X | X | X | X | X |

Legend:

X - Listed

E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.

F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.

N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.

P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance

R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule

T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.

XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).

Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.

Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

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| Acute Health Hazard | Yes |
| Chronic Health Hazard | No |
| Fire Hazard | No |
| Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard | No |
| Reactive Hazard | No |

Clean Water Act Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Not applicable

CERCLA
Not applicable

California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

State Right-to-Know Not applicable

U.S. Department of Transportation

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| Reportable Quantity (RQ): | N |
| DOT Marine Pollutant | N |
| DOT Severe Marine Pollutant | N |

U.S. Department of Homeland Security

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

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| WHMIS Hazard Class | D2B Toxic materials |
| | E Corrosive material |



16. Other information

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