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SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Dechlorinating Reagent

Catalog Number: 2535777

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MSDS Number: M00070 Chemical Name: Not applicable CAS Number: Not applicable

Additional CAS No. (for hydrated forms): Not applicable

Chemical Formula: Not applicable Chemical Family: Not applicable Intended Use: Dechlorinating reagent

Emergency Telephone Numbers: (Medical and Transportation) (303) 623-5716 24 Hour Service (515)232-2533 8am - 4pm CST

MSDS No: M00070

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification:

Hazard categories: Not applicable . Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation: Eye Irrit. 2B

GHS Label Elements:
Not applicable

Hazard statements: . Not applicable

Precautionary statements: Not applicable BP305+351+338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. BP337+313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advisor/extraction.

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HMIS:

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

Protective Equipment: X - See protective equipment, Section 8.

NFPA:

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

Symbol: Not applicable

WHMIS Hazard Classification: Not applicable

WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Components according to GHS:

Sodium Thiosulfate

CAS Number: 7772-98-7

Chemical Formula: Na₂S₂O₃ 5H₂O

GHS Classification: Skin Irrit 2, H315; Eye Irrit 2, H319, STOT SE 3, H335

Percent Range (Trade Secret): 1.0 - 10.0

Percent Range Units: weight / weight

PEL: 15 mg/m³ as total dust; 5 mg/m³ as respirable dust

TLV: 10 mg/m^3 as inhalable dust

WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

Hazardous Components according to GHS: Yes-Aquatic Acute 2 or Aquatic Acute 3

Sodium Sulfate

CAS Number: 7757-82-6 Chemical Formula: Na₂SO₄

GHS Classification: Aquatic Acute 3, H402 Percent Range (Trade Secret): 90.0 - 100.0 Percent Range Units: weight / weight

PEL: 15 mg/m³ as inhalable dust; 5 mg/m³ as respirable dust **TLV:** 10 mg/m³ as inhalable dust; 3 mg/m³ as respirable dust

WHMIS Symbols: Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General Information: In the event of exposure, show this Material Safety Data Sheet and label (where possible) to a doctor.

Advice to doctor: Treat symptomatically.

Eve Contact: Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Call physician.

Skin Contact (First Aid): Wash skin with plenty of water. Call physician if irritation develops. Remove contaminated

clothing.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air.

Ingestion (First Aid): Give large quantities of water. Call physician immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: During a fire, this product decomposes to form toxic gases.

Fire Fighting Instruction: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand and full protective

gear.

Extinguishing Media: Use media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions

Extinguishing Media NOT To Be Used: Not applicable

Fire / Explosion Hazards: May react violently with: strong acids strong bases aluminum / aluminum compounds

Hazardous Combustion Products: Toxic fumes of: sodium monoxide sulfur oxides.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill Response Notice:

Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous substances may respond to a spill according to federal regulations (OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120(a)(v)) and per your company's emergency response plan and guidelines/procedures. See Section 13, Special Instructions for disposal assistance.

Containment Technique: Stop spilled material from being released to the environment.

Clean-up Technique: Scoop up spilled material into a large beaker and dissolve with water. Flush the spilled material to the drain with a large excess of water. Decontaminate the area of the spill with a soap solution.

Evacuation Procedure: Evacuate as needed to perform spill clean-up. If conditions warrant, increase the size of the evacuation.

DOT Emergency Response Guide Number: Not applicable

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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid contact with eyes skin Do not breathe dust. Wash thoroughly after handling. Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Storage: Protect from: moisture
Flammability Class: Not applicable

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls: Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye Protection: safety glasses with top and side shields

Skin Protection: disposable latex gloves Inhalation Protection: adequate ventilation

Precautionary Measures: Avoid contact with: eyes skin Do not breathe: dust Wash thoroughly after handling. Protect

from: moisture TLV: Not established **PEL:** Not established

For Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) for ingredients, see section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients.:

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: White powder Physical State: Solid

Molecular Weight: Not applicable

Odor: None Odor Threshold: Odorless

pH: of 5% solution = 6.5Metal Corrosivity:

Corrosivity Classification: Not classified as corrosive to metals according to GHS criteria.

Steel: Not determined Aluminum: Not determined

Specific Gravity/ Relative Density (water = 1; air =1): Not determined

Viscosity: Not applicable

Solubility:

Water: Soluble Acid: Not determined Other: Not determined

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol / water): Not determined

Coefficient of Water / Oil: Not determined

Melting Point: 48°C (118°F)

Decomposition Temperature: Not determined

Boiling Point: Not applicable Vapor Pressure: Not applicable *Vapor Density (air = 1):* Not applicable **Evaporation Rate** (water = 1): Not applicable

Volatile Organic Compounds Content: Not applicable

Flammable Properties: During a fire, this product decomposes to form toxic gases.

Flash Point: Not applicable Method: Not applicable Flammability Limits:

Lower Explosion Limits: Not applicable Upper Explosion Limits: Not applicable Autoignition Temperature: Not applicable

Explosive Properties:

Not classified according to GHS criteria.

Oxidizing Properties:

Not classified according to GHS criteria.

Reactivity Properties:

Not classifed as self-reactive, pyrophoric, self-heating or emitting flammable gases in contact with water according to GHS criteria.

Gas under Pressure:

Not classified according to GHS criteria.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability: Stable when stored under proper conditions.

Mechanical Impact: None reported

Static Discharge: None reported.

Reactivity / Incompatibility: May react violently in contact with: strong acids strong bases Magnesium aluminum

sodium nitrite

Hazardous Decomposition: Toxic fumes of: sodium monoxide sulfur oxides

Conditions to Avoid: Excess moisture Heating to decomposition. Extreme temperatures

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicokinetics, Metabolism and Distribution: No information available for mixture.

Toxicologically Synergistic Products: None reported

Acute Toxicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (STOT-SE): Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeat Exposure (STOT-RE): Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Eye Damage: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met. **Sensitization:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

CMR Effects/Properties (carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic to reproduction): No germ cell mutagenicity, carcinogenicity or reproductive toxicity data found.

This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.

This product does NOT contain any NTP listed chemicals.

This product does NOT contain any OSHA listed carcinogens.

Symptoms/Effects:

Ingestion: May cause: irritation of the mouth and esophagus gastrointestinal tract irritation

Inhalation: May cause: irritation of nose and throat

Skin Absorption: No effects anticipated Chronic Effects: None reported

Medical Conditions Aggravated: None reported

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Ecological Information: None reported for this product.

Ingredient Ecological Information: Sodium Sulfate: Aquatic toxicity- TLm 13500 mg/L bluegill sunfish / 96 hours, TLm 16500 mg/L mosquito fish / 96 hours; Sodium Thiosulfate: Aquatic toxicity- 24000 mg / L / 96 hours / mosquito-fish / TLm / turbid water at 22° - 24° C

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

EPA Waste ID Number: Not applicable

Special Instructions (Disposal): Dilute material with excess water making a weaker than 5% solution. Open cold water tap completely, slowly pour the material to the drain.

Empty Containers: Rinse three times with an appropriate solvent. Dispose of empty container as normal trash.

NOTICE (*Disposal*): These disposal guidelines are based on federal regulations and may be superseded by more stringent state or local requirements. Please consult your local environmental regulators for more information. In Europe: Chemical and analysis solutions must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations. Product packaging must be disposed of in compliance with the country-specific regulations or must be passed to a packaging return system.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

D.O.T.:

D.O.T. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

Hazard Class: NA Subsidiary Risk: NA ID Number: NA Packing Group: NA

T.D.G.:

Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA Subsidiary Risk: NA UN Number/PIN: NA Packing Group: NA

I.C.A.O.:

I.C.A.O. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA Subsidiary Risk: NA ID Number: NA Packing Group: NA

I.M.O.:

Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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Hazard Class: NA Subsidiary Risk: NA ID Number: NA Packing Group: NA

Additional Information: There is a possibility that this product could be contained in a reagent set or kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods. If the item is NOT in a set or kit, the classification given above applies. If the item IS part of a set or kit, the classification would change to the following: UN3316 Chemical Kit, Class 9, PG II or III. If the item is not regulated, the Chemical Kit classification does not apply.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal Regulations:

O.S.H.A.: This product meets the criteria for a hazardous substance as defined in the Hazard Communication Standard. (29 CFR 1910.1200)

E.P.A.:

S.A.R.A. Title III Section 311/312 Categorization (40 CFR 370): Immediate (Acute) Health Hazard S.A.R.A. Title III Section 313 (40 CFR 372): This product does NOT contain any chemical subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of SARA.

302 (EHS) TPQ (40 CFR 355): Not applicable 304 CERCLA RQ (40 CFR 302.4): Not applicable 304 EHS RQ (40 CFR 355): Not applicable

Clean Water Act (40 CFR 116.4): Not applicable RCRA: Contains no RCRA regulated substances.

State Regulations:

California Prop. 65: No Prop. 65 listed chemicals are present in this product.

Identification of Prop. 65 Ingredient(s): Not applicable

California Perchlorate Rule CCR Title 22 Chap 33: Not applicable

Trade Secret Registry: Not applicable

National Inventories:

U.S. Inventory Status: All ingredients in this product are listed on the TSCA 8(b) Inventory (40 CFR 710).

CAS Number: Not applicable

Canadian Inventory Status: All ingredients of this product are DSL Listed.

EEC Inventory Status: All ingredients used to make this product are listed on EINECS / ELINCS.

Australian Inventory (AICS) Status: All ingredients are listed.

New Zealand Inventory (NZIoC) Status: All components either listed or exempt.

Korean Inventory (KECI) Status: All components of this product are either listed, listed as the anhydrous compound or exempt

Japan (ENCS) Inventory Status: All components either listed or exempt.

China (PRC) Inventory (MEP) Status: All components either listed or exempt.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

References: 29 CFR 1900 - 1910 (Code of Federal Regulations - Labor). Air Contaminants, Federal Register, Vol. 54, No. 12. Thursday, January 19, 1989. pp. 2332-2983. TLV's Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices for 1992-1993. American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, 1992. CCINFO RTECS. Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety. Hamilton, Ontario Canada: 30 June 1993. Fire Protection Guide on Hazardous Materials,

10th Ed. Quincy, MA: National Fire Protection Fire Protection Guide on Hazardous Materials, 10th Ed. Quincy, MA: National Fire Protection Association, 1991. In-house information. Technical Judgment. Vendor Information.

Complete Text of H phrases referred to in Section 3: Not applicable

Revision Summary: . Substantial revision to comply with EU Reg 1272/2008, Reg 1907/2006 and UN GHS (ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3).

Date of MSDS Preparation:

Day: 01 Month: January Year: 2014

MSDS Prepared: MSDS prepared by Product Compliance Department extension 3350

CCOHS Evaluation Note: It is offered under exemption from WHMIS labeling as specified in the Controlled Products Regulation (CPR) Section 17. It is offered under the interim policy that was established by Health Canada permitting use of GHS-formatted safety data sheets in Canada prior to revision of CPR to GHS. This product has been classified and labeled in accordance with the requirements of GHS (ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3). This SDS has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of GHS (ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3).

Legend:

NA - Not Applicable w/w - weight/weight
ND - Not Determined w/v - weight/volume
NV - Not Available v/v - volume/volume

USER RESPONSIBILITY: Each user should read and understand this information and incorporate it in individual site safety programs in accordance with applicable hazard communication standards and regulations.

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