

# SAFETY DATA SHEET SODIUM CHLORIDE

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name SODIUM CHLORIDE

Product number 20327

Synonyms; trade names SALT, ROCK SALT, SALT PDV, SEA SALT, SANAL P, SUPERSEL GRADES, SALT

TABLETS, BROXO 16-15, ROCK SALT WHITE, SNOW CLEAR, ROCK SALT WHITE, SALT

MICROFINE, SALT AQUA DUXION 15/25, SALT BROXO 6-15, SALT WATERSOFT REGESAL GRAN, NATRIUMKLORID VACUUM COMPACTED 6-1, SALT IND K1.4-0.4, SALT BROXETTEN, SODIUM CHLORIDE (PDV) INDUSTRIAL, SEL ADOU. D'EAU AXAL PRO, SODIUM CHLORIDE (PDV) FCC ED.7, SODIUM CHLORIDE (PDV) ESCO, SALT HYDROSOFT GRAN, SALT REGENIT TABLETS, SALT IND REF STD, SUPERFINE S, SALT TABLETS CLARAMAT, SALT INDUSTRIAL K 3.2/1.5, GRITTING SALT, SOD CHLORIDE VACUUM FG ALA, AQUASOL, MARINA PLUS SALT TAB ESCO53758, SALT GRANULAR HYDROSOFT, SALT PDV IND, SALT WATERSOFTENER K 18-5, SUPRASEL MICROZO PDV, SOD CHLORIDE SUPRASEL PDV, DEAD SEA SALT MPSC2, COMPACT

SALT 6/15, SALT IND K0,7/0,16 O&G, MEDIO SEA SALT, SOD CHLORIDE PDV

DENDRITIC, SALT TABLETS, FINE/THIN DRY PURIFIED SALT

**REACH registration notes**Substances contained in this product that are not classified as hazardous have been/will be

registered for REACH at the appropriate time.

**CAS number** 7647-14-5 **EC number** 231-598-3

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Industrial application

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier

Univar

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

**Emergency telephone** SGS - +32 (0)3 575 55 55 (24h)

**Sds No.** 20327

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification** 

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

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Physical hazards Not Classified
Health hazards Not Classified
Environmental hazards Not Classified

**Environmental** The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

2.2. Label elements

**EC number** 231-598-3

Hazard statements NC Not Classified

2.3. Other hazards

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

#### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

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registered for REACH at the appropriate time.

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**EC number** 231-598-3

**Composition comments** The data shown are in accordance with the latest EC Directives.

3.2. Mixtures

Chemical Name Sodium chloride

# SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation Remove affected person from source of contamination. Move affected person to fresh air and

keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Rinse nose and mouth with

water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give plenty of water to drink. Get

medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Skin contact Remove affected person from source of contamination. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash

skin thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention promptly if symptoms occur after

washing.

Eye contact Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Promptly wash eyes with plenty of

water while lifting the eye lids. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention

if any discomfort continues.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Eye contact** May cause temporary eye irritation.

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor

No specific recommendations. If in doubt, get medical attention promptly.

# SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

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Suitable extinguishing media The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards Irritating gases or vapours.

Hazardous combustion

Oxides of carbon. Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and

products

for firefighters

other toxic gases or vapours.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective

clothing.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet. Provide adequate

ventilation. Avoid inhalation of dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Spillages or uncontrolled discharges into watercourses must be reported immediately to the

Environmental Agency or other appropriate regulatory body.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Avoid generation and spreading of dust. Collect and place in suitable waste disposal

containers and seal securely. Label the containers containing waste and contaminated materials and remove from the area as soon as possible. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Collect and place in suitable waste disposal containers and seal securely. For waste

disposal, see Section 13.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Avoid spilling. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid handling

which leads to dust formation.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Store in tightly-closed, original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

**Specific end use(s)** The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

#### SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

# 8.1. Control parameters

**Ingredient comments** No exposure limits known for ingredient(s).

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

# Protective equipment





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Appropriate engineering

controls

Provide adequate ventilation.

**Eyelface protection** Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates

eye contact is possible. The following protection should be worn: Chemical splash goggles. Personal protective equipment for eye and face protection should comply with European

Standard EN166.

Hand protection The most suitable glove should be chosen in consultation with the glove

supplier/manufacturer, who can provide information about the breakthrough time of the glove material. For exposure up to 8 hours, wear gloves made of the following material: Nitrile rubber. To protect hands from chemicals, gloves should comply with European Standard

EN374.

Other skin and body

protection

Wear suitable protective clothing as protection against splashing or contamination.

Hygiene measures Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. When

using do not eat, drink or smoke. Eye wash facilities and emergency shower must be

available when handling this product.

**Respiratory protection** No specific recommendations. Protection against nuisance dust must be used when the

airborne concentration exceeds 10 mg/m3. Wear a respirator fitted with the following

cartridge: Particulate filter, type P2. EN 136/140/145/143/149

# **SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Crystalline powder. Solid Crystalline solid. Granules.

Colour Various colours.

Odour No information available.

Odour threshold No information available.

**pH** pH (concentrated solution): 7.5

Melting point 801 - 802°C

Initial boiling point and range 1413 - 1465°C

Flash point No information available.

**Evaporation rate** No information available.

**Evaporation factor** No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available.

Upper/lower flammability or

explosive limits

No information available.

Other flammability No information available.

Vapour pressure 2.4 mm Hg

Vapour density No information available.

**Relative density** 2,165 - 2,170

Bulk density No information available.

Solubility(ies) Soluble in water.

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Partition coefficient : -3.0

Auto-ignition temperature

No information available.

Decomposition Temperature

No information available.

Viscosity

No information available.

Explosive properties

No information available.

Explosive under the influence

of a flame

No information available.

Oxidising properties No information available.

9.2. Other information

Other information Not determined.

Refractive index
No information available.
Particle size
No information available.
Molecular weight
No information available.
Volatility
No information available.
Saturation concentration
No information available.
Critical temperature
No information available.

Volatile organic compound No information available.

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

# 10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity** There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable at normal ambient temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous

No information required.

reactions

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Avoid excessive heat for prolonged periods of time.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Not determined.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition Oxides of carbon. Thermal decomposition or combustion may liberate carbon oxides and

**products** other toxic gases or vapours.

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - oral

Acute toxicity oral (LD50

3,000.0

mg/kg)

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**Species** Rat

**ATE oral (mg/kg)** 3,000.0

Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD<sub>50</sub>) No information available.

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC<sub>50</sub>) No information available.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Animal data No information available.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation No information available.

Respiratory sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation No information available.

Skin sensitisation

**Skin sensitisation** No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity

**Genotoxicity - in vitro**No information available.

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity No information available.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility No information available.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

Aspiration hazard

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

**Inhalation** Dust in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system.

Ingestion No harmful effects expected from quantities likely to be ingested by accident.

**Skin contact** Skin irritation should not occur when used as recommended.

**Eye contact** Particles in the eyes may cause irritation and smarting.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity** The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, large or

frequent spills may have hazardous effects on the environment.

12.1. Toxicity

Acute toxicity - fish LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hours: 6750 mg/l, Fish

LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hour: 5840 mg/l, Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill)

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LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hour: 10610 mg/l, Pimephales promelas (Fat-head Minnow)

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Acute toxicity - aquatic

EC₅o, 48 hours: 2024 mg/l, Daphnia magna

invertebrates

Acute toxicity - aquatic plants IC<sub>50</sub>, 72 hours: 3014 mg/l, Algae

**Acute toxicity -** IC<sub>50</sub>, : > 1000 mg/l, Activated sludge

microorganisms OECD 209

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability The product contains only inorganic substances which are not biodegradable.

# 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential The product does not contain any substances expected to be bioaccumulating.

Partition coefficient : -3.0

12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility** The product is soluble in water.

# 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Not determined.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

# 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**General information** Waste should be treated as controlled waste.

Disposal methods Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the

local Waste Disposal Authority.

# SECTION 14: Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods

(IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

# 14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

# 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

No transport warning sign required.

# 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

# Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

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### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**EU legislation** Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18

December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of

Chemicals (REACH) (as amended).

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as

amended).

Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830 of 28 May 2015.

# 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

#### **Inventories**

Canada - DSL/NDSL

DSL

# SECTION 16: Other information

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Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate.

ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Road.

ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Inland Waterways.

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service.

DNEL: Derived No Effect Level.

IATA: International Air Transport Association.

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods.

Kow: Octanol-water partition coefficient.

LC₅o: Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population.

LD₅o: Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose).

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance.

PNEC: Predicted No Effect Concentration.

REACH: Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation

(EC) No 1907/2006.

RID: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Rail.

vPvB: Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative.

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer.

MARPOL 73/78: International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as

modified by the Protocol of 1978.

cATpE: Converted Acute Toxicity Point Estimate.

BCF: Bioconcentration Factor.

BOD: Biochemical Oxygen Demand.

EC<sub>50</sub>: 50% of maximal Effective Concentration.

LOAEC: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Concentration.

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level.

NOAEC: No Observed Adverse Effect Concentration.

NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level. NOEC: No Observed Effect Concentration.

LOEC: Lowest Observed Effect Concentration.

DMEL: Derived Minimal Effect Level. EL50: Exposure Limit 50

hPa: Hectopascal

LL50: Lethal Loading fifty

OECD: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

POW: Octanol-water partition coefficient SCBA: self-contained breathing apparatus

STP: Sewage Treatment Plant VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds

Classification abbreviations

Acute Tox. = Acute toxicity

and acronyms

Aquatic Acute = Hazardous to the aquatic environment (acute)

Aquatic Chronic = Hazardous to the aquatic environment (chronic)

Key literature references and

sources for data

Supplier's information.

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