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SODIUM THIOSULPHATE 1M MSDS

According to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

PRODUCT NAME	SODIUM THIOSULPHATE 1M
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PRODUCT NO.	1100
APPLICATION	General chemical reagent
EMERGENCY TELEPHONE	Emergency Telephone : +44 (0) 1928 716903 Between 08.30 - 17.00

2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Not regarded as a health or environmental hazard under current legislation.

3 COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

4 FIRST-AID MEASURES

INHALATION

Remove victim immediately from source of exposure. Provide rest, warmth and fresh air. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

INGESTION

Do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Get medical attention immediately!

SKIN CONTACT

Immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Wash the skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

EYE CONTACT

Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water or eye wash solution while lifting the eyelids. If possible remove any contact lenses and continue to wash. Get medical attention.

5 FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

The product is non-combustible. Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

SPECIFIC HAZARDS

In case of fire, toxic gases may be formed.

PROTECTIVE MEASURES IN FIRE

Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

SPILL CLEAN UP METHODS

Small Spillages: Absorb with sand or other inert absorbent. Large Spillages: Dam and absorb spillages with sand, earth or other non-combustible material. Collect spillage in containers, seal securely and deliver for disposal according to local regulations. Flush area clean with lots of water. Be aware of potential for surfaces to become slippery. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage.

7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

SODIUM THIOSULPHATE 1M**USAGE PRECAUTIONS**

Avoid spilling, skin and eye contact.

STORAGE PRECAUTIONS

Store in tightly closed original container in a dry and cool place.

STORAGE CLASS

Chemical storage.

8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**ENGINEERING MEASURES**

Provide adequate ventilation.

RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT

No specific recommendation made, but respiratory protection may still be required under exceptional circumstances when excessive air contamination exists.

HAND PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves. Rubber or plastic

EYE PROTECTION

Wear safety glasses. If risk of splashing, wear safety goggles or face shield.

OTHER PROTECTION

Wear suitable protective clothing as protection against splashing or contamination. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.

HYGIENE MEASURES

Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly if skin becomes wet or contaminated. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes wet or contaminated. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE	Liquid
COLOUR	Colourless
ODOUR	Odourless
SOLUBILITY	Miscible with water

10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**STABILITY**

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

MATERIALS TO AVOID

Strong oxidising substances. Acids (liberation of sulphur oxides). Nitrites and peroxy compounds (explosive risk).

11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**HEALTH WARNINGS**

Although not classified as hazardous, the product should be treated with the care and attention appropriate to chemicals.

12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**ECOTOXICITY**

Although not classified as environmentally hazardous, harmful effects cannot be excluded in the event of improper handling or disposal.

13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**DISPOSAL METHODS**

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

	No transport warning sign required.		
ADR CLASS	Not classified for transportation.	MARINE POLLUTANT	No.

15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**RISK PHRASES**

NC Not classified.

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SAFETY PHRASES

NC Not classified.

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health.

APPROVED CODE OF PRACTICE

Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply. COSHH essentials: Easy steps to control chemicals. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations.

GUIDANCE NOTES

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. Introduction to Local Exhaust Ventilation HS(G)37.

NATIONAL REGULATIONS

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended)

16 OTHER INFORMATION

GENERAL INFORMATION

Under REACH Material Safety Datasheets (MSDS) are referred to as Safety Datasheets (SDS).

REVISION COMMENTS

Changes to sections 4, 5, 6, 8 and 10. Change to section 1

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SAFETY DATA SHEET STATUS

Approved.