Camlab Limited - Material Safety Data Sheet

1. Identification

Product Code CC/0601-DA

Product Name SODIUM HYDROGEN CARBONATE A.R.

Molecular Formula NaHCO₃ =84.01

CAS Number 144-55-8

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2. Composition

No hazardous components

3. Hazards Identification

Not considered harmful

4. First Aid Measures

Eyes Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. If

discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.

Skin Wash off skin thoroughly with water.

Inhalation Remove from exposure.

Ingestion Wash out the patients mouth thoroughly with water. In severe cases or if exposure has been

great, OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Hazards Presents no specific fire danger.

Extinguishing

Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly.

Media

Unsuitable Nothing specified.

Media

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal Presents no major hazards.

Protection
Environmental

Notify the Environmental Agency and local Environmental Health Officer if major spillage

occurs.

Major Spillage Shovel/sweep up into container for removal Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

6. Accidental Release Measures (continued)

Minor Spillage Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

7. Storage & Handling

Handling Precautions Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath dust. Do not allow to contaminate clothing.

Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains dust concentrations to a minimum.

Storage Conditions Well ventilated, cool, dry storage . Keep well separated from acids.

8.1 Workplace Exposure Limits

No prescribed exposure limits available

8.2 Personal Protection

Respiratory If process creates significant amounts of dust use L.E.V. or wear suitable dust mask.

Hands Wear gloves.

Eyes Use chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.

Skin Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective

clothing must be worn.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance White powder.
Odour No specific odour.

pH 9 @ 20 °C

Boiling point Not available

Melting point 270.0 °C

Flash point Not available

Upper Flammable Limit Not available

Lower Flammable Limit Not available

Auto Ignition Not available

Explosive properties No. Oxidising Properties No.

Vapour Presure Not available Relative Density 2.2200 °C Water Solubility 9%

10. Stability & Reactivity

Chemical Stability Stable under normal conditions

Conditions to Avoid Avoid contact with acids.

Materials to Avoid Acids.

Hazardous None unusual.

Decomposition Products

11. Toxicological Information

Eyes Contact with the solid or dust may be irritating to the eyes but unlikely to cause serious

injury.

Skin Contact with the solid or dust may be mildly irritating to the skin..

LD50 Skin Not available

Ingest Low order of acute toxicity.

LD50 Ingest Oral rat 4220 mg/Kg

Inhalation Presents no significant health hazard by inhalation.

11. Toxicological Information (continued)

Carcinogenicity Not considered to be a carcinogen.

Mutagenicity Not considered to be a mutagen.

Reproductive Effects None identified.

Other Information Used in the food industry.

12. Ecological

No specific environmental hazard.

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods

Flush to drain.

Contaminated Packaging Wash out containers with water. Use a licensed waste disposer.

14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name

Non-restricted

UN Number UN Classification

Non-restricted None

Subsidiary Risk

None

Flash Point

Not available

Packing Group

None

Transport Category Marine pollutant

None No

ADR Hazard ID

Non-restricted

15. Regulatory Information

Labelling

None

Classification Label Symbols

Risk & safety Phrases Do not breath dust. Avoid contact with eyes.

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16. Other Information

Document Information

This document has been prepared in accordance with directive 88/379/EEC.

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