# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SODIUM SULFITE

## SECTION 1: CHEMICAL AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

BioShop Canada Inc. 5480 Mainway Burlington, Ontario L7L 6A4 1-800-234-1179 Emergency Telephone No.: 905-466-3832 Chemical Name: sodium sulfite Synonym: N/A Catalog Number: SOS600

## SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification:

Not hazardous according to GHS

## Potential Health Effects:

Eyes: may cause eye irritation Skin: may cause skin irritation Inhalation: may be harmful if inhaled Ingestion: may be harmful if ingested

SECTION 3	COMPOSITION/ INGREDIENTS		
	CAS #	%	
Sodium sulfite	7757-83-7	100	

Molecular Formula: Na2SO3 Molecular Weight: 126.04

#### SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

Eyes: Flush eyes with water . Consult a physician.

Skin: In case of contact, flush area immediately with water. Get medical aid if irritation persists.

**Inhalation**: Remove victim to fresh air. Get medical aid if irritation persists. **Ingestion**: Wash mouth with water. Get medical aid if any symptoms appear.

## SECTION 5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability: not flammable Flash Point: not determined Autoignition Temperature: not determined Extinguishing Media: Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Explosion Data: Not available

### SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions:** 

Ventilate the area. Wear appropriate protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

#### Methods for containment and clean up:

Contain further leakage. Sweep and place in a closed container.. Dispose according to local regulations

## SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Do not get in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Storage Conditions: Room temperature. Keep cool and dry.

SECTION 8	EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL
	PROTECTION

#### Exposure limits:

ACGIH, NIOSH, OSHA, none listed

Use adequate ventilation. Avoid dust generation ..

**Personal protective Equipment:** Wear appropriate safety glasses and protective gloves/clothing

**Engineering Measures:** eye wash stations, ventilation systems, showers Hygiene Measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. wash hands before and after handling product.

## SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: white powder Odor: no information found Odor Threshold: : no information found Melting Point: no information found Boiling Point: no information found Specific Gravity: no information found Vapor Density: no information found Vapor pressure: no information found Water Solubility: 126g/L pH: 9-10.5 @126g/L Flammability: not flammable Flash point: no information found Ignition temperature: no information found Autoignition temperature: no information found Lower explosion limit: no information found Upper explosion limit: no information found

#### SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:

 Stability: Stable at normal room temperature and pressure

 Conditions to avoid: dust generation

 Incompatibility strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide,

sodium oxides, sulfur oxides

Hazardous Polymerization: Has not been reported

#### SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

#### **Exposure Limits:**

Oral, rat LD50=3500mg/kg

Epidemiology: No data available Teratogenicity; No data available Reproductive Effects: No data available Neurotoxicity: No data available Mutagenicity: No data available Carcinogencity: not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA

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## SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No information found.

SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Waste Disposal: Burn in chemical incinerator. Observe all Federal, provincial and local regulations.

#### SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping Information:

**DOT (US):** not regulated **IMDG:** not regulated **IATA**: not regulated

### SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

**US Federal regulations:** No listed on TSCA

Canada: WHMIS: not WHMIS controlled

## SECTION 16 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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