

## 1. Product and Company Identification

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Product Name Sodium Meta Bisulphite  
Part Number RXSOL-33-6176-051

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## 2. Composition / Information on ingredients

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Chemical Name	Cas No	EC No	Whight	Formula
Sodium metabisulfite	7681-57-4	231-673-0	190,11 g/mol	Na <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> S <sub>2</sub>

## 3. Hazards Identification

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Signal Word	Danger
Hazard Statements	H318 Causes serious eye damage.
Precautionary statements	P280 Wear eye protection/ face protection. P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
Classification of the substance or mixture	Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.
Supplemental Hazard Statements	None
Other hazards	This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## 4. First Aid Measures

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General advice	Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
If inhaled	If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.
Eye Contact	After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.
Swallowed	After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.
Skin Contact	In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
Inhalation	
Ingestion	Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor or Poison Control Center immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delaye

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

## 5. Fire-fighting Measures

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Flammability

May be combustible at high temperature.

Suitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do NOT use water jet.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Sulfur oxides Sodium oxides Not combustible. Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

Hazardous combustion products

Fire may cause the evolution of Sulphur oxides, nitrogen oxides.

Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Protective Equipment

Use personal protective equipment.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Has a fire-promoting effect due to the release of oxygen. Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

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Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. For personal protection see section 8.

Spillage

Oxidizing material. Stop leak if without risk. Avoid contact with a combustible material (wood, paper, oil, clothing...). Keep substance damp using water spray. Do not touch spilled material. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas dike if needed. Eliminate all ignition sources. Call for assistance on disposal.

Personal Protection

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8.

Environmental Precaution

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

## 7. Handling and Storage

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Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

Incompatible materials

Keep away from alkalis, strong oxidizing agents and metals. Provide containment walls of adequate capacity to hold any accidental spills.

Hygiene measures

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. For precautions see section 2.2.

Advice on safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Dry. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons. Moisture sensitive.

Storage conditions	Tightly closed. Dry. Do not store near acids. Air and moisture sensitive.
Storage class	Storage class (TRGS 510): 3: Flammable liquids
Specific end use(s)	Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated
Advice on general occupational hygiene	Advice on safe handling Observe label precautions. Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

## 8. Exposure controls and personal protection

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Exposure controls	No specific additional engineering controls are required. Provide good natural or artificial ventilation.
Engineering Control	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.
Eye/face protection	Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Tightly fitting safety goggles
Body Protection	protective clothing
Skin protection	This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: <a href="http://www.kcl.de">www.kcl.de</a> ). Full contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0,11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: <a href="http://www.kcl.de">www.kcl.de</a> ). Splash contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0,11 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L
Respiratory protection	Required when dusts are generated. Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system. Recommended Filter type: Filter type P2 The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.
Other Protection Measure	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
Control of environmental exposure	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

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Physical state	Clear, Liquid
Colour	Colorless
Odour	No data available
Odor Threshold	Not Applicable
pH	4,5 at 50 g/l at 20 °C
Melting Point	> 300 °C - lit.
Boiling Point	97 °C - lit.
Flash Point	6 °C - closed cup
Evaporation Rate	Not Applicable
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Explosive limits	No Data Available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
Autoignition temperature	No data available

Decomposition temperature	> 150 °C
Vapour pressure	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Density	2,36 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Relative Density	No data available
Specific Gravity	No data available
Partition coefficient	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Solubility	650 g/l at 20 °C
Ignition temperature	No information available.
Particle characteristics	No data available

## 10. Stability and reactivity

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Reactivity	Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.
Chemical stability	The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) . Exposure to moisture.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Generates dangerous gases or fumes in contact with: Acids
Conditions to avoid	Heat. Exposure to air. no information available
Incompatible materials	Strong acids, Strong oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products	In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. Toxicological information

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Acute toxicity	LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 1.540 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401) LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4 h - > 5,5 mg/l - aerosol (OECD Test Guideline 403) Remarks: (in analogy to similar products)
Skin corrosion/irritation	Skin - Rabbit Result: No skin irritation - 4 h (OECD Test Guideline 404)
Serious eye damage/irritation	Eyes - Rabbit Result: Causes serious eye damage. (OECD Test Guideline 405) Remarks: (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, Annex VI)
Respiratory or skin sensitization	Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse Result: negative (OECD Test Guideline 429) Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in certain sensitive individuals.
Carcinogenicity	No data available
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available
Reproductive toxicity	No data available
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	No data available
Additional Information	RTECS: UF9625000 Lung irritation, Cyanosis, Central nervous system depression To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

## 12. Ecological information

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Persistence and degradability	No data available
Toxicity to fish	static test LC50 - Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe) - 316 mg/l - 96 h (DIN 38412 part 15)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 89 mg/l - 48 h Remarks: (ECHA)
Toxicity to bacteria	static test EC50 - activated sludge - > 1.000 mg/l - 3 h (OECD Test Guideline 209)
Toxicity to algae	static test ErC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 43,8 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Products Biodegradation	The methods for determining the biological degradability are not

Mobility in soil	applicable to inorganic substances.
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	No data available This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.
Endocrine disrupting properties	No data available
Other adverse effects	No data available .

### 13. Disposal considerations

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Waste treatment Method	No data available
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### 14. Transport information

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UN number	ADR/RID: IMDG: IATA:
UN proper shipping name	ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods IMDG:Not dangerous goods IATA:Not dangerous goods
Transport hazard class(es)	ADR/RID: IMDG: IATA:
Packaging group	ADR/RID: IMDG: IATA:
Environmental hazards	ADR/RID: No IMDG: No IATA: No
Special precautions for user	No data available
Further information	Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

### 15. Regulatory information

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Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.
Other regulations	Observe work restrictions regarding maternity protection in accordance to Dir 92/85/EEC or stricter national regulations where applicable. Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.
Chemical Safety Assessment	For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

### 16. Other information

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Other Information	<p>The information above is believed to be accurate and represents the best information currently available to us. However, we make no warranty of merchantability or any other warranty, express or implied, with respect to such information, and we assume no liability resulting from its use. Users should make their own investigations to determine the suitability of the information for their particular purposes. In no event shall we be liable for any claims, losses, or damages of any third party or for lost profits or any special, indirect, incidental, consequential or exemplary damages, howsoever arising, even if Rx Marine International has been advised of the possibility of such damages.</p>
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