# Material Safety Data Sheet

# Sodium sulfate decahydrate

ACC# 92087

## Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: Sodium sulfate decahydrate

**Catalog Numbers:** AC611615000

Synonyms: Disodium Sulfate; Salt Cake; Disodium Sulphate; Sulfuric acid, disodium salt

**Company Identification:**Acros Organics N.V.

One Reagent Lane Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

For information in North America, call: 800-ACROS-01 For emergencies in the US, call CHEMTREC: 800-424-9300

# Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EINECS/ELINCS
7727-73-3	Sodium sulfate decahydrate	100	unlisted
7757-82-6	Sodium sulfate anhydrous	-	231-820-9

**Hazard Symbols:** None listed. **Risk Phrases:** None listed.

#### Section 3 - Hazards Identification

#### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Appearance: white solid. **Caution!** The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated. May cause eye and skin irritation. May cause respiratory and digestive tract irritation.

Target Organs: None known.

#### **Potential Health Effects**

**Eye:** May cause eye irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

**Skin:** May cause skin irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated.

**Ingestion:** May cause irritation of the digestive tract. The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully investigated.

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation. The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully investigated.

**Chronic:** No information found.

## Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid.

**Skin:** Get medical aid. Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid. Do NOT induce vomiting. If conscious and alert, rinse mouth and drink 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. **Inhalation:** Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give

artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishing media most appropriate for the surrounding fire. Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or appropriate foam.

**Flash Point:** Not available.

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not available. **Explosion Limits, Lower:** Not available.

**Upper:** Not available.

**NFPA Rating:** (estimated) Health: 1; Flammability: 0; Instability: 0

#### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. **Spills/Leaks:** Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation.

# Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

**Storage:** Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep containers tightly closed.

# Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low. **Exposure Limits** 

Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Sodium sulfate decahydrate	none listed	none listed	none listed
Sodium sulfate anhydrous	none listed	none listed	none listed

**OSHA Vacated PELs:** Sodium sulfate decahydrate: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical. Sodium sulfate anhydrous: No OSHA Vacated PELs are listed for this chemical.

## **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eyes:** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

**Skin:** Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

**Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respirators:** A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements or European Standard EN 149 must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use. Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Always use a NIOSH or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator when necessary.

# Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical State:** Solid **Appearance:** white **Odor:** odorless

**pH:** 6-7.5

Vapor Pressure: Not available. Vapor Density: Not available. Evaporation Rate:Not available.

**Viscosity:** Not available. **Boiling Point:** Decomposes.

Freezing/Melting Point:32.4 deg C Decomposition Temperature:100 deg C

Solubility: Soluble in water.
Specific Gravity/Density:1.46
Molecular Formula:Na2SO4.10H2O

Molecular Weight: 322.1712

# Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, dust generation, excess heat.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Irritating and toxic fumes and gases, sodium oxide,

sulfur oxides (SOx), including sulfur oxide and sulfur dioxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#:

**CAS**# 7727-73-3 unlisted.

CAS# 7757-82-6: WE1650000

**LD50/LC50:** Not available.

CAS# 7757-82-6:

Oral, mouse: LD50 = 5989 mg/kg;

**Carcinogenicity:** 

CAS# 7727-73-3: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP, or OSHA. CAS# 7757-82-6: Not

listed by ACGIH, IARC, NIOSH, NTP, or OSHA.

**Epidemiology:** No information available. **Teratogenicity:** No information available.

**Reproductive Effects:** No information available.

**Neurotoxicity:** No information available. **Mutagenicity:** No information available.

**Other Studies:** No data available.

# Section 12 - Ecological Information

No information available.

# Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

RCRA P-Series: None listed. RCRA U-Series: None listed.

# Section 14 - Transport Information

	US DOT	IATA	RID/ADR	IMO	Canada TDG
<b>Shipping Name:</b>	No information available.				No information available.
<b>Hazard Class:</b>					

# UN Number: Packing Group:

# **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

#### **US FEDERAL**

#### **TSCA**

CAS# 7727-73-3 is not on the TSCA Inventory because it is a hydrate. It is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the inventory (40CFR720.3(u)(2)). CAS# 7757-82-6 is listed on the TSCA inventory.

## **Health & Safety Reporting List**

None of the chemicals are on the Health & Safety Reporting List.

#### **Chemical Test Rules**

None of the chemicals in this product are under a Chemical Test Rule.

## **Section 12b**

None of the chemicals are listed under TSCA Section 12b.

## **TSCA Significant New Use Rule**

None of the chemicals in this material have a SNUR under TSCA.

#### **SARA**

## **CERCLA Hazardous Substances and corresponding RQs**

None of the chemicals in this material have an RQ.

## **SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances**

None of the chemicals in this product have a TPQ.

#### **SARA Codes**

CAS # 7727-73-3.

#### **Section 313**

No chemicals are reportable under Section 313.

#### **Clean Air Act:**

This material does not contain any hazardous air pollutants. This material does not contain any Class 1 Ozone depletors. This material does not contain any Class 2 Ozone depletors.

#### **Clean Water Act:**

None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Priority Pollutants under the CWA. None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Toxic Pollutants under the CWA.

#### OSHA:

None of the chemicals in this product are considered highly hazardous by OSHA.

#### STATE

CAS# 7727-73-3 is not present on state lists from CA, PA, MN, MA, FL, or NJ.

CAS# 7757-82-6 can be found on the following state right to know lists: Pennsylvania, Massachusetts.

California No Significant Risk Level: None of the chemicals in this product are listed.

## **European/International Regulations**

**European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives** 

## **Hazard Symbols:**

Not available.

#### **Risk Phrases:**

## **Safety Phrases:**

S 37 Wear suitable gloves.

S 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

S 28A After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

## **WGK (Water Danger/Protection)**

CAS# 7727-73-3: No information available.

CAS# 7757-82-6: 0

Canada - DSL/NDSL

CAS# 7757-82-6 is listed on Canada's DSL List.

**Canada - WHMIS**WHMIS: Not available.

**Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List** 

**Exposure Limits** 

## Section 16 - Additional Information

**MSDS Creation Date:** 11/08/2001 **Revision #2 Date:** 6/02/2003

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