

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Sodium persulfate

According to the REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 No. 1577, as amended.

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name Sodium persulfate

 Product number
 46270466

 CAS number
 7775-27-1

**EC number** 231-892-1

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Identified uses** For research purposes only.

**Uses advised against** Not suitable for human consumption or veterinary purposes.

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Molekula Ltd.

Lingfield Way, Darlington, DL1 4XX, United Kingdom +44 (0) 3302000333 info@molekula.com

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

+44 (0) 7769276927

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (SI 2019 No. 720)

Physical hazards Ox. Sol. 3 - H272

Health hazards Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Resp. Sens. 1 - H334 Skin Sens. 1 - H317 STOT SE 3 - H335

Environmental hazards Not Classified

2.2. Label elements

**EC number** 231-892-1

Hazard pictograms







Signal word

Danger

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**Hazard statements** H272 May intensify fire; oxidiser.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statements P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No

smoking.

P220 Keep away from combustible materials.

P261 Avoid breathing dust.

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling. P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P284 [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTRE/doctor if you feel unwell.

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P330 Rinse mouth.

P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P342+P311 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.

P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P370+P378 In case of fire: Use foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog to extinguish.

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current UK criteria.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

Product name Sodium persulfate

 CAS number
 7775-27-1

 EC number
 231-892-1

 Chemical formula
 Na2O8S2

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information Get medical attention if any discomfort continues. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the medical

personnel.

**Inhalation** Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for

breathing. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as collar, tie or belt. When breathing is difficult, properly trained personnel may assist affected person by administering oxygen. Get medical attention. Place unconscious person on their side in the recovery position and ensure breathing can take place. In the event of any sensitisation symptoms

developing, ensure further exposure is avoided.

Ingestion Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give a few small glasses of water or milk to drink. Stop if

the affected person feels sick as vomiting may be dangerous. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Place unconscious person on their side in the recovery position and ensure breathing can take place. Keep affected person under observation. Get medical

attention if symptoms are severe or persist.

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Skin contact It is important to remove the substance from the skin immediately. In the event of any

sensitisation symptoms developing, ensure further exposure is avoided. Remove

contamination with soap and water or recognised skin cleansing agent. Get medical attention

if symptoms are severe or persist after washing.

Eye contact Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Rinse with water. Get medical

attention if any discomfort continues.

**Protection of first aiders** First aid personnel should wear appropriate protective equipment during any rescue.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the

length of exposure.

**Inhalation** May cause sensitisation or allergic reactions in sensitive individuals. A single exposure may

cause the following adverse effects: Irritation of nose, throat and airway. Difficulty in breathing.

Coughing.

Ingestion May cause sensitisation or allergic reactions in sensitive individuals. May cause discomfort if

swallowed. Stomach pain. Nausea, vomiting.

Skin contact May cause skin sensitisation or allergic reactions in sensitive individuals. Prolonged contact

may cause dryness of the skin.

**Eye contact** May be slightly irritating to eyes.

## 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. Use fire-

extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Specific hazards** May cause or intensify fire; oxidiser. This product is toxic.

Hazardous combustion

products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances:

Toxic gases or vapours.
Oxides of sulphur.

Sodium oxides

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during

firefighting

Avoid breathing fire gases or vapours. Evacuate area. Keep upwind to avoid inhalation of gases, vapours, fumes and smoke. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. May cause or intensify fire; oxidiser. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out. Control run-off water by containing and keeping it out of sewers

and watercourses. If risk of water pollution occurs, notify appropriate authorities.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing. Firefighter's clothing will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

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Personal precautions

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. No action shall be taken without appropriate training or involving any personal risk. Do not touch or walk into spilled material. Avoid inhalation of dust. Use suitable respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Avoid discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground. Avoid discharge to the

aquatic environment.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Do not use sawdust or other combustible material. Provide adequate ventilation. Collect spillage with a shovel and broom, or similar and reuse, if possible. Collect and place in suitable waste disposal containers and seal securely. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections

For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. See Section 12 for additional information on ecological hazards. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions

Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Keep container tightly sealed when not in use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not handle broken packages without protective equipment. Do not reuse empty containers.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Take off contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions

Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10). Store locked up. Keep away from flammable and combustible materials. Keep only in the original container. Keep container tightly closed, in a cool, well ventilated place. Keep containers upright. Protect containers from damage.

Storage class Oxidiser storage.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

**Specific end use(s)** The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/Personal protection**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

## Protective equipment





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Appropriate engineering

controls

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Ensure the ventilation system is regularly maintained and tested. Good general ventilation should be adequate to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants. Observe any occupational exposure limits for the product or ingredients.

**Eve/face protection** Unless the assessment indicar

Unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection is required, the following

protection should be worn: Tight-fitting safety glasses.

Hand protection It is recommended that chemical-resistant, impervious gloves are worn. The most suitable

glove should be chosen in consultation with the glove supplier/manufacturer, who can provide information about the brookthrough time of the glove material. To protect hands from

information about the breakthrough time of the glove material. To protect hands from chemicals, wear gloves that are proven to be impervious to the chemical and resist

degradation. Considering the data specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that

the gloves are retaining their protective properties and change them as soon as any

deterioration is detected. Frequent changes are recommended.

Other skin and body

protection

May cause skin sensitisation or allergic reactions in sensitive individuals. Wear appropriate

clothing to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact.

Hygiene measures Wash after use and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Do not eat, drink or smoke

when using this product.

Respiratory protection Ensure all respiratory protective equipment is suitable for its intended use and is 'UKCA'-

marked. Check that the respirator fits tightly and the filter is changed regularly. Gas and combination filter cartridges suitable for intended use should be used. Full face mask respirators with replaceable filter cartridges suitable for intended use should be used. Half mask and quarter mask respirators with replaceable filter cartridges suitable for intended use

should be used.

**Environmental exposure** 

controls

Keep container tightly sealed when not in use. Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Powder.

Colour White/off-white.

Odour Not known.

Odour threshold No information available.

pH (diluted solution): 5-7 550 g/l H2O

Melting point 100°C/212°F

**Initial boiling point and range** No information available.

Flash point No information available.

**Evaporation rate** No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available.

Upper/lower flammability or

explosive limits

No information available.

Vapour pressure 0 hPa @ 25°C/77°F

Vapour density No information available.

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1.68 @ 20°C/68°F Relative density

Solubility(ies) Soluble in water.

Partition coefficient No information available. **Auto-ignition temperature** No information available.

180°C/356°F **Decomposition Temperature** 

9.2. Other information

Molecular weight 238.10

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity See the other subsections of this section for further details.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended. Stable under the Stability

prescribed storage conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous Violent reactions possible with:

reactions Reducing agents.

organic combustible substances

Alcohols. Strong acids. Alkalis.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid Exposure to moist air or water.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Reducing agents. Flammable/combustible materials. Hydrocarbons. Organic cyanides

(nitriles). Esters. Some metals.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition

Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended. products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances:

Toxic gases or vapours.

Sodium oxides Oxides of sulphur.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - oral

Harmful if swallowed. Summary

500.0 ATE oral (mg/kg)

Acute toxicity - dermal

Summary Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met. Summary

Skin corrosion/irritation

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**Summary** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/irritation

**Summary**Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory sensitisation

Summary May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Skin sensitisation

**Summary** May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity

**Summary** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

**Summary** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

**IARC carcinogenicity**None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Reproductive toxicity

**Summary** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

**Summary** May cause respiratory irritation.

Target organs Respiratory system, lungs

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

**Summary** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Summary Not relevant. Solid.

General information The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the

length of exposure.

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cause the following adverse effects: Irritation of nose, throat and airway. Difficulty in breathing.

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swallowed. Stomach pain. Nausea, vomiting.

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may cause dryness of the skin.

**Eye contact** May be slightly irritating to eyes.

Route of exposure Ingestion Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact

Target organs Respiratory system, lungs

Medical considerations Skin disorders and allergies.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

Ecotoxicity Not regarded as dangerous for the environment. However, large or frequent spills may have

hazardous effects on the environment.

12.1. Toxicity

Acute aquatic toxicity

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**Summary** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Chronic aquatic toxicity

**Summary**Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability The degradability of the product is not known.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential No data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition coefficient No information available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility** No data available.

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

General information The generation of waste should be minimised or avoided wherever possible. Reuse or recycle

products wherever possible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. When handling waste, the safety precautions applying to handling of the product should be considered. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been thoroughly cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product

residues and hence be potentially hazardous.

**Disposal methods**Do not empty into drains. Dispose of surplus products and those that cannot be recycled via a

licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste, residues, empty containers, discarded work clothes and contaminated cleaning materials should be collected in designated containers, labelled with their contents. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is

not feasible.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

General For limited quantity packaging/limited load information, consult the relevant modal

documentation using the data shown in this section.

14.1. UN number

UN No. (ADR/RID) 1505

**UN No. (IMDG)** 1505

**UN No. (ICAO)** 1505

**UN No. (ADN)** 1505

## 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name

SODIUM PERSULPHATE

(ADR/RID)

Proper shipping name (IMDG) SODIUM PERSULPHATE

Proper shipping name (ICAO) SODIUM PERSULPHATE

Proper shipping name (ADN) SODIUM PERSULPHATE

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### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID class 5.1

ADR/RID classification code 02

ADR/RID label 5.1

IMDG class 5.1

ICAO class/division 5.1

ADN class 5.1

## Transport labels



### 14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID packing group III
IMDG packing group III
ICAO packing group III
ADN packing group III

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

#### Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Always transport in closed containers that are upright and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

EmS F-A, S-Q

ADR transport category 3

Emergency Action Code 1Z

Hazard Identification Number 50

(ADR/RID)

Tunnel restriction code (E)

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulations Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (as amended).

The Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment

Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No. 1348) (as amended) ["CDG 2009"].

EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits.

# 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

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No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

#### Inventories

#### **EU - EINECS/ELINCS**

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Road.

ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Inland Waterways.

RID: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail.

IATA: International Air Transport Association.

ICAO: Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air.

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods.

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service. ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate.

LC50: Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population.

LD50: Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose).

EC50: 50% of maximal Effective Concentration.

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance. vPvB: Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative.

Classification abbreviations

and acronyms

Ox. Sol. = Oxidising solid Acute Tox. = Acute toxicity

Resp. Sens. = Respiratory sensitisation

Skin Sens. = Skin sensitisation

STOT SE = Specific target organ toxicity-single exposure

Classification procedures according to SI 2019 No. 720

Acute Tox. 4 - H302: STOT SE 3 - H335: Resp. Sens. 1 - H334: Skin Sens. 1 - H317: : Expert

judgement. Ox. Sol. 3 - H272: : Expert judgement.

**Training advice** Only trained personnel should use this material.

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Hazard statements in full H272 May intensify fire; oxidiser.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

This information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process. Such information is, to the best of the company's knowledge and belief, accurate and reliable as of the date indicated. However, no warranty, guarantee or representation is made to its accuracy, reliability or completeness. It is the user's responsibility to satisfy himself as to the suitability of such information for his own particular use.