



Safety Data Sheet according to WHS Regulations

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1 Identification

Product Name: FILTRITE PH DOWN / FILTRITE SPA PH DOWN

Other Means of Identification: Mixture

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use:

Flux for decomposing minerals, substitute for sulphuric acid in dyeing, disinfectant, manufacture of sodium hydrosulphate, sodium sulphate and soda alum, liberating carbon dioxide in carbonic acid baths, in thermophores, carbonizing wool, manufacture of magnesia cements, paper, soap, perfumes, foods, industrial cleaners, metal pickling compounds and lab reagent.

Details of Manufacturer or Importer:

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2 Hazard(s) Identification

Hazardous Nature:

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)



Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.

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.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

Chemical Characterization: Mixtures

Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Hazardous Components:		
CAS: 7681-38-1 Sodium hydrogensulphate	♦ Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1, H318	>92%
CAS: 7757-82-6 Sulfuric acid, disodium salt	◆ Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 2A, H319	<5%

4 First Aid Measures

Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention if breathing problems develop.

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Skin Contact:

In case of skin contact, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with water and soap. Seek medical attention if symptoms occur.

Eye Contact:

In case of eye contact, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Seek immediate medical attention.

Ingestion:

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth with water. Give a glass of water. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek immediate medical attention.

Symptoms Caused by Exposure:

Inhalation: Dust may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage. Direct contact can cause corneal burns. Contact may result in permanent injury.

Ingestion: May cause chemical burns to the gastrointestinal tract, nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea and abdominal pain.

5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Foam, dry chemical powder or carbon dioxide.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:

Hazardous combustion products include oxides of sulphur.

This product is not flammable, but may decompose in a fire.

Containers close to fire should be removed if safe to do so.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:

When fighting a major fire wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective equipment.

6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

Wear approved full protective clothing. Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions:

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up:

Stop leak if safe to do so and sweep granules into a pile and shovel into drums for subsequent disposal. Consider vacuuming. Avoid generating dust. Provide adequate ventilation. Do not spray with water.

7 Handling and Storage

Precautions for Safe Handling:

Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation of dust. Food, beverages and tobacco products should not be stored or consumed where this material is in use. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. Provide eyewash fountains and safety showers in close proximity to points of potential exposure.

Conditions for Safe Storage:

Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Protect from excessive moisture. Keep away from oxidising and reducing agents, bases and calcium hypochloride.

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8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Exposure Standards:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

Engineering Controls:

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapour below occupational exposure standards.

Respiratory Protection:

Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a Class P1 (particulate) respirator. At high dust levels, wear a powered air purifying respirator (PAPR) with Class P3 (Particulate) filter or an air-line respirator or a full-face Class P3 (particulate) respirator. See Australian/New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 1715 and 1716 for more information.

Skin Protection:

PVC, PVA, nitrile, neoprene, rubber or vinyl gloves. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2161 for more information.

When selecting gloves for use against certain chemicals, the degradation resistance, permeation rate and permeation breakthrough time should be considered. Occupational protective clothing (depending on conditions in which it has to be used, in particular as regards

the period for which it is worn, which shall be determined on the basis of the seriousness of the risk, the frequency of exposure to the risk, the characteristics of the workstation of each worker and the performance of the protective clothing. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4501 for more information.

Eye and Face Protection:

Eye and face protectors for protection against dust. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 for more information.

9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Form: Solid - powder or crystals

Colour: White Odourless

Odour Threshold: No information available pH-Value: No information available 1.3 (1% solution)

Melting point/freezing point: 180 °C

Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range: No information available

Flash Point:

Flammability:

Not applicable

Non flammable

Auto-ignition Temperature:No information available
No information available

Explosion Limits:

Lower:
Upper:
Vapour Pressure:
Density at 20 °C:
Vapour Density:
Evaporation Rate:
Solubility in Water at 25 °C:

Not applicable
Not applicable
Not applicable
280 g/l

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): No information available Viscosity:

No information available

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10 Stability and Reactivity

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

Chemical Stability: Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

Conditions to Avoid: Excessive moisture.

Incompatible Materials: Oxidising and reducing agents, bases and calcium hypochloride.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Oxides of sulphur.

11 Toxicological Information

Toxicity:

LD ₅₀ /LC ₅₀ Values Relevant for Classification:	
CAS: 7681-38-1 Sodium hydrogensulphate	
Oral LD ₅₀ 2490 mg/kg (rat)	
CAS: 7757-82-6 Sulfuric acid, disodium salt	
Oral LD₅₀ 5,989 mg/kg (mouse)	

Acute Health Effects

Inhalation: Dust may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

Skin: May cause skin irritation.

Eye:

Causes serious eye damage. Direct contact can cause corneal burns. Contact may result in permanent injury.

May cause chemical burns to the gastrointestinal tract, nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea and abdominal pain.

Skin Corrosion / Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious Eye Damage / Irritation: Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. **Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity: This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.

Reproductive Toxicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure:

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Repeated Exposure:

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration Hazard: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Chronic Health Effects:

Overexposure to this product can cause lung irritation, bronchitis, persistent coughing and tooth corrosion.

Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: No information available

Additional toxicological information: No information available

12 Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity:

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

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Persistence and Degradability: No further relevant information available. **Bioaccumulative Potential:** No further relevant information available.

Mobility in Soil: No further relevant information available.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods and Containers: Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.

Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:

Please consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information.

14 Transport Information

UN Number Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name Not regulated
Dangerous Goods Class Not regulated
Packing Group: Not regulated

15 Regulatory Information

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances:	
CAS: 7681-38-1	Sodium hydrogensulphate
CAS: 7757-82-6	Sulfuric acid, disodium salt
CAS: 7732-18-5	Water

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule:

Not Scheduled.

16 Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC₅o: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD₅₀: Lethal dose, 50 percent

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit TWA: Time Weighted Average

NES: National Exposure Standard (Safe Work Australia - Workplace Exposure Standards For Airborne Contaminants)

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 2A

Data altered compared to the previous version: Section 14.

Disclaimer

This SDS is prepared in accord with the Safe Work Australia document "Code of Practice for the Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals - February 2016"

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