Safety Data Sheet

Baking Soda

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Section 1 Product Description

Product Name:	Baking Soda
Recommended Use:	Science education applications
Synonyms:	Baking soda, Sodium Acid Carbonate, Carbonic Acid, Sodium Salt
Distributor:	Carolina Biological Supply Company 2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215 1-800-227-1150
Chemical Information:	800-227-1150 (8am-5pm (ET) M-F)
Chemtrec:	800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24 hours)

Section 2 Hazard Identification

Classification of the chemical in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200;

Not a dangerous substance according to GHS classification criteria. No known OSHA hazards.

GHS Classification:

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%
Sodium Bicarbonate	144-55-8	100

Section 4 First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

Inhalation:	In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.
Eyes:	In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
Skin Contact:	After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.
Ingestion:	If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Section 5 Firefighting Procedures

Extinguishing Media:	Use media suitable to extinguish surrounding fire.
Fire Fighting Methods and Protection:	Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.
Fire and/or Explosion Hazards:	Fire or excessive heat may produce hazardous decomposition products.
Hazardous Combustion Products:	Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide

Section 6 Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled:	No health affects expected from the clean-up of this material if contact can be avoided. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this (M)SDS Prevent the spread of any spill to minimize harm to human health and the environment if safe to do so. Wear complete and proper personal protective equipment following the recommendation of Section 8 at a minimum. Dike with suitable absorbent material like granulated clay. Gather and store in a sealed container pending a waste disposal evaluation.

Section 7 Handling and Storage

Handling:	Avoid creating and inhaling dust.
Storage:	Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.
Storage Code:	Green - general chemical storage

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Section 8 Protection Information

Chemical Name	ACGIH (TWA)	ACGIH (STEL)	OSHA PEL (TWA)	OSHA PEL (STEL)
Sodium Bicarbonate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Control Parameters

Engineering Measures: No exposure limits exist for the constituents of this product. General room ventilation might be required to maintain operator comfort under normal conditions of use.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Respiratory Protection: No respiratory protection required under normal conditions of use.

Eye Protection: Wear chemical splash goggles when handling this product. Have an eye wash station available.

Skin Protection: Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves, an apron and other protective equipment depending upon conditions of use. Inspect gloves for chemical break-through and replace at regular intervals. Clean protective equipment regularly. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, and when leaving work.

Gloves: No information available

Section 9 Physical Data

Formula: NaHCO3
Molecular Weight: 84.00
Appearance: White Powder
Odor: None
Odor Threshold: No data available
pH: No data available
Melting Point: No data available
Boiling Point: No data available
Flash Point: No data available
Flammable Limits in Air: No data available

Vapor Pressure: No data available
Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): No data available
Vapor Density (Air=1): No data available
Specific Gravity: 2.159
Solubility in Water: Soluble
Log Pow (calculated): No data available
Autoignition Temperature: No data available
Decomposition Temperature: 50 C
Viscosity: No data available
Percent Volatile by Volume: No data available

Section 10 Reactivity Data

Reactivity: Not generally reactive under normal conditions.
Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid: None known.
Incompatible Materials: Acids
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon oxides
Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11 Toxicity Data

Routes of Entry Ingestion.
Symptoms (Acute): Alkalosis, Diarrhea, Hypertension
Delayed Effects: No data available

Acute Toxicity:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium Bicarbonate	144-55-8	Oral LD50 Mouse 3360 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat 4220 mg/kg	Not determined	Not determined

Carcinogenicity:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Sodium Bicarbonate	144-55-8	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Chronic Effects:

Mutagenicity: No evidence of a mutagenic effect.
Teratogenicity: No evidence of a teratogenic effect (birth defect).
Sensitization: No evidence of a sensitization effect.
Reproductive: No evidence of negative reproductive effects.
Target Organ Effects:
Acute: No data available
Chronic: No data available

Section 12 Ecological Data

Overview: This material is not expected to be harmful to the ecology.
Mobility: This material is expected to have high mobility in soil. It absorbs weakly to most soil types.
Persistence: No data
Bioaccumulation: No data
Degradability: No data
Other Adverse Effects: No data

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Eco Toxicity
Sodium Bicarbonate	144-55-8	48 HR EC50 DAPHNIA MAGNA 2350 MG/L 120 HR EC50 NITZSCHIA LINEARIS 650 MG/L

Section 13 Disposal Information

Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.
Waste Disposal Code(s): Not Determined

Section 14 Transport Information

Ground - DOT Proper Shipping Name:
Not regulated for transport by US DOT.

Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name:
Not regulated for air transport by IATA.

Section 15 Regulatory Information

TSCA Status: All components in this product are on the TSCA Inventory.

Chemical Name	CAS Number	§ 313 Name	§ 304 RQ	CERCLA RQ	§ 302 TPQ	CAA 112(2) TQ
Sodium Bicarbonate	144-55-8	No	No	No	No	No

California Prop 65: No California Proposition 65 ingredients

Section 16 Additional Information

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Glossary

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service Number
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
N/A	Not Available
NTP	National Toxicology Program
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
ppm	Parts per million
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
TLV	Threshold Limit Value
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
IDLH	Immediately dangerous to life and health