## **AUSTRALIAN CHEMICAL REAGENTS**

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name: Silica Standards
Product Code: 5823 0.02mg/L

2860 0.1 mg/L 5462 0.15 mg/L 2523 1.0 mg/L 6153 100 mg/L 1017 1000 mg/L

Other Names: Nil

Uses: Analytical Reagent

Supplier: Australian Chemical Reagents

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# 2. HAZARDS INFORMATION

**Hazard classification:** Classified as non-Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.

## 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Ingredients:

Chemical Entity	CAS No	Proportion	
Sodium metasilicate	[6834-92-0]	=<1%	
Water	[7732-18-5]	to 100%	

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Safety showers and eye wash facilities should be provided.

## Swallowed:

If conscious wash out mouth with water. Seek medical advice. Show this SDS to medical practitioner.

#### Eye:

Immediately hold eyelids open and flood with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical aid. Show this SDS to medical practitioner.

## Skin:

Remove contaminated clothing. Immediately wash skin thoroughly with water and mild soap. Seek medical advice if irritation persists. Show this SDS to medical practitioner. Launder clothing before reuse.

# Inhaled:

Remove from contaminated air. Maintain breathing with artificial respiration if necessary. Seek medical assistance. Show this SDS to a doctor.

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#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media:**

Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

#### **Hazards From Combustion Products:**

Solutions will not burn or support combustion.

# **Precautions For Fire Fighters and Special Protective Equipment:**

Fire fighters and others who may be exposed to combustion products during fire should wear full protective clothing including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Wear SCBA with full face-piece, operated in positive pressure mode when fighting fires.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### **Emergency procedures:**

Prevent from entering waterways. Restrict access to area. Remove chemicals that can react with the spilled material. Spills are slippery.

# Methods and materials for containment and clean up:

Use inert material such as sand or earth to contain spill or leak. Absorb spills with chemical absorber or vermiculite and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling:**

Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### **Conditions for Safe Storage:**

Store sealed in original container in a cool well ventilated situation away from foods and other chemicals. Do not store in direct sunlight. Observe good hygiene and housekeeping practices.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **National Exposure Standards:**

SWA - None listed

Biological Limit Values: No data available.

# **Engineering Controls:**

Not required with normal use. If mists are likely to be generated maintain atmospheric concentrations well below exposure standards with extraction ventilation.

# Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

The use of nitrile or neoprene gloves complying with AS 2161 and the use of faceshield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection complying with AS/NZS 1337 is recommended.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : Clear liquid Odour: Nil

pH: Not available
Boiling Point (°C): Not applicable
Freezing/melting Point: Not applicable
Vapour Pressure (mm of Hg @ 25°C): Not applicable
Vapour Density: Not applicable

Specific Gravity: 1

Flash Point (°C):

Flammability Limits (%):

Solubility in Water (g/L):

Not flammable

Not flammable

Soluble

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# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical stability:** 

Stable.

Conditions to avoid:

Incompatible materials:

Hazardous decomposition products:

Refer to section 5 (Fire Fighting Measures).

**Hazardous reactions:** 

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Health Effects:** 

Swallowed: May cause irritation to gastric system.

**Eye:** May be irritating to eye tissue.

Skin: May be irritating to skin.

Inhaled: Not considered a hazard with normal use.

Chronic Effects: No data available.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity:** 

No data available.

Persistence and degradability:

No data available.

**Mobility:** 

No data available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**UN Number:** Not applicable

**UN Proper Shipping Name:** Not applicable **Class and subsidiary risk(s):** Not applicable

Packing Group: Not applicable Hazchem Code: Not applicable Special precautions for user: Nil

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# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSDP):

Nil

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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