according to Regulation UK SI 2019/758 and UK SI 2020/1577 as amended Creation Date 02-Nov-2010

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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Product identifier

Product Description:

**SODIUM BISELENITE (L121)** 

Synonyms

Sodium hydrogen selenite

CAS No

Sodium selenite 7782-82-3

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

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against No Information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Oxoid Limited,

Wade Road,

Basingstoke, Hampshire,

RG24 8PW, United Kingdom

Tel: +44 (0) 1256 841144

EU entity/business name

Thermo Fisher Diagnostics B.V., Scheepsbouwersweg 1 B, 1121 PC Landsmeer,

The Netherlands.

**E-mail address** mbd-sds@thermofisher.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11 Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99 **CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

OXDLP0121A

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## CLP Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

# **Physical hazards**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

## **Health hazards**

Acute oral toxicity

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Vapors

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists

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Category 3 (H331)

Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)

Category 2 (H373)

## **Environmental hazards**

Acute aquatic toxicity
Chronic aquatic toxicity
Category 1 (H400)
Category 1 (H410)

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## 2.2. Label elements



## Signal Word

# Danger

# **Hazard Statements**

H300 - Fatal if swallowed

H331 - Toxic if inhaled

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## **Precautionary Statements**

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P301 + P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

P330 - Rinse mouth

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

P311 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

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

P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

#### 2.3. Other hazards

Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

# **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

## 3.1. Substances

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Component	CAS No	EC No	Weight %	CLP Classification - According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567
Sodium hydrogen selenite	7782-82-3	EEC No. 231-966-3	100	STOT RE 2 (H373) Acute Tox. 1 (H300) Acute Tox. 3 (H331) Aquatic Acute 1 (H400) Aquatic Chronic 1 (H410)

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Clean mouth with water. If accidentally

swallowed rinse the mouth with plenty of water (only if the person is conscious) and obtain

immediate medical attention.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Immediate medical attention

is required.

**Self-Protection of the First Aider**Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give

artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other

proper respiratory medical device.

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

No information available.

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

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

## 5.1. Extinguishing media

# **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.

## Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Burning produces obnoxious and toxic fumes. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not allow run-off from fire-fighting to enter drains or water courses.

# **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Burning produces obnoxious and toxic fumes.

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## 5.3. Advice for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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

Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation.

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

## 6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

# **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

## **Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from direct sunlight.

Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) 510 Class 6.1B Storage Class (LGK) (Germany)

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

# **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

# 8.1. Control parameters

## **Exposure limits**

List source(s): UK - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020.

Component	The United Kingdom	European Union	Ireland
Sodium hydrogen selenite	STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min		
	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr		

## **Biological limit values**

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This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

# Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) / Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)

No information available

## **Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

No information available.

## 8.2. Exposure controls

## **Engineering Measures**

Use only under a chemical fume hood.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

## Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Natural rubber	See manufacturers	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)
Nitrile rubber	recommendations			
Neoprene				
PVC				

**Skin and body protection** Long sleeved clothing.

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Respiratory Protection Whe	nen workers are facing	concentrations above the ex	posure limit they must use
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appropriate certified respirators.

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used

and maintained properly

Large scale/emergency use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits

are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced **Recommended Filter type:** Particulates filter conforming to EN 143

Small scale/Laboratory use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure

limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Recommended half mask:-** Particle filtering: EN149:2001 When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Environmental exposure controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water

system. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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Solid

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Crystalline Powder Solid

Appearance
Odor
No information available
No data available
No data available
Melting Point/Range
No data available
Not applicable
Flammability (liquid)
Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

Explosion Limits

No data available

Flash Point Not applicable Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature
Decomposition Temperature
pH

Not applicable
No data available
Not applicable

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

Water Solubility
Solubility
No information available
No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

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Vapor Pressure

Density / Specific Gravity

Bulk Density

No data available
No data available
No data available

Vapor Density Not applicable Solid

Particle characteristics No data available

9.2. Other information

Evaporation Rate Not applicable - Solid

# **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1. Reactivity

None known, based on information available

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Exposure to moisture. Protect from direct sunlight.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Burning produces obnoxious and toxic fumes.

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

## **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;

OralCategory 1DermalNo data availableInhalationCategory 3

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium hydrogen selenite	2.5mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
	8.6mg/kg (Rabbit)		

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

**Respiratory**Skin
No data available
No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; Category 2

Target Organs Respiratory system, Lungs, Skin, Central nervous system (CNS), Cardiovascular system,

Gastrointestinal tract (GI).

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available.

delayed

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine Disrupting Properties Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any

known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity effects Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic

environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the

environment.

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**12.2. Persistence and degradability Persistence**No information available Persistence is unlikely.

**Degradability** Not relevant for inorganic substances.

**Degradation in sewage**Not relevant for inorganic substances.

Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste

treatment plant water treatment plants.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential** Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Sodium hydrogen selenite	-6.14	No data available

12.4. Mobility in soil No information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

No data available for assessment.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting

properties

Endocrine Disruptor Information This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

12.7. Other adverse effects

Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations. Should not be released into the environment. Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** 

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

**European Waste Catalogue (EWC)** 

According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific.

Other Information

Do not flush to sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.

# **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### IMDG/IMO

14.1. UN numberUN263014.2. UN proper shipping nameSELENATES

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)** 6.1 **14.4. Packing group** I

ADR

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14.1. UN number UN2630 **SELENATES** 14.2. UN proper shipping name

14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 6.1 14.4. Packing group

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14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 6.1 14.4. Packing group I

14.5. Environmental hazards Dangerous for the environment

Product is a marine pollutant according to the criteria set by IMDG/IMO

14.6. Special precautions for user No special precautions required.

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable, packaged goods

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

## **International Inventories**

Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Korea (KECL), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Australia (AICS), New Zealand (NZIoC), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

Component	CAS No	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	IECSC	TCSI	KECL	ENCS	ISHL
Sodium hydrogen selenite	7782-82-3	231-966-3	-	ı	Х	X	KE-31480	Х	Х

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	DSL	NDSL	AICS	NZIoC	PICCS
Sodium hydrogen selenite	7782-82-3	-	-	-	-	X	X	-

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

## Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) -	REACH (1907/2006) -	REACH Regulation (EC
		Annex XIV - Substances	Annex XVII - Restrictions	1907/2006) article 59 -
		Subject to Authorization	on Certain Dangerous	Candidate List of
			Substances	Substances of Very High
				Concern (SVHC)
Sodium hydrogen selenite	7782-82-3	-	Use restricted. See item	-
			75.	
			(see link for restriction	
			details)	

## **REACH links**

https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach

## Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) -	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) -		
-		Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident	Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report		
		Notification	Requirements		
Sodium hydrogen selenite	7782-82-3	Not applicable	Not applicable		

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# import of dangerous chemicals

Not applicable

Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?

Not applicable

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work .

# **National Regulations**

UK - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

**WGK Classification** 

Water endangering class = 3 (self classification)

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

# Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

H300 - Fatal if swallowed

H331 - Toxic if inhaled

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level **RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

Key literature references and sources for data

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air

Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

Ships

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

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https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

# **Training Advice**

Chemical incident response training.

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