

DODECYL SULFATE, SODIUM SALT

DDS

CAUTIONARY RESPONSE INFORMATION

Common Synonyms Lauryl sodium sulfate Lauryl sulfate, sodium salt Sodium dodecyl sulfate Sodium lauryl sulfate	Solid paste or liquid White to pale yellow Mild odor Sinks and mixes with water.
Keep people away. Avoid contact with solid and dust. Notify local health and pollution control agencies.	
Fire	Not flammable.
Exposure	CALL FOR MEDICAL AID. DUST Irritating to eyes, nose and throat. If inhaled will cause coughing. If in eyes, hold eyelids open and flush with plenty of water. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. SOLID OR LIQUID Will burn eyes. Irritating to eyes. If swallowed will cause nausea and vomiting. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Flush affected areas with plenty of water. IF IN EYES, hold eyelids open and flush with plenty of water. IF SWALLOWED and victim is UNCONSCIOUS OR HAVING CONVULSIONS, do nothing except keep victim warm.
Water Pollution	Effect of low concentrations on aquatic life is unknown. May be dangerous if it enters water intakes. Notify local health and wildlife officials. Notify operators of nearby water intakes.

1. CORRECTIVE RESPONSE ACTIONS

Dilute and disperse
Stop discharge

2. CHEMICAL DESIGNATIONS

- 2.1 CG Compatibility Group: Not listed.
2.2 Formula: $C_{12}H_{25}OSO_3Na$
2.3 IMO/UN Designation: Not listed
2.4 DOT ID No.: Not listed
2.5 CAS Registry No.: 151-21-3
2.6 NAERG Guide No.: Not listed
2.7 Standard Industrial Trade Classification: 51549

3. HEALTH HAZARDS

- 3.1 **Personal Protective Equipment:** Protective gloves; dust mask or face shield
3.2 **Symptoms Following Exposure:** Inhalation of dust causes sneezing and coughing. Ingestion of large amounts causes irritation of stomach. Dust irritates eyes and may cause burns on prolonged contact. Contact with skin causes some irritation; continued exposure to water solution causes drying out and cracking.
3.3 **Treatment of Exposure:** INHALATION: remove from exposure. INGESTION: consult a doctor if large amounts have been ingested. EYES: flush well with water; consult doctor if irritation persists. SKIN: flush with water.
3.4 TLV-TWA: Not listed.
3.5 TLV-STEL: Not listed.
3.6 TLV-Ceiling: Not listed.
3.7 **Toxicity by Ingestion:** Grade 2; oral $LD_{50} = 1 \text{ g/kg (rat)}$
3.8 **Toxicity by Inhalation:** Currently not available.
3.9 **Chronic Toxicity:** Currently not available
3.10 **Vapor (Gas) Irritant Characteristics:** Currently not available
3.11 **Liquid or Solid Characteristics:** Currently not available
3.12 **Odor Threshold:** Currently not available
3.13 **IDLH Value:** Not listed.
3.14 **OSHA PEL-TWA:** Not listed.
3.15 **OSHA PEL-STEL:** Not listed.
3.16 **OSHA PEL-Ceiling:** Not listed.
3.17 **EPA AEGL:** Not listed

4. FIRE HAZARDS

- 4.1 **Flash Point:** Not flammable
4.2 **Flammable Limits in Air:** Not flammable
4.3 **Fire Extinguishing Agents:** Not pertinent
4.4 **Fire Extinguishing Agents Not to Be Used:** Not pertinent
4.5 **Special Hazards of Combustion Products:** Currently not available
4.6 **Behavior in Fire:** Currently not available
4.7 **Auto Ignition Temperature:** Not pertinent
4.8 **Electrical Hazards:** Not pertinent
4.9 **Burning Rate:** Not pertinent
4.10 **Adiabatic Flame Temperature:** Currently not available
4.11 **Stoichiometric Air to Fuel Ratio:** Not pertinent
4.12 **Flame Temperature:** Currently not available
4.13 **Combustion Molar Ratio (Reactant to Product):** Not pertinent
4.14 **Minimum Oxygen Concentration for Combustion (MOCC):** Not listed

5. CHEMICAL REACTIVITY

- 5.1 **Reactivity with Water:** No reaction
5.2 **Reactivity with Common Materials:** Currently not available
5.3 **Stability During Transport:** Stable
5.4 **Neutralizing Agents for Acids and Caustics:** Not pertinent
5.5 **Polymerization:** Not pertinent
5.6 **Inhibitor of Polymerization:** Not pertinent

6. WATER POLLUTION

- 6.1 **Aquatic Toxicity:** 5.8 ppm/24 hr/plaice/LC₅₀
6.2 **Waterfowl Toxicity:** Currently not available
6.3 **Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD):** 99% of theoretical in 5 days
6.4 **Food Chain Concentration Potential:** None
6.5 **GESAMP Hazard Profile:** Not listed

7. SHIPPING INFORMATION

- 7.1 **Grades of Purity:** Technical, 89-96%; pharmaceutical grade; also shipped as 28-50% solutions in water.
7.2 **Storage Temperature:** Below 38°C (100°F)
7.3 **Inert Atmosphere:** No requirement
7.4 **Venting:** Open
7.5 **IMO Pollution Category:** Currently not available
7.6 **Ship Type:** Currently not available
7.7 **Barge Hull Type:** 3

8. HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS

- 8.1 **49 CFR Category:** Not listed
8.2 **49 CFR Class:** Not pertinent
8.3 **49 CFR Package Group:** Not listed.
8.4 **Marine Pollutant:** No
8.5 **NFPA Hazard Classification:** Not listed
8.6 **EPA Reportable Quantity:** Not listed.
8.7 **EPA Pollution Category:** Not listed.
8.8 **RCRA Waste Number:** Not listed
8.9 **EPA FWPCA List:** Not listed

9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- 9.1 **Physical State at 15° C and 1 atm:** Solid
9.2 **Molecular Weight:** 288
9.3 **Boiling Point at 1 atm:** Not pertinent (decomposes)
9.4 **Freezing Point:** Not pertinent
9.5 **Critical Temperature:** Not pertinent
9.6 **Critical Pressure:** Not pertinent
9.7 **Specific Gravity:** >1.1 at 20°C (solid)
9.8 **Liquid Surface Tension:** Not pertinent
9.9 **Liquid Water Interfacial Tension:** Not pertinent
9.10 **Vapor (Gas) Specific Gravity:** Not pertinent
9.11 **Ratio of Specific Heats of Vapor (Gas):** Not pertinent
9.12 **Latent Heat of Vaporization:** Not pertinent
9.13 **Heat of Combustion:** Not pertinent
9.14 **Heat of Decomposition:** Not pertinent
9.15 **Heat of Solution:** Not pertinent
9.16 **Heat of Polymerization:** Not pertinent
9.17 **Heat of Fusion:** Currently not available
9.18 **Limiting Value:** Currently not available
9.19 **Reid Vapor Pressure:** Currently not available

NOTES

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9.20 SATURATED LIQUID DENSITY		9.21 LIQUID HEAT CAPACITY		9.22 LIQUID THERMAL CONDUCTIVITY		9.23 LIQUID VISCOSITY	
Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per cubic foot	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit per pound-F	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit inch per hour-square foot-F	Temperature (degrees F)	Centipoise
	NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT

9.24 SOLUBILITY IN WATER		9.25 SATURATED VAPOR PRESSURE		9.26 SATURATED VAPOR DENSITY		9.27 IDEAL GAS HEAT CAPACITY	
Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per 100 pounds of water	Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per square inch	Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per cubic foot	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit per pound-F
	VERY SOLUBLE		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT