# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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# SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# Sodium Sulfide

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300

Signal Word

**DANGER** 

Pictograms

## **SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral (Category 4). Harmful if swallowed (H302). Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product (P270).

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, dermal (Category 3). Toxic in contact with skin (H311).

Hazard class: Skin corrosion or irritation (Category 1). Causes severe skin burns and eye damage (H314). Do not breathe dust or fumes (P260).



SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Sodium sulfide nonahydrate	1313-84-4	Na₂S⋅9H₂O	240.18	

## **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P312).

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

**If in eyes:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing. **If on skin:** Wash with plenty of water (P302+P352). Remove immediately all contaminated clothing (P361). Wash contaminated

clothing before reuse (P363).

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P302+P301+P312).

## **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Flammable solid.

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In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

NFPA CODE

None established

#### **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Remove all ignition sources and ventilate area. Contain spill with sand or other inert absorbent material; deposit in sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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#### **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #5. Store with sulfides, phosphides, carbides and nitrides. Discolored by air and light. Deliquescent. Store in a cool, dry place within a Flinn Chem-Saf<sup>TM</sup> bag, within a Flinn Saf-Stor<sup>TM</sup> can.

## SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

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

Colorless to slightly yellow crystals or lumps. Odor of rotten eggs.

Soluble: Water. Slightly in alcohol.

Melting point: 50 °C Specific gravity: 1.427

## **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Avoid contact with acids, oxidizers, aluminum, copper, zinc, and their alloys. Shelf life: Fair to poor, deliquescent. See Section 7 for further information.

#### **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Highly toxic, corrosive. ORL-RAT  $LD_{50}$ : 208 mg/kg Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT  $LC_{50}$ : N.A. Target organs: Nerves, cardiovascular system. SKN-RBT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

# **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxic to aquatic animals.

#### **SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding. Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #23 is one option.

# **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Sodium Sulfide, hydrated; Hazard class: 8, Corrosive; UN number: UN1849

N/A = Not applicable

#### **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA-listed; EINECS-listed (215-211-5); RCRA code D001, D002, D003.

#### **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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