

Safety Data Sheet

Nitrate Broth



Section 1 Product Description

Product Name: Nitrate Broth
Recommended Use: Science education applications
Synonyms: N/A
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;

GHS Classification:

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>%</u>
Water	7732-18-5	99.1
Peptones	73049-73-7	0.4
Beef Extract		0.3
Proteose Peptone	N/A	0.1
Potassium nitrate	7757-79-1	0.1

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.
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: Product is a strong oxidizer. N/A Thermal decomposition produces highly toxic fumes. Explosive reaction with potassium chlorate or bromine trifluoride. Violent reaction (ignition) with bromine pentafluoride, NH₄, NO₃, and IF₇. Risk of explosion by shock, friction, fire or other sources of ignition.
Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide, Nitrogen oxides

Section 6 Spill or Leak Procedures

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.

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Section 7 Handling and Storage

Handling: Do not breathe dust/vapor. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Retained residue may make empty containers hazardous; use caution.

Storage: Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Storage Code: Green - general chemical storage

Section 8 Protection Information

	ACGIH		OSHA PEL	
Chemical Name	(TWA)	(STEL)	(TWA)	(STEL)
No data available	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: N/A	Vapor Pressure: N/A
Molecular Weight: N/A	Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): N/A
Appearance:	Vapor Density (Air=1): N/A
Odor: No data available	Specific Gravity: N/A
Odor Threshold: No data available	Solubility in Water: Soluble
pH: No data available	Log Pow (calculated): No data available
Melting Point: No data available	Autoignition Temperature: No data available
Boiling Point: 100 C	Decomposition Temperature: No data available
Flash Point: No data available	Viscosity: 10
Flammable Limits in Air: N/A N/A	Percent Volatile by Volume: N/A

Section 10 Reactivity Data

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: None known.

Incompatible Materials: Water-reactive materials

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide, Nitrogen oxides

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11 Toxicity Data

Routes of Entry: Inhalation and ingestion.

Symptoms (Acute): N/A

Delayed Effects: No data available

Acute Toxicity:	CAS Number	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Chemical Name				

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Water	7732-18-5	Oral LD50 Rat 90000 mg/kg
Potassium nitrate	7757-79-1	Oral LD50 Rat 3750 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rabbit 1901 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat 3540 mg/kg

Carcinogenicity:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Potassium nitrate	7757-79-1	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:	See Section 2
Chronic:	Not listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

Section 12

Ecological Data

Overview:	Slight ecological hazard. In high concentrations, this product may be dangerous to plants and/or wildlife.
Mobility:	No data
Persistence:	No data
Bioaccumulation:	No data
Degradability:	No data
Other Adverse Effects:	No data

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Eco Toxicity
Water	7732-18-5	No data available
Potassium nitrate	7757-79-1	Aquatic LC50 Mosquitofish (<i>Gambusia affinis</i>) = 22.5 MG/L Aquatic EC50 (48h) Daphnia = 226 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: N/A	Air - IATA Proper Shipping Name: Not regulated for air transport by IATA.
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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**

No data available

No

No

No

No

No

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Additional Information

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Glossary

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