

# Safety Data Sheet

# 1. Product and Company Identification

Product identifier Sodium Chloride Packaged Rock Salt

Other means of identification

SDS number

Synonyms Rock Salt, Core Commercial Grade Ice Melt

**Recommended use**General Industrial and ice melting

**Recommended restrictions**None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer Midwest Salt

Company name Midwest Salt LLC

Address 1300 W. Washington Street, West Chicago, IL 60185

Telephone 630-513-7575
Website midwestsalt.com
Emergency telephone number 630-513-7575

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Not classified.

OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements Not classified.

Hazard symbol None
Signal word None

**Hazard statement** The product and/or mixture does not meet the criteria for classification

**Precautionary statement** 

**Prevention** Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

**Response** Wash hands after handling.

**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials, i.e, strong oxidizing agents (see Section

10)

**Disposal** Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC) None known

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures Non hazardous by WHMIS Criteria

**Composition Comments**The criteria for listing components in this section are: Carcinogens, Respiratory Sen-

sitizers, Mutagens, Teratogens and Reproductive toxins are listed when present at 0.1% or greater; components which are otherwise hazardous according to WHMIS/OSHA are listed when present at 1.0% or greater. Non- hazardous components are not listed. The products pertaining to this SDS have various proportions of compo-

nents which do not meet the listing criteria

## 4. First-aid measures

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Inhalation Avoid breathing dust. If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest

in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a physician if symptoms develop or

persist

Skin contact Rinse skin with water/shower. Get medical attention if irritation develops and

persists

Eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists

Ingestion Rinse mouth. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, seek medical attention.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute

and delayed

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Indication of immediate medical attention

and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically

General information

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Salt and salt mixtures are non-combustible Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing media Not applicable.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

NA

Special protective equipment and precau-

tions for firefighters

Use appropriate firefighting PPE as a general precaution.

Salt is not combustible and thus is not the material of concern for firefighting Fire-fighting equipment/instructions

equipment or methods.

Specific methods In the event of a fire, equipment and methods that are consistent with the com-

busting material should be utilized.

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted. General fire hazards

Hazardous combustion products May include and are not limited to: Chlorine. Hydrogen chloride. Oxides of sodium.

### Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equip-

ment and emergency procedures Methods and materials for containment

and cleaning up

Restrict area to facilitate clean up.

Before attempting clean up, refer to hazard data given above. Use broom or dry vacuum to collect material for proper disposal without raising dust. Rinse area with water. Prevent large spills from entering sewers or waterways. Contact emergency services and supplier for advice. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions** Avoid direct release into waterways and sewers.

# 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling Use care in handling/storage. Avoid breathing dust.

Conditions for safe storage, including any

incompatibilities

Store in original tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials,

i.e, strong oxidizing agents (see Section 10)

### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s Occupational exposure limits

No biological exposure limits noted for the **Biological limit values** 

ingredient(s).

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#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

TWA PEL: No specific limits have been established for sodium chloride (a soluble substance). As a guideline, OSHA (United States) has established the following limits which are generally recognized for inert or nuisance dust. Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated (PNOR): 5mg/cu.m Respirable Dust 8-Hour TWA PEL, 15mg/cu.m. Total Dust 8-Hour TWA PEL.

TWA TLV: No specific limits have been established for sodium chloride (a soluble substance). As a guideline, ACGIH (United States) has established the following limits which are generally recognized for inert or nuisance dust. Particulates (insolubles) Not Otherwise Classified (PNOC). 10mg/cu.m. Inhalable Particulate 8-Hours TWA TLV, 3mg/cu.m. Respirable Particulate TWA TLV.

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Safety glasses if eye contact is possible

Skin protection

**Hand protection** If there is constant skin contact, suitable gloves are recommended.

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection**No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

Thermal hazards Not applicable.

General hygiene considerations Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling

the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work

clothing and protective equipment.

### 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Crystalline

Physical state Solid
Form Solid
Color Varies
Odor Odorless

Odor threshold

pH
6-8 Neutral

Melting point/freezing point
Not applicable

Initial boiling point and boiling range

Flash point

Evaporation rate

Flammability (solid, gas)

Not applicable

Not applicable

#### Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower (%) Not applicable Flammability limit - upper (%) Not applicable Not applicable **Explosive limit - lower (%)** Not applicable Explosive limit - upper (%) Vapor pressure Not applicable Vapor density Not applicable Relative density Not applicable Solubility(ies) Not applicable Solubility (water) Not applicable Not applicable Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Auto-ignition temperatureNot applicableDecomposition temperatureNot applicableViscosityNot applicable

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity None known

**Chemical stability** 

Possibility of hazardous reactions Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Conditions to avoid**Contact with incompatible materials, i.e strong oxidizing agents.

**Incompatible materials** Acids. Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products May include and are not limited to: Chlorine gas. Hydrogen chloride. Oxides of

sodium.

### 11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

**Ingestion** Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

InhalationNo adverse effects due to inhalation are expected.Skin contactNo adverse effects due to skin contact are expected.Eye contactDirect contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemi-

cal and toxicological characteristics

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Not classified.

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation

Exposture minutesNot availableErythema valueNot availableOedema valueNot available.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Corneal opacity value

Iris lesion value

Conjunctival reddening value

Conjunctival oedema value

Recover days

Not available

Not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Not available

**Skin sensitization** This product is not expected to cause skin

sensitization.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than

0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic

Carcinogenicity This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

**Reproductive toxicity**This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity - single expo-

sure

Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated

exposure

Not classified

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Aspiration hazard Not classified
Chronic effects Not classified
Teratogenicity Not classified

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not

exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging

effect on the environment

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potentialNo data availableMobility in soilNo data availableMobility in generalNo data available

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical

ozone creation potential, global warming potential) are expected from this compo-

nent

**Components** Species Test Results

**Sodium Chloride** 

### 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions**Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers in accordance with applicable

regulations

**Local disposal regulations**Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. The waste code should be

assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal

company.

Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer

and the waste disposal company.

container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions)

**Contaminated packaging** Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling

or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label

warnings even after container is emptied.

# 14. Transport information

Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG) Proof of classification

In accordance with Part 2.2.1 (SOR/2014-152) of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations, we certify that the classification of this product is correct as of

the SDS date of issue.

DOT Not regulated as dangerous goods.IATA Not regulated as dangerous goods.IMDG Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

# 15. Regulatory information

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**US federal regulations** All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List. This product is not known

to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication

Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification

(40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not listed

**CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40** 

CFR 302.4)

Not listed

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances Not listed

(29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Superfund Amendments and Reauthoriza-

tion Act of 1986 (SARA) **Hazard categories** 

Immediate Hazard - No Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No

Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous sub-

stance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical No

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazard-

ous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r)

**Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR** 

68.130)

Not regulated.

US state regulations

See Below

**US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List** 

**US. New Jersey Worker and Community** 

**Right-to-Know Act** 

Not regulated. Not regulated.

US. Pennsylvania Worker and Commu-

nity Right-to-Know Law

Not regulated.

**US. Rhode Island RTK** 

Not regulated.

**US. California Proposition 65** 

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens

or reproductive toxins

US - California Proposition 65 - Carcinogens & Reproductive Toxicity (CRT):

Listed substance

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens

or reproductive toxins

**Inventory status** 

Inventory name On Inventory(yes/no) Country(s) or region

Canada Domestic Substances List (DSL) yes Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL) Canada no **United States & Puerto Rico** Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inven-

tory

### 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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<sup>\*</sup>A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

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