

## Chemical Safety Data Sheet MSDS / SDS

**Sodium propionate**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****Product identifier**

Product name : Sodium propionate  
CBnumber : CB9290129  
CAS : 137-40-6  
EINECS Number : 205-290-4  
Synonyms : propion ;sodiumpropanoate

**Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

Relevant identified uses : For R&D use only. Not for medicinal, household or other use.  
Uses advised against : none

**Company Identification**

Company : Chemicalbook  
Address : Building 1, Huihuang International, Shangdi 10th Street, Haidian District, Beijing  
Telephone : 010-86108875

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

Symbol(GHS)



Signal word

Warning

**Precautionary statements**

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

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P337+P313 IF eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

**Hazard statements**

H319 Causes serious eye irritation

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

## Substance

Product name	: Sodium propionate
Synonyms	: propion ;sodiumpropanoate
CAS	: 137-40-6
EC number	: 205-290-4
MF	: C3H6O2.Na
MW	: 96.06

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air.

### In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

### In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.

### If swallowed

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glass- es at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11

### Protection of first-aiders

For personal protection see section 8.

### Notes to physician

No data available

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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### Suitable extinguishing media

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) Dry powder

### Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

### Specific hazards during fire fighting

Combustible. Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

### Hazardous combustion products

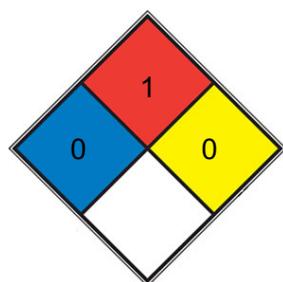
### Specific extinguishing methods

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

### Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

### NFPA 704



HEALTH 0 Poses no health hazard, no precautions necessary and would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials

FIRE 1 Materials that require considerable preheating, under all ambient temperature conditions, before ignition and combustion can occur. Includes some finely divided suspended solids that do not require heating before ignition can occur. Flash point at or above 93.3 °C (200 °F). (e.g. [mineral oil](#), ammonia)

REACT 0 Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and is not reactive with water (e.g. helium, [N2](#))

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HAZ.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. Advice for emergency responders: For personal protection see section 8.

### Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### Handling

For precautions see section 2.2.

## **Storage**

### **Further information on storage conditions**

Tightly closed. Dry.

### **Storage class**

11, Combustible Solids

### **Recommended storage temperature**

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

### **Further information on storage stability**

Hygroscopic.

### **Packaging material**

Suitable material: Amber Glass Bottle/Jar

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## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### **Ingredients with workplace control parameters**

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### **Engineering measures**

No data available

### **Personal protective equipment**

#### **Respiratory protection**

required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

#### **Recommended Filter type**

Filter type P1

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

#### **Eye/face protection**

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Safety glasses

#### **Hand protection**

##### **Material**

Nitrile rubber

##### **Break through time**

480 min

##### **Glove thickness**

0.11 mm

##### **Protective index**

Full contact

**Manufacturer**

KCL 741 L

**Material**

Nitrile rubber

**Break through time**

480 min

**Glove thickness**

0.11 mm

**Protective index**

Splash contact

**Manufacturer**

KCL 741 L

**Remarks**

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN 16523-1 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D- 36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

**Hygiene measures**

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

**Information on basic physicochemical properties**

powder

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**Color**

white

**Odor**

at 100.00%. bland

**Odor Threshold**

No data available

**pH**

8-9.5 (10g/l, H<sub>2</sub>O, 20°C)

**Melting point/ range**

285 - 286 °C

Method: lit.

**Boiling point/boiling range**

> 500 °C (1,013.25 hPa)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 103

GLP: yes

**Flash point**

Not applicable

**Evaporation rate**

No data available

**Burning rate**

No data available

Self-ignition : Method: Relative self-ignition temperature for solids

GLP: yes does not ignite

**Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit**

No data available

**Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit**

No data available

**Vapor pressure**

< 0.1 hPa (20 °C)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 104

GLP: yes

**Relative vapor density**

No data available

**Relative density**

1.51 (20 °C)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 109

GLP: yes

**Density**

1.51 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (20 °C)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 109

GLP: yes

**Water solubility**

500 g/l (20 °C)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 105

GLP: yes

**Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water**

log Pow: < 0.3 (20 °C)

Method: OECD Test Guideline 117

GLP: yes Bioaccumulation is not expected.

**Autoignition temperature**

No data available

**Decomposition temperature**

No data available

**Viscosity, dynamic**

No data available

**Viscosity, kinematic**

No data available

**Flow time**

No data available

**Explosive properties**

No data available

**Oxidizing properties**

none

**Molecular weight**

96.06 g/mol

**Particle characteristics Particle size**

No data available

**Solubility**

H<sub>2</sub>O: 0.1 g/mL, clear

**Physical state**

Crystalline Powder

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**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****Reactivity**

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

**Chemical stability**

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Violent reactions possible with: Strong oxidizing agents

## Conditions to avoid

Avoid moisture. no information available

## Incompatible materials

No data available

## Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

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# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 6,500 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 4 h - > 5,400 mg/l - dust/mist

Remarks: (RTECS)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - > 2,000 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 402)

### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - reconstructed human epidermis (RhE)

Result: No skin irritation - 42 min (OECD Test Guideline 439)

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 405)

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Classified based on available data. For more details, see section 2

### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro

Test system: Chinese hamster fibroblasts

Metabolic activation: without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

Remarks: (Lit.)

### Carcinogenicity

Classified based on available data. For more details, see section 2

### Reproductive toxicity

Classified based on available data. For more details, see section 2

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Classified based on available data. For more details, see section 2

### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

Classified based on available data. For more details, see section 2

### **Aspiration hazard**

Classified based on available data. For more details, see section 2

## **11.2 Additional Information**

RTECS: UF7525000 irritant effects

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### **Ecotoxicity**

No data available

### **Persistence and degradability**

No data available

### **Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

### **Mobility in soil**

No data available

### **Other adverse effects**

No data available

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## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### **Disposal methods**

#### **Waste from residues**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

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## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

### **International Regulations**

#### **IATA-DGR**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

UN/ID No. : Not applicable

Proper shipping name : Not applicable

Class : Not applicable

Subsidiary risk : Not applicable

Packing group : Not applicable

Labels : Not applicable

Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : Not applicable

Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : Not applicable

### **IMDG-Code**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

UN number : Not applicable

Proper shipping name : Not applicable

Class : Not applicable

Subsidiary risk : Not applicable

Packing group : Not applicable

Labels : Not applicable

EmS Code : Not applicable

Marine pollutant : no

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

Not applicable for product as supplied.

### **National Regulations**

#### **JT/T 617**

UN number : Not applicable

Proper shipping name : Not applicable

Class : Not applicable

Subsidiary risk : Not applicable

Packing group : Not applicable

Labels : Not applicable

Environmentally hazardous : no

### **Special precautions for user**

Remarks : Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

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## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

### **National regulatory information**

#### **Regulations on Safety Management of Hazardous Chemicals**

#### **Catalogue of Hazardous Chemicals**

#### **Hazardous Chemicals for Priority Management**

Not applicable under SAWS

## **Regulation of Environmental Management on the First Import of Chemicals and the Import and Export of Toxic Chemicals**

### **China Severely Restricted Toxic Chemicals for Import and Export**

Not applicable

### **Regulation on the Administration of Precursor Chemicals**

### **Catalogue and Classification of Precursor Chemicals**

Not listed

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## SECTION 16: Other information

### **Full text of other abbreviations**

AIIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil

ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials

bw - Body weight

CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant

DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation

DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada)

EC<sub>x</sub> - Concentration associated with x% response

EL<sub>x</sub> - Loading rate associated with x% response

EmS - Emergency Schedule

ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan)

ErC<sub>x</sub> - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response

ERG - Emergency Response Guide

GHS - Globally Harmonised System

GLP - Good Laboratory Practice

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

IATA - International Air Transport Association

IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk

IC<sub>50</sub> - Half maximal inhibitory concentration

ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization

IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China

IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods

IMO - International Maritime Organisation

ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan)

ISO - International Organisation for Standardisation

KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory

LC<sub>50</sub> - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population

LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose)

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

MERCOSUR - The Agreement for the Facilitation of the Transport of Dangerous Goods

n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified

Nch - Chilean Norm

NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration

NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level

NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate

NOM - Official Mexican Norm

NTP - National Toxicology Program

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

(Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship

REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature

SDS - Safety Data Sheet

TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory

TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods

TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory

TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States)

UN - United Nations

UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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