

# Safety Data Sheet CHEM-AQUA 10270

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name** CHEM-AQUA 10270  
**Recommended use** Water treatment chemical  
**Information on Manufacturer**  
CHEM-AQUA, INC  
BOX 152170  
IRVING, TEXAS 75015

**Product Code** TZ50  
**Chemical nature** Mixture of inorganic salts  
**Emergency Telephone Number**  
CHEMTREC® 800-424-9300  
**Telephone inquiry**  
972-579-2477

## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

**Color** Purple Pink - Light orange

**Physical state** Liquid

**Odor** Strong Acrid

### GHS

#### Classification

##### Physical Hazards

None

##### Health Hazard

Respiratory Sensitization

Category 1B

##### Other hazards

None

#### Labeling

##### Signal Word

DANGER



##### Hazard statements

H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled

##### Precautionary Statements

P261 - Avoid breathing mist  
P285 - In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection  
P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
P342 + P311 - If experiencing respiratory symptoms, call a physician.  
P501 - Dispose of contents and container in accordance with applicable local regulations.

## 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No.	Weight %
Sodium bisulfite	7631-90-5	10-30
Sodium sulfite	7757-83-7	3-7

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### General advice

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing mist.

#### Eye Contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

#### Skin Contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

#### Inhalation

Move to fresh air. In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. If breathing has stopped, apply artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

#### Ingestion

Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

#### Notes to physician

May cause sensitization of susceptible persons.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flash Point** Does not flash  
**Flammability Limits in Air %:** Not applicable. **Method** No data available  
**Upper:** No data available **Lower:** No data available

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Water spray. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Material can create slippery conditions.

**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, NOHSC (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**NFPA** Health 2 **Flammability** 0 **Instability** 0  
**HMIS** Health 2 **Flammability** 0 **Instability** 0

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions** Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Material can create slippery conditions.  
**Environmental Precautions** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.  
**Methods for Containment** Contain spillage, soak up with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and transfer to a container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).  
**Methods for Cleaning Up** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.  
**Neutralizing Agent** Not applicable.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing mist.  
**Storage** Store in original container. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.  
**Storage Temperature** **Minimum** 35 °F / 2 °C **Maximum** 120 °F / 49 °C  
**Storage Conditions** **Indoor** X **Outdoor** **Heated** **Refrigerated**

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure Guidelines**

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH
Sodium bisulfite	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	No data available	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Engineering Measures** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Where reasonably practicable this should be achieved by the use of local exhaust ventilation and good general extraction.

**Personal Protective Equipment****Eye/Face Protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields.

**Skin Protection**

Wear suitable protective clothing, Impervious gloves.

**Respiratory Protection**

In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.

**General Hygiene Considerations**

Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Wear protective gloves/clothing.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical state</b>	Liquid	<b>Viscosity</b>	Non viscous
<b>Color</b>	Purple Pink - Light orange	<b>Odor</b>	Strong Acrid
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Not applicable	<b>Appearance</b>	Transparent - Hazy
<b>pH</b>	5.0	<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.295
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	0.41 (Butyl acetate=1)	<b>Percent Volatile (Volume)</b>	77
<b>VOC Content (%)</b>	0	<b>VOC Content (g/L)</b>	0
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	12.5 mmHg @ 70°F	<b>Vapor Density</b>	0.6 (Air = 1.0)
<b>Solubility</b>	Completely soluble	<b>n-Octanol/Water Partition</b>	No data available
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	No data available	<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No data available
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	> 212 °F / 100 °C	<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No data available
<b>Flash Point</b>	Does not flash	<b>Method</b>	No data available
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No information available.		
<b>Flammability Limits in Air %:</b>	Not applicable	<b>Upper:</b> No data available <b>Lower:</b> No data available	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical Stability** Stable. Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  
**Conditions to Avoid** None known.  
**Incompatible Products** Strong oxidizing agents, Acids, Metal nitrates, Metals, Alkalis.  
**Decomposition Temperature** No data available

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon oxides, Sulfur oxides, Sodium oxides, Potassium oxides, Oxides of phosphorus.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Product Information No information available.

**The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document****Oral LD50** No information available**Dermal LD50** No information available**Inhalation LC50****Gas** No information available**Mist** No information available**Vapor** No information available**Principle Route of Exposure** Skin contact, Eye contact, Inhalation.**Primary Routes of Entry** Skin contact, Skin Absorption, Ingestion.**Acute Effects:****Eyes** Low hazard for usual industrial or commercial handling.**Skin** Low hazard for usual industrial or commercial handling.**Inhalation** May cause irritation of respiratory tract. May cause sensitization by inhalation.**Ingestion** Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.**Chronic Toxicity** May cause sensitization of susceptible persons.**Target Organ Effects** Respiratory system, Eyes, Skin, Immune system.**Aggravated Medical Conditions** Respiratory disorders, Skin disorders.**Component Information****Acute Toxicity**

Component	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50	Draize Test	Other
Sodium bisulfite 7631-90-5	= 1310 mg/kg ( Rat )	no data available	No data available	No data available	No data available
Sodium sulfite 7757-83-7	= 820 mg/kg ( Rat )	no data available	> 22 mg/L ( Rat ) 1 h	No data available	No data available

**Chronic Toxicity**

Component	Mutagenicity	Sensitization	Developmental Toxicity	Reproductive Toxicity	Target Organ Effects
Sodium bisulfite 7631-90-5	No data available	No data available	No data available	No data available	Skin; Eyes; Respiratory system
Sodium sulfite 7757-83-7	No data available	respiratory sensitization	No data available	No data available	Immune system

**Carcinogenicity**

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA	Other
Sodium bisulfite 7631-90-5	not applicable	Group 3	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
Sodium sulfite 7757-83-7	not applicable	Group 3	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Product Information****Component Information**

Component	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Microtox	Crustacea	Partition coefficient
Sodium bisulfite	No information available.	No information available.	No information available	119: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50	N/A
Sodium sulfite	No information available.	No information available.	EC50 = 770 mg/L 17 h	No information available.	-4

**Persistence and Degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

**Mobility**

No information available.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Product Disposal**

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**Container Disposal**

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery, or waste disposal.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT	Not regulated
TDG	Not regulated
ICAO	Not regulated
IATA	Not regulated
IMDG/IMO	Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL	Complies

## U.S. Federal Regulations

## SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

## SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard	Chronic Health Hazard	Fire Hazard	Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	Reactive Hazard
Yes	No	No	No	No

## CERCLA

Component	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA EHS RQs
Sodium bisulfite	5000 lb	Not applicable

## U.S. State Regulations

## California Proposition 65

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:

Component	CAS No.	California Prop. 65
Cobalt sulfate	10124-43-3	carcinogen

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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