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SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier

Product No.:	Product name:	Common name(s), synonym(s)
213000	Difco™ Nutrient Agar	No data available

Other means of identification

SDS number: 088100178428

Recommended use and restriction on use

Recommended use: Laboratory Chemicals

Restrictions on use: None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor Information

Manufacturer

Company Name: BD, Integrated Diagnostic Solutions
Address: 7 Loveton Circle
Sparks, MD 21152 USA
Telephone: 1 844 823 5433
Fax: not available
Contact Person: Tech Services

Emergency telephone number: CHEMTREC 1 800 424 9300

2. Hazard(s) identification

Hazard Classification

Not classified

Label Elements

Hazard Symbol: No symbol

Signal Word: No signal word.

Hazard Statement: Not applicable



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Precautionary Statements Not applicable

Other hazards which do not result in GHS classification: None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical Identity	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	Content in percent (%)*
Sulfurous acid, sodium salt (1:1)	No data available.	7631-90-5	0.1037%

* All concentrations are percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

4. First-aid measures

General information: Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Ingestion: Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Do not induce vomiting.

Inhalation: Provide fresh air, warmth and rest, preferably in comfortable upright sitting position.

Skin Contact: Wash contact areas with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse.

Eye contact: Flush thoroughly with water. If irritation occurs, get medical assistance.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Symptoms: No data available.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment: No data available.



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5. Fire-fighting measures

General Fire Hazards: Extinguish all ignition sources. Avoid sparks, flames, heat and smoking. Ventilate. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide or dry powder. Water Spray or Fog.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Not applicable

Specific hazards arising from the chemical: None known.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Special fire fighting procedures: No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters: Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: No special precautionary health measures should be needed under anticipated conditions of use. Use personal protective equipment.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course. See Section 8 of the SDS for Personal Protective Equipment. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid release to the environment.



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7. Handling and storage

Handling

Technical measures (e.g. Local and general ventilation): No special requirements under ordinary conditions of use and with adequate ventilation.

Safe handling advice: When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Contact avoidance measures: No data available.

Hygiene measures: Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Storage

Safe storage conditions: Store in a cool, dry place. Keep container tightly closed.

Safe packaging materials: No data available.

Storage Temperature: No data available.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control Parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits

Chemical Identity	Type	Exposure Limit Values	Source
Sulfurous acid, sodium salt (1:1)	TWA	5 mg/m ³	US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000), as amended (1989)
	TWA	5 mg/m ³	US. Tennessee. OELs. Occupational Exposure Limits, Table Z1A, as amended (06 2008)
Sulfurous acid, sodium salt (1:1) - Particulate.	AN ESL	5 µg/m ³	US. Texas. Effects Screening Levels (Texas Commission on Environmental Quality), as amended (07 2011)
	ST ESL	50 µg/m ³	US. Texas. Effects Screening Levels (Texas Commission on Environmental Quality), as amended (07 2011)



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Sulfurous acid, sodium salt (1:1)	TWA PEL	5 mg/m ³	US. California Code of Regulations, Title 8, Section 5155. Airborne Contaminants, as amended (08 2010)
	TWA	5 mg/m ³	US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values, as amended (12 2010)
	REL	5 mg/m ³	US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards, as amended (2005)

Appropriate Engineering Controls No special requirements under ordinary conditions of use and with adequate ventilation.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

General information: Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing to remove contaminants. Discard contaminated footwear that cannot be cleaned.

Eye/face protection: Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin Protection

Hand Protection: Chemical resistant gloves Nitrile butyl rubber (NBR). Wash hands after contact.

Other: Wear a lab coat or similar protective clothing.

Respiratory Protection: If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn.

Hygiene measures: Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state: solid

Form: solid

Color: According to product specification.

Odor: Characteristic



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Odor threshold:	No data available.
pH:	Not determined.
Melting point/freezing point:	Not determined.
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	Not determined.
Flash Point:	Not applicable
Evaporation rate:	No data available.
Flammability (solid, gas):	No data available.
Upper/lower limit on flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - upper (%):	No data available.
Flammability limit - lower (%):	No data available.
Explosive limit - upper:	No data available.
Explosive limit - lower:	No data available.
Vapor pressure:	No data available.
Vapor density:	No data available.
Relative density:	No data available.
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility in water:	Completely Soluble
Solubility (other):	No data available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available.
Decomposition temperature:	No data available.
Viscosity:	Not determined.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity:	Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.
Chemical Stability:	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions:	Not determined.
Conditions to avoid:	Avoid exposure to high temperatures or direct sunlight.



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Incompatible Materials: None.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Stable; however, may decompose if heated.

11. Toxicological information

General information: No data on possible toxicity effects have been found.

Information on likely routes of exposure

Ingestion: No harmful effects expected in amounts likely to be ingested by accident.
Inhalation: None under normal conditions.
Skin Contact: Negligible irritation to skin at ambient temperatures.
Eye contact: Do not get in eyes.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Ingestion: No data available.
Inhalation: No data available.
Skin Contact: No data available.
Eye contact: No data available.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (list all possible routes of exposure)

Oral Product: No data available.
Dermal Product: No data available.
Inhalation Product: No data available.



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Repeated dose toxicity

Product: No data available.

Specified substance(s):

Sulfurous acid, sodium salt (1:1) NOAEL (Rat, Oral, 1 - 2 yr): 0.05 %(m) Oral Experimental result, Supporting study
NOAEL (Rat(female), Oral, 8 Weeks): 70 mg/kg Oral Read-across from supporting substance (structural analogue or surrogate), Supporting study
NOAEL (Rat(Female, Male), Oral, 10 - 730 d): 108 mg/kg Oral Read-across from supporting substance (structural analogue or surrogate), Supporting study
NOAEL (Rat(Female, Male), Oral, 21 - 104 Weeks): 108 mg/kg Oral Read-across from supporting substance (structural analogue or surrogate), Key study
NOAEL (Pig(Female, Male), Oral, 48 Weeks): 0.35 %(m) Oral Read-across from supporting substance (structural analogue or surrogate), Supporting study

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Product: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

Product: No data available.

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization

Product: Not a skin sensitizer.

Carcinogenicity

Product: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risks to Humans:

No carcinogenic components identified

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens:

No carcinogenic components identified



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US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050), as amended:
No carcinogenic components identified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

In vitro
Product: Not applicable

In vivo
Product: Not applicable

Reproductive toxicity

Product: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure

Product: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure

Product: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration Hazard

Product: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Other effects: None known.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity:

Acute hazards to the aquatic environment:

Fish
Product: No negative effects on the aquatic environment are known.

Aquatic Invertebrates
Product: No negative effects on the aquatic environment are known.

Chronic hazards to the aquatic environment:

Fish
Product: No negative effects on the aquatic environment are known.



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Aquatic Invertebrates

Product: No negative effects on the aquatic environment are known.

Toxicity to Aquatic Plants

Product: No negative effects on the aquatic environment are known.

Persistence and Degradability

Biodegradation

Product: Expected to be readily biodegradable.

BOD/COD Ratio

Product: No data available.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioconcentration Factor (BCF)

Product: No data available.

Partition Coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)

Product: Log Kow: No data available.

Mobility in soil: No data available.

Known or predicted distribution to environmental compartments

Sulfurous acid, sodium salt (1:1) No data available.

Other adverse effects: The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

13. Disposal considerations

General information: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Disposal instructions: No specific disposal method required.

Contaminated Packaging: No data available.



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14. Transport information

DOTUN Number:	Not regulated.
UN Proper Shipping Name:	Not regulated.
Transport Hazard Class(es)	
Class:	Not regulated.
Label(s):	Not regulated.
Packing Group:	Not regulated.
Marine Pollutant:	Not regulated.
Limited quantity	Not regulated.
Excepted quantity	Not regulated.
Special precautions for user:	Not regulated.

IMDG

UN Number:	Not regulated.
UN Proper Shipping Name:	Not regulated.
Transport Hazard Class(es)	
Class:	Not regulated.
Subsidiary risk:	Not regulated.
EmS No.:	Not regulated.
Packing Group:	Not regulated.
Environmental Hazards	
Marine Pollutant:	Not regulated.
Special precautions for user:	Not regulated.

IATA

UN Number:	Not regulated.
Proper Shipping Name:	Not regulated.
Transport Hazard Class(es)	
Class:	Not regulated.
Subsidiary risk:	Not regulated.
Packing Group:	Not regulated.
Environmental Hazards	
Marine pollutant:	Not regulated.
Special precautions for user:	Not regulated.



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15. Regulatory information

US Federal Regulations

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 5(a)(2) Final Significant New Use Rules (SNURs) (40 CFR 721, Subpt E)

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050), as amended

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4):

Chemical Identity

SODIUM BISULFITE

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories

Not classified

US. EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reporting Quantities and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) Hazardous Substances

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

US. EPA Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act (EPCRA) SARA Title III Section 313 Toxic Chemicals (40 CFR 372.65) - Supplier Notification Required

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130):

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Clean Water Act Section 311 Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 117.3)

Chemical Identity

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US State Regulations

US. California Proposition 65

No ingredient requiring a warning under CA Prop 65.

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

No ingredient regulated by NJ Right-to-Know Law present.

US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

No ingredient regulated by MA Right-to-Know Law present.

US. Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances

No ingredient regulated by PA Right-to-Know Law present.

US. Rhode Island RTK

No ingredient regulated by RI Right-to-Know Law present.

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

Issue Date: 04/26/2021

Version #: 1.1

Revision Information:

Source of information: European Chemicals Agency (ECHA): Information on Chemicals.

Further Information: No data available.



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