

**Material Safety Data Sheet**

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**1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : Amobarbital sodium salt

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**2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Formula : C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>17</sub>N<sub>2</sub>NaO<sub>3</sub>  
Molecular Weight : 248.3 g/mol

| CAS-No.                        | EC-No.    | Index-No. | Concentration |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------|
| <b>Amobarbital sodium salt</b> |           |           |               |
| 64-43-7                        | 200-584-9 | -         | -             |

**3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****Emergency Overview****OSHA Hazards**

Target Organ Effect, Toxic by ingestion

**Target Organs**

Central nervous system

**HMIS Classification**

Health Hazard: 2  
Chronic Health Hazard: \*  
Flammability: 0  
Physical hazards: 0

**NFPA Rating**

Health Hazard: 2  
Fire: 0  
Reactivity Hazard: 0

**Potential Health Effects**

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.  
**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes**  
**Ingestion**

May cause eye irritation.  
Toxic if swallowed.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

**If inhaled**

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

**In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**If swallowed**

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flammable properties**

Flash point                      no data available

Ignition temperature      no data available

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters**

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

**Methods for cleaning up**

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling**

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

**Storage**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a dust mask type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand protection

Handle with gloves.

#### Eye protection

Safety glasses

#### Skin and body protection

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

#### Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Appearance

|      |       |
|------|-------|
| Form | solid |
|------|-------|

### Safety data

|                       |                   |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| pH                    | no data available |
| Melting point         | no data available |
| Boiling point         | no data available |
| Flash point           | no data available |
| Ignition temperature  | no data available |
| Lower explosion limit | no data available |
| Upper explosion limit | no data available |
| Water solubility      | no data available |

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Storage stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents

### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sodium oxides

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - rat - 275 mg/kg

**Irritation and corrosion**

no data available

**Sensitisation**

no data available

**Chronic exposure**

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure**

Ataxia.

**Potential Health Effects**

|                      |                                                                     |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
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| <b>Eyes</b>          | May cause eye irritation.                                           |
| <b>Ingestion</b>     | Toxic if swallowed.                                                 |
| <b>Target Organs</b> | Central nervous system,                                             |

**Additional Information**

RTECS: CQ5250000

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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Elimination information (persistence and degradability)**

no data available

**Ecotoxicity effects**

no data available

**Further information on ecology**

no data available

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

Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT (US)**

UN-Number: 2811 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Toxic solids, organic, n.o.s. (Amobarbital sodium salt)  
Marine pollutant: No  
Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG**

UN-Number: 2811 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-A  
Proper shipping name: TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Amobarbital sodium salt)  
Marine pollutant: No

**IATA**

UN-Number: 2811 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III  
Proper shipping name: Toxic solid, organic n.o.s. (Amobarbital sodium salt)

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****OSHA Hazards**

Target Organ Effect, Toxic by ingestion

**DSL Status**

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

**SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313 Components**

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards**

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components**

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**California Prop. 65 Components**

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION****Further information**

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