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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1: Identification

### 1.1. Product Identifier

Trade Name or Designation: Sodium Thiocyanate 12% W/V

Product Number: PS18153

### 1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

General Laboratory Reagent

### 1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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## SECTION 2: Hazard(s) Identification

### 2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

For the full text of the Hazard and Precautionary Statements listed below, see Section 16.

Hazard Class	Category	Hazard Statements	Precautionary Statements:
Skin Sensitizer	Category 1	H317	P261, P272, P280, P302+P352, P332+P313, P321, P363, P501
Specific Target Organs/Systemic Toxicity Following Repeated Exposure	Category 1	H372	P260, P264, P270, P314, P501
Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment (Chronic)	Category 3	H412	P273, P501

### 2.2. GHS Label Elements

Pictograms:

Signal Word: **Danger**

**Hazard Statements:**

Hazard Number	Hazard Statement
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary Statements:**

Precautionary Number	Precautionary Statement
P260	Do not breathe fumes, mist, vapors, or spray.
P261	Avoid breathing fumes, mist, vapors, or spray.
P264	Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P272	Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves and eye protection.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P314	Get medical attention if you feel unwell.
P321	Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water).
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P501	Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

**2.4. Hazards not Otherwise Classified or Covered by GHS**

Data not available.

**SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients****3.1. Components of Substance or Mixture**

Chemical Name	Formula	Molecular Weight	CAS Number	Weight%
Water	H <sub>2</sub> O	18.01 g/mol	7732-18-5	87-88
Sodium Thiocyanate	NaSCN	81.07 g/mol	540-72-7	12-13

**SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures****4.1. General First Aid Information**

**Eye Contact:** May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing.

**Inhalation:** Not expected to require first aid. If necessary, remove to fresh air.

**Skin Contact:** IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. May cause irritation, redness, and pain.

**Ingestion:** Dilute with water or milk. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician if necessary.

**4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed**

May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Prolonged or repeated skin exposure may cause dermatitis. Wash areas of contact with plenty of water. Consult a physician if irritation develops. Repeated ingestion of small amounts may cause hives, abnormal bleeding, weight loss, mental effects, and an enlarged thyroid. If ingested, dilute with water or milk then call a physician. EYE CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing. SKIN CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, and pain. CHRONIC EFFECTS / CARCINOGENICITY: Prolonged or repeated skin exposure may cause dermatitis. Repeated ingestion of small amounts may cause hives, abnormal bleeding, weight loss, mental effects, and an enlarged thyroid.

### 4.3. Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water). Irrigate immediately with large quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops. Dilute with water or milk. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician if necessary.

## SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing Media

Use any means suitable for extinguishing surrounding fire.

### 5.2. Specific Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

Not considered to be a fire or explosion hazard.

### 5.3. Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters

Use protective clothing and breathing equipment appropriate for the surrounding fire.

## SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

### 6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Wear protective gloves and eye protection.

### 6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Absorb with suitable material and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

## SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

### 7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling and Storage Conditions

As with all chemicals, wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Protect from freezing and physical damage.

## SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

### 8.1 Control Parameters

Chemical Name	Limit Type	Country	Exposure Limit	Information Source
Sodium Thiocyanate (540-72-7)	TWA	USA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as CN)	U.S. - OSHA - Final PELs - Time Weighted Averages (TWAs)

### 8.2. Exposure Controls

**Engineering Controls:** No specific controls are needed. Normal room ventilation is adequate.

**Respiratory Protection:** Normal room ventilation is adequate.

**Skin Protection:** Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Chemical resistant gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Safety glasses or goggles.

### 8.3. Personal Protective Equipment

Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Normal room ventilation is adequate. Chemical resistant gloves. Safety glasses or goggles.

## SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

### 9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

**Appearance:** Colorless liquid

**Physical State:** Liquid

**Odor:** Data not available.

**Odor Threshold:** Data not available.

**pH:** Data not available.

**Melting/Freezing Point:** Approximately 0°C

**Initial Boiling Point/Range:** Approximately 100°C - Approximately 100°C

**Flash Point:** Data not available.

**Evaporation Rate:** Data not available.

**Flammability:** Data not available.

**Flammability/Explosive Limits:** Data not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** Data not available.

**Vapor Density:** Data not available.

**Relative Density:** 1.00

**Solubility:** Miscible

**Partition Coefficient:** Data not available.

**Auto-Ignition Temperature:** Data not available.

**Decomposition Temperature:** Data not available.

**Viscosity:** Data not available.

**Explosive Properties:** Data not available.

**Oxidizing Properties:** Data not available.

## SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity and Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

### 10.2. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Data not available.

### 10.3. Conditions to Avoid and Incompatible Materials

Lead Nitrate, Chlorates, Nitrates, Nitric Acid, Organic Peroxides, Oxidizing Agents, Peroxides, Sodium Chlorate, and Potassium Chlorate.

### 10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products

Will not occur.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

### 11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

**Acute Toxicity - Oral Exposure:**

Not applicable.

**Acute Toxicity - Dermal Exposure:**

Not applicable.

**Acute Toxicity - Inhalation Exposure:**

Not applicable.

**Acute Toxicity - Other Information:**

LD50, Oral, Rat: 764 mg/kg (Sodium Thiocyanate), behavioral and respiratory effects noted.

**Skin Corrosion and Irritation:**

Not applicable.

**Serious Eye Damage and Irritation:**

Not applicable.

**Respiratory Sensitization:**

Not applicable.

**Skin Sensitization:**

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**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:**

Not applicable.

**Carcinogenicity:**

Not applicable.

**Reproductive Toxicity:**

Not applicable.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Single Exposure:**

Not applicable.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity from Repeated Exposure:**

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Do not breathe fumes, mist, vapors, or spray. Wash arms, hands and face thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Get medical attention if you feel unwell. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

**Aspiration Hazard:**

Not applicable.

**Additional Toxicology Information:**

Data not available.

## SECTION 12: Ecological Information

### 12.1. Ecotoxicity

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Avoid release to the environment. Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

### 12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Data not available.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Data not available.

## 12.4. Mobility in Soil

Data not available.

## 12.5. Other Adverse Ecological Effects

Data not available.

# SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

## 13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Data not available.

# SECTION 14: Transportation Information

## 14.1. Transportation by Land-Department of Transportation (DOT, United States of America)

Not regulated according to DOT Regulations.

## 14.2. Transportation by Air - International Air Transport Association (IATA)

Not regulated according to IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations.

## 14.3 Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG, Canada)

Not regulated according to TDG Regulations.

# SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

## 15.1. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazards

Not listed.

## 15.2. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

Not listed.

## 15.3. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 311/312 Hazardous Chemicals

Not listed.

## 15.4. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 313 Toxic Release Inventory (TRI)

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): 1.0 % de minimis concentration (X+CN<sup>-</sup> where X = H<sup>+</sup> or any other group where a formal dissociation can be made. For example KCN or Ca(CN)<sub>2</sub>. Chemical Category N106)

## 15.5. Massachusetts Right-to-Know Substance List

Not listed.

## 15.6. Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Hazardous Substances

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): Environmental hazard

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): Present

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present

## 15.7. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Components

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): sn 2308

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): SN 2308 500 lb TPQ (Category Code N106)

## 15.8. California Proposition 65

Not listed.

## 15.9. Canada Domestic Substances List / Non-Domestic Substances List (DSL/NDSL)

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): Present (DSL)

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present (DSL)

## 15.10. United States of America Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) List

All components of this solution are listed as active on the TSCA Inventory or are mixtures (hydrates) of active items listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): Present

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): Present

## 15.11. European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS), European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS), and No Longer Polymers (NLP)

Sodium Thiocyanate (CAS # 540-72-7): 208-754-4

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): 231-791-2

Water (CAS # 7732-18-5): 232-148-9

## SECTION 16: Other Information

### 16.1. Full Text of Hazard Statements and Precautionary Statements

May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if you feel unwell. Specific treatment (Wash areas of contact with water).

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, federal and international regulations.

### 16.2. Miscellaneous Hazard Classes

**Canadian Carcinogenicity Hazard Class:** Not Applicable.

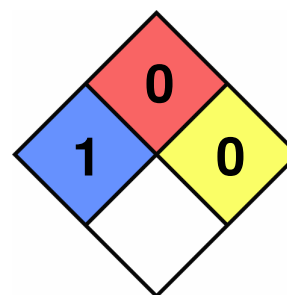
**Physical Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (PHNOC):** Not Applicable.

**Health Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HHNOC):** Not Applicable.

**Biohazardous Infectious Materials Hazard Class:** Not Applicable.

### 16.3. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Rating

**Health:** 1  
**Flammability:** 0  
**Reactivity:** 0  
**Special Hazard:**



### 16.4. Document Revision

Last Revision Date: 01/01/2019

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