

FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC.
Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**Sodium Silicate Solution**

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SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Sodium Silicate Solution, 40-42 Be

Synonym: water glass

CAS#: None established

SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Slightly cloudy liquid; rather viscous. Odorless.

Mildly toxic by ingestion. Body tissue irritant. Avoid all body tissue contact.

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Health-1

Flammability-0

Reactivity-1

Exposure-1

Storage-0

0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

Call a physician, seek medical attention for further treatment, observation and support after first aid.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye: Immediately flush with fresh water for 15 minutes.

External: Wash continuously with fresh water for 15 minutes.

Internal: Give 1 to 2 cups of water or milk, followed by a gastric antacid, such as milk of magnesia. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control at once.

SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Non flammable liquid.

NFPA CODE

None

Established

SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Restrict unprotected personnel from area and ventilate area. Contain spill with sand or absorbent material; deposit in sealed bag or container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #2. Store with acetates, halides, sulfates, sulfites, thiosulfates and phosphates.

SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves and chemical-resistant apron.

SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Slightly cloudy liquid; rather viscous. Odorless.
Specific Gravity: 1.3–1.5

SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Avoid contact with strong mineral acids, strong organic acids, aluminum, magnesium, and zinc.
Shelf Life: Indefinite.

SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute effects: Irritant	ORL-RAT LD50: N.A.
Chronic effects: N.A.	IHL-RAT LC50: N.A.
Target organs: N.A.	SKN-RBT LD50: N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Data not yet available.

SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please consult with state and local regulations.
Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #26b is one option.

SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping Name: Not regulated.
Hazard Class: N/A
UN Number: N/A
N/A = Not applicable

SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

Not listed.

SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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