



Safety Data Sheet

Cat. # RC-089

Sodium Acetate

Size: 500g





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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form	: Substance
Substance name	: sodium acetate
Chemical name	: Sodium Acetate
CAS-No.	: 127-09-3
Product code	: 187S
Formula	: C ₂ H ₃ NaO ₂
Synonyms	: acetic acid sodium salt / acetic acid sodium salt, anhydrous / acetic acid, sodium salt / anhydrous sodium acetate / E262 / FEMA number 3024 / sodium acetate / sodium acetate, anhydrous
BIG No	: 10768

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture	: Dyestuff/pigment: intermediate product Laboratory chemical Food industry: Preserving agent
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1.3. Supplier

Geno Technology, Inc./ G-Biosciences
9800 Page Avenue
Saint Louis, 63132-1429 - United States
T 800-628-7730 - F 314-991-1504
technical@GBiosciences.com - www.GBiosciences.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number	: Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300 (USA/Canada), +1-703-527-3887 (Intl)
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SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS US classification

Not classified

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

GHS US labeling

No labeling applicable

2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

Name	Common Name (Synonyms)	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
sodium acetate (Main constituent)	acetic acid sodium salt / acetic acid sodium salt, anhydrous / acetic acid, sodium salt / anhydrous sodium acetate / E262 / FEMA number 3024 / sodium acetate / sodium acetate, anhydrous	(CAS-No.) 127-09-3	100	Not classified

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

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First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove the victim into fresh air. Respiratory problems: consult a doctor/medical service.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Rinse with water. Soap may be used. Take victim to a doctor if irritation persists.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse with water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Do not apply neutralizing agents. Take victim to an ophthalmologist if irritation persists.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth with water. Immediately after ingestion: give lots of water to drink. Victim is fully conscious: immediately induce vomiting. Call Poison Information Centre (www.big.be/antigif.htm). Consult a doctor/medical service if you feel unwell.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Non-toxic if swallowed (LD50 oral, rat > 5000 mg/kg). Non-toxic in contact with skin (LD50 skin > 5000 mg/kg). Slightly irritant to skin. Slightly harmful by inhalation. Slightly irritant to eyes.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: EXPOSURE TO HIGH CONCENTRATIONS: Coughing. Slight irritation. Respiratory difficulties.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Slight irritation. Red skin.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Slight irritation. Redness of the eye tissue.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: AFTER INGESTION OF HIGH QUANTITIES: Nausea. Vomiting. Abdominal pain. Diarrhoea. Irritation of the gastric/intestinal mucosa.
Chronic symptoms	: ON CONTINUOUS/REPEATED EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Red skin. Dry skin. Skin rash/inflammation. Runny nose. Irritation of the respiratory tract. Irritation of the nasal mucous membranes.

4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Quick-acting ABC powder extinguisher. Class A foam extinguisher. Water (quick-acting extinguisher, reel). Water. Class A foam.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Quick-acting BC powder extinguisher. Quick-acting CO2 extinguisher.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard	: DIRECT FIRE HAZARD: Not easily combustible. In finely divided state: increased fire hazard. INDIRECT FIRE HAZARD: Heating increases the fire hazard. Reactions involving a fire hazard: see "Reactivity Hazard".
Explosion hazard	: DIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD: Fine dust is explosive with air. INDIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD: Dust cloud can be ignited by a spark.

5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Precautionary measures fire	: Exposure to fire/heat: keep upwind. Exposure to fire/heat: consider evacuation. Exposure to fire/heat: have neighbourhood close doors and windows.
Firefighting instructions	: Cool tanks/drums with water spray/remove them into safety. Dilute toxic gases with water spray.
Protection during firefighting	: Heat/fire exposure: compressed air/oxygen apparatus.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment	: Gloves. Protective clothing. Dust cloud production: compressed air/oxygen apparatus. Reactivity hazard: compressed air/oxygen apparatus. Reactivity hazard: gas-tight suit.
Emergency procedures	: Mark the danger area. Prevent dust cloud formation, e.g. by wetting. No naked flames. Wash contaminated clothes. In case of hazardous reactions: keep upwind. In case of reactivity hazard: consider evacuation.
Measures in case of dust release	: In case of dust production: keep upwind. Dust production: have neighbourhood close doors and windows. In case of dust production: stop engines and no smoking. In case of dust production: no naked flames or sparks. Dust: spark-/explosionproof appliances/lighting equipment.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".
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6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

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6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- For containment : Contain released product, pump into suitable containers. Plug the leak, cut off the supply. Knock down/dilute dust cloud with water spray. Provide equipment/receptacles with earthing. Powdered form: no compressed air for pumping over spills. If reacting: dilute toxic gas/vapour with water spray. Take account of toxic/corrosive precipitation water.
- Methods for cleaning up : Stop dust cloud by humidifying. Scoop solid spill into closing containers. Powdered: do not use compressed air for pumping over spills. Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water. Wash clothing and equipment after handling.
- Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Avoid raising dust. Take precautions against electrostatic charges. Keep away from naked flames/heat. In finely divided state: use spark-/explosionproof appliances. Finely divided: keep away from ignition sources/sparks. Measure the concentration in the air regularly. Carry operations in the open/under local exhaust/ventilation or with respiratory protection. Comply with the legal requirements. Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Clean contaminated clothing. Thoroughly clean/dry the installation before use. Powdered form: no compressed air for pumping over. Keep container tightly closed.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
- Heat-ignition : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: heat sources. ignition sources.
- Information on mixed storage : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: oxidizing agents. (strong) acids. water/moisture.
- Storage area : Store in a dry area. Keep container in a well-ventilated place. Provide the tank with earthing. Meet the legal requirements.
- Special rules on packaging : SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: closing. watertight. dry. clean. correctly labelled. meet the legal requirements. Secure fragile packagings in solid containers.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

sodium acetate (127-09-3)	
USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits	
ACGIH TWA (mg/m ³)	3 mg/m ³ (Respirable fraction) 10 mg/m ³ (Inhalable fraction)

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

- Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
- Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Materials for protective clothing:

GIVE GOOD RESISTANCE: butyl rubber. PVC

Hand protection:

Gloves

Eye protection:

Safety glasses. In case of dust production: protective goggles

Skin and body protection:

Protective clothing

Respiratory protection:

Dust production: dust mask with filter type P1

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SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Crystalline solid. Powder. Grains. Needles.
Color	: Colourless to white
Odor	: Odourless
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: 8.9 (0.8 %)
Melting point	: 324 °C
Freezing point	: Not applicable
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: > 250 °C
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Non flammable.
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: Not applicable
Relative density	: 1.53
Specific gravity / density	: 1530 kg/m ³
Molecular mass	: 82.03 g/mol
Solubility	: Soluble in water. Soluble in ether. Water: soluble
Log Pow	: -3.72 (Calculated, KOWWIN)
Auto-ignition temperature	: 607 °C
Decomposition temperature	: > 400 °C
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: Not applicable
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

9.2. Other information

VOC content	: 0 %
Other properties	: Hygroscopic. Basic reaction.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reacts violently with (strong) oxidizers.

10.2. Chemical stability

Hygroscopic.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified

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Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

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LD50 oral rat	5200 mg/kg (Rat, Literature study, Oral)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 10000 mg/kg (Rabbit, Literature study, Dermal)
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified pH: 8.9 (0.8 %)
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified pH: 8.9 (0.8 %)
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general	: Not classified as dangerous for the environment according to the criteria of Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.
Ecology - air	: Not included in the list of fluorinated greenhouse gases (Regulation (EU) No 517/2014). Not classified as dangerous for the ozone layer (Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009).
Ecology - water	: Not harmful to crustacea. Slightly harmful to fishes. Groundwater pollutant. Not harmful to algae. Not harmful to bacteria.

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LC50 fish 1	> 100 mg/l (OECD 203: Fish, Acute Toxicity Test, 96 h, Danio rerio, Semi-static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
EC50 Daphnia 1	> 1000 mg/l (EU Method C.2, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
ErC50 (algae)	> 1000 mg/l (ISO 10253, 72 h, Skeletonema costatum, Salt water, Experimental value, GLP)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	0.675 g O ₂ /g substance

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

sodium acetate (127-09-3)	
BCF other aquatic organisms 1	3.162 (BCFWIN, Calculated value)
Log Pow	-3.72 (Calculated, KOWWIN)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).

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12.4. Mobility in soil

sodium acetate (127-09-3)	
Log Koc	0 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v1.66, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods	: Waste treatment methods.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Do not discharge into drains or the environment. Remove waste in accordance with local and/or national regulations. Should not be landfilled with household waste. Remove to an authorized dump. Remove to an authorized incinerator equipped with an afterburner and a flue gas scrubber with energy recovery. Dissolve or mix with a combustible solvent. Specific preliminary treatment.
Additional information	: Can be considered as non hazardous waste according to Directive 2008/98/EC, as amended by Regulation (EU) No 1357/2014 and Regulation (EU) No 2017/997.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Other information : No supplementary information available.

Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Transport by sea

Not regulated

Air transport

Not regulated

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

sodium acetate (127-09-3)
Not listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

EU-Regulations

National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

SECTION 16: Other information

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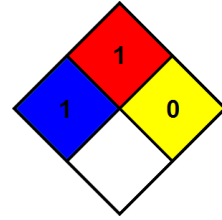
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- NFPA health hazard : 1 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause significant irritation.
- NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Materials that must be preheated before ignition can occur.
- NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



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