

**SODIUM SILICOFLUORIDE**  
**CAS No 16893-85-9**

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
**SDS/MSDS**

**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : Sodium Silicofluoride

CAS-No. : 16893-85-9

**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Industrial & for professional use only.

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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7/28 Vardaan House  
New Delhi -110002  
INDIA

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Email : [care@cdhfinechemical.com](mailto:care@cdhfinechemical.com)

**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency Phone # : +91 11 49404040 (9:00am - 6:00 pm) [Office hours]

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 3), H301  
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3), H331  
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 3), H311

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

**2.2 Label elements**

**Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Pictogram



Signal word

**Danger**

Hazard statement(s)  
H301 + H311 + H331

Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

Precautionary statement(s)  
P261

Avoid breathing dust.

P280  
P301 + P310  
P311

Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing.  
IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.  
Call a POISON CENTER /doctor.

Supplemental Hazard Statements : none

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Formula :  $\text{Na}_2\text{SiF}_6$   
Molecular weight : 188.05 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 16893-85-9  
EC-No. : 240-934-8  
Index-No. : 009-012-00-0

#### Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component	Classification	Concentration
<b>Disodium hexafluorosilicate</b>		
CAS-No.	16893-85-9	Acute Tox. 3; H301, H331, H311
EC-No.	240-934-8	
Index-No.	009-012-00-0	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Hydrofluoric (HF) acid burns require immediate and specialized first aid a hours depending on the concentration of HF. After decontamination with wa penetration/absorption of the fluoride ion. Treatment should be directed exposure. Skin exposures can be treated with a 2.5% calcium gluconate gel exposures may require subcutaneous calcium gluconate except for digital a technique, due to the potential for tissue injury from increased pressure and should be considered when undergoing decontamination. Prevention of a obtained by giving milk, chewable calcium carbonate tablets or Milk of Ma hypocalcemia, hypomagnesemia and cardiac arrhythmias should be monitored

#### 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. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician. First treatment with calcium gluconate paste.

#### 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.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

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

## **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Hydrogen fluoride, Sodium oxides, silicon oxides

## **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

## **5.4 Further information**

No data available

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.  
For personal protection see section 8.

### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

### **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

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

### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.  
Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.  
For precautions see section 2.2.

### **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.  
Storage class (TRGS 510): Non-combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic hazardous materials or hazardous materials causing chronic effects

### **7.3 Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### **8.1 Control parameters**

### **8.2 Exposure controls**

#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### **Personal protective equipment**

##### **Eye/face protection**

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

##### **Skin protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

##### **Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

### **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

### **Control of environmental exposure**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

a) Appearance	Form: powder Colour: white
b) Odour	odourless
c) Odour Threshold	No data available
d) pH	3.0 - 4.0 at 50 g/l at 20 °C
e) Melting point/freezing point	No data available
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
g) Flash point	No data available
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k) Vapour pressure	No data available
l) Vapour density	No data available
m) Relative density	2.68 g/mL at 25 °C
n) Water solubility	0.65 g/l at 17 °C - insoluble
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
q) Decomposition temperature	No data available
r) Viscosity	No data available
s) Explosive properties	No data available
t) Oxidizing properties	No data available

### **9.2 Other safety information**

Bulk density 1,000 g/l

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### **10.1 Reactivity**

No data available

### **10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

**10.4 Conditions to avoid**

No data available

**10.5 Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents

**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Hydrogen fluoride, Sodium oxides, silicon oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****11.1 Information on toxicological effects****Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rabbit - 125 mg/kg(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

LD50 Oral - Rat - 125 mg/kg(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

LD50 Oral - Mouse - 70 mg/kg(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

Remarks: Peripheral Nerve and Sensation:Flaccid paralysis without anesthesia (usually neuromuscular blockage). Behavioral:Ataxia. Behavioral:Muscle contraction or spasticity.

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

Result: No skin irritation

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

Result: Mild eye irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 437)

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

No data available(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

**Carcinogenicity**

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its classification.(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

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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.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No data available(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available(DIsodium hexafluorosilicate)

**Additional Information**

RTECS: VV8410000

Fluoride ion can reduce serum calcium levels possibly causing fatal hypocalcemia.

A dose of about 1 gram can cause:, Nausea, burning sensation, sores in the mouth, Lesions of the:, Throat., sores in the digestive tract, Tremors, Convulsions, Shock., Death may result from ingestion of two to five grams., Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause:, Increased:, bone density, calcium deposits in the

ligaments, new bone growth, Vomiting, Diarrhoea, Abdominal pain, To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.(Disodium hexafluorosilicate)

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Lepomis macrochirus - 49 mg/l - 96 h(Disodium hexafluorosilicate)

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available(Disodium hexafluorosilicate)

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

No data available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chem scrubber.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 2674

IMDG: 2674

IATA: 2674

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: SODIUM FLUOROSILICATE

IMDG: SODIUM FLUOROSILICATE

IATA: Sodium fluorosilicate

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 6.1

IMDG: 6.1

IATA: 6.1

### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: III

IMDG: III

IATA: III

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H301 + H311 + H331	Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled
H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.

### Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Central Drug House (P) Ltd and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See [www.cdhfinechemical.com](http://www.cdhfinechemical.com) for additional terms and conditions of sale.