

## Safety Data Sheet

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### 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

**Product identifier:**

Product name: Sodium Alginate

Reference number(SDS):13037jis\_E-3

**Product type:**

Quasi-drug raw materials

※This product conform to JSQI(Japanese Standards of Quasi-drug Ingredients).

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

Relevant identified uses of the product: Binding, Fragrance, Viscosity controlling, Hydrophilic thickener

Uses advised against: Do not use for other purposes.

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

Manufacturer/Supplier: JUNSEI CHEMICAL CO., LTD.

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### 2. Hazards identification

**GHS classification and label elements of the product****Classification of the substance or mixture****Label elements**

No GHS label element

No Signal word

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### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

**Mixture/Substance selection:****Substance**

Chemical identification: A gelling polysaccharide extracted from brown algae (Seaweed, Phaeophyceae).

Ingredient name:Sodium alginate

Chemicals No, Japan:8-237

CAS No.:9005-38-3

ECNO:618-415-6

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### 4. First-aid measures

**Descriptions of first-aid measures****IF INHALED**

Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

**IF ON SKIN (or hair)**

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.

If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

**IF IN EYES**

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

**IF SWALLOWED**

Rinse mouth.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

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**5. Fire-fighting measures**

**Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use appropriate extinguishing media suitable for surrounding facilities.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

Unsuitable extinguishing media data is not available.

**Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Containers may explode when heated.

Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

**Advice for firefighters**

**Specific fire-fighting measures**

Evacuate non-essential personnel to safe area.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters**

Wear fire resistant or flame retardant clothing.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece operated positive pressure mode.

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**6. Accidental release measures**

**Personnel precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Ventilate area until material pick up is complete.

Wear proper protective equipment.

**Environmental precautions**

Avoid release to headsprings, rivers, lakes, ocean and groundwater.

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

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal.

**Preventive measures for secondary accident**

Collect spillage.

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**7. Handling and storage**

**Precautions for safe handling**

**Preventive measures**

(Exposure Control for handling personnel)

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

(Protective measures against fire and explosion)

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

(Exhaust/ventilator)

Exhaust/ventilator should be available.

(Safety treatments)

Avoid contact with skin.

Avoid contact with eyes.

**Safety Measures**

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Use personal protective equipment as required.

When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

## Any incompatibilities

Strong acids, Strong bases, Strong oxidizing agents should not be mixed with the chemicals.

## Storage

## Conditions for safe storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Keep cool. Protect from sunlight.

Store in accordance with local/national regulation.

Container and packaging materials for safe handling data is not available.

## Specific end use(s)

See information in Section 7.1 and 7.2 for handling and storage recommendations. See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection recommendations.

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**8. Exposure controls/personal protection**

## Control parameters

Control value in MHLW is not available.

## Adopted value

Adopted value in JSOH is not available.

Adopted value in ACGIH is not available.

## Exposure controls

## Appropriate engineering controls

Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation.

Eye wash station should be available.

Washing facilities should be available.

## Individual protection measures

## Respiratory protection

Wear respiratory protection.

## Hand protection

Wear protective gloves.

Consult with your glove and/or personnel equipment manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible materials.

## Eye protection

Wear eye/face protection.

## Skin and body protection

Wear impervious clothing and boots in case of repeated or prolonged treatment.

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**9. Physical and Chemical Properties**

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state: Powder

Color: White~Yellowish white

Odor: Characteristic odor Slight

Odor threshold data is not available.

Melting point/Freezing point data is not available.

Boiling point or initial boiling point data is not available.

Boiling range data is not available.

Flammability (gases, liquids and solids): Ignitable

Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit data is not available.

Flash point data is not available.

Auto-ignition temperature data is not available.

Decomposition temperature data is not available.

Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature/SADT data is not available.

pH: 6.0 ~8.0 (0.50g+water 50ml)

Dynamic viscosity data is not available.

Kinematic viscosity data is not available.

Solubility:

Solubility in water: Soluble

Solubility in solvent: Insoluble in alcohol, chloroform, ether.

n-Octanol/water partition coefficient data is not available.

Vapor pressure data is not available.

Vapor density data is not available.

Density and/or relative density data is not available.

Relative vapor density (Air=1) data is not available.

Relative density of the Vapor/air – mixture at 20°C (Air = 1) data is not available.

Particle characteristics data is not available.

Other information

Critical temperature data is not available.

Evaporation rate data is not available.

VOC data is not available.

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## 10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

Reactivity data is not available.

Chemical stability

Stable under normal storage/handling conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions data is not available.

Conditions to avoid

Contact with incompatible materials.

Open flames. Heat. Sun light

Incompatible materials

Strong acids, Strong bases, Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon oxides, Sodium oxides

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## 11. Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity (Oral)

rat LD50 >5000mg/kg (RTECS; HSDB)

Irritant properties

Skin corrosion/irritation data is not available.

Serious eye damage/irritation data is not available.

Allergenic and sensitizing effects data is not available.

Mutagenic effects data is not available.

Carcinogenic effects data is not available.

Reproductive toxicity data is not available.

STOT

STOT–single exposure data is not available.

STOT–repeated exposure data is not available.

Aspiration hazard data is not available.

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## 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity data is not available.

**Persistence and degradability**

Persistence and degradability data is not available.

**Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulative potential data is not available.

**Mobility in soil**

Mobility in soil data is not available.

**Other adverse effects**

Ozone depleting chemical data is not available.

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**13. Disposal considerations**

Description of waste residues and information on their safe handling and methods of disposal, including the disposal of any contaminated packaging

**Waste treatment methods**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulation.

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**14. Transport Information****UN No., UN CLASS**

UN No. or ID No.: Not applicable

UN Proper Shipping Name : Not applicable

Class or division (Transport hazard class) : Not applicable

Packing group : Not applicable

Not applicable to IMDG Code

Not applicable to IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations

**Environmental hazards**

MARPOL Annex III – Prevention of pollution by harmful substances

Marine pollutants (yes/no) : no

Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable to Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

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**15. Regulatory Information**

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

U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

Chemicals listed in TSCA Inventory

9005-38-3

All components are listed or exempted.

**Other regulatory information**

We are not able to check up the regulatory information with regard to the substances in your country or region, therefore, we request this matter would be filled by your responsibility.

Regulatory information with regard to this substance in your country or in your region should be examined by your own responsibility.

Ensure this material in compliance with federal requirements and ensure conformity to local regulations.

Regulatory information in this section are limited to intentional ingredient(s), but does not contain information on non-intentional ingredients or impurities which are not informed by supplier(s).

**Chemical safety assessment**

Advice on safe handling for this product can be found in sections 7 and 8 of this SDS.

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## 16. Other information

### Reference Book

Globally Harmonized System of classification and labelling of chemicals, UN  
Recommendations on the TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS 21th edit., 2019 UN  
IMDG Code, 2018 Edition (Incorporating Amendment 39-18)  
IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations (62nd Edition) 2021  
2020 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK (US DOT)  
2022 TLVs and BEIs. (ACGIH)  
JIS Z 7252 : 2019  
JIS Z 7253 : 2019  
2021 Recommendation on TLVs (JSOH)  
Supplier's data/information  
Hazard Communication Standard – 2012 (29 CFR 1910.1200)  
Chemicals safety data management system "GHS Assistant" Version 4.18 (<https://www.asahi-ghs.com/>)  
NITE Chemical Risk Information Platform "NITE-CHRIP"  
([https://www.nite.go.jp/en/chem/chrip/chrip\\_search/systemTop](https://www.nite.go.jp/en/chem/chrip/chrip_search/systemTop))  
GHS Classification Guidance for Enterprises 2019 Revised Edition (Ver. 2.0) (Mar. 2020, METI)

### Definitions and Abbreviations

SDS (Safety Data Sheet)  
LD50 (Lethal Dose, 50%)  
LC50 (Lethal Concentration, 50%)  
IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)  
ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)  
EPA (US Environmental Protection Agency)  
NTP (US National Toxicology Program)  
JSOH (Japan Society for Occupational Health)  
EU (European Union)  
EC50 (Effective Concentration, 50%)  
NOEC (No Observed Effect Concentration)  
BOD (Biochemical Oxygen Demand)  
COD (Chemical Oxygen Demand)  
BCF (Bioconcentration Factor)  
anh (anhydride)

### General Disclaimer

This data sheet was created based on the information we currently have and may be revised according to new information. In addition, the precautions apply only to normal handling, and in the case of special handling, please make adequate countermeasure to maintain your safety.

The data given here is based on current knowledge and experience. The purpose of this Safety Data Sheet is to describe the products in terms of their safety requirements. The data does not signify any warranty with regard to the products' properties.

The GHS classification data given here is based on current Japan official data (NITE published in 2020).