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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product Identifier

Trade Name or Designation Sodium Acetate Trihydrate, ACS Reagent Grade

Product Number RDCS0250

Other Identifying Product Numbers RDCS0250-2.5A5, RDCS0250-500B1

1.2. Recommended Use and Restrictions on Use

General Laboratory Reagent

1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Company Ricca Chemical Company

Address 412 West Fork Drive

Arlington, TX 76012 USA

Telephone 888-467-4222

1.4. Emergency Telephone Number (24 hours)

CHEMTREC (USA) 800-424-9300

CHEMTREC (International) 1+ 703-527-3887

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SECTION 2: Hazard(s) Identification

2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

Hazard Class	Category	Hazard Statements	Precautionary Statements
Combustible Dust	Category 1 - Combustible		

2.2. GHS Label Elements

Pictograms:

Signal Word: **Warning**

Hazard Statements:

NOTE: Hazard statements may be combined on labels to improve clarity and readability.

Hazard Number	Hazard Statement
	May form combustible dust concentrations in air

Precautionary Statements:

NOTE: Precautionary statements may be combined or consolidated on labels to improve clarity and readability.

Precautionary Number	Precautionary Statement

2.3. Hazards not Otherwise Classified

No other hazards identified.

2.4. Ingredients of Unknown Acute Toxicity

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SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients

3.1. Components of Substance

Chemical Name (IUPAC)	Common Name and Synonyms	CAS Number	Weight%
sodium acetate trihydrate	Sodium Acetate Trihydrate; Acetic acid, sodium salt, trihydrate	6131-90-4	100.00

SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures

4.1. Description of Necessary Measures

- Eye Contact:** May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing.
- Ingestion:** Dilute with water or milk. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician if necessary.
- Inhalation:** Not expected to require first aid. If necessary, remove to fresh air.
- Skin Contact:** May cause irritation, redness, and pain.

4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

May cause irritation to the eyes, skin and respiratory tract. Wash areas of contact with water. Call a physician if irritation develops. EYE CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, pain, and tearing. SKIN CONTACT: May cause irritation, redness, and pain.

4.3. Immediate Medical Attention or Special Treatment Needed

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. Wash areas of contact with soap and 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 in a Fire

Not considered to be a fire or explosion hazard.

5.3. Special Protective Equipment and Precautions 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 appropriate PPE for the size and nature of the spill. As a general rule, wear safety glasses and gloves.

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6.2. Cleanup and Containment Methods and Materials

Small amounts may be flushed to the drain with excess water.

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 physical damage. Keep in tightly closed containers in a cool, dry area.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1. Exposure Limits

U.S. OSHA - Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL) - Time Weighted Averages (TWA)

No limits found.

U.S. OSHA - Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL) - Ceiling Limits

No limits found.

U.S. OSHA - Permissible Exposure Limits (PEL) - Short Term Exposure Limits (STEL)

No limits found.

U.S. OSHA - Specifically Regulated Chemicals

No limits found.

ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Ceilings (TLV-C)

No limits found.

ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Short Term Exposure Limits (TLV-STEL)

No limits found.

ACGIH - Threshold Limit Values - Time Weighted Averages (TLV-TWA)

No limits found.

8.2. Engineering Controls

No specific controls are needed. Normal room ventilation is adequate.

8.3. Individual Protective Measures and Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory Protection: Normal room ventilation is adequate.

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Skin Protection: Chemical resistant gloves.

Eye Protection: Safety glasses or goggles.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: solid

Color: Colorless/white

Odor: Data not available.

Odor Threshold: Data not available.

Melting/Freezing Point: Data not available.

Boiling Point/Range: Data not available.

Flammability: Data not available.

Flammability/Explosive Limits: Data not available.

Flash Point: Data not available.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Data not available.

Decomposition Temperature: Data not available.

pH: 7.50 - 9.65

Kinematic Viscosity: Data not available.

Solubility: Data not available.

Vapor Pressure: Data not available.

Evaporation Rate: Data not available.

Relative Density: 1.45

Relative Vapor Density: Data not available.

Particle Characteristics: Data not available.

Partition Coefficient n-octanol/water, log 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

Nitric acid, fluoride, potassium nitrate, strong oxidizers and diketene.

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10.4. Hazardous Decomposition Products

Will not occur.

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity - Oral Exposure:

Oral acute toxicity estimate (ATE): 3530 mg/kg(calculated)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Toxicity
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	Oral LD50 Rat 3530 mg/kg (Source: NLM_CIP) As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]

Acute Toxicity - Dermal Exposure:

Not acutely toxic.

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Toxicity
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	Dermal LD50 Rabbit >10 g/kg (Source: NLM_CIP) As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]

Acute Toxicity - Inhalation Exposure:

Not acutely toxic.

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Toxicity
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	Inhalation LC50 Rat >5.6 mg/L 4 h (no deaths occurred, aerosol, Source: ECHA) As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]

11.2 Carcinogenicity:

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Classification
		No data found.

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Classification
		No data found.

U.S. OSHA specifically regulated carcinogens

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Classification
		No data found.

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11.3 Additional Toxicology Information:

Data not available.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

12.1. Ecotoxicity

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Species	Exposure	Toxicity
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	Freshwater Fish	Acute	"LC50 96 h Danio rerio >100 mg/L [semi-static] (ECHA)" As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	Water Flea	Acute	"EC50 48 h Daphnia magna >1000 mg/L (IUCLID)" As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]

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.

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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.

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SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

15.01. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazards

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Regulatory Information
No data found.		

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

Chemical Name	CAS Number	RQ
No data found.		

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

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Regulatory Information
No data found.		

15.04. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) 313 Toxics Release Inventory (TRI)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	List
No data found.		

15.05. Massachusetts Right-to-Know Substance List

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Regulatory Information
No data found.		

15.06. Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Hazardous Substances

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Regulatory Information
No data found.		

15.07. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Components

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Regulatory Information
No data found.		

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15.08. California Proposition 65

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Regulatory Information
		No data found.

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

Chemical Name	CAS Number	List	Status
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	DSL	"Present" As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]

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

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Status
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	"Present (ACTIVE)" As Acetic acid, sodium salt (1:1) [127-09-3]

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

Chemical Name	CAS Number	List	Number
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	EINECS	"204-823-8" As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]

15.12. China - Inventory of Existing chemical Substances (IECSC)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Status
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	Present [29623]

15.13. Korea - Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI/KECL)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	List	Status
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	Annex 1	"Present [KE-00061]" As Sodium acetate [127-09-3]

15.14. Japan - Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory (ENCS)

Chemical Name	CAS Number	MITI No.
Sodium Acetate Trihydrate	6131-90-4	(2)-692

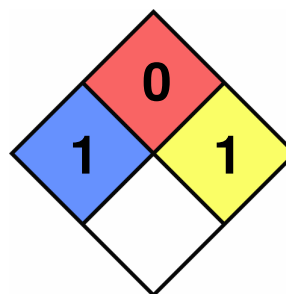
SECTION 16: Other Information

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16.1 National Fire Protection Associate (NFPA) Rating

Health: 1
Flammability: 0
Reactivity 1
Special Hazard:



16.2 Document Revision

Last Revision Date:
2026-05-07

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