SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name Spa Time pH Up

Other means of identification

Product Code 17465STM

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use
Recommended Use Swimming Pool Product.
Uses advised against Do not mix with other chemicals

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

Recreational Water Products, Inc.

PO Box 1449

Buford, GA 30515-1449 Telephone: (800) 859-7946

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec (Transportation) 1-800-424-9300, 703-527-3887

Poison Control Center (Medical): (877) 800-5553

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2

Label elements

Emergency Overview

Warning

Hazard statements

Harmful if inhaled

Causes serious eye irritation



Color white Physical state Solid Odor Odorless

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

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

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 INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

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

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

Other Information

1% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Mixture

Chemical Name CAS No.		Weight-%	
sodium carbonate	497-19-8	99.8	
water	7732-18-5	0.2	

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Eye contact Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and

continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. If symptoms

persist, call a physician.

Skin contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is not required. If skin irritation persists, call

a physician.

Inhalation Immediate medical attention is required. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial

respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Toxic by inhalation. Call a physician.

Ingestion Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Clean

mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Call a physician or poison control

center immediately.

Self-protection of the first aider

Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

There are no unusual fire and explosion hazards known.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None. Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautionsDo not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water. Should not be

released into the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent

product from entering drains. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up

Use personal protective equipment as required. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp

to minimize spreading and keep powder dry. Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Avoid creating dust. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handlingUse personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Use only with adequate ventilation and in closed

systems. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Do not breathe

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

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep out of the reach of children. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and

well-ventilated place. Keep in properly labeled containers.

Incompatible materials Incompatible with strong acids and bases. Incompatible with oxidizing agents. Do not mix

with other swimming pool/spa chemicals in their concentrated forms.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational

exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin and body protection Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved

respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be

provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Keep

away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Take off all contaminated clothing

g/cm3

and wash it before reuse. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical stateSolidAppearancegranulesOdorOdorless

Color White Odor threshold No information available

PropertyValuesRemarks • MethodpH11.4in 1% Solution

Melting point/freezing point 851 °C / 1564 °F

Boiling point / boiling rangeNo information availableFlash pointNo information availableEvaporation rateNo information availableFlammability (solid, gas)No information available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit:
Lower flammability limit:
Vapor pressure
Vapor density
Specific Gravity
No information available
No information available
No information available
No information available

Water solubility Soluble in water

Solubility in other solvents
Partition coefficient
Autoignition temperature
Decomposition temperature
Kinematic viscosity
No information available

Density 0.9

Bulk density

Explosive properties

Oxidizing properties

No information available
No information available
No information available

Other Information

Softening pointNo information availableMolecular weightNo information availableVOC Content (%)No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible with strong acids and bases. Incompatible with oxidizing agents. Do not mix with other swimming pool/spa chemicals in their concentrated forms.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Harmful by inhalation.

Eve contact Irritating to eyes.

Skin contact Not expected to cause skin irritation under normal use conditions. PROLONGED OR

REPEATED CONTACT MAY DRY SKIN AND CAUSE IRRITATION.

Ingestion May be harmful if swallowed.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
sodium carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 2300 mg/m³ (Rat) 2 h
water 7732-18-5	> 90 mL/kg(Rat)	-	-

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

SensitizationNo information available.Germ cell mutagenicityNo information available.CarcinogenicityNo information available.

Reproductive toxicity
STOT - single exposure
STOT - repeated exposure
Aspiration hazard

No information available.
No information available.
No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

 Oral LD50
 4090 mg/kg (rat)

 Inhalation LC50
 2.3 mg/l

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

0.2% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

	Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
	sodium carbonate 497-19-8	242: 120 h Nitzschia mg/L EC50	300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 310 - 1220: 96 h	265: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
L			Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50	

static

Persistence and degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

Mobility

No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container. Refer to all federal, state and local regulations prior to disposal of

container and unused contents by reuse, recycle or disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

TDG Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

IMDG Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA Complies DSL/NDSL Complies

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire hazard No
Sudden release of pressure hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

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CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
water	-	-	X
7732-18-5			

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number This product does not contain any substances regulated as pesticides **Difference between SDS and CPSC label**

This product is regulated under Consumer Product Safety Commission and is subject to certain labeling requirements under the Federal Hazardous Substances Act (16 CFR Part 1500). These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets and for workplace product labels.

16. OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OF THE LAST REVISION

NFPA Health hazards 2 Flammability 0 Instability 0 Physical and Chemical

Properties -

Health hazards 2 Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

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