

# SODIUM SULFATE ANHYDROUS Technical Data Sheet

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#### **Application Notes:**

**NuGenTec Inorganic Chemical Group (NICG) Sodium Sulfate Anhydrous**, is the sodium salt of sulfuric acid. Anhydrous, it is a white crystalline solid of formula Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. Sodium sulfate is mainly used for the manufacture of detergents and in the Kraft process of paper pulping. In the laboratory, anhydrous sodium sulfate is widely used as an inert drying agent, for removing traces of water from organic solutions. Lately, sodium sulfate has been found effective in dissolving very finely electroplated micrometer gold that is found in gold electroplated hardware on electronic products such as pins, and other connectors and switches. It is safer and cheaper than other reagents used for gold recovery, with little concern for adverse reactions or health effects.

### **Typical Parameters:**

CAS Number(s)	7757-82-6, 7727-73-3 (decahydrate)	NFPA 704
Physical State & Appearance	White crystalline Powder	<u> </u>
Molecular Formula	Na <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	
Formula Weight	142.04	
Flash point	None	
Melting Point	884 °C	$\langle 1 \times 0 \rangle$
Boiling Point	1429 °C	
RTECS#	WE1650000	<b>Y Y</b>
Refractive Index	1.468	

## **Specifications:**

Grade	ACS	
Density	2.664 gm/cc	
pH of 5% solution @ 25 °C	Neutral	
Bulk Density, #/gal	8.7	
Solubility in water	Complete	
Assay	99.0% min	
Insoluble Matter	0.01% max	
Chloride (CI)	10 ppm max	
Nitrogen Compound as (N)	5 ppm max	
Arsenic (As)	1 ppm max	
Calcium, Magnesium &	200 ppm max	
R2O3 precipitates		
Heavy Metals (Pb)	5 ppm max	
Iron (Fe)	10 ppm max	



Availability: Available in 50 Kg Fiber drums with double liner

**Shipment:** Not Regulated

Storage: Keep in a tightly closed container, stored in a cool, dry, ventilated area.

(1) **Disposal:** Dispose of in accordance with local, state, & federal regulations. For assistance with disposal contact NuGeneration Technologies at 888-99-Nugen or e-mail: nicg@nugentec.com.