

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

GHS  
United States

## Section 1. Product and company identification

<b>Product name</b>	<b>NACAP®</b>	<b><u>In case of emergency</u></b>
<b>Code</b>	29409	1-203-853-1400
<b>Supplier/Manufacturer</b>	Vanderbilt Chemicals, LLC 30 Winfield Street Norwalk, CT 06855	Chemtrec: 1-800-424-9300 Outside US: +1-703-527-3887
<b>Chemical name</b>	2(3H)-Benzothiazolethione, sodium salt	
<b>Synonym</b>	Sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole	
<b>Material uses</b>	Corrosion inhibitor.	
<b>Product type</b>	Liquid.	

## Section 2. Hazards identification

<b>OSHA/HCS status</b>	This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).
<b>Classification of the substance or mixture</b>	CORROSIVE TO METALS - Category 1 SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION - Category 1B SKIN SENSITIZATION - Category 1 Percentage of the mixture consisting of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity: 50%

### GHS label elements

#### Hazard pictograms



#### Signal word

Danger

#### Hazard statements

May be corrosive to metals.  
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
May cause an allergic skin reaction.

### Precautionary statements

#### Prevention

Wear protective gloves. Wear eye or face protection: Recommended: splash goggles. Wear protective clothing: Recommended: Full suit.. Keep only in original container. Avoid breathing vapor. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

#### Response

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical attention. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a

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	POISON CENTER or physician.
<b>Storage</b>	Store locked up. Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.
<b>Disposal</b>	Dispose of contents and container in accordance with all local, regional, national and international regulations.
<b>Hazards not otherwise classified</b>	None known.

## Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

**Substance/mixture** Mixture

Ingredient name	CAS number	% by weight
sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole	2492-26-4	49 - 51
water	7732-18-5	49 - 51

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

## Section 4. First aid measures

### Description of necessary first aid measures

<b>Eye contact</b>	Get medical attention immediately. Call a poison center or physician. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Get medical attention immediately. Call a poison center or physician. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If it is suspected that fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Get medical attention immediately. Call a poison center or physician. Wash with plenty of soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing it, or wear gloves. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician. In the event of any complaints or symptoms, avoid further exposure. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Get medical attention immediately. Call a poison center or physician. Wash out mouth with water. Remove dentures if any. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Stop if the exposed person feels sick as vomiting may be dangerous. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that vomit does not enter the lungs. Chemical burns must be treated promptly by a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

#### Potential acute health effects

## Section 4. First aid measures

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye damage.

**Inhalation** May give off gas, vapor or dust that is very irritating or corrosive to the respiratory system. Exposure to decomposition products may cause a health hazard. Serious effects may be delayed following exposure.

**Skin contact** Causes severe burns. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

**Ingestion** May cause burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

### Over-exposure signs/symptoms

**Eye contact** Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain  
watering  
redness

**Inhalation** No specific data.

**Skin contact** Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain or irritation  
redness  
blistering may occur

**Ingestion** Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
stomach pains

### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

**Notes to physician** In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.

**Specific treatments** No specific treatment.

**Protection of first-aiders** No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. If it is suspected that fumes are still present, the rescuer should wear an appropriate mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. It may be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Wash contaminated clothing thoroughly with water before removing it, or wear gloves.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

## Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

### Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** None known.

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

**Hazardous thermal decomposition products** In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.

Decomposition products may include the following materials:  
carbon dioxide  
carbon monoxide  
nitrogen oxides  
sulfur oxides  
metal oxide/oxides

### Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

## Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

## Section 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**For non-emergency personnel** No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.

**For emergency responders** If specialized clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

**Environmental precautions** Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

**Small spill** Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

**Large spill** Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Approach release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see Section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

**Protective measures** Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Persons with a history of skin sensitization problems should not be employed in any process in which this product is used. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not ingest. If during normal use the material presents a respiratory hazard, use only with adequate ventilation or wear appropriate respirator. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Keep away from acids. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

**Advice on general occupational hygiene** Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

This product will oxidize if exposed to air for prolonged periods, resulting in the precipitation of solids.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner. Store locked up. Separate from acids. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

None.

### Appropriate engineering controls

If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

### Environmental exposure controls

Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

### Individual protection measures

#### Hygiene measures

Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

#### Eye/face protection

Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: chemical splash goggles and/or face shield. If inhalation hazards exist, a full-face respirator may be required instead. Recommended: splash goggles

### Skin protection

#### Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Considering the parameters specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are still retaining their protective properties. It should be noted that the time to breakthrough for any glove material may be different for different glove manufacturers. In the case of mixtures, consisting of several substances, the protection time of the gloves cannot be accurately estimated.

#### Body protection

Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product. Recommended: Full suit.

#### Other skin protection

Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

#### Respiratory protection

Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator. Recommended: Vapor and dust respirator.

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Personal protective equipment (Pictograms)



## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Appearance

Physical state	Liquid.
Color	Amber. [Light]
Odor	Not available.
Odor threshold	Not available.
pH	13
Melting point	-6°C (21.2°F)
Boiling point	>100°C (>212°F)
Flash point	[Product does not sustain combustion.]
Burning time	Not applicable.
Burning rate	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available.
Lower and upper explosive (flammable) limits	Not available.
Vapor pressure	3.2 kPa (24 mm Hg) [room temperature]
Vapor density	Not available.
Relative density	1.27
Solubility	Partially soluble in the following materials: cold water, hot water, methanol, diethyl ether, n-octanol and acetone.
Solubility in water	Not available.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	-0.46
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
SADT	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.

## Section 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.
Chemical stability	The product is stable.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	No specific data.

## Section 10. Stability and reactivity

**Incompatible materials**      Reactive or incompatible with the following materials:  
acids  
metals

**Hazardous decomposition products**      Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity**

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure
NACAP®	LD50 Dermal LD50 Oral	Rabbit Rat	5010 mg/kg 5200 mg/kg	- -

### Irritation/Corrosion

**Conclusion/Summary**

**Skin**      Rabbit patch tests showed visible tissue destruction 4, 24 and 48 hours after application. The material was considered corrosive to the skin under the conditions of the test.

**Eyes**      Not available.

### Sensitization

**Skin**      Not available.

### Mutagenicity

**Conclusion/Summary**      Not available.

### Carcinogenicity

**Conclusion/Summary**      In NTP studies, MBT in corn oil was force fed through a stomach tube to rats and mice for two years. An increased incidence of tumors in a number of tissues was seen in rats. No increase in the incidence of tumors was observed in mice. The strength of the data was evaluated "some", "equivocal", "no" or "inadequate" evidence of carcinogenicity. Because only a limited response occurred, NTP interpreted these studies as tumor response (e.g.: no effect in mice; some effect in rats) and other concerns about the conduct of these studies makes it difficult to clearly assess the significance of the results to those who work with MBT. We recommend that worker exposure to MBT should be minimized.

### Reproductive toxicity

**Conclusion/Summary**      Not available.

### Teratogenicity

**Conclusion/Summary**      Mice were given MBT at a dosage of 464 mg/kg by subcutaneous injection on days 6 through 15 of gestation. In two strains, increased incidences of fetal malformations were noted, but only at maternally toxic doses.

### Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Not available.

## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Not available.

### Information on the likely routes of exposure

Routes of entry anticipated: Oral, Dermal, Inhalation.

### Potential acute health effects

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Causes serious eye damage.

#### **Inhalation**

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#### **Skin contact**

Causes severe burns. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

#### **Ingestion**

May cause burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

#### **Eye contact**

Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain  
watering  
redness

#### **Inhalation**

No specific data.

#### **Skin contact**

Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
pain or irritation  
redness  
blistering may occur

#### **Ingestion**

Adverse symptoms may include the following:  
stomach pains

### Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

#### Short term exposure

##### **Potential immediate effects**

Not available.

##### **Potential delayed effects**

Not available.

#### Long term exposure

##### **Potential immediate effects**

Not available.

##### **Potential delayed effects**

Not available.

### Potential chronic health effects

#### **Conclusion/Summary**

Not available.

#### **General**

Once sensitized, a severe allergic reaction may occur when subsequently exposed to very low levels.

#### **Carcinogenicity**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Mutagenicity**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Teratogenicity**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Developmental effects**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Fertility effects**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### Numerical measures of toxicity



## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Acute toxicity estimates

Not available.

## Section 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Exposure
sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole	LC50 1.3 to 2.4 mg/l	Fish - Trout	96 hours

### Persistence and degradability

Not available.

**Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water** -0.46

**Bioconcentration factor** Not available.

**Other adverse effects** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Section 13. Disposal considerations

### Disposal methods











The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

**RCRA classification** D002

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

## Section 14. Transport information

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Regulatory information	UN number	Proper shipping name	Classes	PG*	Label	Additional information
<b>DOT Classification</b>	3267	Corrosive liquid, basic, organic, n.o.s. (Sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole)	8	II	 	<b>Remarks</b> Marine pollutant
<b>TDG Classification</b>	3267	Corrosive liquid, basic, organic, n.o.s. (Sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole)	8	II	 	<b>Remarks</b> Marine pollutant
<b>ADR/RID Class</b>	3267	Corrosive liquid, basic, organic, n.o.s. (Sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole)	8	II	 	<b>Remarks</b> Marine pollutant
<b>IMDG Class</b>	3267	Corrosive liquids, basic, organic, n.o.s. (Sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole)	8	II	 	<b>Remarks</b> Marine pollutant
<b>IATA-DGR Class</b>	3267	Corrosive liquid, basic, organic, n.o.s. (Sodium 2-mercaptobenzothiazole)	8	II	 	<b>Remarks</b> Marine pollutant

PG\* : Packing group

## Section 15. Regulatory information

[United States inventory \(TSCA 8b\)](#) All components are listed or exempted.

[U.S. Federal regulations](#)

TSCA 8(a) CDR Exempt/Partial exemption: Not determined

[SARA 302/304](#)

[Composition/information on ingredients](#)

No products were found.

[SARA 311/312](#)

## Section 15. Regulatory information

**Classification** Reactive  
Immediate (acute) health hazard

**Composition/information on ingredients**

No products were found.

**State regulations**

**California Prop. 65** None of the components are listed.

**International regulations**

<b>Europe inventory</b>	All components are listed or exempted.
<b>Canada inventory</b>	All components are listed or exempted.
<b>Australia inventory (AICS)</b>	All components are listed or exempted.
<b>China inventory (IECSC)</b>	All components are listed or exempted.
<b>Japan inventory</b>	All components are listed or exempted.
<b>Korea inventory</b>	All components are listed or exempted.
<b>New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC)</b>	All components are listed or exempted.
<b>Philippines inventory (PICCS)</b>	All components are listed or exempted.

## Section 16. Other information

<b><u>Hazardous Material Identification System (U.S.A.)</u></b>	<b>Health</b>	3
	<b>Flammability</b>	0
	<b>Physical hazards</b>	1

The customer is responsible for determining the PPE code for this material.

**National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)**



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**Key to abbreviations**

ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate  
 BCF = Bioconcentration Factor  
 GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
 IATA = International Air Transport Association  
 IBC = Intermediate Bulk Container  
 IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods  
 LogPow = logarithm of the octanol/water partition coefficient  
 MARPOL 73/78 = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)  
 UN = United Nations

## Section 16. Other information

<b>References</b>	Not available.
<b>Information contact</b>	<b>Vanderbilt Global Services, LLC</b> <b>Corporate Risk Management</b> <b>1-203-295-2143</b>

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