

**NAC-PAC/AFB Base Decontamination Reagent,  
2-4%**

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## 1. Product and Company Identification

**Product Code:** NAC-PAC/AFB  
**Product Name:** NAC-PAC/AFB Base Decontamination Reagent, 2-4%  
**Company Name:** Alpha-Tec Systems, Inc. **Phone Number:**  
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 Vancouver, WA 98683  
**Web site address:** Alphatecsystems.com  
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 International 00-1- (352)323-3500  
**Information:** North America 1 (800)535-5053  
**Intended Use:** For Laboratory Use Only  
**Product List** NAC-PAC/AFB Base Decontamination Reagent 2-4%, Product Codes: 0003441,  
 0003457, 0003464, 0003466, 0003472, 0003462, 0003499, 0003455, 0003465,  
 0003469.

## 2. Hazards Identification

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation, Category 3**

**GHS Signal Word:** **Warning**  
**GHS Hazard Phrases:** H316 - Causes mild skin irritation.  
**GHS Precautionary Phrases:** No phrases apply.  
**GHS Response Phrases:** P332+313 - If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.  
**GHS Storage and Disposal Phrases:** No phrases apply.  
**Potential Health Effects (Acute and Chronic):** Chronic: None.  
**Inhalation:** The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully investigated. Inhalation of dust may cause respiratory tract irritation. May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.  
**Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation. Prolonged and/or repeated contact may cause irritation and/or dermatitis. May cause skin sensitization, an allergic reaction, which becomes evident upon re-exposure to this material.  
**Eye Contact:** May cause eye irritation.  
**Ingestion:** The toxicological properties of this substance have not been fully investigated. May be harmful if swallowed. No hazard expected in normal industrial use.

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

CAS #	Hazardous Components (Chemical Name)	Concentration
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide {Caustic soda; Lye solution}	1.8 -4.0 %
6132-04-3	Sodium citrate, dihydrate	No Data.
497-19-8	Sodium carbonate	0.0 -0.2 %
7647-14-5	Sodium chloride	0.0 -0.2 %
7732-18-5	Water	No Data.

### 4. First Aid Measures

**Emergency and First Aid Procedures:**

<b>In Case of Inhalation:</b>	Get medical aid immediately. Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If breathed in, move person into fresh air. No specific treatment is necessary since this material is not likely to be hazardous by inhalation.
<b>In Case of Skin Contact:</b>	Get medical aid. Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. No specific treatment is necessary, since this material is not likely to be hazardous.
<b>In Case of Eye Contact:</b>	Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical aid immediately. No specific treatment is necessary, since this material is not likely to be hazardous.
<b>In Case of Ingestion:</b>	If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid immediately. Rinse mouth with water. No specific treatment is necessary, since this material is expected to be non-hazardous.
<b>Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:</b>	To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.
<b>Note to Physician:</b>	Treat symptomatically and supportively.

### 5. Fire Fighting Measures

<b>Flash Pt:</b>	No data. Method Used: Estimate
<b>Explosive Limits:</b>	LEL: No data. UEL: No data.
<b>Autoignition Pt:</b>	No data.
<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media:</b>	Not available.
<b>Fire Fighting Instructions:</b>	As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary. Material will not burn.
<b>Flammable Properties and Hazards:</b>	No data available.
<b>Hazardous Combustion Products:</b>	No data available.

### 6. Accidental Release Measures

<b>Steps To Be Taken In Case Material Is Released Or Spilled:</b>	<p>Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.</p> <p>Spills/Leaks: Avoid generating dusty conditions. Personal precautions. Avoid dust formation.</p> <p>Environmental precautions.                  Do not let product enter drains.                  Methods for cleaning up.                  Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, sand or earth), then place in suitable container.</p>
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### 7. Handling and Storage

<b>Precautions To Be Taken in Handling:</b>	Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection. No special handling procedures are required.
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**Precautions To Be Taken in Storing:** Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Store in a cool, dry place. No special storage requirements.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

CAS #	Partial Chemical Name	OSHA TWA	ACGIH TWA	Other Limits
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide {Caustic soda; Lye solution}	PEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CEIL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	No data.
6132-04-3	Sodium citrate, dihydrate	No data.	No data.	No data.
497-19-8	Sodium carbonate	No data.	No data.	No data.
7647-14-5	Sodium chloride	No data.	No data.	No data.
7732-18-5	Water	No data.	No data.	No data.

**Respiratory Equipment (Specify Type):** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced. is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Eye Protection:** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166. Safety glasses. Eye protection is not normally required.

**Protective Gloves:** Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure. For prolonged or repeated contact use protective gloves. Protective garments not normally required.

**Other Protective Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure. Protective garments not normally required.

**Engineering Controls (Ventilation etc.):** Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low. There are no special ventilation requirements.

**Work/Hygienic/Maintenance Practices:** General industrial hygiene practice.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical States:** [ ] Gas [X] Liquid [ ] Solid

**Appearance and Odor:** Colorless/Clear.  
Odorless.

**pH:** No data.

**Melting Point:** No data.

**Boiling Point:** No data.

**Flash Pt:** No data. Method Used: Estimate

**Evaporation Rate:** No data.

**Flammability (solid, gas):** No data available.

**Explosive Limits:** LEL: No data. UEL: No data.

**Vapor Pressure (vs. Air or mm Hg):** No data.

**Vapor Density (vs. Air = 1):** No data.

**Specific Gravity (Water = 1):** No data.

**Solubility in Water:** No data.

**Saturated Vapor** No data.

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**Concentration:**

**Octanol/Water Partition Coefficient:** No data.

**Autoignition Pt:** No data.

**Decomposition Temperature:** No data.

**Viscosity:** No data.

Information with regard to primary physical hazard:

### 10. Stability and Reactivity

**Stability:** Unstable [ ] Stable [ X ]

**Conditions To Avoid - Instability:** Incompatible materials, dust generation, Strong oxidants.

**Incompatibility - Materials To Avoid:** Strong oxidizing agents, None.

**Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts:** Nitrogen oxides, Carbon monoxide, Carbon oxides, None.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Will occur [ ] Will not occur [ X ]

**Conditions To Avoid - Hazardous Reactions:** No data available.

### 11. Toxicological Information

**Toxicological Information:** Epidemiology: No data available.  
 Teratogenicity: No data available.  
 Reproductive Effects: Experimental reproductive effects have been observed.  
 Mutagenicity: Mutation data reported.  
 Neurotoxicity: Other Studies:

**Carcinogenicity/Other Information:** CAS# 3118-97-6: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65. CAS# 7732-18-5: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

**Carcinogenicity:** NTP? No IARC Monographs? No OSHA Regulated? No

### 12. Ecological Information

No data available.

### 13. Disposal Considerations

**Waste Disposal Method:** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

RCRA P-Series: None listed.  
 RCRA U-Series: None listed. Product.  
 Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

Contaminated packaging.  
 Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. Transport Information

**GHS Classification:** Skin Corrosion/Irritation, Category 3 - Warning! Causes mild skin irritation

**LAND TRANSPORT (US DOT):**

**DOT Proper Shipping Name:** Not regulated as a hazardous material.

**DOT Hazard Class:**

**UN/NA Number:**

**LAND TRANSPORT (Canadian TDG):**

**TDG Shipping Name:** Not regulated as a hazardous material.

**UN Number:**

**Hazard Class:**

**TDG Classification:**

**LAND TRANSPORT (European ADR/RID):**

**ADR/RID Shipping Name:** Not regulated as a hazardous material.

**UN Number:**

**Hazard Class:**

**MARINE TRANSPORT (IMDG/IMO):**

**IMDG/IMO Shipping Name:** Not dangerous goods.

**UN Number:**

**Hazard Class:**

**Packing Group:**

**AIR TRANSPORT (ICAO/IATA):**

**ICAO/IATA Shipping Name:** Not regulated as a hazardous material.

**UN Number:**

**Hazard Class:**

**Packing Group:**

### 15. Regulatory Information

**EPA SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986) Lists**

CAS #	Hazardous Components (Chemical Name)	S. 302 (EHS)	S. 304 RQ	S. 313 (TRI)
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide {Caustic soda; Lye solution}	No	Yes NA	No
6132-04-3	Sodium citrate, dihydrate	No	No	No
497-19-8	Sodium carbonate	No	No	No
7647-14-5	Sodium chloride	No	No	No
7732-18-5	Water	No	No	No

CAS #	Hazardous Components (Chemical Name)	Other US EPA or State Lists
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6132-04-3	Sodium citrate, dihydrate	CA PROP.65: No; MA Oil/HazMat: No; NJ EHS: No; PA HSL: No
497-19-8	Sodium carbonate	CA PROP.65: No; MA Oil/HazMat: No; NJ EHS: No; PA HSL: No
7647-14-5	Sodium chloride	CA PROP.65: No; MA Oil/HazMat: No; NJ EHS: No; PA HSL: No
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**16. Other Information****Revision Date:** 02/02/2023 **Previous revision:** 12/17/2019**Preparer Name:** Tim Meehan**Additional Information About This Product:** No data available.**Document & Change Control Number** SDS0174.D.**Company Policy or****Disclaimer:**

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