

JAPANESE INDUSTRIAL STANDARD

Sodium Silicate

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 $Na_2O \cdot n SiO_2 \cdot x H_2O$

(Reaffirmed: 1979)

1. Scope

This Japanese Industrial Standard specifies the sodium silicate as industrial chemical.

2. Quality

The sodium silicate shall be tested in accordance with Clause 4, and the test results shall meet the requirements below:

Classification	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Sodium metasilicate	
Item				Class 1	Class 2
Appearance	Colourless or light colour liquid like starch syrup			White powder or granule	White crystals
Specific gravity (15°C Bé)	_	54 min.	40 min.	-	-
Silicon dioxide (SiO ₂) %	35 to 38	34 to 36	28 to 30	27.5 to 29	19 to 22
Sodium oxide (Na ₂ O) %	17 to 19	14 to 15	9 to 10	28.5 to 30	20 to 22
Iron (Fe) %	0.03 max.	0.03 max.	0.02 max.	-	<u>-</u>
Water-insoluble matter %	0.2 max.	0.2 max.	0.2 max.	-	_

Remark: Class 1 sodium metasilicate is of pentahydrate and Class 2 is of nonahydrate.