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Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H315  
H319

Causes skin irritation  
Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary statement(s)

P264  
P280  
P302+P352  
P305+P351+P338  
  
P321  
P332+P313  
P337+P313  
P362+P364

Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/soap  
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
Specific treatment (see ... on this label).  
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Components

Component	CAS no.	Concentration
<b>Sodium hydroxide</b> (EC no.: 215-185-5; Index no.: 011-002-00-6)	1310-73-2	< 2 % (weight)
CLASSIFICATIONS: Skin corrosion/irritation, Cat. 1A. HAZARDS: H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. [SCLs/M-factors/ATEs]: Skin Corr. 1A; H314: C ≥ 5 %; Skin Corr. 1B; H314: 2 % ≤ C < 5 %; Skin Irrit. 2; H315: 0,5 % ≤ C < 2 %; Eye Irrit. 2; H319: 0,5 % ≤ C < 2 %		
<b>Surfactants, defoamers, plasticizers</b>		10 - < 30 % (weight)
CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.		
<b>Sequestering Agents</b>		10 - < 20 % (weight)
CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.		
<b>Water/Aqua/Eau</b>	7732-18-5	≥ 48 % (weight)
CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.		

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

Description of necessary first-aid measures

General advice

First Aid Facilities: Maintain eyewash fountain in work area.

If inhaled

If inhaled, remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Immediately obtain medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

In case of skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected skin with soap and water. If irritation occurs seek medical advice. Wash clothing before reuse.

In case of eye contact	Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. Seek medical attention.
If swallowed	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately, repeat until all traces of product have been removed. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Seek medical advice if effects persist.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

Treat symptomatically based on judgement of doctor and individual reactions of the patient.

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**SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Small fire: Use dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>, water spray or appropriate foam.

Large fire: use water spray, fog or foam.

If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from the fire area. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after the fire is out.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Solutions will not burn or support combustion. However contact with aluminium, zinc or tin may generate explosive hydrogen gas.

Decomposition products include sodium oxide and oxides of carbon.

**Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

Fire fighters and others who may be exposed to combustion products during fire should wear full protective clothing including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Wear SCBA with full face-piece, operated in positive pressure mode when fighting fire.

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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. For personal protection see section 8.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Prevent spill from entering waterways. Restrict access to area. Remove chemicals that can react with the spilled material. Spills are slippery. Use inert material such as sand or earth to contain spill or leak.

Absorb spills with chemical absorber or vermiculite and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Absorb or contain liquid with sand, earth or spill control material. Shovel up using non sparking tools and place in a labelled, sealable container for subsequent safe disposal. Put leaking containers in a labelled drum or overdrum.

Prevent from entering into drains, ditches or rivers.

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**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

**Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin, eyes and clothing .

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep container tightly closed and in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Keep away from direct sunlight

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**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**Appropriate engineering controls**

Use ventilation adequate to keep exposures (airborne levels of dust, fume, vapor, gas, etc.) below recommended exposure limits.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)**

**Eye/face protection**

The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate. Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336.

**Skin protection**

Clean impervious clothing should be worn. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

Hand Protection: Ensure hand protection complies with AS 2161, Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

**Body protection**

Footwear: Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should comply with AS 2210, Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection, care and use.

Body Protection: Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with and apron. Clothing for protection against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

**Respiratory protection**

If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable vapor/ mist filter should be used. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning respiratory protective requirements. Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/ NZS 1715, Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/NZS 1716, Respiratory Protective Devices, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.

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**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

**Basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Clear liquid.
Color	No data available.
Odor	No data available.
Odor threshold	No data available.
Melting point/freezing point	No data available.
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available.
Flammability	No data available.
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	No data available.
Flash point	No data available.
Explosive properties	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Oxidizing properties	No data available.
pH	14
Kinematic viscosity	No data available.
Solubility	Solubility in Water: Soluble.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	No data available.
Vapor pressure	No data available.
Evaporation rate	No data available.
Density and/or relative density	Specific Gravity: 1

## Safety Data Sheet

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Relative vapor density  
Particle characteristics

No data available.  
No data available.

#### Supplemental information regarding physical hazard classes

No data available.

#### Further safety characteristics (supplemental)

No data available.

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

#### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

#### Conditions to avoid

Exposure to air. Absorbs carbon dioxide

#### Incompatible materials

Acids, organic materials, chlorinated solvents, aluminium, phosphorus, tin and zinc.

#### Hazardous decomposition products

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### Information on toxicological effects

##### Acute toxicity

Acute Toxicity - Oral: Sodium Hydroxide: LD50 (rabbit): 500 mg/kg

Ingestion: May irritate gastric system if large quantities are ingested.

Inhalation: Not considered a hazard with normal laboratory use.

##### Skin corrosion/irritation

May irritate skin tissue of sensitive individuals with prolonged contact.

##### Serious eye damage/irritation

Causes irritation to eye tissue.

##### Respiratory or skin sensitization

Not classified based on available information.

##### Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

##### Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

**Reproductive toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

**Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

**Aspiration hazard**

Not classified based on available information.

**Additional information**

Chronic Effects: Product may cause defatting of the skin with irritation and dermatitis with prolonged skin contact.

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

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**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

**Disposal methods**

**Product disposal**

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers.

**Other disposal recommendations**

Do not discharge this material into waterways, drains and sewers.

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**SECTION 14: Transport information**

**ADG (Road and Rail)**

Not dangerous goods

**IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

**IATA**

Not dangerous goods

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

**Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question**

**Australia SUSMP**

Poison Schedule: S5

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**SECTION 16: Other information**

**Further information/disclaimer**

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National Road Transport Commission, 'Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail 7th. Ed.'

Safe Work Australia, 'National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals', July 2020.

Safe Work Australia, 'National Guide for Classifying Hazardous Chemicals', July 2020.

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IATA, Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR)

IMO, International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)