

Serious eye damage, category 1 - H318		Xi;R41
Alkoxylated alcohol		1-5%
CAS-No.:	EEC (EINECS) No.	
Classification (EC 1272/2008)		Classification (67/548/EEC)
Eye irritation, category 2 - H319		Xi;R36/38
Skin irritation, category 2 - H315		
SODIUM HYDROXIDE		1-5%
CAS-No.: 1310-73-2	EEC (EINECS) No. 215-185-5	
Classification (EC 1272/2008)		Classification (67/548/EEC)
Skin corrosion, categories 1A, 1B, 1C - H314		C;R35

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information

Inhalation	Move the exposed person to fresh air at once., Rinse nose and mouth with water., Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.
Ingestion	Remove victim immediately from source of exposure., DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING!, Rinse mouth thoroughly., Drink plenty of water., Get medical attention.
Skin contact	Remove affected person from source of contamination., Remove contaminated clothing., Rinse the skin immediately with lots of water., Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes., Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.
Eye contact	Hold eyelids apart., Important! Immediately rinse with water for at least 15 minutes., Get medical attention immediately. Continue to rinse.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation	May cause irritation to the respiratory system.
Ingestion	Liquid irritates mucous membranes and may cause abdominal pain if swallowed., Nausea, vomiting.
Skin contact	Irritating to skin., Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause severe irritation.
Eye contact	Risk of serious damage to eyes., Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat Symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media	This product is not flammable., Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials., Use:, Dry chemicals, sand, dolomite etc., Foam., Water spray.
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5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Unsuitable extinguishing media

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special Fire Fighting Procedures	Self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire. Use water to keep fire exposed containers cool and disperse vapours.
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SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For personal protection, see section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Any spillage needs to be contained and not allowed to enter water courses, Spillages or uncontrolled discharges into watercourses must be IMMEDIATELY alerted to the Environmental Agency or other appropriate regulatory body.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Wear necessary protective equipment., Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers., Flush with plenty of water to clean spillage area.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid spilling, skin and eye contact.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place., Keep in original container.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

See product label for detailed usage and instructions.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

Name	STD	TWA - 8 Hrs	STEL - 15 Min	Notes
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	WEL		2 mg/m3	

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limits

8.2. Exposure controls

Protective equipment



Engineering measures

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.

Hand protection

Use protective gloves made of: , Rubber (natural, latex).

Eye protection

Wear approved safety goggles.

Other Protection

General workwear only

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Clear, Liquid
Colour	Amber.
Odour	Perfume.
Relative density	1.021 - 1.031@ 20° C
pH-Value, Conc. Solution	>13.0

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid contact with other chemicals.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Do not mix or use with other products.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Fire or high temperatures create: , Toxic gases/vapours/fumes of: , Carbon dioxide (CO₂) , Carbon monoxide (CO).

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Toxicological information	No toxicological data is available for this mixture, however data can be provided for specific raw materials upon request.
Inhalation	May cause irritation to the respiratory system.
Ingestion	Liquid irritates mucous membranes and may cause abdominal pain if swallowed. , Nausea, vomiting.
Skin contact	Irritating to skin. , Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause severe irritation.
Eye contact	Risk of serious damage to eyes. , Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Degradability	The surfactants contained within the product comply with the biodegradability criteria as laid down in Regulation (EC) No 648/2004.
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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential The product does not contain any substances expected to be bioaccumulating.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: The product contains substances, which are water soluble and may spread in water systems.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product does not contain any PBT or PvB substances

12.6. Other adverse effects

None known

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1. UN number

UN No. (ADR/RID/ADN)	1760
UN No. (IMDG)	1760
UN No. (ICAO)	1760

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name: CORROSIVE LIQUID, NOS (Sodium hydroxide)

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID/ADN Class	8
ADR/RID/ADN Class	Class 8: Corrosive substances.
IMDG Class	8

Transport Labels



14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID/ADN Packing group	III
IMDG Packing group	III
ICAO Packing group	III

14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally Hazardous substance/Marine Pollutant No

14.6. Special precautions for user

Tunnel Restriction Code E

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

UK Regulatory References	The Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (S.I 2002 No. 2677) with amendments.
Environmental Listing	Rivers (Prevention of Pollution) Act 1961., Control of Pollution (Special Waste Regulations) Act 1980.
Statutory Instruments	The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (S.I 2009 No. 716)., Control of Substances Hazardous to Health.
Approved Code Of Practice	Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply.
Guidance Notes	Workplace Exposure Limits EH40., CHIP for everyone HSG(108). System of specific information relating to Dangerous Preparations. 2001/58/EC., Dangerous Preparations Directive 1999/45/EC., Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments., Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 with amendments.
EU Legislation	
National Regulations	The Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment Regulations 2007 (CDG 2007).

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

No chemical assessment has been carried out as this Safety Data Sheet is for a mixture

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

General information

The following risk phrases relate to the raw materials in the product and not the product itself:-

Revision Comments

Safety Data Sheet revised to be in accordance with EU Regulation No 453/2010 - REACH Regulations.

Revision Date	01/02/2013
Revision	11

Risk Phrases In Full R35 Causes severe burns. | R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes. | R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin. |

Hazard Statements In Full	H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
	H315	Causes skin irritation.
	H318	Causes serious eye damage.
	H319	Causes serious eye irritation.