

Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

22417-32 Alkali Solution

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1. Product identifier**

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1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**Use of the substance/mixture**

Water analysis

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number:

Poison Control Center Mainz: Tel: +49 (0) 6131 19240 - 24 hour emergency service -

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008**

Hazard categories:

Substance or mixture corrosive to metals: Met. Corr. 1

Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin Corr. 1A

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Eye Dam. 1

Hazard Statements:

May be corrosive to metals.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Causes serious eye damage.

2.2. Label elements**Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008****Hazard components for labelling**

sodium hydroxide; caustic soda

Signal word: Danger**Pictograms:**

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Hazard statements

- H290 May be corrosive to metals.
 H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements

- P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
 P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
 P234 Keep only in original packaging.
 P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
 P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.
 P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
 P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
 P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
 P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Additional advice on labelling

The product is classified as dangerous in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

2.3. Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients
3.2. Mixtures
Hazardous components

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]			
7732-18-5	Water			> 50 %
	231-791-2			
1310-73-2	sodium hydroxide; caustic soda			< 30 %
	215-185-5	011-002-00-6		
	Skin Corr. 1A; H314			
102-71-6	Triethanolamine			< 25 %
	203-049-8			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures
4.1. Description of first aid measures
General information

- Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.
 Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

After inhalation

- Move to fresh air.
 Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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After contact with skin

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

After contact with eyes

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

After ingestion

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting.
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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

Irritation and corrosion

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

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. The product itself does not burn.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire may liberate hazardous vapours. (Carbon dioxide (CO₂), nitrogen oxides (NO_x), Carbon oxides)

5.3. Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. In order to avoid contact with skin, keep a safety distance and wear suitable protective clothing.

Additional information

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste.

6.4. Reference to other sections

13. Disposal considerations

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Use only in well-ventilated areas. Do not breathe vapours/dust.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

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

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Laboratory chemicals

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limits (EH40)

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m ³	fibres/ml	Category	Origin
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	-	2		STEL (15 min)	WEL

Additional advice on limit values

None known.

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

Protective and hygiene measures

The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Wash hands before breaks and after work.

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields

Hand protection

Use barrier skin cream.

Chemical resistant gloves made of butyl rubber or nitrile rubber category III according to EN 374. In full contact:

Gloves material: Viton, Layer thickness: 0.70 mm, Breakthrough time: >480 min. In splash contact: Glove

material: nitrile rubber, Layer thickness 0,20 mm, Breakthrough time: > 30 min

Skin protection

Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

Respiratory protection

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:	liquid
Colour:	colourless
Odour:	ammoniacal
pH-Value (at 20 °C):	13

Changes in the physical state

Melting point:	not applicable
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	97 °C
Sublimation point:	not applicable
Softening point:	not applicable
Pour point:	not applicable
Flash point:	not applicable

Flammability

Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable

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Explosive properties

not applicable

Lower explosion limits:

not applicable

Upper explosion limits:

not applicable

Ignition temperature:

not applicable

Auto-ignition temperature

Solid:

not applicable

Gas:

not applicable

Decomposition temperature:

no data available

Oxidizing properties

not applicable

Vapour pressure:

no data available

Density (at 20 °C):

1,258 g/cm³

Bulk density:

not applicable

Water solubility:

completely soluble

(at 20 °C)

Solubility in other solvents

no data available

Partition coefficient:

no data available

Viscosity / dynamic:

no data available

Viscosity / kinematic:

no data available

Flow time:

no data available

Vapour density:

no data available

Evaporation rate:

0,36

(at 20 °C)

Solvent separation test:

no data available

Solvent content:

no data available

9.2. Other information

Solid content:

not applicable

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**10.1. Reactivity**

Reactivity Hazard: Oxidizing agents

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Acids, Oxidizing agents

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

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11.1. Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity

No data is available on the product itself.

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
102-71-6	Triethanolamine				
	oral	LD50 mg/kg	5530	rat	
	dermal	LD50 mg/kg	22500	rabbit	

Irritation and corrosivity

Causes skin and eye burns.

Sensitising effects

No known effect.

Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

Contains no ingredient listed as a carcinogen

STOT-single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

STOT-repeated exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

No aspiration toxicity classification

Specific effects in experiment on an animal

No data is available on the product itself.

Further information

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 12: Ecological information
12.1. Toxicity

May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

CAS No	Chemical name					
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose	[h] [d]	Species	Source	Method
1310-73-2	sodium hydroxide; caustic soda					
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 mg/l	45,4	96 h Onchorhynchus mykiss		
102-71-6	Triethanolamine					
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 1000 mg/l	450-	96 h		
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50	610 mg/l	48 h		

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No data is available on the product itself.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No data is available on the product itself.

12.4. Mobility in soil

no data available

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12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

12.6. Other adverse effects

No known effect.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Advice on disposal

In accordance with local and national regulations.

Waste disposal number of waste from residues/unused products

160506 WASTES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE LIST; gases in pressure containers and discarded chemicals; laboratory chemicals, consisting of or containing hazardous substances, including mixtures of laboratory chemicals; hazardous waste

Waste disposal number of used product

160506 WASTES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE LIST; gases in pressure containers and discarded chemicals; laboratory chemicals, consisting of or containing hazardous substances, including mixtures of laboratory chemicals; hazardous waste

SECTION 14: Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

<u>14.1. UN number:</u>	UN 1824
<u>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</u>	Sodium hydroxide solution
<u>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</u>	8
<u>14.4. Packing group:</u>	II

Inland waterways transport (ADN)

Other applicable information (inland waterways transport)

Not tested

Marine transport (IMDG)

<u>14.1. UN number:</u>	UN 1824
<u>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</u>	Sodium hydroxide solution
<u>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</u>	8
<u>14.4. Packing group:</u>	II
Marine pollutant:	--
EmS:	F-A,S_B

Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

<u>14.1. UN number:</u>	UN 1824
<u>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</u>	Sodium hydroxide solution
<u>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</u>	8
<u>14.4. Packing group:</u>	II

14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: no

14.6. Special precautions for user

no data available

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not relevant

Other applicable information

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Additional Information: This product may be shipped as part of a chemical kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods for analytical or testing purposes. This kit would have the following classification: Proper Shipping Name: Chemical Kit, Hazard Class: 9, UN Number 3316, Package group II, EMS Code: F-A, S-P
These transport data apply to the entire pack

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

National regulatory information

Water contaminating class (D): 1 - slightly water contaminating

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Changes

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Safety datasheet sections which have been updated: 2

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Safety datasheet sections which have been updated: 2, 11

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Safety datasheet sections which have been updated: 2, 4, 6, 7-12, 14, 15

Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Further Information

The information is based on present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurances of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights.

(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)