

Product Name	Sodium Hydroxide Solution
Part Number	RXSOL-40-1308-050

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Pure substance/mixture : Mixture

Chemical Name	Cas No	Concentration: (%)	Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2
30 - 60	Signal Word	Danger	Hazard Statements	May be corrosive to metals. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Precautionary statements	Prevention:	Keep only in original container. Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Do not breathe dusts or mists.	Response:	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
Storage:	Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner. Store locked up.	Disposal:	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.	
Other hazards	None known.			

In case of eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately.

In case of skin contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Use a mild soap if available. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

If swallowed Contact the Poison's Information Centre (eg Australia 13 1126; New Zealand 0800 764 766). Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

If inhaled Remove to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Protection of first-aiders In event of emergency assess the danger before taking action. Do not put yourself at risk of injury. If in doubt, contact emergency responders. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Notes to physician Treat symptomatically. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

Suitable extinguishing media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known. Special hazards during firefighting Not flammable or combustible.

Hazardous combustion products Decomposition products may include the following materials: None known Special Protective Equipment Use personal protective equipment.

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

Hazchem Code 2R

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only. Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

Environmental Precaution Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). Flush away traces with water. For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway.

Advice on safe handling Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Use only with adequate ventilation.

Conditions for safe storage Do not store near acids. Keep out of reach of children. Keep container tightly closed. Store in suitable labelled containers.

Suitable material The following compatibility data is suggested based on similar product data and/or industry experience: Stainless Steel 304, Stainless Steel 316L, HDPE (high density polyethylene), MDPE, EPDM, Neoprene, Nitrile, Perfluoroelastomer, PTFE, TFE, FEP (encapsulated), Fluoroelastomer

Unsuitable material The following compatibility data is suggested based on similar product data and/or industry experience: Carbon steel

Components with workplace control parameters

Exposure guidelines have not been established for this product. Available exposure limits for the substance(s) are shown below.

Components	CAS-No.	Form of exposure	Permissible concentration	Basis
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	Peak limit	2 mg/m3	AU OEL
2 mg/m3	NZ OEL	Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	Ceiling
mg/m3	NIOSH REL	TWA	2 mg/m3	OSHA Z1
Engineering measures : Effective exhaust ventilation system. Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure standards.				
Personal protective equipment				
Eye protection				
Safety goggles	Face-shield	Hand protection	Wear the following personal protective equipment:	
Butyl rubber	Nitrile	Neoprene	Fluoroelastomer	Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.
Skin protection				
Personal protective equipment comprising: suitable protective gloves, safety goggles and protective clothing				
Respiratory protection				
Refer to AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716 for selection, use and maintenance of respiratory protective equipment as applicable. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.				
Inorganic gas/vapour type				
Hygiene measures				
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body in case of contact or splash hazard.				
The Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) recommendations provided above have been made in good faith based on typical expected conditions of use. PPE selection should always be completed in conjunction with a proper risk assessment and in accordance with a PPE management program.				

Appearance	Liquid	Colour	Colorless	Odour	None	Odor Threshold	No data available	
pH	No data available	Melting point/freezing point		Freezing Point: 8 °C		Initial boiling point and boiling range		143 °C,
Method: ASTM D 86	Flash Point	Not applicable		Evaporation Rate		No data available		Flammability (solid, gas)
No data available	Upper/lower explosive limits			No data available		Autoignition temperature		No data available
Vapour pressure	1.5 mm Hg, (20 °C), ASTM D 323,					Relative vapour density		No data available
Viscosity	No data available		Density	12.47 lb/gal		Relative Density		1.48 - 1.54, (25 °C), ASTM D-1298
Water solubility	Completely soluble		Solubility in other solvents		No data available		Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	
No data available	Thermal decomposition		No data available		Viscosity, dynamic		100 mPa.s (20 °C), Method: ASTM	
D-2983	Viscosity, kinematic		40 mm2/s (20 °C)		Molecular weight		No data available	
						VOC	0 %, 0 g/l	

Reactivity	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.		Chemical stability	Stable under
normal conditions.	Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.		Conditions
to avoid	None known.	Incompatible materials		Hazardous
decomposition products	In case of fire, hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as: None known			

Information on likely routes of exposure Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

Potential Health Effects

Eyes	Causes serious eye damage.		Skin	Causes severe skin burns.		Ingestion	Causes digestive
tract burns.	Inhalation	May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation.		Chronic Exposure		Health injuries are not known or	
expected under normal use.							

Experience with human exposure

Eyes contact	Redness, Pain, Corrosion		Skin contact	Redness, Pain, Corrosion		Ingestion
Corrosion, Abdominal pain	Inhalation	Respiratory irritation, Cough		Toxicity	Product	Acute oral toxicity
No data available	Acute inhalation toxicity		No data available		Acute dermal toxicity	No data available
Skin corrosion/irritation	No data available		Serious eye damage/eye irritation		No data available	Respiratory or
skin sensitization	No data available		Carcinogenicity	No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to		
0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.				Reproductive effects		No reproductive toxic effects
expected.	Germ cell mutagenicity		Contains no ingredient listed as a mutagen		Teratogenicity	No data available
STOT - single exposure	No Data Available		STOT - repeated exposure		No data available	Aspiration toxicity
No aspiration toxicity classification						

Human Hazard Characterization

Based on our hazard characterization, the potential human hazard is: High

Toxicity

Environmental Effects This product has no known ecotoxicological effects.

Product

Toxicity to fish	LC50 Fathead Minnow: > 10,000 mg/l	Exposure time: 48 hrs	Test substance: Product
LC50 Fathead Minnow: > 10,000 mg/l	Exposure time: 96 hrs	Test substance: Product	NOEC Fathead Minnow: 10,000 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 hrs	Test substance: Product	Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	LC50
Ceriodaphnia dubia: 2,332 mg/l	Exposure time: 48 hrs	Test substance: Product	NOEC Ceriodaphnia dubia: 1,296 mg/l
Exposure time: 48 hrs	Test substance: Product	Toxicity to algae	No data available

Persistence and degradability

Greater than 95% of this product consists of inorganic substances for which a biodegradation value is not applicable.

Mobility The environmental fate was estimated using a level III fugacity model embedded in the EPI (estimation program interface) Suite TM, provided by the US EPA. The model assumes a steady state condition between the total input and output. The level III model does not require equilibrium between the defined media. The information provided is intended to give the user a general estimate of the environmental fate of this product under the defined conditions of the models. If released into the environment this material is expected to distribute to the air, water and soil/sediment in the approximate respective percentages; Air : Water : 30 - 50% Soil : 50 - 70% The portion in water is expected to be soluble or dispersible. Bioaccumulative potential This preparation or material is not expected to bioaccumulate. Other information No data available ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD AND EXPOSURE CHARACTERIZATION Based on our hazard characterization, the potential environmental hazard is: Low

Disposal methods Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility. Disposal considerations Dispose of as unused product. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Do not re-use empty containers.

The shipper/consignor/sender is responsible to ensure that the packaging, labeling, and markings are in compliance with the selected mode of transport.

Land transport	Proper shipping name	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	UN/ID No.	UN 1824
Transport hazard class(es)	8	Packaging group	II	Hazchem Code 2R

Air transport (IATA)

Proper shipping name	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	UN/ID No.	UN 1824	Technical name(s)
Transport hazard class(es)	8	Packaging group	II	

Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

Proper shipping name	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	UN/ID No.	UN 1824	Technical name(s)
Transport hazard class(es)	8	Packaging group	II	

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons Schedule 6.

INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL CONTROL LAWS :

United States TSCA Inventory	On or in compliance with the active portion of the TSCA inventory	Australia. Australian Industrial
Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	All substances in this product comply with the Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme	
(AICIS)	Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)	The substance(s) in this preparation are included in or exempted from the Domestic
Substance List (DSL).	Japan. ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory	All substances in this product comply with the
	Law Regulating the Manufacture and Importation Of Chemical Substances and are listed on the Existing and New Chemical Substances list (ENCS).	
Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI)	All substances in this product comply with the Chemical Control Act (CCA) and are	
listed on the Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	All substances in this
	product comply with the Republic Act 6969 (RA 6969) and are listed on the Philippines Inventory of Chemicals & Chemical Substances (PICCS).	
China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances	All substances in this product comply with the Provisions on the Environmental	
Administration of New Chemical Substances and are listed on or exempt from the Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances China (IECSC).		
New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA New Zealand	All substances in this product comply with the Hazardous	
Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act 1996, and are listed on or are exempt from the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.		Taiwan
Chemical Substance Inventory	All substances in this product comply with the Taiwan Existing Chemical Substances Inventory (EC SI).	

Other Information

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