



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Product name CHEMBRITE, Heavy Duty Alkaline Cleaner

Other means of identification

Product code 118461

UN/ID No. 1823

Synonyms NONE

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Cleaning agent.

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer Address

Rochester Midland Corporation
155 Paragon Drive
Rochester, New York 14624 USA

Importer

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

This chemical is considered hazardous by the WHMIS 2015 Hazardous Products Regulation.

Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Corrosive to metals	Category 1

Label elements

Emergency Overview

DANGER

Hazard statements

Harmful in contact with skin
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
May be corrosive to metals

**Appearance** Yellow Powder**Physical state** Powder**Odor** Odorless**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Keep only in original container

Precautionary Statements - Response

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. Continue rinsing

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

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 SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up

Store in corrosive resistant container

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

No information available

Other Information

• Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

• Harmful to aquatic life.

Unknown Acute Toxicity 1.03% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	CAS No.	%	TRADE SECRET
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	80 - 90	*
Sodium Carbonate	497-19-8	10 - 20	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES**First aid measures****General advice**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Eye contact	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
Skin contact	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
Inhalation	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.
Ingestion	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Water fog, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical. Product will not burn.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact NONE.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge NONE.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Wear adequate personal protective equipment, see Section 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Reclaim as much as possible. Shovel or sweep up residue and place in suitable containers.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling CORROSIVE. Avoid generating or breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Store away from acids. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Incompatible materials Acids.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	(vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³ TWA: 2 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

ENGINEERING CONTROLS Showers. Eyewash stations. Ventilation systems. Corrosion resistant equipment recommended.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Goggles and face shield are recommended to minimize eye contact.

Skin and body protection Nitrile, neoprene, or other appropriate gloves are recommended to minimize hand skin contact. Appropriate protective clothing as needed to prevent skin contact. It is the responsibility of the end user of this product to determine level of PPE required that is consistent with safe use of this product.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Powder	Odor	Odorless
Appearance	Yellow Powder	Odor threshold	No information available
Color	Yellow		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	13	(4% sol.)
Melting point/freezing point	No information available	
Boiling point / boiling range	No information available	
Flash point	No information available	
Evaporation rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor density	No information available	
Specific gravity	No information available	
Water solubility	No information available	

Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available
Dynamic viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

Other Information

Softening point	No information available
VOC (EPA METH.24) (G/L):	No information available
Density	No information available
Bulk density	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY

No data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials

Acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Oxides of Carbon. Oxides of Phosphorus.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Inhalation	Causes burns.
Eye contact	Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.
Skin contact	Harmful in contact with skin. Causes burns.
Ingestion	Causes burns.

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	= 1350 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Sodium Carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 2300 mg/m ³ (Rat) 2 h

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization	No information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No information available.
Carcinogenicity	No information available.
Reproductive Toxicity	No information available.
STOT - single exposure	No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available.
Aspiration hazard	No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity	1.03% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity
The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .	
ATEmix (oral)	23965 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal)	1604 mg/kg

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity**

Harmful to aquatic life. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

6.03% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	45.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static	-
Sodium Carbonate 497-19-8	-	300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 310 - 1220: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static	265: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

Persistence and degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

<u>Other adverse effects</u>	No information available
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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Waste treatment methods**

Disposal of wastes	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Do not reuse container.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION**

UN/ID No.	1823
Proper shipping name	SODIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID, MIXTURE
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	II
Description	1 Kilogram (2.2 Pounds) and Less may be Classed as LTD. QTY.

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Does not Comply
ENCS	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances
ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

US Federal Regulations**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD	YES
CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD	No
FIRE HAZARD	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
REACTIVE HAZARD	YES

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	Hazardous Substances RQs (in LBS)	U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances TPQs
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000	

US State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	NJRTK:	MARTK:	PARTK:
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	1706	Listed	Listed

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION**NFPA**

Health hazards 3

Flammability 0

Instability 1

Physical and Chemical Properties CORR

HMIS

Health hazards 3

Flammability 0

Physical hazards 1

Personal protection D

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Revision Note

Revised the transportation classification in Section 14.

Disclaimer

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