Scientific Laboratory Supplies - Safety Data Sheet

(in accordance with regulation (EU) 2015/830 and regulation (EC) 1272/2008)

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Section 1. Identification

1.1 Product Identifier CHE3372

Product Name SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1.0M (N/1) 2.5L.

CAS Number 1310-73-2

REACH Registration No A registration number is not available as the substance or its uses are exempt, the

annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a

later date.

Molecular Formula

1.2 Relevent identified uses of the substance or mixure & uses advised against

Uses of Material Chemical for industrial and laboratory use. Not suitable for domestic use.

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Section 2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Skin corrosion/irritation, category 1B H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Signal word Danger

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary Statements

Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. 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 IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do and continue rinsing.

Section 3. Composition

3.1 Substances

Component	CAS No.	EEC No.	REACH No.	Conc w/w	CLP Classification (1272/2008/CE)
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	215-185-5	01-2119457892-27-XXXX	4%	Skin Corr. 1A

Section 4. First Aid

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. OBTAIN MEDICAL Eyes

ATTENTION URGENTLY.

Skin Wash off skin thoroughly with water. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash before re-use. If

irritation persists or there is any sign of skin damage, seek IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Inhalation Remove from exposure.

If conscious give plenty of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION Ingestion

URGENTLY.

Personal protection for first Wear protective gloves / eye protection.

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

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

Section 5. Fire Fighting

5.1 Extinguishing media

Extinguishing Media Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly.

Unsuitable Media Nothing specified.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards Presents no specific fire danger.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Advice for firefighters Consider all other materials in the vicinity.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Protection Use approved personal protective equipment. Evacuate area immediately. Do not allow other people to enter area.

Do not allow general use of area until it is safe to do so.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Enviromental Keep non-neutralised material out of sewers, storm drains, surface waters and soil. Notify the Environmental

Agency and local Environmental Health Officer if major spillage occurs.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Major Spillage Contain spill with inert material. Neutralise with 5M hydrochloric acid. Wash area down with copious amounts of

Minor Spillage Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 8.2 for information on protective equipment and section 13 for information on disposal.

Section 7. Storage & Handling

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath vapours. Do not allow to contaminate clothing.

Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains vapour concentrations below the recommended limits.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a dry place protected against moisture and water. Keep well separated from acids, metals, explosives, organic peroxides and ignitable materials.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2.

Section 8. Workplace Exposure & Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

Component	CAS No	Concentration	Workplace Exposure Limits				
			Long Ter	rm (8hr TWA)	Short Term 15min period)		
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	4%	-	-	-	2.0 mg/m-3	

Exposure data source(s) IOELV: Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit Value.

8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory Protection In cases where a spray or mist may be formed, use L.E.V. or natural ventilation to maintain vapour concentrations

below exposure limits. If not, use a well maintained chemical cartridge respirator, or use self contained breathing

apparatus.

Hand Protection Use nitrile gloves or PVC gauntlets.

Skin Protection If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.

Special Hazards No special precautions required.

Section 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Clear colourless liquid.

Odour Odourless. pН 14 @ 20°C **Boiling Point** Aqueous solution Melting Point Not applicable Flash Point Not applicable Upper Flammable Limit Not applicable Not applicable Lower Flammable Limit Auto Ignition Not applicable

Explosive Properties No. Oxidising Properties No.

Vapour Pressure Not applicable Relative Density 1.0410

Water Solubility Completely soluble in water.

9.2 Other information

No data available.

Section 10. Stability & Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No data available.

10.2 Chemical Stability Stable under normal conditions

10.3 Possibility of hazardous No data available.

reactions

10.4 Conditions to Avoid No specific conditions.

10.5 Incompatable Materials Acids. Reacts with aluminium and zinc to produce extremely flammable hydrogen gas.

0.6 Hazardous Decomposition None unusual.

Products

Section 11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Eyes The liquid will cause burns. Damage can range from severe irritation and corneal scarring to permanent blindness.

Skin Contact with the liquid will not lead to immediate pain but damage begins at once. Severe ulceration and scarring

may occur in serious cases.

LD50 Skin Not available

Ingestion Ingestion will cause severe mouth burns, and if swallowed extensive damage to the oesophagus.

LD50 Oral >5000mg/kg Acute toxicity estimate

Inhalation Presents no significant health hazard by inhalation.

LD50 Inhalation Not available TCLo Not available

Carcinogenicity Not considered to be a carcinogen.

Mutagenicity Not considered to be a mutagen.

Reproductive Effects None identified.

Section 12. Ecological

12.1 Toxicity Small amounts present no specific environmental hazard. Neutralised material presents no specific environmental

hazard.

LC50 Algal Not available
LC50 Crustacea Not available
LC50 Fish Not available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No data available.12.4 Mobility in soil No data available.

12.5 Results of PBT & vPvB

assessment

Assessment not required.

12.6 Other adverse effects None known at present.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Disposal Methods Do not dispose of as domestic waste.

Contaminated Packaging Clean out with a weak hydrochloric acid solution then wash out thoroughly with water.

Section 14. Transport Information

14.1 UN Number 1824

14.2 Proper Shipping Name Sodium hydroxide solution

14.3 Transport classes

UN classification 8
Subsidiary hazard(s) None
Transport category 3
ADR Hazard ID 80
Tunnel Restriction Code E

14.4 Packing Group III



14.5 Environment hazards See section 12.

14.6 Special precautions for No special precautions required.

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14.7 Transport in bulk Not transported in bulk.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

$15.1\ Safety, health\ and\ environment\ regulations\ specific\ for\ subtance/mixture.$

Classification, Labeling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE)

Classification Skin corrosion/irritation, category 1B

Signal word Danger

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Hazard Statements (Packs

of 100ml/g or less)

H314

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Precautionary Statements P280, P264, P363, P301+P330+P331, P303+P361+P353, P305+P351+P338

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Precautionary Statements (Packs of 100ml/g or less)

P280, P264

Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection. Wash thoroughly after handling.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Assessment not required.

Section 16. Other Information

The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment. See sections 11 for toxicological information and section 12 for ecological information.

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