# 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 CHE3380

Product Name SODIUM HYDROXIDE 0.1M (N/10) 10L.

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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## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Section 2. Hazards Identification

#### Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Not classified as hazardous.

#### 2.2 Label elements

# Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC

Not classified as hazardous.

## **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	0.4%	Skin Corr. 1A

# Section 4. First Aid

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

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

ATTENTION.

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.

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

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.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental 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

water.

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 Term	Long Term (8hr TWA)		Short Term 15min period)		
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	0.4%	-	-	<u>-</u>	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. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Selected gloves have to satisfty the

specifications of EU directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Use tightly fitting chemical splash proof glasses or goggles. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved appropriate government standards such as EN 166(EU). **Eye Protection** 

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

Clear colourless liquid. Appearance

Odour Odourless. pН 14 @ 20°C **Boiling Point** Aqueous solution Melting Point Not applicable Flash Point Not applicable Upper Flammable Limit Not applicable Lower Flammable Limit Not applicable Auto Ignition Not applicable **Explosive Properties** No.

Oxidising Properties No.

Not applicable Vapour Pressure 1.0032 Relative Density

Water Solubility Completely soluble in water.

#### 9.2 Other information

No data available.

# Section 10. Stability & Reactivity

No data available. 10.1 Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions 10.2 Chemical Stability

**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.

10.6 Hazardous Decomposition None unusual.

**Products** 

## **Section 11. Toxicological Information**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Eyes The liquid may be irritating to the eyes but unlikely to cause serious injury.

The liquid may be irritating to the skin. Skin

LD50 Skin Not available

Ingestion Ingestion of large amounts may cause nausea, abdominal discomfort, vomiting and diarrhoea.

LD50 Oral Not available

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.

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 Dilute in a large excess of water and carefully neutralise with an acid, then wash to drain with copious amounts of

Contaminated Packaging Wash out containers with water. Use a licensed waste disposer.

## **Section 14. Transport Information**

14.1 UN Number Non-restricted 14.2 Proper Shipping Name Non-restricted

14.3 Transport classes

UN classification None Subsidiary hazard(s) None Transport category None ADR Hazard ID

Non-restricted Non-restricted **Tunnel Restriction Code** 

14.4 Packing Group None

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.

Not classified as hazardous under Classification, Labelling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE).

## 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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