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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# 1. Identification

Product identifier: SODIUM HYDROXIDE, 0.01 to 0.1

Other means of identification Product No.: 5653, 5663, 5664

Recommended use and restriction on use

**Recommended use:** Not available. **Restrictions on use:** Not known.

## Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Manufacturer

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Center Valley, PA 18034

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Customer Service: 855-282-6867

Fax:

Contact Person: Environmental Health & Safety E-mail: info@avantormaterials.com

#### **Emergency telephone number:**

24 Hour Emergency: 908-859-2151

Chemtrec: 800-424-9300

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

**Hazard Classification** 

Not classified

**Label Elements** 

Hazard Symbol: No symbol

Signal Word: No signal word.

Hazard Statement: not applicable

Precautionary Statement

Other hazards which do not result in GHS classification:

None.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Mixtures**

Chemical Identity	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	Content in percent (%)*
SODIUM HYDROXIDE		1310-73-2	0.0 - 0.4%

<sup>\*</sup> All concentrations are percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.



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**Composition Comments:** No hazardous ingredients.

4. First-aid measures

General information: Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. Show this safety data sheet

to the doctor in attendance. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Ingestion: Rinse mouth thoroughly. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if

you feel unwell.

**Inhalation:** Move to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

**Skin Contact:** Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation

persists after washing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Eye contact:** Flush thoroughly with water. If irritation occurs, get medical assistance.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

**Symptoms:** May cause irritation to skin, eyes, and respiratory tract.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Treatment:** Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

5. Fire-fighting measures

**General Fire Hazards:** Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. Use water

spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. Cool containers exposed to

flames with water until well after the fire is out.

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing

media:

Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media:

None.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical:

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Special fire fighting

procedures:

The product is non-combustible.

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters:

Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in

enclosed spaces, SCBA.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Keep unauthorized personnel away. Use personal protective equipment.

See Section 8 of the SDS for Personal Protective Equipment.



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Methods and material for containment and cleaning

up:

Absorb spill with vermiculite or other inert material, then place in a container for chemical waste. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual

contamination.

**Notification Procedures:** Inform authorities if large amounts are involved. Prevent runoff from

entering drains, sewers, or streams.

**Environmental Precautions:** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into

drains, water courses or onto the ground.

# 7. Handling and storage

**Precautions for safe handling:** Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with eyes,

skin, and clothing. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Wash hands thoroughly

after handling.

Conditions for safe storage,

including any incompatibilities:

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a well-

ventilated place.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Control Parameters**

**Occupational Exposure Limits** 

Chemical Identity	type	Exposure Limit Values	Source
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	Ceiling	2 mg/m3	US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (2011)
	Ceil Time	2 mg/m3	US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical
	Con_Time		Hazards (2010)
	PEL	2 mg/m3	US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air
			Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000) (02 2006)
	Ceiling	2 mg/m3	US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000)
	- Coming		(1989)

# **Appropriate Engineering**

Controls

No data available.

# Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**General information:** Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used.

Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an

acceptable level.

**Eye/face protection:** Use eye protection.

**Skin Protection** 

**Hand Protection:** Wear protective gloves.

**Other:** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory Protection:** In case of inadequate ventilation use suitable respirator.

Hygiene measures: No data available.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties



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**Appearance** 

Physical state: liquid
Form: liquid
Color: Colorless
Odor: Odorless

Odor threshold: No data available.

**pH:** 12 - 13

Melting point/freezing point:

Initial boiling point and boiling range:

Flash Point:

Evaporation rate:

Flammability (solid, gas):

Approximate 0 °C

Approximate 100 °C

not applicable

No data available.

Upper/lower limit on flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - upper (%):

Flammability limit - lower (%):

Explosive limit - upper (%):

No data available.

No data available.

No data available.

No data available.

Vapor pressure: As water

**Vapor density:**No data available. **Relative density:**1.02 (20 °C)

Solubility(ies)

Solubility in water:
Solubility (other):

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):

Auto-ignition temperature:

Decomposition temperature:

Viscosity:

Completely Soluble

No data available.

No data available.

No data available.

No data available.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity:** No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**Chemical Stability:** Material is stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous** 

Reactions:

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Acids.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

Zardous Decor Products: None known.

## 11. Toxicological information

# Information on likely routes of exposure

**Ingestion:** May cause irritation of the gastrointestinal tract.

**Inhalation:** Spray mists may cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Skin Contact:** May cause irritation.

**Eye contact:** May cause temporary eye irritation.



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#### Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (list all possible routes of exposure)

Oral

**Product:** No data available.

**Dermal** 

**Product:** 

No data available.

Inhalation

**Product:** No data available.

Repeated dose toxicity

**Product:** No data available.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

**Product:** May cause skin irritation.

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation

**Product:** May irritate eyes.

**Respiratory or Skin Sensitization** 

**Product:** Not a skin sensitizer.

Carcinogenicity

**Product:** This substance has no evidence of carcinogenic properties. This substance

has no evidence of carcinogenic properties.

IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risks to Humans:

No carcinogenic components identified

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens:

No carcinogenic components identified

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050):

No carcinogenic components identified

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity** 

In vitro

**Product:** No mutagenic components identified

In vivo

**Product:** No mutagenic components identified

Reproductive toxicity

**Product:** No components toxic to reproduction No components toxic to reproduction

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure

Product: None known.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure** 

**Product:** None known.

**Aspiration Hazard** 

Product: Not classified Not classified

Other effects: None known. None known.



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## 12. Ecological information

## **Ecotoxicity:**

#### Acute hazards to the aquatic environment:

**Fish** 

**Product:** No data available.

Specified substance(s):

SODIUM HYDROXIDE LC 50 (Western mosquitofish (Gambusia affinis), 96 h): 125 mg/l Mortality

**Aquatic Invertebrates** 

**Product:** No data available.

Specified substance(s):

SODIUM HYDROXIDE EC 50 (Water flea (Ceriodaphnia dubia), 48 h): 34.59 - 47.13 mg/l

Intoxication

## Chronic hazards to the aquatic environment:

Fish

**Product:** No data available.

**Aquatic Invertebrates** 

**Product:** No data available.

**Toxicity to Aquatic Plants** 

**Product:** No data available.

#### **Persistence and Degradability**

**Biodegradation** 

**Product:** There are no data on the degradability of this product.

**BOD/COD Ratio** 

**Product:** No data available.

**Bioaccumulative Potential** 

**Bioconcentration Factor (BCF)** 

**Product:** No data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition Coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)
Product:
No data available.

**Mobility in Soil:** The product is water soluble and may spread in water systems.

Other Adverse Effects: The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous.

However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills

can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

#### 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions:** Discharge, treatment, or disposal may be subject to national, state, or local

laws.

**Contaminated Packaging:** Since emptied containers retain product residue, follow label warnings even

after container is emptied.



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# 14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated.

IMDG

Not regulated.

IATA

Not regulated.

## 15. Regulatory information

#### **US Federal Regulations**

# TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D) US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

# CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4):

Chemical Identity Reportable quantity

SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1000 lbs.

# Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

## **Hazard categories**

Not listed.

#### **SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance**

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

## **SARA 304 Emergency Release Notification**

Chemical Identity Reportable quantity

SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1000 lbs.

# SARA 311/312 Hazardous Chemical

Chemical Identity Threshold Planning Quantity

SODIUM HYDROXIDE 10000 lbs

## SARA 313 (TRI Reporting)

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

#### Clean Water Act Section 311 Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 117.3)

<u>Chemical Identity</u> <u>Reportable quantity</u>

SODIUM HYDROXIDE Reportable quantity: 1000 lbs.

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130):

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

# **US State Regulations**

## **US. California Proposition 65**

No ingredient regulated by CA Prop 65 present.

# US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

No ingredient regulated by NJ Right-to-Know Law present.

# **US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

No ingredient regulated by MA Right-to-Know Law present.



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#### US. Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances

No ingredient regulated by PA Right-to-Know Law present.

#### **US. Rhode Island RTK**

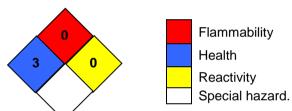
No ingredient regulated by RI Right-to-Know Law present.

# **Inventory Status:**

Australia AICS: On or in compliance with the inventory Canada DSL Inventory List: On or in compliance with the inventory EINECS, ELINCS or NLP: On or in compliance with the inventory Japan (ENCS) List: On or in compliance with the inventory China Inv. Existing Chemical Substances: Not in compliance with the inventory. Korea Existing Chemicals Inv. (KECI): On or in compliance with the inventory Canada NDSL Inventory: Not in compliance with the inventory. Philippines PICCS: On or in compliance with the inventory US TSCA Inventory: On or in compliance with the inventory New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals: On or in compliance with the inventory Japan ISHL Listing: Not in compliance with the inventory. Japan Pharmacopoeia Listing: Not in compliance with the inventory.

# 16.Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

#### **NFPA Hazard ID**



Hazard rating: 0 - Minimal; 1 - Slight; Moderate; 3 - Serious; 4 - Severe; RNP - Rating not possible

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Further Information: No data available.



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