

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1:
IDENTIFICATION

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SECTION 2:
INGREDIENTS

<u>MATERIAL</u>	<u>CAS NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
MONOETHANOLAMINE	141-43-5	5-10
SODIUM SILICATE	1344-09-8	5-10
POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE	1310-58-3	1-5
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	1310-73-2	1-5

SECTION 3:
HEALTH HAZARDS

Ingestion:	MAY BE TOXIC IN CONCENTRATED FORM. DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY. DUE TO ALKALINE NATURE, MAY CAUSE SEVERE IRRITATION, POSSIBLE CHEMICAL BURNS.
Inhalation:	NOT A LIKELY ROUTE OF EXPOSURE. UNLIKELY HIGH VAPOR OR MIST CONCENTRATIONS MAY IRRITATE MUCOUS MEMBRANES.
Skin Contact:	PROLONGED CONTACT MAY CAUSE IRRITATION.
Eye Contact:	MAY CAUSE SEVERE IRRITATION, EYE DAMAGE, BLINDNESS.
Other Information:	OTHER THAN ACUTE EFFECTS LISTED ABOVE, NO LONG TERM EFFECTS KNOWN.

SECTION 4:
FIRST AID

Ingestion:	DRINK SEVERAL GLASSES OF WATER TO DILUTE. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING UNLESS DIRECTED TO DO SO BY MEDICAL PERSONNEL. NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Inhalation:	REMOVE VICTIM TO FRESH AIR. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IF SYMPTOMS PERSIST
Skin Contact:	WASH WITH PLAIN WATER OR SOAP AND WATER.
Eye Contact:	IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH CLEAR WATER FOR 15 MINUTES AND GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IF IRRITATION PERSISTS.
Notes to Physician:	THIS PRODUCT IS MILDLY ALKALINE. TREAT SYMPTOMS WITH SUPPORTIVE MEASURES.

SECTION 5:
FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point/Method:	NONE
Lower Limit in Air:	N.A.
Upper Limit in Air:	N.A.
Extinguishing Media:	WATER OR ANY MEDIA SUITABLE FOR THE SURROUNDING FIRE.
Procedures:	FIREFIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR NORMAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS SHOULD BE USED IN CONFINED AREAS.
Unusual Hazards:	NONE
Combustion Products:	IF WATER IS EVAPORATED, OXIDES OF CARBON AND NITROGEN MAY BE PRODUCED.

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SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:	WEAR PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 8. THIS PRODUCT HAS A VERY LOW HAZARD POTENTIAL IF RELEASED INTO THE ENVIRONMENT ACCIDENTLY.
Environmental Precautions:	
Procedures for Clean Up:	
Prohibited Materials:	

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:	THIS PRODUCT HAS A LOW HAZARD POTENTIAL BUT NORMAL INDUSTRIAL HANDLING PRECAUTIONS SHOULD BE OBSERVED. AVOID BREATHING MISTS. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES.
Storage:	

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Precautionary Measures:	STANDARD INDUSTRIAL HANDLING PRECAUTIONS. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING CHEMICALS. USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION TO KEEP EXPOSURES BELOW OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS. MONOETHANOLAMINE: ACGIH – 3 ppm (TWA), 6 ppm (STEL); OSHA – 3 ppm (TWA). POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE: OSHA PEL - 2 mg/m3 (Ceiling); ACGIH TLV - 2 mg/m3 (Ceiling). SODIUM HYDROXIDE: OSHA PEL - 2 mg/m3 (Ceiling); ACGIH TLV - 2 mg/m3 (Ceiling). SAFETY GLASSES WITH SIDE SHIELDS AND IMPERMEABLE GLOVES SHOULD BE WORN WHEN HANDLING THE CONCENTRATED PRODUCT. EYEWASH STATION IN AREA OF USE.
Engineering Controls:	
Control Limits:	
Equipment for Personal Protection:	

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	BROWN LIQUID
Odor:	
pH (undiluted):	
pH (3% in DI water):	
Specific Gravity:	
Density:	
Solubility in Water:	
Boiling Point:	
Percent Volatile:	
Vapor Pressure (mmHg):	
Vapor Density:	
Evaporation Rate:	

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:	STABLE NONE STABLE NONE MAY REACT WITH STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS OR ACIDS. IF WATER EVAPORATED, OXIDES OF CARBON & NITROGEN COULD BE PRODUCED BY COMBUSTION.
Conditions to Avoid:	
Hazardous Polymerization:	
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Incompatibility:	
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	

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SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Materials and Tests:	NO TOXICITY STUDIES HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED ON THIS PRODUCT.
Carcinogenicity:	NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT IS LISTED AS A CARCINOGEN BY IARC, NTP, OR ACGIH.
Sensitization:	NOT A SENSITIZER.
Mutagenicity:	NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT IS CLASSIFIED AS A MUTAGEN.
Teratogenicity:	NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT IS CLASSIFIED AS A TERATOGEN.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:	NO TOXICITY TESTING HAS BEEN PERFORMED ON THIS PRODUCT.
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SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General Considerations:	THIS PRODUCT HAS A LOW HAZARD PROFILE AND WOULD NOT NORMALLY BE CONSIDERED A HAZARDOUS WASTE.
Procedures:	DISPOSAL BY USE PREFERRED BUT IF THIS NOT POSSIBLE, DILUTE WITH COPIOUS QUANTITIES OF WATER AND FLUSH TO WASTE, PREFERABLY TO A SANITARY SEWER. HOWEVER, OBEY ALL FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL REGULATIONS.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping Name:	NOT REGULATED.
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SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

<u>Regulation</u>	<u>Material</u>	<u>RQ</u>	<u>Max. %</u>
CERCLA (40 CFR302.4):	POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE	1000 lbs.	5
	SODIUM HYDROXIDE	1000 lbs	5
SARA 302 (Sect. 355, Appendix A):	<u>Material</u>	<u>TPQ</u>	<u>Max. %</u>
	NONE		
SARA 311/312:	<u>Categories</u>		<u>Hazards</u>
	IMMEDIATE HEALTH		EYE IRRITANT
SARA 313 (40 CFR 372.45):	<u>Material</u>		<u>Max. %</u>
	NONE		
CWA (40 CFR 401.15):	NONE		
RCRA (40 CFR 261):	NONE		
	Notes:	THIS PRODUCT NOT A HAZARDOUS WASTE PER RCRA REGULATIONS.	
OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200):	ALL COMPONENTS LISTED UNDER THIS STANDARD ARE SHOWN IN SECTION 2 OF THIS MSDS.		
WHMIS (Canada):	CLASS D-2B: MATERIAL CAUSING OTHER TOXIC EFFECTS (TOXIC). THIS PRODUCT HAS BEEN CLASSIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HAZARD CRITERIA OF THE CONTROLLED PRODUCTS REGULATIONS AND THE MSDS CONTAINS ALL THE INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE CONTROLLED PRODUCTS REGULATIONS.		
Inventories:	ALL INGREDIENTS IN THIS PRODUCT ARE LISTED IN TSCA AND DSL (CANADA) INVENTORIES.		

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SPECIAL STATE REGULATIONS

<u>STATE</u>	<u>INGREDIENT</u>	<u>REGULATORY DESIGNATION</u>
CA, MN, NJ, PA, MA	MONOETHANOLAMINE	HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE LIST

SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION

SUGGESTED HAZARD RATINGS

<u>NFPA*</u>	<u>HAZARD</u>	<u>HMIS*</u>
2	HEALTH (Blue)	2
0	FIRE (Red)	0
0	REACTIVITY (Yellow)	0
	PERSONAL PROTECTION	B
	SPECIAL HAZARDS	

*Notes: 0 = Insignificant; 1 = Slight; 2 = Moderate; 3 = High; 4 = Extreme

The data contained in this Material Safety Data Sheet has been prepared based upon an evaluation of the ingredients in the product, their concentration in the product and potential interactions. The information is offered in good faith and is believed to be accurate. It is furnished to the customer who is urged to study it carefully to become aware of hazards, if any, in the storage, handling, use and disposal of the product; and to insure his employees are properly informed and advised of all safety precautions required. The information is furnished for compliance with the "Occupational Safety and Health Act" of 1970, the "Hazards Communication Act" of 1983 as well as various other Federal, State and Local regulations. Use or dissemination of all or part of this information for any other purpose is prohibited by law.

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