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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

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1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Address:

Chemische Fabrik Dr. Weigert GmbH & Co. KG
Mühlenhagen 85
D-20539 Hamburg
Telephone no. +49 40 789 60 0
Fax no. +49 40 789 60 120
www.drweigert.com

E-mail address of person responsible for this SDS:

sida@drweigert.de

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number: 112

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

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Met. Corr. 1	H290
Skin Corr. 1A	H314
Eye Dam. 1	H318

The product is classified and labelled in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Hazard pictograms



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements

P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

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P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.
Dispose only when container is empty and closed. For disposal of product residues, refer to safety data sheet.

Hazardous component(s) to be indicated on label (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)
contains sodium hydroxide

2.3. Other hazards

No special hazards have to be mentioned. The product contains no PBT or vPvB substances.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Hazardous ingredients

sodium hydroxide

CAS No.	1310-73-2				
EINECS no.	215-185-5				
Registration no.	01-2119457892-27				
Concentration	≥ 10	< 25			%
Classification (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)					
	Met. Corr. 1			H290	
	Skin Corr. 1A			H314	
	Eye Dam. 1			H318	

Concentration limits (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

Eye Irrit. 2	H319	$\geq 0.5 < 2$
Skin Corr. 1A	H314	≥ 5
Skin Corr. 1B	H314	$\geq 2 < 5$
Skin Irrit. 2	H315	$\geq 0.5 < 2$

Other information

Complete text of hazard statements in chapter 16

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information

Remove contaminated, soaked clothing immediately and dispose of safely. Clean body thoroughly (bath, shower). In any case show the physician the Safety Data Sheet.

After inhalation

Ensure supply of fresh air. When spray fog inhaled, seek medical aid.

After skin contact

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. Take medical treatment.

After eye contact

In case of contact with the eyes, rinse immediately for at least 15 minutes with plenty of water. Summon a doctor immediately.

After ingestion

If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Let plenty of water be drunk in small gulps. Do not induce vomiting.

Adhere to personal protective measures when giving first aid

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection!

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

Until now no symptoms known so far.

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

Hints for the physician / hazards

In the case of swallowing with subsequent vomiting, aspiration of the lungs can occur which can lead to chemical pneumonia or asphyxiation.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Product itself is non-combustible; adapt fire extinguishing measures to surrounding areas.

Non suitable extinguishing media

Full water jet

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In case of combustion evolution of dangerous gases possible.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire-fighting

Do not inhale explosion and/or combustion gases. In case of combustion use a suitable breathing apparatus.

Other information

Collect contaminated fire-fighting water separately, must not be discharged into the drains. Fire residues and contaminated fire-fighting water must be disposed of in accordance with the local regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into the drains/surface waters/groundwater.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Pick up with absorbent material. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with the regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Avoid formation of aerosols. Observe the usual precautions for handling chemicals. Keep container tightly closed.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

The product is not combustible.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Recommended storage temperature

Value > 0 < 30 °C

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep in original packaging, tightly closed. Storage rooms must be properly ventilated. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

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Storage classes

Storage class according to TRGS 510 8B Non-combustible corrosive hazardous substances

7.3. Specific end use(s)

no data

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limit values

sodium hydroxide

List	EH40	
Type	WEL	
Short term exposure limit	2	mg/m ³
Status:	2011	

Other information

There are not known any further control parameters.

8.2. Exposure controls

General protective and hygiene measures

Hold eye wash fountain available. Hold emergency shower available. Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not eat, drink or smoke during work time. Wash hands before breaks and after work. Clean skin thoroughly after work; apply skin cream.

Respiratory protection

If workplace limits are exceeded, a respiratory protection approved for this particular job must be worn. Particle filter P2

Hand protection

Chemical resistant gloves

Use	Permanent hand contact
Appropriate Material	neoprene
Material thickness	>= 0,65 mm
Breakthrough time	> 480 min
Appropriate Material	nitrile
Material thickness	>= 0,4 mm
Breakthrough time	> 480 min
Appropriate Material	butyl
Material thickness	>= 0,7 mm
Breakthrough time	> 480 min

Use Short-term hand contact

Appropriate Material	nitrile
Material thickness	>= 0,11 mm

Hand protection must comply with EN 374.

Eye protection

Safety glasses with side protection shield; Eye protection must comply with EN 166.

Body protection

Clothing as usual in the chemical industry. Protective shoes

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form	liquid
Colour	colourless

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Odour	characteristic	
Odour threshold		
Remarks	not determined	
pH value		
Value	> 14	
Temperature	20 °C	
Melting point		
Remarks	not determined	
Freezing point		
Remarks	not determined	
Initial boiling point and boiling range		
Remarks	not determined	
Flash point		
Remarks	Not applicable	
Evaporation rate (ether = 1) :		
Remarks	not determined	
Flammability (solid, gas)		
evaluation	Not applicable	
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits		
Remarks	Not applicable	
Vapour pressure		
Remarks	not determined	
Vapour density		
Remarks	not determined	
Density		
Value	1,31	g/cm ³
Temperature	20 °C	
Solubility in water		
Remarks	miscible in all proportions	
Solubility(ies)		
Remarks	not determined	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water		
Remarks	not determined	
Ignition temperature		
Remarks	Not applicable	
Decomposition temperature		
Remarks	not determined	
Viscosity		
dynamic		
Value	< 50	mPa.s
Temperature	20 °C	
Explosive properties		
evaluation	no	
Oxidising properties		
evaluation	None known	

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9.2. Other information

Other information

None known

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to prescribed instructions.

10.2. Chemical stability

No hazardous reactions known.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions known.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

No hazardous reactions known.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Corrodes aluminium. Strong exothermic reaction with acids.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity

ATE	> 2000	mg/kg
Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.	

Acute dermal toxicity

Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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Acute inhalational toxicity

Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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Skin corrosion/irritation

evaluation	strongly corrosive
Remarks	The classification criteria are met.

Serious eye damage/irritation

evaluation	strongly corrosive
Remarks	The classification criteria are met.

Sensitization

Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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Subacute, subchronic, chronic toxicity

Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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Mutagenicity

Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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Reproductive toxicity

Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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Carcinogenicity

Remarks	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT)

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Single exposure

Remarks Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Repeated exposure

Remarks Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Experience in practice

Inhalation may lead to irritation of the respiratory tract.

Other information

There is no data available on the product apart from the information given in this subsection.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

General information

not determined

Fish toxicity (Components)

sodium hydroxide

Species	rainbow trout (<i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>)	
LC50	45,4	mg/l
Duration of exposure	96	h

Daphnia toxicity (Components)

sodium hydroxide

Species	Daphnia magna	
EC50	> 100	mg/l
Duration of exposure	48	h

12.2. Persistence and degradability

General information

not determined

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

General information

not determined

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

Remarks not determined

12.4. Mobility in soil

General information

not determined

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

General information

not determined

Evaluation of persistence and bioaccumulation potential

The product contains no PBT or vPvB substances.

12.6. Other adverse effects

General information

not determined

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General information / ecology

The surfactant(s) contained in this preparation complies(comply) with the biodegradability criteria as laid down in Regulation (EC) No.648/2004 on detergents. Do not discharge product unmonitored into the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal recommendations for the product

EWC waste code 18 01 06* chemicals consisting of or containing dangerous substances

EWC waste code 20 01 29* detergents containing dangerous substances

The listed waste code numbers, according to the European Waste Catalogue (EWC), are to be understood as a recommendation. A final decision must be made in agreement with the regional waste disposal company.

Disposal recommendations for packaging




EWC waste code 15 01 02 plastic packaging

Completely emptied packagings can be given for recycling.

EWC waste code 15 01 10* packaging containing residues of or contaminated by dangerous substances

Packaging that cannot be cleaned should be disposed off in agreement with the regional waste disposal company.

SECTION 14: Transport information

	Land transport ADR/RID	Marine transport IMDG/GGVSee	Air transport ICAO/IATA
Tunnel restriction code	E		
IMDG-Code segregation group		18 Alkalis	
14.1. UN number	1824	1824	1824
14.2. UN proper shipping name	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	8	8	8
Label			
14.4. Packing group	II	II	II
Limited Quantity	1 I		
Transport category	2		
14.5. Environmental hazards		no	

Information for all modes of transport

14.6. Special precautions for user

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See Sections 6 to 8

Other information

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Ingredients (Regulation (EC) No 648/2004)

less than 5 %:

phosphonates, polycarboxylates, amphoteric surfactants

VOC

VOC (EU) 0 %

Other regulations, restrictions and prohibition regulations

Observe employment restrictions for young people.

Other information

The product does not contain substances of very high concern (SVHC).

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

For this preparation a chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Hazard statements listed in Chapter 3

H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.

CLP categories listed in Chapter 3

Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage, Category 1
Met. Corr. 1	Substance or mixture corrosive to metals, Category 1
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion, Category 1A

Abbreviations

ADR: Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises Dangereuses par Route
RID: Règlement concernant le transport international ferroviaire de marchandises dangereuses
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
IATA: International Air Transport Association
VOC: Volatile Organic Compound
LD: Lethal dose
LC: Lethal concentration
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative
SVHC: Substances of very high concern
MARPOL 73/78: International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978 (MARPOL: Marine Pollution)
IBC: Intermediate Bulk Container
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service
ISO: International Organization for Standardization
OEL: Occupational exposure limit
OECD: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
UN: United Nations

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IMO: International Maritime Organization

Supplemental information

Relevant changes compared with the previous version of the safety data sheet are marked with: ***
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guarantee for any specific product properties and shall not establish a legally valid relationship.