

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Corrosive to Metals (Category 1), H290

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Pictogram

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Signal word	Warning
Hazard statement(s) H290	May be corrosive to metals.
Precautionary statement(s) P234 P390	Keep only in original packaging. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
Supplemental Hazard Statements	none

2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

No components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations.

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first-aid measures

If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water with the eyelid held wide open. Call in ophthalmologist if necessary. Remove contact lenses.

If swallowed

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

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Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Nature of decomposition products not known. Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

- **5.3** Advice for firefighters In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
- 5.4 Further information none

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.Advice for emergency responders:Protective equipment see section 8. For personal protection see section 8.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions** No special precautionary measures necessary.
- **6.3** Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up with liquidabsorbent and neutralising material (e.g. Chemizorb® OH⁻, Merck Art. No. 101596). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections** For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** Observe label precautions. For precautions see section 2.2.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities** No aluminium, tin, or zinc containers. Tightly closed.

Store at +15°C to +25°C.

7.3 Specific end use(s) Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Change contaminated clothing. Preventive skin protection recommended. Wash hands after working with substance.

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Eye/face protection

Safety glasses

Skin protection

This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de). Full contact Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0,11 mm Break through time: > 480 min Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

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Splash contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0,11 mm Break through time: > 480 min Material tested:KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Respiratory protection

required when vapours/aerosols are generated. Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Control of environmental exposure

No special precautionary measures necessary.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a)	Appearance	Form: liquid Color: colorless
b)	Odor	odorless
c)	Odor Threshold	Not applicable
d)	рH	ca.12,7 at 20 °C

- e) Melting No data available point/freezing point
- f) Initial boiling point No data available and boiling range
- g) Flash point Not applicable

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h)	Evaporation rate	No data available
i)	Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j)	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k)	Vapor pressure	No data available
I)	Vapor density	No data available
m)	Relative density	1,00 g/cm3 at 20 °C
n)	Water solubility	soluble
o)	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
p)	Autoignition temperature	No data available
q)	Decomposition temperature	No data available
r)	Viscosity	No data available
s)	Explosive properties	No data available
t)	Oxidizing properties	No data available

9.2 Other safety information

Minimum ignition Not applicable energy

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** See section 10.3
- **10.2 Chemical stability** The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** Violent reactions possible with: The generally known reaction partners of water.

10.4 Conditions to avoid no information available

10.5 Incompatible materials

Aluminum, Zinc, Tin

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Nature of decomposition products not known. In the event of fire: see section 5

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SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation Possible damages: slight irritation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Possible damages: slight irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure No data available

Aspiration hazard No data available

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

irritant effects

However, when the product is handled appropriately, hazardous effects are unlikely to occur.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

No data 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 and vPvB assessment This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent,

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bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects

Harmful effect due to pH shift. Neutralisation possible in waste water treatment plants. No ecological problems are to be expected when the product is handled and used with due care and attention.

No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

SECTION 14: Transport information					
14.1 UN number ADR/RID: 1824	IMDG: 1824	IATA: 1824			
14.2 UN proper shipping name ADR/RID: SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION IMDG: SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION IATA: Sodium hydroxide solution					
14.3 Transport hazard class(es) ADR/RID: 8) IMDG: 8	IATA: 8			
14.4 Packaging group ADR/RID: III	IMDG: III	IATA: III			
14.5 Environmental hazards ADR/RID: no	IMDG Marine pollutant: no	IATA: no			
14.6 Special precautions for use	er				

No data available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

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