

Incompatible Materials : Acids and strong oxidizers
Conditions to Avoid : High temperatures
Decomposition Products: CO, CO2

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Primary Route of Entry: Skin contact, eye contact, inhalation

Acute/Potential Health Effects:

EYES: Causes severe irritation experienced as discomfort or pain, excess blinking and tear production, with redness and swelling of the conjunctiva.

SKIN: Brief contact may cause slight irritation. Prolonged contact may cause more severe irritation with pain, local redness and swelling and possible tissue destruction.

INHALATION: High vapor concentrations may be irritating to respiratory tract.

INGESTION: May be harmful or fatal if swallowed. Corrosive. Can cause severe burns and complete tissue perforation of mucous membranes, mouth, throat and stomach.

Chronic / Long Term Effects: None known.

Target Organ Effects: Lungs and upper respiratory tract, gastrointestinal tract, eyes, skin.

Reproductive/Developmental Information: No data.

Carcinogenic Information: This material is not listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

Acute Toxicity Values:

Potassium Hydroxide: Oral - LD50, rat 273 mg/Kg

Section 12 Ecological Information

Potassium Hydroxide: Fish LC50, Western mosquitofish (*Gambusia affinis*), 80 mg/l, 96 hr.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations. See label for further instructions.

Section 14 Transport Information

Certain shipping modes or package sizes may have exceptions from the transport regulations. The classification provided may not reflect those exceptions and may not apply to all shipping modes or package sizes.

UN number 3266

Proper shipping name Corrosive Liquid, Basic, Inorganic, n.o.s. (contains Potassium Hydroxide)

Class 8

Packing group II

Section 15 Regulatory Information

CERCLA RQ (40 CFR 302)

Potassium Hydroxide

1000 lbs

If identified components of this product are **CERCLA** hazardous substances and/or listed under **Sections 302, 304, or 313 of Title III** of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) of 1986 (also known as EPCRA, the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act), or under **California Proposition 65** (Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act), they are listed above in Section 15 of this SDS.

If identified components of this product are listed under Section 313, this product contains toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313. This information must be included in all SDS that are copied and distributed for this material.

Title III Section 311/312 Hazardous Categories - 40 CFR 370.2:

ACUTE (X) Chronic () Fire () Pressure () Reactive () Not Applicable ()

T.S.C.A. Status: All chemical substances found in this product comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act inventory reporting requirements.

RCRA Status: Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the product user to determine at the time of disposal, whether a material containing the product or derived from the product should be classified as a hazardous waste. If this product becomes hazardous waste it would be assigned RCRA Code(s)

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Section 16 Other Information

HMIS Ratings :

HEALTH	2
FLAMMABILITY	0
REACTIVITY	0
PERSONAL PROTECTION	B

Disclaimer: This Manufacturer believes that the information contained in the Safety Data Sheet is accurate. The suggested procedures are based on experience as of the date of the publication. They are not necessarily all inclusive nor fully adequate in every circumstance. Also, the suggestions should not be confused with, nor followed in violation of applicable laws, regulations, rules or insurance requirements.

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