



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name Alkaline LF

Other means of identification

Product Code NL303500

Synonyms None

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Name Nyco Products Company
5332 Dansher Road
Countryside, IL 60525
(708) 579-8100
nycoproducts.com

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 5
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

Label elements

Emergency Overview

Danger

Hazard statements

May be harmful if swallowed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



Appearance Clear

Physical state Liquid

Odor None

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific Treatment (See Section 4 on the SDS)
 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting
 Drink plenty of water
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**Other Information**

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0.02% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	7-13	*
Tetrapotassium Pyrophosphate	7320-34-5	1-5	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES**First aid measures**

General advice	Immediate medical attention is required.
Skin Contact	Immediate medical attention is required. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. For minor skin contact, avoid spreading material on unaffected skin. For severe burns, immediate medical attention is required.
Eye contact	Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.
Ingestion	Immediate medical attention is required. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Remove from exposure, lie down. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Self-protection of the first aider	Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Any additional important symptoms and effects are described in Section 11: Toxicology Information.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood pressure may occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure. Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Suitable extinguishing media**

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

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal precautions Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Do not allow into any storm sewer drains, lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other surface water bodies. Should not be released into the environment. Dispose of according to all local city, state and federal rules and regulations.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Prevent product from entering drains. Dam up. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**Precautions for safe handling**

Advice on safe handling Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Use only with adequate ventilation and in closed systems.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly labeled containers.

Incompatible materials Incompatible with strong acids and bases. Incompatible with oxidizing agents. Strong acids. Aluminum.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters**Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	(vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³
Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate 7722-88-5	-	(vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	TWA: 2 mg/m ³ (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	IDLH: 10 mg/m ³ Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³

NIOSH IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Other Information Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers, Eyewash stations & Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Tight sealing safety goggles. Wear a face shield if splashing hazard exists.

Skin and body protection Wear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Take off all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid
Appearance Clear
Color Colorless
Odor None
Odor threshold No Information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	13.0 - 14.0	
Specific Gravity	1.155	
Viscosity	< 25 cP @ 25°C	
Melting point/freezing point	No Information available	
Flash point	None	

Boiling point / boiling range	No Information available
Evaporation rate	No Information available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Flammability Limits in Air	
Upper flammability limit:	No Information available
Lower flammability limit:	No Information available
Vapor pressure	No Information available
Vapor density	No Information available
Water solubility	Complete
Partition coefficient	No Information available
Autoignition temperature	No Information available
Decomposition temperature	No Information available

Other Information

Density Lbs/Gal	9.63
VOC Content (%)	Not Applicable

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Reactivity**

No data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible with strong acids and bases. Incompatible with oxidizing agents. Strong acids. Aluminum.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

The primary effects and toxicity of this material are due to its corrosive nature.

Inhalation

Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Breathing of vapor can cause respiratory irritation and inflammation. Breathing of mist or liquid can cause burns to the respiratory tract.

Eye contact

Avoid contact with eyes. Corrosive. Causes severe eye damage.

Skin Contact

Avoid contact with skin. Corrosive. Contact with skin may cause severe irritation and burns.

Ingestion

May be harmful if swallowed. Ingestion causes acute irritation and burns to the mucous membranes of the mouth, trachea, esophagus and stomach.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	= 284 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Tetrapotassium Pyrophosphate 7320-34-5	= 2980 mg/kg (Rat)	> 4640 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-

Information on toxicological effects**Symptoms**

No Information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Corrosivity	Causes burns. Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue. Risk of serious damage to eyes.
Sensitization	No Information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No Information available.
Carcinogenicity	No Information available.
Reproductive toxicity	No Information available.
STOT - single exposure	No Information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No Information available.
Chronic toxicity	Chronic exposure to corrosive fumes/gases may cause erosion of the teeth followed by jaw necrosis. Bronchial irritation with chronic cough and frequent attacks of pneumonia are common. Gastrointestinal disturbances may also be seen. Avoid repeated exposure. Possible risk of irreversible effects.
Target organ effects	EYES, Respiratory system, Skin.
Aspiration hazard	No Information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0.02% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

ATEmix (oral) 4,149.00

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

2.02% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	-	80: 96 h <i>Gambusia affinis</i> mg/L LC50 static	-
Tetrapotassium Pyrophosphate 7320-34-5	-	100: 96 h <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> mg/L LC50	100: 48 h water flea mg/L EC50
Sodium Tripolyphosphate 7758-29-4	-	1650: 48 h <i>Leuciscus idus</i> mg/L LC50	-
Tetrasodium EDTA 64-02-8	1.01: 72 h <i>Desmodesmus</i> <i>subspicatus</i> mg/L EC50	59.8: 96 h <i>Pimephales promelas</i> mg/L LC50 static 41: 96 h <i>Lepomis</i> <i>macrochirus</i> mg/L LC50 static	610: 24 h <i>Daphnia magna</i> mg/L EC50
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	45.4: 96 h <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> mg/L LC50 static	-
Trisodium nitrilotriacetate 5064-31-3	560 - 1000: 96 h <i>Chlorella vulgaris</i> mg/L EC50	93 - 170: 96 h <i>Pimephales promelas</i> mg/L LC50 flow-through 252: 96 h <i>Lepomis macrochirus</i> mg/L LC50 560 - 1000: 96 h <i>Oryzias latipes</i> mg/L LC50 semi-static 72 - 133: 96 h <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> mg/L LC50 static 560 - 1000: 96 h <i>Poecilia</i> <i>reticulata</i> mg/L LC50 560 - 1000: 96 h <i>Poecilia reticulata</i> mg/L LC50 semi-static 470: 96 h <i>Pimephales</i> <i>promelas</i> mg/L LC50 static 175 - 225: 96 h <i>Lepomis macrochirus</i> mg/L LC50 static 560 - 1000: 96 h <i>Oryzias latipes</i> mg/L LC50 114: 96 h <i>Pimephales promelas</i> mg/L LC50	560 - 1000: 48 h <i>Daphnia magna</i> mg/L LC50

Persistence and degradability

No Information available.

Bioaccumulation

Bioaccumulative potential.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	0.65 0.83

Other adverse effects No Information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container.

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	Toxic Corrosive

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The basic description below is specific to the container size. This information is provided for at a glance DOT information. Please refer to the container and/or shipping papers for the appropriate shipping description before tendering this material for shipment. For additional information, please contact the distributor listed in section 1 of this SDS.

DOT

UN/ID No. UN1760
Proper shipping name Corrosive liquids, n.o.s.
Hazard Class 8
Packing Group II
Special Provisions B2, IB2, T11, TP2, TP27
Description UN1760, Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (contains Potassium Hydroxide), 8, II

TDG

UN/ID No. UN1760
Proper shipping name Corrosive liquids, n.o.s.
Hazard Class 8
Packing Group II
Description UN1760, Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (contains Potassium Hydroxide), 8, II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA Complies
DSL/NDSL Complies

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard Yes
Fire hazard No
Sudden release of pressure hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	-	X

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product has been evaluated and does not require warning labeling under California Proposition 65.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	X	X	X
Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate 7722-88-5	X	X	X
Sodium Trimetaphosphate 7785-84-4	-	X	X
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	X	X	X
Trisodium nitrilotriacetate 5064-31-3	-	X	-

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health hazards 3	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Properties -
HMIS	Health hazards 3	Flammability 0	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection D

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