

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name Alkali Foam

Other means of identification

Product Code NL199500 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
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 Brown Physical state Liquid Odor Mild

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% 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	10-30	*

^{*}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 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 contactDo not rub affected area. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for

at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give

oxygen. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth

to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Self-protection of the first aiderUse 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 Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people

away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use personal protective equipment as required.

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 upDam up. Prevent product from entering drains. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Take

up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface

thoroughly. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handlingUse 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 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 Strong acids. Aluminum. Incompatible with strong acids and bases. Incompatible with

oxidizing agents.

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

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. Face protection shield.

Skin and body protectionWear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls,

as appropriate, to prevent skin contact.

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 Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. When using do not eat, drink or

smoke. 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 Brown
Odor Brown
Mild

Odor threshold No Information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

pH 13.0 - 14.0

Specific Gravity 1.2 - 1.25

Viscosity < 25 cP @ 25°C

Melting point/freezing point No Information available

Flash point None

Boiling point / boiling range 99

Evaporation rate

Flammability (solid, gas)
Flammability Limits in Air

99 °C / 210 ° F Degrees No Information available No data available

Upper flammability limit:
Lower flammability limit:
Vapor pressure
Vapor density

No Information available
No Information available
No Information available
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 10.20

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

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

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 InformationThe primary effects and toxicity of this material are due to it 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	= 284 mg/kg (Rat)	=	-
1310-58-3			

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
Germ cell mutagenicity
Carcinogenicity
Reproductive toxicity
STOT - single exposure
STOT - repeated exposure
No Information available.
No Information available.
No Information available.
No Information available.

Chronic toxicity Chronic exposure to corrosive fumes/gases may cause erosion of the teeth followed by jaw

Target organ effects

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. EYES, Respiratory system, Skin.

Aspiration hazard No Information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0% 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) 2,263.53

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Persistence and degradability

No Information available.

Bioaccumulation

Bioaccumulative potential.

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

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	Toxic	
1310-58-3	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

Special Provisions B2, TB2, T11, TP2, TP27

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Description UN1760, Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (contains Potassium Hydroxide), 8, II

Emergency Response Guide

Number

TDG

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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 hazardYesChronic Health HazardYesFire hazardNoSudden release of pressure hazardNoReactive HazardNo

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	1000 lb	-	-	Χ
1310-58-3				

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	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ
1310-58-3			RQ 454 kg final RQ

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Acetic Acid, 2,2,-dichloro. which is known to the state of California to cause cancer, or birth defects or other reproductive harm. For More Information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Potassium Hydroxide	X	X	X
1310-58-3			

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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No Information available

Disclaimer

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