

Cleaning solution A

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1. Product and company identification**Product identifier**

Trade name: Cleaning solution A

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised againstGeneral use: Cleaning agent, Laboratory chemicals for pH electrodes.
Only for specialists for purposes of research and analysis.**Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**Company name: Hamilton Bonaduz AG
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Telephone: +49 551-19240****2. Hazards identification****Emergency overview**Appearance: Physical state at 68 °F and 101.3 kPa: liquid
Color: colorless
Odor: odorless
Classification: Corrosive to Metals - Category 1; Skin Corrosion - Category 1B;
Hazard symbols:Signal word: **Danger**
Hazard statements: May be corrosive to metals.
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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Precautionary statements:

Keep only in original container.
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/or shower.
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
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/doctor.
Specific treatment (see ' First aid ' on this label).
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.
Store locked up.
Store in corrosion resistant container/in container with a resistant inner liner.
Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

Regulatory status

This material is considered hazardous by the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Hazards not otherwise classified

see section 11: Toxicological information

3. Composition / Information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Aqueous solution

Relevant ingredients:

CAS No.	Designation	Concentration	Classification
CAS 1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	< 3 %	Corrosive to Metals - Category 1. Skin Corrosion - Category 1A.

4. First aid measures

In case of inhalation: Move victim to fresh air. In case of respiratory difficulties seek medical attention.
Following skin contact: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. In case of skin reactions, consult a physician.
After eye contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Seek the attention of an ophthalmologist immediately.
After swallowing: Rinse mouth and drink large quantities of water.
If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Information to physician

Treat symptomatically.

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5. Fire fighting measures

Flash point/flash point range:

No data available

Auto-ignition temperature:

No data available

Suitable extinguishing media:

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Not combustible. Hydrogen may form upon contact with light metals (danger of explosion!).

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters:

In case of surrounding fires: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions:

Do not breathe vapor or spray. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear appropriate protective equipment.

Environmental precautions:

Do not allow to penetrate into soil, waterbodies or drains.

Methods for clean-up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents) and place in closed containers for disposal. Wash spill area with plenty of water.

7. Handling and storage

Handling

Advices on safe handling:

Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear appropriate protective equipment.

Storage

Requirements for storerooms and containers:

Keep container tightly closed. Store at room temperature.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure guidelines

Occupational exposure limit values:

CAS No.	Designation	Type	Limit value
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	USA: ACGIH: Ceiling	2 mg/m ³
		USA: NIOSH: Ceiling	2 mg/m ³
		USA: OSHA: TWA	2 mg/m ³

Engineering controls

Provide good ventilation and/or an exhaust system in the work area.
See also information in chapter 7, section storage.

Personal protection equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection:

Tightly sealed goggles according to OSHA Standard - 29 CFR: 1910.133 or ANSI Z87.1-2010.

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- Skin protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.
Protective gloves according to OSHA Standard - 29 CFR: 1910.138.
Glove material: Nitrile rubber or butyl caoutchouc (butyl rubber).
Breakthrough time: >480 min.
Observe glove manufacturer's instructions concerning penetrability and breakthrough time.
- Respiratory protection: When vapors form, use respiratory protection.
- General hygiene considerations:
Change contaminated clothing.
Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
Wash hands before breaks and after work.

Environmental exposure controls

Refer to 6.: Section "Environmental precautions".

9. Physical and chemical properties**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- Appearance: Physical state at 68 °F and 101.3 kPa: liquid
Color: colorless
- Odor: odorless
- Odor threshold: No data available
- pH: at 68 °F: approx. 12
- Melting point/freezing point: No data available
- Initial boiling point and boiling range: approx. 212 °F
- Flash point/flash point range: No data available
- Evaporation rate: No data available
- Flammability: No data available
- Explosion limits: No data available
- Vapor pressure: No data available
- Vapor density: No data available
- Density: at 68 °F: approx. 1 g/mL
- Water solubility: at 68 °F: soluble
- Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: No data available
- Auto-ignition temperature: No data available
- Thermal decomposition: No data available
- Additional information: No data available

10. Stability and reactivity

- Reactivity: No data available
- Chemical stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.
- Possibility of hazardous reactions:
Hydrogen may form upon contact with metals (danger of explosion!).
- Conditions to avoid: No data available

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Incompatible materials: Metals

Hazardous decomposition products:

Hydrogen may form upon contact with light metals (danger of explosion!).

Thermal decomposition: No data available

11. Toxicological information**Toxicological tests**

Toxicological effects: The statements are derived from the properties of the single components. No toxicological data is available for the product as such.

Acute toxicity (oral): Lack of data.

Acute toxicity (dermal): Lack of data.

Acute toxicity (inhalative): Lack of data.

Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin Corrosion -
Category 1B = Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Lack of data.

Sensitisation to the respiratory tract: Lack of data.

Skin sensitisation: Lack of data.

Germ cell mutagenicity/Genotoxicity: Lack of data.

Carcinogenicity: Lack of data.

Reproductive toxicity: Lack of data.

Effects on or via lactation: Lack of data.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure): Lack of data.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure): Lack of data.

Aspiration hazard: Lack of data.

Symptoms

In case of inhalation: burns

In case of ingestion: burns (pain). Risk of perforation

After contact with skin: burns

After eye contact: burns

12. Ecological information**Ecotoxicity**

Aquatic toxicity: Harmful effects on water organisms by modification of pH-value.

Mobility in soil

No data available

Persistence and degradability

Further details: No data available

Additional ecological information

General information: Do not allow to enter undiluted resp. in large quantities into surface water or into drains.

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13. Disposal considerations**Product**

Recommendation: Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

PackageRecommendation: Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.
Non-contaminated packages may be recycled.**14. Transport information****14.2 UN proper shipping name**

ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA-DGR:

UN 1824, SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: Class 8, Code: C5

IMDG: Class 8, Subrisk -

IATA-DGR: Class 8

**Packing group**

ADR/RID, IMDG, IATA-DGR:

III

Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant: no

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

No data available

USA: Department of Transportation (DOT)

Identification number: UN1824
Proper shipping name: UN 1824, SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Hazard class or Division: 8
Packing Group: III
Labels: 8
Special provisions: IB3, N34, T4, TP1
Packaging – Exceptions: 154
Packaging – Non-bulk: 203
Packaging – Bulk: 241
Quantity limitations – Passenger aircraft / rail: 5 L
Quantity limitations – Cargo only: 60 L
Vessel stowage – Location: A
Vessel stowage – Other: 52



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Sea transport (IMDG)

UN number: UN 1824
Proper shipping name: UN 1824, SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Class or division, Subsidiary risk: Class 8, Subrisk -
Packing Group: III
EmS: F-A, S-B
Special provisions: 223
Limited quantities: 5 L
Excepted quantities: E1
Package - Instructions: P001, LP01
Package - Provisions: -
IBC - Instructions: IBC03
IBC - Provisions: -
Tank instructions - IMO: -
Tank instructions - UN: T4
Tank instructions - Provisions: TP1
Stowage and handling: Category A.
Segregation: SG35
Properties and observations: Colourless liquid. Corrosive to aluminium, zinc and tin. Reacts with ammonium salts, evolving ammonia gas. Causes burns to skin, eyes and mucous membranes. Reacts violently with acids.
Marine pollutant: no
Segregation group: 18

Air transport (IATA)

UN/ID number: UN 1824
Proper shipping name: UN 1824, SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Class or division, Subsidiary risk: Class 8
Packing Group: III
Hazard label: Corrosive
Excepted Quantity Code: E1
Passenger and Cargo Aircraft: Ltd.Qty.: Pack.Instr. Y841 - Max. Net Qty/Pkg. 1 L
Passenger and Cargo Aircraft: Pack.Instr. 852 - Max. Net Qty/Pkg. 5 L
Cargo Aircraft only: Pack.Instr. 856 - Max. Net Qty/Pkg. 60 L
Special provisions: A3 A803
Emergency Response Guide-Code (ERG): 8L

15. Regulatory information**National regulations - U.S. Federal Regulations**

Sodium hydroxide: TSCA Inventory: listed
TSCA HPVC: not listed
Clean Water Act:
Hazardous Substances: RQ 1000 lbs.
Other Environmental Laws:
CERCLA: RQ 1000 lbs.
NIOSH Recommendations:
Occupational Health Guideline: 0565

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National regulations - U.S. State Regulations

Sodium hydroxide: Delaware Air Quality Management List:

DRQ: 1000 - RQ State: Federal Regulations Apply

Idaho Air Pollutant List:

Title 585: AAC: 0,1 - EL: 0,133 - OEL: 2 - Title 586: AAAC: - EL: - OEF: -

Massachusetts Haz. Substance codes: 2,4,5 F8 F9

Minnesota Haz. Substance:

Codes: AO - Ratings: - Status: Title III.

New York List of Hazardous Substances:

RQ-Air: 1000 - RQ-Land: 100 - Note: No Note Associated with this chemical.

Pennsylvania Haz. Substance code: E

Washington Air Contaminant: Ceiling: 2 mg

National regulations - Great Britain

Hazchem-Code: 2R

16. Other information

Text for labeling:

Contains < 3 % Sodium hydroxide. Safety data sheet available on request.

Contains: Sodium hydroxide

Hazard rating systems:

NFPA Hazard Rating:

Health: 2 (Moderate)

Fire: 0 (Minimal)

Reactivity: 0 (Minimal)

HMIS Version III Rating:

Health: 2 (Moderate)

Flammability: 0 (Minimal)

Physical Hazard: 0 (Minimal)

Personal Protection: B



HEALTH	2
FLAMMABILITY	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0
B	

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
AS/NZS: Australian Standards/New Zealand Standards
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service
CFR: Code of Federal Regulations
CLP: Classification, Labelling and Packaging
DMEL: Derived minimal effect level
DNEL: Derived no-effect level
EC: European Community
EN: European Standard
IATA: International Air Transport Association
IBC Code: International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk
IMDG Code: International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
MARPOL: Maritime Pollution: The International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PBT: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
PNEC: Predicted no-effect concentration
RID: Regulations Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
UN: United Nations
vPvB: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

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Department issuing data sheet

Contact person: see section 1: Department responsible for information

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