Sodium Hydroxide 25%

Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2015/830

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	:	Mixture
Product name	:	Sodium Hydroxide 25%
Product code	:	A1044
Type of product	:	Solution
Product group	:	Trade product

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Industrial/Professional use spec	:	Industrial For professional use only

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer

Cambrian Solvents
Mochdre Industrial Estate
SY16 4LE Newtown - Wales
T 01686 627 158

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number	:	01686 627 158

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A H314

Full text of H statements : see section 16

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



GHS05

Signal word (CLP)	:	Danger
Contains	:	sodium hydroxide; caustic soda
Hazard statements (CLP)	:	H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Precautionary statements (CLP)	:	P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower. P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P310 - Immediately call a doctor. P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).

2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
sodium hydroxide; caustic soda	(CAS-No.) 1310-73-2 (EC-No.) 215-185-5 (EC Index-No.) 011-002-00-6 (REACH-no) 01-211945789-27	10 – 30	Skin Corr. 1A, H314

Specific concentration limits:		
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sodium hydroxide; caustic soda	(CAS-No.) 1310-73-2 (EC-No.) 215-185-5 (EC Index-No.) 011-002-00-6 (REACH-no) 01-211945789-27	(0.5 ≤C < 2) Skin Irrit. 2, H315 (0.5 ≤C < 2) Eye Irrit. 2, H319 (2 ≤C < 5) Skin Corr. 1B, H314 (5 ≤C < 100) Skin Corr. 1A, H314

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes severe burns. Causes skin irritation.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation. Causes serious eye damage.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No additional information available

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire fighting water from entering the environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect spillage. Store away from other materials.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapour. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Avoid contact during pregnancy/while nursing.

Hygiene measures : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Keep container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong acids.

Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Sodium hydroxide

sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
WEL STEL (mg/m³)	2 mg/m³
Regulatory reference	EH40/2005 (Third edition, 2018). HSE

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls:
Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

Personal protective equipment:
Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Hand protection:					
Wear protective gloves.					
Type	**Material**	**Permeation**	**Thickness (mm)**	**Penetration**	**Standard**
Reusable gloves	Polyvinylchloride (PVC)	2 (> 30 minutes)		1 (< 4.0)	

Eye protection:			
Chemical goggles or face shield			
Type	**Use**	**Characteristics**	**Standard**
Face shield, Safety glasses, Safety goggles	Droplet	clear	

Skin and body protection:	
Wear suitable protective clothing	
Type	**Standard**
apron, Tyvek® Gown/Coveralls	

Respiratory protection:
Wear appropriate mask

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



Other information:
Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	:	Liquid
Appearance	:	Clear, colorless liquid.
Colour	:	Colourless.
Odour	:	odourless.
Odour threshold	:	No data available
pH	:	14
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	:	No data available
Melting point	:	No data available

Freezing point	:	No data available
Boiling point	:	No data available
Flash point	:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	Non flammable.
Vapour pressure	:	No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	:	No data available
Relative density	:	No data available
Solubility	:	No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
Explosive properties	:	No data available
Oxidising properties	:	No data available
Explosive limits	:	No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Corrosive vapours.

10.2. Chemical stability

Not established.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

fume. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. Thermal decomposition generates : Corrosive vapours.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	:	Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	:	Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	:	Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation	:	Causes severe skin burns. pH: 14
Serious eye damage/irritation	:	Assumed to cause serious eye damage pH: 14
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	:	Not classified
Additional information	:	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Germ cell mutagenicity	:	Not classified
Additional information	:	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Carcinogenicity	:	Not classified
Additional information	:	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

STOT-single exposure : Not classified
Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified
Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Aspiration hazard : Not classified
Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Not classified

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Sodium Hydroxide 25%	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Sodium Hydroxide 25%	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Other adverse effects

Additional information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

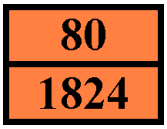
In accordance with ADR / IATA / IMDG

ADR	IMDG	IATA
14.1. UN number		
UN 1824	UN 1824	UN 1824
14.2. UN proper shipping name		
SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	Sodium hydroxide solution
Transport document description		
UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II, (E)	UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II	UN 1824 Sodium hydroxide solution, 8, II
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)		
8	8	8
		
14.4. Packing group		
II	II	II
14.5. Environmental hazards		
Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No Marine pollutant : No	Dangerous for the environment : No
No supplementary information available		

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Classification code (ADR) : C5
Limited quantities (ADR) : 1l
Excepted quantities (ADR) : E2
Packing instructions (ADR) : P001, IBC02
Mixed packing provisions (ADR) : MP15
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR) : T7
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (ADR) : TP2
Tank code (ADR) : L4BN
Vehicle for tank carriage : AT
Transport category (ADR) : 2
Hazard identification number (Kemler No.) : 80
Orange plates :



Tunnel restriction code (ADR) : E
EAC code : 2R

Transport by sea

Packing instructions (IMDG) : P001
IBC packing instructions (IMDG) : IBC02

Tank instructions (IMDG)	:	T7
Tank special provisions (IMDG)	:	TP2
EmS-No. (Fire)	:	F-A
EmS-No. (Spillage)	:	S-B
Stowage category (IMDG)	:	A
Segregation (IMDG)	:	SG35
Properties and observations (IMDG)	:	Colourless liquid. Colourless liquid. Reacts with ammonium salts, evolving ammonia gas. Causes burns to skin, eyes and mucous membranes. Reacts violently with acids.

Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	:	E2
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	:	Y840
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	:	0.5L
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	:	851
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	:	1L
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	:	855
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	:	30L
Special provisions (IATA)	:	A3
ERG code (IATA)	:	8L

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

The following restrictions are applicable according to Annex XVII of the REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006:		
Reference code	Applicable on	Entry title or description
3(b)	Sodium Hydroxide 25%	Substances or mixtures fulfilling the criteria for any of the following hazard classes or categories set out in Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008: Hazard classes 3.1 to 3.6, 3.7 adverse effects on sexual function and fertility or on development, 3.8 effects other than narcotic effects, 3.9 and 3.10

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list
Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances
Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.
Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Data sources	:	REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.
Other information	:	None.

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Eye Irrit. 2	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A

Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1B
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.

SDS EU (REACH Annex II)

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.