

## Safety Data Sheet

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## **SECTION 1: Identification**

### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture

### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

No additional information available

### 1.3. Supplier

KARCHER NORTH AMERICA 6398 N Karcher Way Aurora, 80019 United States T 303-738-2400 info@karcherna.com

## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : 800-535-5053

For Chemical Emergency Call INFOTRAC 24hr/day 7days/week

Within USA and Canada: 1-800-535-5053 Outside USA and Canada: 011-1-352-323-3500

(collect calls accepted)

## **SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification**

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

### **GHS US classification**

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1 H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage

Full text of H statements : see section 16

## 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

## **GHS US labeling**

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

Precautionary statements (GHS US) : P260 - Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, spray, vapors.

P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

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/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 POISON CENTER, a doctor.

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P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P405 - Store locked up.

P501 - Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in

accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

Other hazards which do not result in classification : None under normal conditions.

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

## **SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%
SODIUM METASILICATE	CAS-No.: 6834-92-0	1 – 5
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2	≤ 1.813

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

## **SECTION 4: First-aid measures**

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Call a physician immediately.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower. Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Call a

physician immediately.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to

do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately.

## 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Burns.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Serious damage to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Burns.

## 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

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

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard : Heating increases the fire hazard. Explosion hazard : No direct explosion hazard.

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Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing

apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist,

spray, vapors.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer

to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Absorb spilled material with sand or earth.

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe

dust, fume, gas, mist, spray, vapors. Wear personal protective equipment.

Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Always wash hands after handling the product.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage conditions : Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

## **PANEL WASH**

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No additional information available

### **SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2)**

**USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits** 

ACGIH OEL C 2 mg/m³

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

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

Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

## 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

### Hand protection:

Protective gloves

#### Eye protection:

Safety glasses

### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection:

Auto-ignition temperature

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid
Appearance : Liquid.
Color : Purple
Odor : Odourless
Odor threshold : No data available

pH : 12.8

Melting point : Not applicable Freezing point : No data available Boiling point No data available Flash point No data available Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) No data available Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable. Vapor pressure No data available Relative vapor density at 20 °C No data available No data available Relative density Solubility No data available Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) : No data available

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Decomposition temperature : No data available Viscosity, kinematic : No data available Viscosity, dynamic : No data available Explosion limits : No data available Explosive properties : No data available Oxidizing properties : No data available : No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## **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

SODIUM METASILICATE (6834-92-0)	
LD50 oral rat	1152 – 1349 mg/kg body weight (Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral, 7 day(s))
LD50 dermal rat	> 5000 mg/kg body weight (EPA OPPTS 870.1200: Acute Dermal Toxicity, 24 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Dermal, 14 day(s))
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 2.06 mg/l (EPA OPPTS 870.1300: Acute Inhalation Toxicity, 4 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Inhalation (vapours), 14 day(s))
ATE US (oral)	1152 mg/kg body weight
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns.

pH: 12.8

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.

pH: 12.8

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

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Carcinogenicity : Not classified Reproductive toxicity : Not classified STOT-single exposure : Not classified

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STOT-single exposure May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

# **SODIUM METASILICATE (6834-92-0)**

NOAEL (oral,rat,90 days)
227 – 237 mg/kg body weight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 408 (Repeated Dose 90-Day Oral Toxicity in Rodents)

Aspiration hazard : Not classified Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Burns.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Serious damage to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Burns.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Before neutralisation, the product may represent a danger to aquatic organisms.

SODIUM METASILICATE (6834-92-0)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	210 mg/l (ISO 7346-1, 96 h, Danio rerio, Semi-static system, Fresh water, Experimental value)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	1700 mg/l (EU Method C.2, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	45.4 mg/l (96 h, Salmo gairdneri, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Solution >=50%)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	40.4 mg/l (48 h, Ceriodaphnia sp., Experimental value, Nominal concentration)

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

SODIUM METASILICATE (6834-92-0)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable.
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable (inorganic)
ThOD	Not applicable (inorganic)
SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable.
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable (inorganic)
ThOD	Not applicable (inorganic)

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

SODIUM METASILICATE (6834-92-0)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation: not applicable.

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SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

SODIUM METASILICATE (6834-92-0)	
Surface tension	No data available in the literature
Ecology - soil	No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.
SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2)	
Ecology - soil	No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.

## 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Regional legislation (waste) : Disposal must be done according to official regulations.

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

## 14.1. UN number

DOT NA No : UN1719

# 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Caustic alkali liquids, n.o.s., (SODIUM HYDROXIDE, SODIUM METASILICATE), 8, II

## 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

#### DOT

Transport hazard class(es) (DOT) : 8
Hazard labels (DOT) : 8



## 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (DOT) : II

## 14.5. Environmental hazards

Other information : No supplementary information available.

## 14.6. Special precautions for user

DOT

UN-No.(DOT) : UN1719

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

Not applicable

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

All components of this product are present and listed as Active on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

### **SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2)**

CERCLA RQ 1000 lb

### 15.2. International regulations

No additional information available

#### 15.3. US State regulations



This product can expose you to ETHYLENE OXIDE, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

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Full text of H-phrases	
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	Causes serious eye damage

NFPA health hazard : 2 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause temporary incapacitation or residual injury.

NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Materials that must be preheated before ignition can occur.

: 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire NFPA reactivity

conditions.



Hazard Rating

Health : 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur

Flammability : 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that must be preheated before ignition will occur. Includes liquids,

solids and semi solids having a flash point above 200 F. (Class IIIB)

Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT

react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

Personal protection : B - Safety glasses, Gloves

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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.

