

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

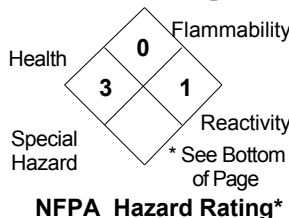


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Health	3
Flammability	0
Reactivity	1
Personal Protection	X

**HMIS Hazard Rating\***

Product Name: **SC-1240**

24-HOUR EMERGENCY PHONE #: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC) Revised: 6/8/2006 lmt  
Supersedes: 3/6/2002

## I. IDENTIFICATION

### Chemical Name And Synonyms:

Not applicable

### DOT Shipping Name

Sodium Hydroxide Solution

### Chemical Family:

Alkali

### DOT Hazard Class & I.D. Number

Corrosive Material UN1824

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## II. HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS NO.	%	TLV	PEL	Toxic	Hazard
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	25	2 mg/M3	2 mg/M3	NA	Corrosive to skin and eyes

\*\*Toxic chemical subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986 (40 CFR §372). NA: Not applicable  
NE: Not established

## III. PHYSICAL DATA

**Boiling Point:** Not established

**Specific Gravity:** 1.311

**Appearance:** Dark brown

**Form:** Liquid

**Solubility In Water:** Complete

**Odor:** Slight lignin

## IV. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

**Flashpoint:** Not Applicable

**Extinguishing Media:** Use media appropriate to surrounding fire.

### Special Fire

**Fighting Procedures:** Although this product is not combustible, if a fire occurs in the near vicinity, good firefighting practice dictates the use of self-contained breathing apparatus and other protective gear. Cool fire-exposed containers with water.

### Unusual Fire And

**Explosion Hazards:** If the stock solution container breaks, the solution should be handled with care as it is corrosive. Direct contact with water can cause a violent exothermic reaction.

## V. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

**Carcinogenic:** The raw materials used in this product are not considered to be a carcinogen by NTP, IARC, and OSHA

**Effects Of Over-exposure:** Corrosive. Causes irritation (possibly severe), burns to the eyes. May cause permanent eye damage. Causes irritation (possibly severe), burns to the skin. Causes irritation (possibly severe), burns, pulmonary edema to the respiratory tract. Causes irritation (possibly severe), burns, nausea, vomiting to the gastrointestinal tract. The severity of effects depend on concentration and how soon after exposure the area is washed.

### Emergency And First

**Aid Procedures:**  
EYES: Flush with water for 15 minutes, raise eyelids for complete rinsing. Get immediate medical attention.  
SKIN: Immediately flush with water for 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Get immediate medical attention. Discard contaminated leather goods.  
INGESTION: Do not induce vomiting. Give large quantities of water. Get immediate medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsing person.  
INHALATION: Move person to fresh air. If breathing stops, administer artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, have a trained person administer oxygen. Get immediate medical attention.

\* NFPA/HMIS Degree or Hazard: 4 = Extreme; 3 = High; 2 = Moderate; 1 = Slight; 0 = Insignificant.

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HMIS A. Safety Glasses B. Safety Glasses, Gloves C. Safety Glasses, Gloves, Apron D. Face Shield, Gloves, Apron E. Safety Glasses, Gloves, Dust Respirator F. Safety Glasses, Gloves, Apron, Dust Respirator G. Safety Glasses, Gloves, Vapor Respirator H. Splash Goggles, Gloves, Apron, Vapor Respirator I. Safety Glasses, Gloves, Vapor and Dust Respirator J. Splash Goggles, Gloves, Apron, Vapor and Dust Respirator K. Air Line, Hood or Mask, Gloves, Full Suit, Boots X. Ask your supervisor for guidance.

