

### Section 1. IDENTIFICATION

### **Heavy Duty Floor Cleaner**

Description/Use: Heavy Duty Hard Surface Cleaner Product Code: 2-329-05000 (5L), 2-329-15000 (15L)

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Use only according to directions on product spec sheet and label. Poisons Information Centre: Australia 13 11 26 NZ: 0800 764 766

### Section 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### **Statement of Hazardous Nature**

This material is classified as hazardous according to the health criteria of Safe Work Australia (SWA).

#### SUSMP Classification: S6 ADG Classification: Class 8: Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S. UN Number: 1824, SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

### **GHS Signal word: DANGER**

Corrosive to metals Category 1 Skin Corrosion /Irritation Category 1C Eye Damage Category 1 Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Not classified **HAZARD STATEMENT:** H290: May be corrosive to metals. H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. **PREVENTION:** P102: Keep out of reach of children. P103: Read label before use. P260: Do not breathe fumes, mists, vapours or spray. P264: Wash contacted areas thoroughly after handling. P280: Wear protective gloves, protective clothing and eye or face protection. **RESPONSE:** 

P101: If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P301+P330+P331: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position 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 CENTRE or doctor/physician.

#### STORAGE:

P403+P233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

#### DISPOSAL:

P501: Dispose of small quantities and empty containers by wrapping with paper and putting in garbage. If they cannot be recycled, dispose of contents to an approved waste disposal plant and containers to landfill (see Section 13 of this SDS).

### Section 3. COMPOSITION INFORMATION

| Ingredients<br>(mg/m³)    | CAS No         | Conc,%   | TWA (mg/m³) | STEL    |
|---------------------------|----------------|----------|-------------|---------|
| Sodium hydroxide solution | 1310-73-2      | 0-10     | Not set     | Not set |
| All others non hazardous  | Not applicable | e to 100 |             |         |

This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may vary slightly. Minor quantities of other non-hazardous ingredients are also possible.

The SWA TWA exposure value is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week. The STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) is an exposure value that may be equalled (but should not be exceeded) for no longer than 15 minutes and should not be repeated more than 4 times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the STEL. The term "peak "is used when the TWA limit, because of the rapid action of the substance, should never be exceeded, even briefly.

### Section 4. FIRST AID

Inhalation: Move victim to fresh air. If symptoms develop, seek medical advice.

**Swallowed:** Flush mouth with water. DO NOT induce vomiting. Get immediate medical attention. For advice, call the POISONS INFORMATION CENTRE.

**Eye Contact:** Immediately rinse with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids open. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. For advice, call the POISONS INFORMATION CENTRE.

**Skin Contact**: Wash skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Symptoms caused by exposure: Irritating and burning sensation after contact.

Medical attention and special treatment: No Specific treatment. Treat symptomatically.



## Section 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

This product is not flammable under the conditions of storage and use and does not support combustion.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use the extinguisher appropriate to the principal fire hazard or to the source of the fire.

Specific Hazards: None known.

Hazardous Combustion Products: If this product is involved in a fire, the water contained in it may evaporate, leaving a residue which may combust. During combustion, the residue may produce carbon monoxide as well as other unidentifiable organic compounds.

**Protective Equipment:** Fire fighters are to wear protective equipment appropriate to the principal fire hazard or the source of the fire. No special protective equipment required if this product is involved in a fire.

Flash Point: This product will not flash and does not support combustion.

Flammability: This product is not flammable under the conditions of use and does not support combustion.

### Section 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Spills & Disposal

Note: spillages are slippery. Wear appropriate protective equipment. Cordon off the spillage area. Isolate the source of the spillage or leak. Contain the spillage using a suitable non-flammable absorbent material such as sand or diatomaceous earth and then transfer into sealed plastic containers for disposal.

### Section 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in plastic containers in a clean, dry, cool, well ventilated place away from foodstuffs. Keep containers sealed when not in use. It is recommended that this product be dispensed through approved dispensers.

This material is classified as a Class 8 Corrosive as per the criteria of the "Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail" and/or the "New Zealand NZS5433: Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land" and must be stored in accordance with the relevant regulations.

This material is a Poison Schedule 6 (Danger) and must be stored, maintained and used in accordance with the relevant regulations.

### Section 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

National Exposure



No value assigned by NOHSC for any ingredients used in this product. The following ingredients have been listed with an OEL as per SWA – Work Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

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|---------------------------|-----------|--------|-------------|---------|
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Not required under normal conditions of use. Wear chemical goggles if handling large amounts and if splashing is likely to occur.

#### Individual Protection Measures

Not required under normal conditions of use. The following Australian Standards provide general advice regarding safety clothing and equipment:

Respiratory equipment: AS/NZ 1715; Protective gloves: AS2161; Occupational Protective Clothing: AS/NZS 4501 2008; Industrial Eye Protection: AS 1336 and AS/NZS 1337; Occupational Protective Footwear: AS/NZS 2210.

No special equipment is usually needed when handling small quantities. The following are for bulk handling or where regular exposure in an occupational setting occurs without proper containment systems. **Eye and face protection:** safety glasses or chemical resistant goggles should be worn to prevent eye contact. It is also recommended to provide eyebath or eyewash facilities in an area close to where the product is being used.

**Skin protection:** Information at hand indicates that this product is not harmful and normally no special skin protection is necessary. However, we suggest that you routinely avoid skin contact with all chemical products and that you wear suitable gloves (preferably elbow-length) when skin contact is likely. **Respiratory protection:** Not normally needed. If significant vapours or mists are generated, use an appropriate respirator in accordance with AS/NZS 1715.

### **Engineering Controls**

Natural ventilation adequate under normal conditions of use.

### Section 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

| Appearance:              | Liquid         | Colour:                          | Red           |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| Flashpoint (ºC):         | Not applicable | Boiling Point ( <sup>o</sup> C): | 102°C         |
| Flammability Limits (%): | Not flammable  | Vapour Pressure:                 | Not available |
| Water Solubility:        | Complete       | Specific Gravity:                | 1.06          |
| Odour                    | None           | pH:                              | 13-14         |

### Section 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY



| Reactivity:                                 | Hazardous polymerization will not occur.  |
|---|---|
| Stability:                                  | Considered stable. For extended storage life, store below 30°C and keep out of direct sunlight. |
| Hazardous Polymerisation:                   | Will not occur.   |
| Materials to Avoid:<br>Conditions to Avoid: | Strong oxidising agents. Acids.<br>No known conditions to avoid.                                |

## Section 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label.

| Information on Route of Exposure Acute Toxicity:            |                                |                                   |
|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ingestion:  | No effects known               |                                   |
| Eye Contact:  | No effects known               |                                   |
| Skin Contact:   | No effects known               |                                   |
| Inhalation:   | In large amounts can cause hea | dache, nausea and mucous membrane |
|   | irritation                     |                                   |
| Skin Corrosion/Irritation:                                  | Not classified                 |                                   |
| Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: Not classified               |                                |                                   |
| Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation: Not classified           |                                |                                   |
| Germ Cell Mutagenicity:                                     | Not classified                 |                                   |
| Carcinogenicity:  | Not classified                 |                                   |
| Reproductive Toxicity:                                      |                                | Not classified                    |
| Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) – Single Exposure:    |                                | Not classified                    |
| Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) – Repeated Exposure:  |                                | Not classified                    |
| Aspiration Hazard:  |                                | Not classified                    |
| Immediate, Delayed or Chronic Health Effects From Exposure: |                                | None known                        |
|   |                                |                                   |

## Section 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

| Ecotoxicity:                      | No product data available.   |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Persistence and Degradability:    | Not readily biodegradable.   |
| <b>Bioaccumulative Potential:</b> | Low bioaccumulation potential.                                     |
| Mobility in Soil:                 | Low sorption to soil/sediment, moderate migration to ground water. |
|                                   | (Estimated Log KOC value (EpiSuite 4.1 KOCWIN) <1)                 |



### Section 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Disposal methods:** Refer to Waste Management Authority. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with Local/regional/national/international regulations.

## Section 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the "Australian Dangerous Goods Code for transport by Road and Rail"

UN Number: 1824, Sodium Hydroxide Solution

Hazchem Code: 2R Special Provisions: 274 Dangerous Goods Class: Class 8: Corrosive Substances. Packing Group: II Emergency Response Guide No: 37 Proper Shipping Name: SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION Packing Instruction: P001, IBC02 Note 1: Concentrated strong alkalis are incompatible with concentrated strong acids. Note 2: Concentrated strong acids are incompatible with concentrated strong alkalis.

Note 3: Acids are incompatible with Dangerous Goods of Class 6 which are cyanides. Exemptions may apply.

### Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

All ingredients are listed in the Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS). This document has been produced in accordance with the requirements of GHS of classification and labelling.

This SDS summarises at the date of issue our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of this product and, in particular, how to safely handle and use this product in the workplace. Since the supplier cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, review this SDS in the context of how the user intends to handle and use the product in the workplace. If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate assessment can be made, the user should contact this supplier.





## Section 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADG Code: Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

AICS: Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances.

CAS Number: Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number.

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

HAZCHEM: An emergency action code of numbers and letters which gives information to emergency services.

HSIS: Hazardous Substances Information System

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer.

NOHSC: National Occupational Health and Safety Commission.

NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA).

SDS: Safety Data Sheet

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit.

SUSMP: Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.

TWA: Time Weighted Average. UN Number: United Nations Number.

#### Literature references:

- Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice (Safe Work Australia)
- GHS Hazardous Chemical Information List (Safe Work Australia)
- Guidance on the Classification of Hazardous Chemicals under the WHS Regulations. Safe Work Australia.
- Global Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
- "Australian Exposure Standards"
- Australian Code For The Transport Of Dangerous Goods By Road And Rail
- Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons
- Material Safety Data Sheets individual raw materials Suppliers.
- Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances NOHSC:1008(1999)]
- Hazardous Substance Information System National Worksafe Data Base.
- Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS).
- Implementation of the globally harmonised system of classification and labelling of chemicals (GHS).
- ECHA (European Chemicals Agency)