

Material Safety Data Sheet

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1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Product code DN4731
Product name Torpedo
Recommended Use Sewer and Drain Maintenance
Supplier Drummond, A Lawson Brand
Lawson Products, Inc.
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

Aggravated Medical Conditions

None Known.

Principal Routes of Exposure

Eyes. Skin. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Potential health effects

Eyes May cause the following effects: Severe irritation. Burning sensation. Irreversible damage to eyes. Blindness.

Skin Causes burns. Tissue destruction.

Inhalation May cause the following effects. Respiratory system damage. Breathing difficulty. Nausea. Dizziness.

Ingestion Swallowing substance may cause the following effects: Corrosive. Pain. Nausea. Death.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	< 100

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye contact Flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Seek medical attention.

Skin contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Ingestion Do Not induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water. Dilute with liquid. Keep head below hips if vomiting occurs. Seek medical attention.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. Provide oxygen or artificial respiration if necessary. Seek medical attention.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point °C None
Flash point °F None
Method Not Applicable

Autoignition temperature °C Not Applicable
Autoignition temperature °F Not Applicable

Flammability Limits (% in Air)
Upper No data available
Lower No data available

Suitable extinguishing media

Water fog. Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Dry chemical.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

Specific hazards

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Fire and Explosion Hazards

Contact with active metals can release flammable hydrogen gas.

Hazardous decomposition products

See Section 10.

Sensitivity to shock

No information available.

Sensitivity to static discharge

No information available.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Methods for cleaning up

Personnel should wear appropriate protective equipment. Follow all precautions for handling. Please refer to appropriate sections of MSDS for additional information. Do not allow product to reach sewage system, soil, surface or ground water, or any water course. Notify proper authorities if entry occurs. Soak up excess with absorbent material. Dispose of absorbent in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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Keep container closed when not in use. Keep out of reach of children. For industrial and institutional use only.

Storage

Keep tightly closed in a dry and cool place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL (TWA)	OSHA PEL (Ceiling)	ACGIH OEL (TWA)	ACGIH OEL (STEL)
Sodium hydroxide	2 mg/m ³	-	-	-

Ventilation and Environmental Controls

Sufficient ventilation in volume and in pattern, should be provided to keep air contamination below current applicable OSHA PEL or ACGIH OEL limits. Use in a well ventilated area.

Hygiene measures

General industrial hygiene practice.

Respiratory protection

If the exposure limits are exceeded, a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator is recommended.

Hand Protection

Gloves are not required in normal use.

Eye protection

Use safety eyewear designed to protect against impact.

Skin and body protection

None necessary under normal conditions

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form	Solid
Color	Orange
Odor	Lemon
Odor Threshold	Not Applicable
pH	13.5
Specific Gravity	2.13
Vapor pressure	Not Applicable
Vapor density	Not Applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not Applicable
Water solubility	Partly soluble
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not Applicable
Boiling point/range °C	1387
Boiling point/range °F	2530
Melting point/range °C	Not Applicable
Melting point/range °F	Not Applicable
Flash point °C	None
Flash point °F	None

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Stability**

Stable.

Conditions to avoid

Contact with active metals can release flammable hydrogen gas.

Incompatibility

Acids. Active metals (i.e. zinc, magnesium, tin, aluminum and their alloys)

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. Sodium hydroxide will react with sugar to generate carbon monoxide which is hazardous and can cause death by inhalation .

Polymerization

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Component Information**

Chemical Name	LD50 (oral, rat)	LD50 (dermal, rat/rabbit)	LC50 (inhalation, rat)
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	1350 mg/kg	-

Synergistic Products

None known

Potential health effects**Sensitization**

None known .

Chronic toxicity

None known .

Mutagenic effects

None known .

Teratogenic effects

None known .

Reproductive toxicity

None known .

Target Organ Effects

None Known.

Carcinogenic effects

See table below

Chemical Name	ACGIH OEL - Carcinogens	IARC	NTP - Known Carcinogens	NTP - Suspected Human Carcinogens	OSHA RTK Carcinogens
Sodium hydroxide	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste from residues / unused products

Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

DOT

UN1759 Corrosive solids, n.o.s. (Sodium hydroxide), Class 8, PG III

Exception: (Corrosive PG II not more than 1.0L or 1.0kg) Consumer

Commodity ORM-D

TDG

Consumer commodity

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

State Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey - RTK	Pennsylvania - RTK	California Prop. 65
Sodium hydroxide	Listed	Listed	Not Listed

International Inventories

Chemical Name	EINECS	DSL	NDSL	TSCA
Sodium hydroxide	X	X	-	X

CPR

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Product Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the Controlled Product Regulations

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS

Health - 3

Flammability - 0

Physical Hazard - 2

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