

1. IDENTIFICATION AND USE OF THE PRODUCT AND SUPPLIER

PRODUCT NAME ALKA 500
 USAGE: Concentrated Alkaline Cleaner for CIP Ducts and Tanks

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2. IDENTIFICATION OF HAZARDS

• Risk classification of the substance - Hazard statement



GHS05 CORROSION

Hazard statement

Skin corrosion, causes severe eye damage, causes skin burns. If ingesting causes burns in the digestive system. Inhalation: May cause irritation of the nose, throat, and lungs.
 Corrosive materials to metals

• Labeling Element



Sodium Hydroxide

• Precautionary Advice

If medical advice is required; Alternate the available container or label.

Keep out of reach of children

Read the label before use

Do not breathe in spray fumes.

Skin contact (hair): Remove soiled clothing immediately, rinse thoroughly in the shower

Contact with eyes: Rinse carefully with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to remove, continue rinsing

Dispose of container contents in accordance with national, international, regional and local regulations.

NFPA Classification System - scale (0-4)



Santé =4

Inflammabilité = 1

Instabilité : 0

HMIS - échelle (0-4)

HEALTH	4
FLAMMABILITY	1
PHYSICAL DANGER	0

3. COMPOSITION / COMPONENT INFORMATION

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name: Mixtures

Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with non-hazardous additions

1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	25 – 50 %
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4. FIRST AID

INHALATION : Bring the victim to fresh air. If the victim is unconscious, place him on his side before transporting him. Getting medical attention
 SKIN Wash immediately and thoroughly with water or in the shower; Use mild soap, wash clothes before reuse. Getting medical attention
 EYES Rinse immediately with plenty of water, keeping the eyelids open. Remove contact lenses if the victim wears them and if they can be easily removed. Continue rinsing.
 Seek medical attention immediately .
 INGESTION : DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING, Do not make an unconscious person swallow. If the victim is conscious, rinse the victim's bouche.et make him take a lot of water. Seek medical attention immediately.

- Most significant symptoms and effects (acute and delayed): (Refer to section 11) -No other important information available
- Immediate medical management or special treatment, if applicable: No other important information available

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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- EXTINGUISHING MEANS: Use the appropriate means to extinguish the fire: Carbon dioxide (CO₂), powder, chemical foam.
- INAPPROPRIATE EXTINGUISHING AGENTS: No other important information available.
- HAZARDS SPECIFIC TO THE HAZARDOUS PRODUCT OR MIXTURE: No other important information available
- SPECIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR FIREFIGHTERS: Use personal protective equipment.

6. MEASURES IN THE EVENT OF AN ACCIDENTAL SPILL

- PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY MEASURES: Wear protective equipment, keep unprotected people away. (Refer to section 8 for personal protection). And section 13 for product disposal data.
- METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING: Using absorbent materials such as sand, vermiculite, universal absorbents, sawdust, Use adequate ventilation. (Refer to section 13 for product disposal).

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- SAFE HANDLING PRECAUTIONS: The workplace must be well ventilated to prevent the formation of vapours
- STORAGE SAFETY CONDITIONS AND INCOMPATIBLE EQUIPMENT: Avoid heat, Strong acids and metals, slightly reactive with organic substances.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROL / PERSONAL PROTECTION

- CONTROL PARAMETERS,

COMPONENTS WITH OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES

1310-73-2 Sodium Hydroxide (25 – 50%)

PEL Short-term value: 2 mg/m³

REL Cap: 2 mg/m³

TLV 2 mg/m³ TWA

- APPROPRIATE ENGINEERING MEASURES: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in enclosed areas. Use closed vacuum procedures, local exhaust ventilation, or other technical control to keep levels of suspended substances below exposure limits. Emergency eyewash stations and showers must be available in the workplace while handling this product.

- PERSONAL PROTECTIVE MEASURES:

GLOVES: Waterproof gloves



EYES: Protective eyewear



RESPIRATORY: Cartridge mask as needed



OTHER: Protective clothing



9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE:	Clear amber liquid
SMELL	No
OLFACTORY SMELL	Not available
pH (soil 1%)	13.0 – 14.0
MELTING POINT	Not available
POINT OF EBULLITION	100°C.
FLASH POINT	101°C.
EVAPORATION RATE	Not available
FLAMMABILITY (Solid, Gas)	Not applicable
LOWER FLAMMABILITY LIMITS	Not available
UPPER FLAMMABILITY LIMITS	Not available
VAPOUR PRESSURE (20 °C)	17 mm Hg
DENSITY (20 °C)	1.25 – 1.35
WATER SOLUBILITY	Complete
STEAM DENSITY	Not available
PARTITION COEFFICIENT (n-octanol/water)	Not available
TEMPERATURE DE DECOMPOSITION	Not available
VISCOSITY	Not available

10. STABILITY. AND RESPONSIVENESS

- RESPONSIVENESS
 - CHEMICAL STABILITY
 - RISK OF DANGEROUS REACTIONS
 - CONDITIONS TO AVOID
- Stable under normal conditions
No known dangerous reactions
No other important information available

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- INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS Acids, oxidizing products, soft metals (Al, Zn, Sn), ammonia.
- HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS No known hazardous decomposition products.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL DATA

- INFORMATION ON TOXIC EFFECTS,

Acute toxicity:

1310-73-2 Sodium Hydroxide

Oral (LD50) 2000 mg.kg (rat)

HEALTH EFFECTS

Causes burning of the airways, accompanied by a burning sensation in the nose and throat, coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath, and pulmonary edema. Symptoms of pulmonary edema may occur after exposure. Chronic skin contact at low levels to cause dermatitis.

CHRONICLE EXHIBITION

No health risks are known or foreseeable under normal conditions of use

CARCINOGENICITY

No components of this product have been identified as probable, possible or recognized carcinogens for humans by the IARC.

MUTAGENICITY

Data not available

TERATOGENICITY

Data not available

12. ECOLOGICAL DATA

ECOTOXICOLOGY

The product is not classified as hazardous to the environment. However, this does not preclude the possibility that large or frequent spills may have a harmful or harmful effect on the environment. Due to the high pH of this product, it can be expected to produce significant ecotoxicity if exposed to aquatic organisms and systems

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: 76 mg/L 24 h

PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADATION

Unknown data

POTENTIAL FOR BIOACCUMULATION/MOBILITY IN SOIL

This product is not presumed to be bio accumulative

OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS

Unknown data

13. PRODUCT DISPOSAL DATA

Dispose of this product and its container at a hazardous or special waste collection centre. Do not allow the substance to seep into sewers/water supply lines. Destroy in accordance with all applicable regulations

WASTE RESIDUES / UNUSED PRODUCTS

Dispose of in accordance with all local, provincial and federal regulations.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Number one

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TMD, DOT, IMDG, IATA

CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC N.O.S (Sodium Hydroxide)

Legal designation for transport

Transport hazard class



Class: 8 corrosive substances

Etiquette : 8

Packing Group

II

Environmental hazards

No

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Product As Sold
WHMIS Classification E Corrosive substance

The components of this product are listed in the following inventories

- **Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):** All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).
- **U.S. TSCA Inventory:** In the TSCA Inventory

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We have characterized the general risks of the product according to *the USE WE RECOMMEND FOR THIS PRODUCT*.

Any use that does not conform to our recommendations may affect the risk characterization.

This MSDS contains health and safety information. The product is to be used in applications that are consistent with our product documentation. Anyone handling this product should be informed of the precautions to be taken with respect to the product and should have access to this information. For all other uses, exposures must be assessed to allow for the implementation of handling practices and training programs that can ensure safety in the workplace. For more information, please contact your technical representative.

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