

Safety Data Sheet

according to the REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1. Product identifier**

Product form : Substance
Trade name : UN1824 Sodium hydroxide 40% w/w AGR
Chemical name : sodium hydroxide; caustic soda
IUPAC name : sodium hydroxide
EC Index-No. : 011-002-00-6
EC-No. : 215-185-5
CAS-No. : 1310-73-2
REACH registration No : 01-2119457892-27
Product code : SOHY-40A

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**1.2.1. Relevant identified uses**

Main use category : Laboratory use

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +34 937 077 970 (For technical information_Office Hours) In case of medical emergency phone 112 or to your local emergency number.

Country	Organisation/Company	Address	Emergency number	Comment
United Kingdom	National Poisons Information Service (Belfast Centre) Royal Victoria Hospital	Grosvenor Road BT12 6BA	0344 892 0111	

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]**

Corrosive to metals, Category 1 H290
Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1A H314
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318
Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16
Specific concentration limits:
(0,5 ≤C < 2) Eye Irrit. 2, H319
(0,5 ≤C < 2) Skin Irrit. 2, H315
(2 ≤C < 5) Skin Corr. 1B, H314
(5 ≤C < 100) Skin Corr. 1A, H314

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

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2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



GHS05

Signal word (CLP) :

Danger

Hazard statements (CLP) :

H290 - May be corrosive to metals.
H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318 - Causes serious eye damage.
P234 - Keep only in original packaging.
P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing 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 or shower.

Precautionary statements (CLP) :

2.3. Other hazards

Contains no PBT/vPvB substances $\geq 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent
Name : Sodium hydroxide
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Name	Product identifier	%
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2 EC-No.: 215-185-5 EC Index-No.: 011-002-00-6 REACH-no: 01-2119457892-27	≥ 0

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash skin with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse eyes with water as a precaution. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Consult an eye specialist.
First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

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4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects	: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Causes severe burns.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Serious damage to eyes.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

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

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: Non combustible.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Toxic vapours are released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Precautionary measures fire	: Stop leak if safe to do so.
Firefighting instructions	: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.
Protection during firefighting	: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Notify police and fire brigade as soon as possible.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

No additional information available

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment	: Collect spillage.
Methods for cleaning up	: Take up mechanically (sweeping, shovelling) and collect in suitable container for disposal. Store away from other materials.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling	: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Hygiene measures	: Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

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7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions	: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
Storage temperature	: 5 – 30 °C
Storage area	: Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from heat.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Laboratory chemicals.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

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EU - Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit (IOEL)	
IOEL TWA	0,5 mg/m ³
France - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Hydroxyde de sodium
VME (OEL TWA)	2 mg/m ³
Remark	Valeurs recommandées/admises
Portugal - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Hidróxido de sódio
OEL Ceiling	2 mg/m ³
Spain - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Hidróxido de sodio
VLA-EC (OEL STEL)	2 mg/m ³
United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Sodium hydroxide
WEL STEL	2 mg/m ³
SODIUM HYDROXIDE (1310-73-2)	
France - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Hydroxyde de sodium
VME (OEL TWA)	2 mg/m ³
Remark	Valeurs recommandées/admises
Portugal - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Hidróxido de sódio
OEL Ceiling	2 mg/m ³
Spain - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Hidróxido de sodio
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Local name	Sodium hydroxide

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WEL STEL	2 mg/m ³
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8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

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DNEL/DMEL (Workers)

Long-term - local effects, inhalation	1 mg/m ³
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DNEL/DMEL (General population)

Long-term - local effects, inhalation	1 mg/m ³
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8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure. EN 374.

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Safety glasses

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

Skin and body protection

Type	Standard
Protective clothing	

Hand protection:

Protective gloves against chemicals (EN 374)

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

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8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

No additional information available

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Colour	: Colourless.
Odour	: odourless.
Odour threshold	: Not available
Melting point	: 323 °C Decomposition: 'no' Sublimation: 'no'
Freezing point	: Not available
Boiling point	: 1388 °C Atm. press.: 101,325 kPa Decomposition: 'no'
Flammability	: Not available
Explosive limits	: Not applicable
Lower explosion limit	: Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	: Not applicable
Flash point	: Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	: Not available
pH	: 13 – 14
pH solution	: Not available
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not applicable
Solubility	: Not available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: Not available
Vapour pressure	: Not available
Vapour pressure at 50 °C	: Not available
Density	: 2,13 g/cm ³ Type: 'density' Temp.: 20 °C
Relative density	: Not available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: Not applicable
Particle size	: Not available

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

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 of use.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Water, humidity.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Aluminium. Metals.

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10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

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LD50 oral rat	40 mg/kg
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns.
pH: 13 – 14
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.
pH: 13 – 14
Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
STOT-single exposure : Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified
Aspiration hazard : Not classified

11.2. Information on other hazards

No additional information available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Not classified

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LC50 - Fish [1]	45,4 mg/kg
EC50 - Daphnia [1]	40,4 mg/l Test organisms (species): Ceriodaphnia sp.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

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12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : Must follow special treatment according to local regulation.
European List of Waste (LoW) code : 06 02 04* - sodium and potassium hydroxide

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

14.1. UN number or ID number

UN-No. (ADR) : UN 1824
UN-No. (IMDG) : UN 1824
UN-No. (IATA) : UN 1824
UN-No. (ADN) : UN 1824
UN-No. (RID) : UN 1824

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR) : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Sodium hydroxide solution
Proper Shipping Name (ADN) : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Proper Shipping Name (RID) : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
Transport document description (ADR) : UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II, (E)
Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II
Transport document description (IATA) : UN 1824 Sodium hydroxide solution, 8, II
Transport document description (ADN) : UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II
Transport document description (RID) : UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR) : 8
Danger labels (ADR) : 8



IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : 8
Danger labels (IMDG) : 8



IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : 8
Danger labels (IATA) : 8

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ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : 8
Danger labels (ADN) : 8



RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : 8
Danger labels (RID) : 8



14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : II
Packing group (IMDG) : II
Packing group (IATA) : II
Packing group (ADN) : II
Packing group (RID) : II

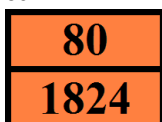
14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No
Marine pollutant : No
Other information : No supplementary information available

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Classification code (ADR) : C5
Limited quantities (ADR) : 1I
Excepted quantities (ADR) : E2
Packing instructions (ADR) : P001, IBC02
Mixed packing provisions (ADR) : MP15
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR) : T7
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (ADR) : TP2
Tank code (ADR) : L4BN
Vehicle for tank carriage : AT
Transport category (ADR) : 2
Hazard identification number (Kemler No.) : 80
Orange plates :



Tunnel restriction code (ADR) : E
EAC code : 2R

Transport by sea

Limited quantities (IMDG) : 1 L
Excepted quantities (IMDG) : E2
Packing instructions (IMDG) : P001

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IBC packing instructions (IMDG)	: IBC02
Tank instructions (IMDG)	: T7
Tank special provisions (IMDG)	: TP2
EmS-No. (Fire)	: F-A
EmS-No. (Spillage)	: S-B
Stowage category (IMDG)	: A
Properties and observations (IMDG)	: Colourless liquid. Colourless liquid. Reacts with ammonium salts, evolving ammonia gas. Causes burns to skin, eyes and mucous membranes. Reacts violently with acids.

Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	: E2
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	: Y840
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	: 0.5L
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	: 851
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	: 1L
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	: 855
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	: 30L
Special provisions (IATA)	: A3
ERG code (IATA)	: 8L

Inland waterway transport

Classification code (ADN)	: C5
Limited quantities (ADN)	: 1 L
Excepted quantities (ADN)	: E2
Carriage permitted (ADN)	: T
Equipment required (ADN)	: PP, EP
Number of blue cones/lights (ADN)	: 0

Rail transport

Classification code (RID)	: C5
Limited quantities (RID)	: 1L
Excepted quantities (RID)	: E2
Packing instructions (RID)	: P001, IBC02
Mixed packing provisions (RID)	: MP15
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (RID)	: T7
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (RID)	: TP2
Tank codes for RID tanks (RID)	: L4BN
Transport category (RID)	: 2
Colis express (express parcels) (RID)	: CE6
Hazard identification number (RID)	: 80

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

EU restriction list (REACH Annex XVII)	
Reference code	Applicable on
3.	UN1824 Sodium hydroxide 40% w/w AGR
3(b)	UN1824 Sodium hydroxide 40% w/w AGR

REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

UN1824 Sodium hydroxide 40% w/w AGR is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

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REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

UN1824 Sodium hydroxide 40% w/w AGR is not on the REACH Candidate List

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

UN1824 Sodium hydroxide 40% w/w AGR is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

UN1824 Sodium hydroxide 40% w/w AGR is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Sodium hydroxide is not subject to REGULATION (EU) No 1005/2009 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 September 2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors.

Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EC) 273/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 February 2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.

15.1.2. National regulations

Germany

Water hazard class (WGK) : WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water (Classification according to VwVwS, Annex 1 or 2; ID No. 142).
Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

Netherlands

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : The substance is not listed
SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : The substance is not listed
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Borstvoeding : The substance is not listed
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid : The substance is not listed
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Ontwikkeling : The substance is not listed

Denmark

Danish National Regulations : Young people below the age of 18 years are not allowed to use the product

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No additional information available

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:

Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
Eye Irrit. 2	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2
H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
Met. Corr. 1	Corrosive to metals, Category 1

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Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1A
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1B
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2

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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.