

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



MSDS ID: 00420017

I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION AND USE

PRODUCT NAME: ALKON

**USE:** Electrolytic cleaner

SUPPLIER: EMERGENCY PHONE:

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WHMIS CLASSIFICATION: E TRADE NAME / SYNONYMS: not applicable

CHEMICAL FAMILY: Alkali CHEMICAL NAME: not applicable

#### **II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS**

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT	% w/w	CAS#	LD50 / LC50	Route / Species
Sodium hydroxide	15-40	001310-73-2	LDLo 500 mg/kg	oral/rab
Sodium carbonate	30-60	000497-19-8	LD50 4090 mg/kg	oral/rat
Tetrasodium pyrophosphate	5-10	007722-88-5	LD50 4000 mg/kg	oral/rat
Sodium metasilicate	10-30	006834-92-0	LD50 1153 mg/kg	oral/rat

#### **III - HANDLING AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES**

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Gloves: Natural Rubber, Neoprene or Nitrile Eye: Safety goggles Footwear: Not required

**Respiratory:** NIOSH approved dust mask **Other:** rubber apron

SPECIAL HANDLING PROCEDURES AND EQUIPMENT: Avoid breathing dust. Rapid mixing of this product with water generates heat and

dangerous boiling can result. Always add this product to cold water slowly and

with good mixing.

VENTILATION REQUIREMENTS: mechanical exhaust

INCOMPATIBILITY (Material to Avoid): Acids, reducing agents, ammonia and amines.

SPILL PROCEDURES: Sweep or scoop up material for disposal. Wash spill area with large volumes of water.

WASTE DISPOSAL: Dispose according to municipal, provincial, and federal regulations.

STORAGE / SHIPPING REQUIREMENT: Store in a cool dry area in a closed container. UN3262

## **IV - PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

**APPEARANCE / ODOUR:** Off-white granular powder

S.G. / BULK DENSITY(g/cc): 1.15

pH: not available

VAPOUR PRESSURE (mmHg): not applicable

VAPOUR DENSITY (air=1): not applicable

DOUR THRESHOLD: not available

BOILING POINT: not applicable

FREEZING POINT: not applicable

PERCENT VOLATILE: not applicable

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble EVAPORATION RATE (water=1): not applicable

## **V - TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES**

## EFFECTS OF ACUTE EXPOSURE TO MATERIAL:

EYES: Corrosive. May cause severe irritation. May cause permanent damage if not treated promptly.

**SKIN:** Corrosive. May cause severe irritation.

INGESTION: Corrosive. May cause severe irritation of the digestive tract.

INHALATION: Corrosive. Breathing dust may cause respiratory irritation. LC50 (calculated): not available LD50 (calculated): 1014 mg/kg OTHER TOXIC EFFECTS: Sodium hydroxide STEL-CEL 2mg/m3 **EFFECTS OF CHRONIC** not available **EXPOSURE TO MATERIAL: VI - FIRST AID MEASURES** EYES: Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyelids open while rinsing. Contact a physician immediately. SKIN: Flush affected area thoroughly with water. If irritation develops, contact a physician. INGESTION: Drink large volumes of water . Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious patient. Do not induce vomiting. Contact a physician immediately. INHALATION: Remove patient to fresh air. Get medical attention for any breathing difficulty. VII - FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA FLAMMABLE: No FLASH POINT, °C: **AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE,°C:** not applicable N/Ap **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Dry Chemical [x] Carbon Dioxide [x] Water [x] Foam [x] Other [ ] SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. **HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:** Oxides of carbon, nitrogen, phosphorus. **EXPLOSIVE SENSITIVITY TO:** not applicable **VIII - REACTIVITY DATA** STABILITY: Stable [x] Unstable [ ] CONDITIONS TO AVOID: not applicable INCOMPATIBILITY (Material to Avoid): Acids, reducing agents, amines and ammonia. HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Contact with acids will produce heat. REACTIVITY: not dangerously reactive **IX - MSDS PREPARATION** PREPARED BY: SOURCES USED: **RTECS** JohnsonDiversey Canada, Inc. Regulatory Department Industrial Division PREPARATION DATE: October 27, 2003

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