

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION AND USE MSDS ID: 00486

PRODUCT NAME: BMC-2

USE: High Alkaline Cleaner

SUPPLIER:

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WHMIS CLASSIFICATION: E TRADE NAME / SYNONYMS: not applicable

CHEMICAL FAMILY: Caustic Alkali CHEMICAL NAME: not applicable

II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT	% w/w	CAS#	LD50 / LC50	Route / Species
Potassium hydroxide	10-30	001310-58-3	LD50 365 mg/kg	oral/rat
Modified polyether	1-5	Propietory	not available	n/a
Tetrapotassium pyrophosphate	1-5	007320-34-5	LD50 2980 mg/kg	oral/rat

III - HANDLING AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Gloves: Natural rubber, neoprene, nitrile or Eye: Safety goggles Footwear: As required

PVC

Respiratory: If mists are generated, use NIOSH approved **Other:** Rubber apron/face shield

mask

SPECIAL HANDLING PROCEDURES AND EQUIPMENT: Avoid eye and skin contact. Do not breathe mist or spray.

VENTILATION REQUIREMENTS: general ventilation

INCOMPATIBILITY (Material to Avoid): Acids, Soft Metals.

SPILL PROCEDURES: Contain the spill. Do not allow the spilled product to go to drain. Mop up or soak up with absorbent clay 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. Avoid freezing. UN1814

IV - PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE / ODOUR: Dark brown liquid

not available S.G. / BULK DENSITY(g/cc): 1.21 pH: VAPOUR PRESSURE (mmHg): not available VAPOUR DENSITY (air=1): not applicable ODOUR THRESHOLD: not applicable **BOILING POINT:** 104°C FREEZING POINT: not available PERCENT VOLATILE: 55% **SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** EVAPORATION RATE (water=1):

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. May cause permanent damage if not treated promptly.

INGESTION: Corrosive. May cause severe irritation of the digestive tract. May cause temporary or permanent damage if not treated

promptly.

INHALATION: Inhalation of spray or mist may cause irritation of respiratory tract.

LD50 (calculated): 811 mg/kg LC50 (calculated): Not applicable OTHER TOXIC EFFECTS: Potassium Hydroxide TLV-CL 2 mg/m3 **EFFECTS OF CHRONIC** None known. **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: not applicable **AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE,°C:** N/Ap Dry Chemical [X] **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Water [] Carbon Dioxide [X] Foam [X] Other [] SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: Oxides of carbon. **EXPLOSIVE SENSITIVITY TO:** not applicable **VIII - REACTIVITY DATA** STABILITY: Stable [X] Unstable [] CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Excessive heat INCOMPATIBILITY (Material to Avoid): Acids, Soft Metals. HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Heat released on contact with acids. Contact with soft metals forms flammable hydrogen REACTIVITY: not dangerously reactive **IX - MSDS PREPARATION** SOURCES USED: RTECS. MSDS. PREPARED BY: JohnsonDiversey Canada, Inc. Regulatory Department Industrial Division PREPARATION DATE: April 15, 2003 Phone (905) 829-1200 Information on this form is furnished in compliance with the Regulations respecting Controlled Products under the Hazardous Products Act and is not to be used for any other purpose, nor is it to be reproduced or published. JohnsonDiversey Canada assumes no responsibility for injury to any person or property resulting from any use of the material if reasonable safety procedures are not adhered to. In addition, JohnsonDiversey Canada assumes no responsibility for injury to any person or property resulting from any abnormal use or theft of the material, even if reasonable safety procedures are followed. Each user assumes the risk in his use of the material and should review the data and recommendations in the specific context of the intended use.