# NEW ENGLAND Biolabs\*

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# Section 1: Identification

Product identifier

Product name Desulphonation Reaction Buffer

Product No B1028

Other means of identification

Synonyms None

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** This product is for research and development only.

Uses advised against

Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents This product contains one or more substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

Verify requirements related to using, handling, and storing these substances.

Details of manufacturer or importer

**Supplier** 

New England BioLabs (Australia) Pty Ltd 22/270 Ferntree Gully Road Notting Hill, VIC 3168

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Emergency telephone number

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24 Hour Emergency Phone Number Chemtrec +65 3163 8374

Australian Poisons Information: 131 126

# Section 2: Hazard(s) identification

### **GHS Classification**

Corrosive to metals	Category 1
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

### Label elements

Corrosion



### Signal word DANGER

### **Hazard statements**

May be corrosive to metals

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection

Keep only in original packaging

# **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

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IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower]

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

# **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

Store in corrosion resistant container with a resistant inner liner

### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Other hazards which do not result in classification

May be harmful if swallowed.

# Section 3: Composition and information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%	
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	10 - 20%	
Non-hazardous ingredients	Proprietary	Balance	

<sup>\*</sup>The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

# Section 4: First aid measures

**Description of first aid measures** 

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is

required.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical

attention immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur. Get immediate medical

attention.

**Eye contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open

while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get immediate medical attention.

**Skin contact**Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes

and shoes. Get immediate medical attention.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce

vomiting. Get immediate medical attention.

Self-protection of the first aider Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use

barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** Burning sensation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated.

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood

pressure may occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure.

Section 5: Firefighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

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Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the

surrounding environment.

Large Fire CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Special exposure hazards in a fire

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition

can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Use personal protection equipment.

# Section 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal

protective equipment as required. Attention! Corrosive material. Evacuate personnel to safe

areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Should not be released into the

environment. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

# Section 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Do not breathe

dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using

this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

General hygiene considerations Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this

product. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from

moisture. Store locked up. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from other

materials.

Incompatible materials Oxidizing agent. Acids. Bases.

# Section 8: Exposure controls and personal protection

### Control parameters

### **Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	Australia	New Zealand	ACGIH TLV
Sodium Hydroxide	Peak: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

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Chemical name	European Union	United Kingdom	Germany DFG
Sodium Hydroxide	-	STEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	-
1310-73-2			

**Biological occupational exposure** 

limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits

established by the region specific regulatory bodies

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles. Face protection shield.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

Thermal hazards No information available.

# Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid Appearance Colorless

**Color** No information available

Odor Mild.

Odor threshold No information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

No data available None known pН Melting point / freezing point No data available None known Initial boiling point and boiling rangeNo data available None known Flash point No data available None known **Evaporation rate** No data available None known No data available Flammability (solid, gas) None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

No data available Vapor pressure None known Vapor density No data available None known Relative density No data available None known Water solubility No data available None known No data available Solubility(ies) None known No data available **Partition coefficient** None known No data available Autoignition temperature None known **Decomposition temperature** No data available None known Kinematic viscosity No data available None known **Dynamic viscosity** No data available None known

Other information

VOC content No information available Particle characteristics No information available

# Section 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

Chemical stability

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None. Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid** Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

Incompatible materials

**Incompatible materials** Oxidizing agent. Acids. Bases.

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# Section 11: Toxicological information

### **Acute toxicity**

### Information on likely routes of exposure

### **Product Information**

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive by inhalation.

(based on components). Inhalation of corrosive fumes/gases may cause coughing, choking, headache, dizziness, and weakness for several hours. Pulmonary edema may occur with tightness in the chest, shortness of breath, bluish skin, decreased blood pressure, and increased heart rate. Inhaled corrosive substances can lead to a toxic edema of the lungs.

Pulmonary edema can be fatal.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye damage.

(based on components). Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including

blindness. May cause irreversible damage to eyes.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Corrosive. (based on

components). Causes burns.

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes burns. (based on

components). Ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts. May cause severe burning pain in the mouth and stomach with vomiting and diarrhea of dark

blood. Blood pressure may decrease. Brownish or yellowish stains may be seen around the mouth. Swelling of the throat may cause shortness of breath and choking. May cause lung

damage if swallowed. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

**Symptoms** Redness. Burning. May cause blindness. Coughing and/ or wheezing.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

### The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

 ATEmix (oral)
 2,708.30 mg/kg

 ATEmix (dermal)
 11,250.00 mg/kg

 ATEmix (inhalation-gas)
 99,999.00 ppm

 ATEmix (inhalation-vapor)
 99,999.00 mg/l

 ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)
 99,999.00 mg/l

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium Hydroxide	= 325 mg/kg (Rat)	= 1350 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes severe skin burns and eye

damage.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye damage. Causes

burns.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure**No information available.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

# Section 12: Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Aquatic ecotoxicity** 

**Unknown aquatic toxicity** 0 % of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic

environment.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Sodium Hydroxide	-	LC50: =45.4mg/L (96h,	-	-
		Oncorhynchus mykiss)		

**Terrestrial ecotoxicity** There is no data for this product.

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** There is no data for this product.

**Mobility** 

**Mobility** No information available.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects No information available.

# Section 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

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environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

See section 8 for more information

# Section 14: Transport information

ADG Not regulated

IATA

UN number or ID number UN1824

Proper shipping name Sodium Hydroxide solution

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group | |

<u>IMDG</u>

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

No information available

# Section 15: Regulatory information

### Regulatory information

### National regulations

### Australia

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

### Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

No poisons schedule number allocated

### **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

	Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	Additional information
Sodium Hydroxide - 1310-73-2	Present	-

### **Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents**

This product contains one or more substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list. Verify requirements related to using, handling, and storing these substances.

Chemical name	Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents
Sodium Hydroxide - 1310-73-2	Category 3

### Legend

Category 3 - Chemicals and apparatus that may be used in the illicit production of drugs. Purchases from this list should alert companies or organizations to seek further indicators of any suspicious orders or enquiries. No official reporting is required for items on this list unless considered warranted.

### **International Inventories**

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. AIIC **NZIoC** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **TSCA** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **DSL/NDSL** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **EINECS/ELINCS ENCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **IECSC** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **KECI** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **PICCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

### Legend

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**International Regulations** 

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

# Section 16: Other information

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**Revision Note** 

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

### Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

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Ceiling Maximum limit value Sk\* Skin designation

C Carcinogen

### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

**Environmental Protection Agency** 

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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