



## Section 1. Chemical product and company identification

Trade name : QUINTET AT MACHINE DETERGENT  
 Product use : Machine Warewashing Detergent  
 Supplier : Puritan Services Inc.  
 655 Lone Oak Drive  
 Eagan MN 55121  
 1-800-275-8914  
 Code : 952226-10  
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EMERGENCY HEALTH INFORMATION: 1-800-328-0026  
 Outside United States and Canada CALL 1-651-222-5352 (in USA)

## Section 2. Composition, information on ingredients

| Name             | CAS number | % by weight |
|------------------|------------|-------------|
| sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2  | 28          |

## Section 3. Hazards identification

Physical state : Liquid. (Liquid.)  
 Emergency overview : DANGER!

CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT, EYE AND SKIN BURNS.  
 HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

Do not ingest. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist.  
 Keep container closed. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling.

### Potential acute health effects

Eyes : Corrosive to eyes.  
 Skin : Corrosive to the skin.  
 Inhalation : Corrosive to the respiratory system.  
 Ingestion : Harmful if swallowed. Causes burns to mouth, throat and stomach.  
 See toxicological information (section 11)

## Section 4. First aid measures

Eye contact : In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with cool running water. Remove contact lenses and continue flushing with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately.  
 Skin contact : In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.  
 Inhalation : If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.  
 Ingestion : Rinse mouth; then drink one or two large glasses of water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

## Section 5. Fire fighting measures

Flash point : > 100 °C  
 Fire-fighting media and instructions : Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.  
 Dike liquid for later disposal.  
 No specific hazard  
 Special protective equipment : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

## Section 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions : Ventilate area of leak or spill. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective equipment (Section 8). Stop leak if without risk. Do not allow to enter drains or watercourses.  
 Environmental precautions : Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.  
 Methods for cleaning up : If emergency personnel are unavailable, contain spilled material. For small spills, add absorbent (soil may be used in the absence of other suitable materials), scoop up material and place in a sealable, liquid-proof container for disposal. For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway. Place spilled material in an appropriate container for disposal.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

Handling : Do not ingest. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Keep container closed. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling.  
 SAFETY REMINDER:  
 \* Never pour product into unlabeled containers  
 \* Use only for recommended uses. Read label.  
 \* Never take product home. Use only in workplace.  
 Storage : Keep out of the reach of children. Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area  
 Do not store above 50 °C.

## Section 8. Exposure controls, personal protection

Engineering controls : Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective occupational exposure limits. Provide eyewash and safety shower in area if contact or splash hazard exists.  
 Personal protection  
 Eyes : Use chemical splash goggles. For continued or severe exposure wear a face shield over the goggles.  
 Hands : Use chemical-resistant, impervious gloves.  
 Skin : Use synthetic apron, other protective equipment as necessary to prevent skin contact.  
 Respiratory : Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate and occupational exposure limits are exceeded.

### Exposure limits

OSHA PEL (United States, 8/1997).  
 TWA: 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 8 hour(s). Form: All forms  
 ACGIH TLV (United States, 1/2004).  
 CEIL: 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
 CEIL: 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Form: All forms

## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid. (Liquid.)  
 Color : Red.  
 Odor : Odorless.  
 pH : 13.5 (100%)  
 Boiling/condensation point : > 100 °C  
 Specific gravity : 1.36 (Water = 1)  
 Dispersibility properties : Easily dispersed in cold water, hot water.  
 Solubility : Easily soluble in cold water, hot water.

**Section 10. Stability and reactivity**

Stability : The product is stable.  
 Reactivity : Slightly reactive to reactive with organic materials, metals, acids, alkalis.

**Section 11. Toxicological information**

**Potential acute health effects**  
 Eyes : Corrosive to eyes.  
 Skin : Corrosive to the skin.  
 Inhalation : Corrosive to the respiratory system.  
 Ingestion : Harmful if swallowed. Causes burns to mouth, throat and stomach.  
**Potential chronic health effects**  
 Chronic effects on humans : Contains material which causes damage to the following organs: lungs, upper respiratory tract, skin, eye, lens or cornea.

**Section 12. Ecological information**

Products of degradation : These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>) and water. Some metallic oxides.

**Section 13. Disposal considerations**

Waste disposal : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements.

Waste classification : Unused product is D002 (Corrosive)  
 Consult your local or regional authorities.

**Section 14. Transport information**

| Regulatory information | UN number | Proper shipping name      | Class | Packing group | Additional information |
|------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|---------------|------------------------|
| DOT Classification     | UN1824    | Sodium hydroxide solution | 8     | II            | Not available.         |

**APPLIES ONLY DURING ROAD TRANSPORT**  
 Any variation of the shipping description based on the packaging is not addressed.

**Section 15. Regulatory information**

HCS Classification : Corrosive material  
 Target organ effects :  
 U.S. Federal regulations : SARA 302/304/311/312 extremely hazardous substances: No products were found.  
 TSCA 8(b) inventory : SARA 302/304 emergency planning and notification: No products were found.  
 California Prop. 65 : All materials are listed or exempt.  
 : No products were found.

**Section 16. Other information**

Hazardous Material Information System (U.S.A.) :

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| Health              | 3 |
| Fire hazard         | 0 |
| Reactivity          | 0 |
| Personal protection | C |

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