

SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name

LIQUID LAUNDRY BREAK

Authorization number

0275-CL5 (F470-005)

Recommended Use

Laundry Booster

Uses advised against

Restrictions on use: Do not use in any fashion not specified on the product label.

Manufacturer/Supplier

Alco Chem, Inc.
45 N. Summit St.
Akron Ohio 44308
United States

Telephone: 1.800.589.2526

Emergency telephone number

800-424-9300

National poison center

800-222-1222

SECTION 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

Classification acc. to GHS

Skin corrosion/irritation.

H314.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation.

H318.

Label elements

Signal word

Danger

Pictograms



Hazard statements

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements

Do not breathe dusts or mists.

Wear eye protection/face protection.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a poison center/doctor.

Dispose of contents/container to industrial combustion plant.

Hazardous ingredients for labelling

Sodium Hydroxide

Other hazards

Hazards not otherwise classified

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects (GHS category 3: aquatic toxicity - acute and/or chronic).

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Name of substance	Identifier	Wt%
Sodium Hydroxide	CAS No 1310-73-2	25 - < 50

For full text of abbreviations: see SECTION 16.

SECTION 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES**Following inhalation**

If breathing is irregular or stopped, immediately seek medical assistance and start first aid actions. In case of respiratory tract irritation, consult a physician. Provide fresh air.

Following skin contact

Wash with plenty of soap and water.

Following eye contact

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Irrigate copiously with clean, fresh water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eyelids apart.

Following ingestion

Rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious). Do NOT induce vomiting.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

none

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Suitable extinguishing media**

Water spray, BC-powder, Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Water jet

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**Hazardous combustion products**

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Advice for firefighters

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Coordinate firefighting measures to the fire surroundings. Do not allow firefighting water to enter drains or water courses. Collect contaminated firefighting water separately. Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

For non-emergency personnel

Remove persons to safety.

For emergency responders

Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapors/dust/aerosols/gases.

Environmental precautions

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water. Retain contaminated washing water and dispose of it.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Advice on how to contain a spill

Covering of drains

Advice on how to clean up a spill

Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Collect spillage: sawdust, kieselgur (diatomite), sand, universal binder

Appropriate containment techniques

Use of adsorbent materials.

Other information relating to spills and releases

Place in appropriate containers for disposal. Ventilate affected area.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**Precautions for safe handling****- Measures to prevent fire as well as aerosol and dust generation**

Use local and general ventilation. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Never add water to this product.

- Handling of incompatible substances or mixtures

Do not mix with acids.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash hands after use. Do not eat, drink and smoke in work areas. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. Never keep food or drink in the vicinity of chemicals. Never place chemicals in containers that are normally used for food or drink. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Protect against external exposure, such as

frost

Packaging compatibilities

Only packagings which are approved (e.g. acc. to the Dangerous Goods Regulations) may be used.

See section 16 for a general overview.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**Exposure controls****Appropriate engineering controls**

General ventilation.

Individual protection measures (personal protective equipment)**Eye/face protection**

Wear eye/face protection.

Skin protection**- Hand protection**

Wear suitable gloves. Chemical protection gloves are suitable, which are tested according to EN 374. Check leak-tightness/impermeability prior to use. In the case of wanting to use the gloves again, clean them before taking off and air them well. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

- Other protection measures

Take recovery periods for skin regeneration. Preventive skin protection (barrier creams/ointments) is recommended. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Respiratory protection

In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Environmental exposure controls

Use appropriate container to avoid environmental contamination. Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state	Liquid
Color	None
Odor	None
pH (value)	13 – 14 (base)
Melting point/freezing point	Not determined
Evaporation rate	Not determined
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not relevant (fluid)
Density	Not determined
Relative density	1.15 – 1.3 at 25 °C (water = 1)

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Reactivity**

Concerning incompatibility: see below "Conditions to avoid" and "Incompatible materials".

Chemical stability

See below "Conditions to avoid".

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No known hazardous reactions.

Conditions to avoid

There are no specific conditions known which have to be avoided.

Incompatible materials

Oxidizers

Release of flammable materials with

Light metals (due to the release of hydrogen in an acid/alkaline medium)

Hazardous decomposition products

Reasonably anticipated hazardous decomposition products produced as a result of use, storage, spill and heating are not known. Hazardous combustion products: see section 5.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Information on toxicological effects**

Test data are not available for the complete mixture.

Classification procedure

The method for classification of the mixture is based on ingredients of the mixture (additivity formula).

Classification acc. to OSHA "Hazard Communication Standard" (29 CFR 1910.1200)**Acute toxicity**

Shall not be classified as acutely toxic.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Shall not be classified as a respiratory or skin sensitizer.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Shall not be classified as germ cell mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity

Shall not be classified as carcinogenic.

Reproductive toxicity

Shall not be classified as a reproductive toxicant.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (single exposure).

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (repeated exposure).

Aspiration hazard

Shall not be classified as presenting an aspiration hazard.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Toxicity**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Aquatic toxicity (acute) of components of the mixture

Name of substance	CAS No	Endpoint	Value	Species	Exposure time
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	EC50	40.4 mg/l	aquatic invertebrates	48 h

Persistence and degradability

Data are not available.

Bioaccumulative potential

Data are not available.

Mobility in soil

Data are not available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Data are not available.

Endocrine disrupting properties

None of the ingredients are listed.

Other adverse effects

Data are not available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Waste treatment methods****Sewage disposal-relevant information**

Do not empty into drains. Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets.

Waste treatment of containers/packages

Only packagings which are approved (e.g. acc. to DOT) may be used. Completely emptied packages can be recycled. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

Remarks

Please consider the relevant national or regional provisions. Waste shall be separated into the categories that can be handled separately by the local or national waste management facilities.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**UN number**

DOT	UN 1824
IMDG-Code	UN 1824
ICAO-TI	UN 1824

UN proper shipping name

DOT	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTIONS
IMDG-Code	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
ICAO-TI	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

Transport hazard class(es)

DOT	8
IMDG-Code	8
ICAO-TI	8

Packing group

DOT	II
IMDG-Code	II
ICAO-TI	II

Environmental hazards	non-environmentally hazardous acc. to the dangerous goods regulations
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SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**National regulations (United States)****Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act (SARA TITLE III)**

- The List of Extremely Hazardous Substances and Their Threshold Planning Quantities (EPCRA Section 302, 304)

none of the ingredients are listed

- Specific Toxic Chemical Listings (EPCRA Section 313)

none of the ingredients are listed

Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA)

- List of Hazardous Substances and Reportable Quantities (CERCLA section 102a) (40 CFR 302.4)

Name of substance	CAS No	Remarks	Statutory code	Final RQ pounds (Kg)
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2		1	1000 (454)

Legend

1 "1" indicates that the statutory source is section 311(b)(2) of the Clean Water Act

Clean Air Act

none of the ingredients are listed

Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

- Cleaning Product Right to Know Act Substance List (CA-RTK)

Name of substance	CAS No	Functionality	Authoritative Lists
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2		OEHA RELS

- Toxic or Hazardous Substance List (MA-TURA)

Name of substance	CAS No	DEP CODE	PBT / HHS / LHS	PBT / HHS Threshold	De Minimis Concentration Threshold
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2				1.0 %

- Hazardous Substances List (MN-ERTK)

Name of substance	CAS No	References	Remarks
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	A, N, O	

Legend

A American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH), "Threshold Limit Values for Chemical Substances and Physical Agents and Biological Exposure Indices for 1992-93", available from ACGIH

N National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), "Recommendations for Occupational Safety and Health Standards," August 1988, available from NIOSH, Publications Dissemination Office, Division of Standards Development and Technology Transfer

O Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Safety and Health Standards, Code of Federal Regulations, title 29, part 1910, subpart Z, "Toxic and Hazardous Substances, 1990." General information: Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry, Occupational Safety and Health Division

- Hazardous Substance List (NJ-RTK)

Name of substance	CAS No	Remarks	Classifications
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2		CO R1

Legend

CO Corrosive

R1 Reactive - First Degree

- Hazardous Substance List (Chapter 323) (PA-RTK)

Name acc. to inventory	CAS No	Classification
SODIUM HYDROXIDE (NA(OH))	1310-73-2	E

Legend

E Environmental hazard

- Hazardous Substance List (RI-RTK)

Name of substance	CAS No	References
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	T, F

Legend

F Flammability (NFPA®)
T Toxicity (ACGIH®)**California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA): Proposition 65 - Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1987**

none of the ingredients are listed

NPCA-HMIS® III

Category	Rating	Description
Chronic	/	none
Health	3	major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is given
Flammability	0	material that will not burn under typical fire conditions
Physical hazard	0	material that is normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will not react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-explosive
Personal protection	-	

NFPA® 704

Category	Degree of hazard	Description
Flammability	0	material that will not burn under typical fire conditions
Health	3	material that, under emergency conditions, can cause serious or permanent injury
Instability	0	material that is normally stable, even under fire conditions
Special hazard		

National inventories

Country	Inventory	Status
EU	REACH Reg.	not all ingredients are listed
US	TSCA	not all ingredients are listed

Legend

REACH Reg. REACH registered substances
TSCA Toxic Substance Control Act

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION**Key literature references and sources for data**

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS), 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Transport of dangerous goods by road or rail (49 CFR US DOT). International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG). Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA).

Classification procedure

Physical and chemical properties: The classification is based on tested mixture.

Health hazards, Environmental hazards: The method for classification of the mixture is based on ingredients of the mixture (additivity formula).

List of relevant phrases (code and full text as stated in section 2 and 3)

Code	Text
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.

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