# SAFETY DATA SHEET



**Product Name:** 

**BC 14** 

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE / PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY

1.1 Product Identifier

**BC 14** 

1.2 Relevant/Use(s)/misuse(s)

Industrial

1.3 SDS Supplier

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1.4 Emergency Telephone

hours)

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE

2.1.1 Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP/GHS)

Skin Corr. 1A H314

2.1.2 Additional information

For text of hazard statements, see section 16

#### **2.2 LABELLING ELEMENTS**

2.2.1 Labelling in accordance with EC Regulation No 1272/2008 (CLP/GHS)

Pictogram(s):

Signal word

**DANGER** 

Hazard statement(s) CAUSES SEVERE SKIN BURNS AND EYE DAMAGE.

**Precautionary** 

statement(s)

P280

WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES/PROTECTIVE CLOTHING/EYE

PROTECTION/FACE PROTECTION.

P312 CALL A POISON CENTER OR DOCTOR/PHYSICIAN IF YOU FEEL UNWELL.

IF SWALLOWED: RINSE MOUTH. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. P301+330+331 P303+361+353 IF ON SKIN (OR HAIR): REMOVE/TAKE OFF IMMEDIATELY ALL

CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. RINSE SKIN WITH WATER/SHOWER.

IF INHALED: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR AND KEEP AT REST IN A POSITION P304+340

COMFORTABLE FOR BREATHING.

P305+351+338 IF IN EYES: RINSE CAUTIOUSLY WITH WATER FOR SEVERAL MINUTES.

REMOVE CONTACT LENSES, IF PRESENT AND EASY TO DO. CONTINUE

RINSING.

2.3 Other hazards None known **Product Name: BC 14** 

### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Chemical Characterisation** AQUEOUS ALKALINE SOLUTION PLUS ADDITIVES

**EINECS/ELINCS Classification Chemical name** CAS-No **Concentration** SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2 Skin Corr. 1A H314 215-185-5 5-10% 1,2,3-BENZOTRIAZOLE 95-14-7 202-394-1 1-2% Acute Tox. 1 H302; Eye Irrit. 2 H319; STOT SE 3 H335; Skin Irrit. 2

H315

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of measures

Inhalation If inhaled, provide fresh air, warmth, rest and if necessary, seek medical advice.

Skin contact Immediately clean areas of skin affected with soap and plenty of water. If necessary, seek

medical advice.

Eye contact Immediately wash out eye thoroughly with plenty of water until irritation subsides.

CONSULT AN EYE SPECIALIST/OPHTHALMOLOGIST.

Ingestion If product is swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water; if necessary, seek

medical advice.

4.2 Most important effects/symptoms

None known.

4.3 Immediate/special

treatment

Treatment as described above.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media To suit local surroundings (e.g. water mist, carbon dioxide, foam, chemical powder for

large fires). Do not use water jet. The product is not flammable

5.2 Special hazards Decomposition products released in a fire should be considered as probably harmful if

inhaled.

5.3 Advice for fire fighters Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions Adhere to personal protective measures.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow to get into waste water or waterways; if this occurs, inform the relevant water

authority at once.

6.3 Methods and materials for

cleaning up

Take up with absorbent material, e.g. sand, sawdust, into tightly closed containers. Label

container and dispose of as prescribed.

6.4 Reference to other

sections

See section 8 for personal protective equipment.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe Handle in accordance with good hygiene and safety practice.

handling

Ensure adequate ventilation of the storage area. Keep containers tightly closed, cool and

7.2 Conditions for safe storage

dry.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Industrial

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### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Controls parameters There are no occupational exposure limit values available (OES. Data for NaOH is for

solid material). Comply with good practice for the control of exposure.

8.2 Exposure controls

**Engineering controls** Ensure adequate ventilation of working area.

**Personal protection** Observe normal standards for handling chemicals.

Wash hands before breaks and after work.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Wear personal protective equipment appropriate to the task (see below)

**Eye protection** Safety goggles (e.g. EN 166) if splashing is likely.

**Skin protection** Gloves (e.g. Nitrile (also consider your own risk assessment; e.g. breakthrough times,

rates of diffusion and degradation, tasks undertaken)

**Respiratory protection** Approved respirator (e.g. EN 149:2001 FFP3) if ventilation is insufficient.

Other protection Protective overall

### 9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical form Liquid

Colour

Odour Faint

Odour threshold No data available

pH Not determined

Boiling pt / range From 100 °C

Melting pt / rangeNot determined°CFlash pointNot applicable°C

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Auto ignition temp. Not applicable °C

Evaporation rate

Relative density

Not determined

Flammability

Not applicable

Explosion limits

Not applicable

Vapour pressure

Not applicable

Not applicable

Not applicable

Not determined

Water solubility Miscible

Thermal decomposition No data available

Viscosity Not applicable

**Partition coefficient** Log  $P_{o/w}$  = Not determined

Explosive properties Not applicable

Oxidising properties Not applicable

9.2 Other information None known

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### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity Stable under normal conditions of handling.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable

10.3 Hazardous reactions None known. 10.4 Conditions to avoid None known. 10.5 Incompatible material None known

10.6 Hazardous

decomposition products

None

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity LD<sub>50</sub> rat (oral) mg/kg No data available.

**Dermal compatibility** No data available Mucous membrane No data available

compatibility

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity  $LC_{50}$ Aquatic organisms mg/l No data available

12.2 Degradability No data available 12.3 Bioaccumutive potential Not determined 12.4 Mobility in soil Not determined 12.5 PBT/vPvB assessment Not applicable

12.6 Other adverse effects Do not allow to get into waste water or waterways; if this occurs, inform the relevant water

authority at once.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1 Waste treatment measures

Advice on disposal In accordance with national and local authority regulations, e.g. The Hazardous Waste

(England & Wales) Regulations 2005.

Contaminated packaging Treat empty containers in the same way as the product or if possible wash out thoroughly

and recycle.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 United Nations UN 1824 (ADR, IMDG, IATA)

number

14.2 Proper shipping name SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION (ADR, IMDG, IATA)

14.3 Transport class(s) 8 (ADR, IMDG, IATA)

14.4 Packing group (ADR, IMDG, IATA)

14.5 Environmental The product should not be marked as a marine pollutant. (ADR, IMDG, IATA)

Not applicable (ADR, IMDG, IATA)

hazards

14.6 Special procedures

14.7 Transport in bulk Not applicable (ADR, IMDG, IATA) Product Name: BC 14

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations

The product is classified in accordance with EC Regulation 1272/2008 (CLP). Other regulatory information and provisions are not applicable for this product.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Not applicable

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### **Further information**

The SDS has been revised in accordance with EC Regulation 1272/2008 (CLP)

### Hazard statements referred to in sections 2/3

H302: Harmful if swallowed

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H315: Causes skin irritation.

H319: Causes serious eye irritation. H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

Sources of data Other suppliers' safety data sheets

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This information is based on our present state of knowledge and is intended to describe our products from the point of view of the safety requirements. It should not be construed as guaranteeing specific properties.

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