Camlab Limited - Material Safety Data Sheet

1110657

1. Identification

Product Code 1110657

Product Name SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE SOLUTION

Molecular Formula NaOC1 =74.44

CAS Number 7681-52-9

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2. Composition

Component	CAS No	EEC No	Conc w/w	Classification & Risk Phrases	Exp (See 8.1)
Available chlorine	7681-52-9	231-668-3	14.0%	C : R31,R34	N/A
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	215-185-5	0.4%	C : R35	N/A

3. Hazards Identification



Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. Causes burns.

4. First Aid Measures

Eyes Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open.

OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION URGENTLY.

Skin Wash off skin thoroughly with water. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash

before re-use. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.

Inhalation Remove from exposure. If material has reacted with an acid to form, chlorine, seek

immediate medical assistance.

Ingestion If conscious give plenty of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. If unconscious place in

the recovery position. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION URGENTLY.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Hazards Evacuate area immediately. Keep up wind. Avoid exposure to toxic vapours and fumes. Fire-

fighters should wear protective clothing and breathing apparatus. May evolve toxic fumes if

involved in a fire

Extinguishing

Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly.

Unsuitable

Nothing specified.

Media

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6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal Use approved personal protective equipment. Evacuate area immediately. Do not allow general

Protection use of area until it is safe to do so. If contact with acid is possible, use full

protective clothing and breathing apparatus.

Environmental Keep material out of sewers, storm drains, surface waters and soil. Notify the

Environmental Agency and local Environmental Health Officer if major spillage occurs.

Major Spillage Contain and absorb on inert material. Transfer absorbent to salvage container for removal.

Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

Minor Spillage Wash area down with copious amounts of water.

7. Storage & Handling

Handling Precautions Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath vapours. Do not allow to contaminate

clothing.

Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains vapour concentrations below the recommended

limits.

Storage Conditions Well ventilated, cool, dry storage . Large quantities must be stored in vented containers.

8.1 Workplace Exposure Limits

No prescribed exposure limits available

8.2 Personal Protection

Respiratory Use L.E.V. or natural ventilation to maintain vapour concentrations below exposure limits.

If not, use a well maintained chemical cartridge respirator, or use self contained

breathing apparatus.

Hands Use PVC gauntlets.

Eyes Use chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.

Skin If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance Clear very pale yellow / yellow-green coloured solution.

Odour Faint odour of chlorine. pH 13 @ 20 °C

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Boiling point 110.0 °C
Melting point 17.0- °C
Flash point Not available
Upper Flammable Limit Not available
Lower Flammable Limit Not available
Auto Ignition Not available

Explosive properties No.

Oxidising Properties A strong oxidising agent.

Vapour Presure Not available Relative Density 1.2600 °C

Water Solubility Completely soluble in water.

10. Stability & Reactivity

Chemical Stability Very slowly decomposes with release of oxygen, this is accelerated by elevated

temperatures.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid exposure to heat and strong sunlight.

Materials to Avoid Acids, ammonium salts, methanol, hydrocarbons, copper, nickel, iron and monel metal.

Hazardous Decomposes to form flammable oxygen and highly toxic chlorine gas.

Decomposition Products

11. Toxicological Information

Eyes The liquid is be extremely irritating to eyes and can cause chemical eye burns. Damage can

range from severe irritation and corneal scarring to permanent blindness.

Skin The liquid will cause burns.

LD50 Skin Not available

oesophagus. Ingestion may lead to formation of very toxic chlorine gas by reaction with

stomach contents.

LD50 Ingest Oral Rat 8910mg/Kg

there is a serious risk of brachial an pulmonary oedema. Symptoms may be delayed for 48

hours or more.

Carcinogenicity Not considered to be a carcinogen.

Mutagenicity Not considered to be a mutagen.

Reproductive Effects None identified.

12. Ecological

Material will degrade slowly to sodium chloride, sodium chlorate and oxygen. Toxic to aquatic organisms. Very toxic to fish.

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods Dispose of via an authorised waste disposal contractor to an approved waste disposal site, observing all local and national regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Use a licensed waste disposer.

14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name Hypochlorite Solution

UN Number 1791

UN Classification 8 Corrosive

Subsidiary Risk None

Flash Point Not available

Packing Group III
Transport Category 3
Marine pollutant No
ADR Hazard ID 80



15. Regulatory Information

Labelling Corrosive.

Classification
Label Symbols



Risk & safety Phrases Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. Causes burns. Keep out of reach of children. Keep

container upright. After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

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16. Other Information

Document Information

This document has been prepared in accordance with directive 88/379/EEC.

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