

CAUSTIC POTASH LIQUOR

MSDS Number

BBCPK

National Stock Number

6140-00D000381

Product Name

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Manufacturer

NIFE INCORPORATED

Product Identification

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Responsible Party

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GEORGE WASHINGTON HWY AND PAULINE DR

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US

Cage: DO970

Contractor

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Ingredients

POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE (SARA III)

CAS: 1310-58-3 RTECS: TT2100000

Fraction By Weight: 20.0%

OSHA PELC, 2 MG/M3

ACGIH TLV: C 2 MG/M3; 9192 EPA Report Quantity: 1000 LBS DOT Report Quantity: 1000 LBS

WATER

CAS: 7732-18-5 RTECS: ZC0110000

Fraction By Weight: 80.0%

Hazards

Effects of Overexposure: MAY CAUSE SEVERE BURNS TO SKIN. SEVERE DAMAGE TO



EYES; DAMAGE TISSUE, DAMMAGE TO RESPIRATORY TRACT.

First Aid

First Aid:FLUSH SKIN W/LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER.CONTINUE WASHING UP TO 1-2 HRS OR UNTIL MEDICAL HELP ARRIVES.IRRIGE EYES IMMEDIATELY W/COPIOUS AMTS OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15-30 MIN.GET DOCTOR TREATMENT AT ONCE EYE S,SKIN BURNS,WHEN INGESTED,INHALED.

Accidental Release

Spill Release Procedures: DILUTE & FLUSH AWAY WITH LOTS OF WATER. DILUTE ACID, PREFERABLE ACETIC ACID, MAY BE USED TO NEUTRALIZE FINAL TRACES AFTER FLUSHING. USE CARE AS HEAT IS GENERATED IN DILUTING & NEUTRALIZING. LIBERAL COVERIN G OF SODIUM BICARBONATE MAY BE USED TO REMOVE CSTC

Handling

Handling and Storage Precautions: AVOID ADDING HOT WATER TO CAUSTIC. IN DILUTING, ADD CAUSTIC CAREFULLY TO WATER WITH STIRRING AS HEAT IS EVOLVED.

Other Precautions: WILL RELEASE FLAMMABLE HYDROGEN GAS WHEN IN CONTACT WITH ALUMINUM, TIN, ZINC, & THEIR ALLOYS. CAN REACT VIOLENTLY WITH SOME ORGANIC CHEMICALS INCLUDING CHLORINATED HYDROCARBONS SUCH AS TRICHLOROET

Exposure Controls

Respiratory Protection:FILTER TYPE FOR PROTECTION AGAINST MISTS. Ventilation:LOCAL EXHAUST AS NECESSARY TO ELIMINATE MISTS. Protective Gloves:RUBBER,VINYL. Eye Protection:CHEMICAL SAFETY GOGGLES. Other Protective Equipment:FACE SHIELD,HARD HATS,RUBBER APRONS,SHOES,PROTECTIVE CLOTHG. Supplemental Safety and Health OTHER PRECAUTIONS (CONTD):HYLENE.

Chemical Properties

HCC:C2

Boiling Pt:B.P. Text:225F

Vapor Pres:2-5 Spec Gravity:1.20

Solubility in Water: COMPLETE

Appearance and Odor: WATER WHITE TO SLIGHTLY COLORED WITH SL.TURB; NO OD

Stability

Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid:YES AL,ZN,SN,ORGANIC CHEMICALS,INCLUDING CHLORINATED HYDROCARBON

Disposal

Waste Disposal Methods: NEUTRALIZE WITH DILUTE ACID, DILUTE WELL WITH WATER & FLUSH TO SEWER WITH PLENTY OF WATER IF PERMITTED BY DISPOSAL REGULATIONS.

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