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# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

#### 1. Identification of the substance / preparation and company.

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Product Nr. CL05.1105

Trade name Potassium hydroxide 0.1 mol/l

REACH Registration Number 01-2119487136-33

CAS-No. 1310-58-3

# 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses adviced against

Identified uses: Reagent for analysis

In compliance with the conditions described in the annex to this safety data sheet.

# 1.3 Information provided by AnalytiChem Belgium NV product service.

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# 2. Hazard identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or the mixture (EG 1272/2008)

Skin corrosion/irritation, Categorie 2, H315 Eye irritation, Categorie 2, H319

For the full text of H-sentences mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

For the full text of R-sentences mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

#### 2.2 GHS-Labelling

GHS-Labelling Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008) (EG 1272/2008) Hazard pictograms:



Signal word: Warning:

#### Hazard statements:

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

# Precautionary statements:

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses,

if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

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# Reduced labelling Hazard pictograms:



Signal word: Warning:

# 3. Composition / Information on ingredients.

#### 3.1 Substance

Not applicable

#### 3.2 Mixture

CAS-No. 1310-58-3 EC-Nr 215-181-3 Index-No 019-002-00-8 Formula KOH/H2O

#### 4. First aid measures.

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

First-aid personnel: ensure self-protection!

After inhalation: Remove to fresh air, seek medical advice.

After contact with skin: Wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing.

After contact with eyes: Rinse out with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes with the eyelid held wide open. Immediately call an ophtalmologist.

After ingestion: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation!). Immediately call in physician. Do not attempt to neutralize.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labeling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

# 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

# 5. Fire fighting measures.

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

## Suitable extinguishing media

In adaption to materials stored in the immediate neighbourhood.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

Prevent fire-fighting water from entering surface water or groundwater.

# 5.2 Special hazards arising from substance or mixture

Non-combustible. Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

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#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Do not stay in dangerous zone without self-contained breathing apparatus. In order to avoid contact with skin, keep a safety distance and wear suitable protective clothing.

#### 5.4 Further information

No data available

#### 6. Accidental release measures.

# 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Do not inhale vapours/aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure supply of fresh air in enclosed rooms. For personal protection see section 8.

# 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter sewerage system.

# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Absorb on vermiculite, sand or a pillow from Chemical Spill Center.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

#### 7. Handling and storage.

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

No special measures necessary. The product should be handled with the care usual when dealing with chemicals.

For precautions see section 2.2

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Closed in a well ventilated place.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

# 8. Exposure controls - Personal protection.

# 8.1 Control parameters

## 8.2 Exposure controls

## **Engineering measures**

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The resistance of the protective clothing to chemicals should be ascertained with the respective supplier.

See section 7.1

#### Individual protection measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply skin- protective barrier cream. Wash hands and face after working with substance. Under no circumstances eat or drink at workplace. Work under hood . Do not inhale substance.

#### Respiratory protections

Required when vapours/aerosols/dust are generated.

The entrepeneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

#### Eye protection

Required.

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#### Hand protection

Required.

# **Body protection**

Required.

## **Environmental exposure controls**

Do not allow to enter sewerage system.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties.

# 9.1 Information on basic physical

<u>Appearence</u>

Form: Liquid
Colour: Colourless
Odour: Odourless

Changes in physical state

Melting Point: 0°C

Boiling point: 100°C

Flash point: -

Self Ignation temperature: -

Mol. Weight: 56.11 g/mol Density: 1,01 g/ml pH value: pH > 11 Solubility in water: soluble

**Explosion limits:** 

#### 9.2 Other data

No further relevant information available.

# 10. Stability and reactivity.

# 10.1 Reactivity

See section 10.3

# 10.2 Chemical stability

No further relevant information available.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Avoid contact with acids, metals, combustible materials, heat and sun light.

# 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No further relevant information available.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

No further relevant information available.

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No further relevant information available.

#### 11. Toxicological information.

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxity

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LD50 orl. rat 273 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxity

No further relevant information available.

Acute dermal toxity

No further relevant information available.

Skin irritation

No further relevant information available.

Eye irritation

No further relevant information available.

Sensitisation

No further relevant information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity

No further relevant information available.

Carcinogenicity

No further relevant information available.

Reproductive toxity

No further relevant information available.

Teratogenicity

No further relevant information available.

Specific target organ toxity - single exposure

No further relevant information available.

Specific target organ toxity - repeated exposure

No further relevant information available.

Aspiration hazard

No further relevant information available.

#### 11.2 Further information

No further relevant information available.

Further data:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice...

# 12. Ecological information.

#### 12.1 Toxity

No further relevant information available.

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No further relevant information available.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No further relevant information available.

# 12.4 Mobility in soil

No further relevant information available.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No further relevant information available.

# 12.6 Other adverse effects

Do not allow to enter waters, waste water, or soil!

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#### 13. Disposal considerations.

Product: Chemicals must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations. Packaging: Chem-lab product packaging must be disposed of in compliance with the country-specific regulations or must be passed to a packaging return system.

# 14. Transport information.

Land Transport (ADR/RID)

**14.1 UN number** UN 1814

**14.2 Proper shipping name** Potassium hydroxide solution

14.3 Class814.4 Packing groupIII14.5 Environmentally hazardous-14.6 Special precautions for usernoTunnel restriction code(E)

# Inland waterway transport (ADN)

Not relevant

Air Transport (IATA)

**14.1 UN number** UN 1814

**14.2 Proper shipping name** Potassium hydroxide solution

14.3 Class814.4 Packing groupIII14.5 Environmentally hazardous-14.6 Special precautions for userno

Sea Transport (IMDG)

**14.1 UN number** UN 1814

**14.2 Proper shipping name** Potassium hydroxide solution

14.3 Class814.4 Packing groupIII14.5 Environmentally hazardous-14.6 Special precautions for userno

#### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not relevant

# 15. Regulatory information.

# 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation speficic for the substance or mixture

For this product an assessment was not carried out.

#### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assesment

For this product an assessment was not carried out.

#### 16. Other information.

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Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

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