

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identifier

**Product Name:** BUTLER CHEMICALS ULTIMATE

### Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restrictions on Use

**Recommended Use:** Detergent and break combination for laundry

### Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

**Supplier Address:** Butler Chemicals  
3070 Ceena Court  
Anaheim, Ca. 92806

### Emergency Telephone Number

**Company Phone Number:** 714-630-0712

**Emergency Telephone:** CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Appearance:** Yellow opaque liquid

**Physical State:** Liquid

**Odor:** Mild

### Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1C
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Carcinogenicity	Category 2



### Signal Word

**Danger**

### Hazard Statements

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
Suspected of causing cancer.

### Precautionary Statements – Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

### Precautionary Statements – Response

Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

**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 or doctor/physician.

**IF ON SKIN (or hair):** Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**IF INHALED:** Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

**IF SWALLOWED:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

#### **Precautionary Statements – Storage**

Store locked up.

#### **Precautionary Statements – Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

#### **Unknown Acute Toxicity**

24% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

### **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>CAS No</b>	<b>Weight %</b>
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	Not identified*
Sodium Nitrilotriacetate, monohydrate	18662-53-8	Not identified*

\*The specific percentages are not identified due to "Trade Secret" status. In emergency situation, further information may be obtained by calling the emergency information number listed above.

Reference 29 CFR 1910.1200

### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### **First Aid Measures**

<b>Eye Contact:</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
<b>Skin Contact:</b>	Flush skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical aid if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing before reuse.
<b>Inhalation:</b>	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
<b>Ingestion:</b>	If swallowed, rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink large quantities of water without delay. Drink milk or milk of magnesia. Never give anything by mouth to a person who is unconscious or convulsing.

#### **Most Important Symptoms and Effects, both Acute and Delayed**

<b>Symptoms</b>	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Eye contact may result in redness, pain, blurred vision, burning sensation. Corrosive to mucous membranes. Ingestion may lead to tumors of the urinary tract and kidneys
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#### **Indication of any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed**

<b>Note to Physicians</b>	Treat symptomatically.
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### **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** Not determined.

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Material is corrosive. Product is not flammable.

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Caustic solutions will liberate flammable hydrogen gas from active metals. Extreme temperatures may liberate unidentified, possibly harmful organics and other compounds.

**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSNA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Floor will become slippery if material is released and mixed with water.

**SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures**

**Personal Precautions:** Use personal protective equipment as required. Spills may be slippery.

**Environmental Precautions:** Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater.

**Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up**

**Methods for Containment:** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. For large spills, dike well ahead to liquid. Recover product for reuse when possible. For small spills, absorb on polypads or other suitable non-reactive absorbent materials. Collect in suitable containers for disposal.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** Place collected waste in DOT approved containers for disposal.

**SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for Safe Handling**

**Advice on Safe Handling:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash face, hands, and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

**Conditions for Safe Storage, Including and Incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions:** Keep container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place. Store locked up. Store away from food stuffs. Protect from extreme temperatures.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong acids. Aluminum. Magnesium.

**SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Appropriate Engineering Controls**

**Engineering Controls** Apply technical measures to comply with occupational exposure limits. Eye wash stations. Showers.

**Individual Protections Measures, such as Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection:** Chemical anti-splash safety goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Rubber gloves or vinyl gloves. Rubber apron. Rubber boots. Long sleeve shirt and long pants.

**Respiratory Protection:** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. In case of inadequate ventilation, wear respiratory protection.

**General Hygiene Considerations:** Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

**SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Information and Basic Physical and Chemical Properties**

**Physical State:** Liquid

**Odor:** Mild

**Appearance:** Yellow opaque liquid

**Color:** Opaque yellow

**Odor Threshold:** Not determined

Property	Value	Property	Value
pH – 1% solution	Approx: 12.0	Melting/freezing point	Not determined
Boiling point	239° F	Flash point	Not flammable
Evaporation rate	Not determined	Flammability	Not flammable
Flammability limits/ air	Not determined	Vapor pressure	10 mm Hg
Vapor density	0.62	Specific gravity	1.22
Water solubility	Completely soluble	Solubility in other solvents	Not determined
Partition coefficient	Not determined	Auto-ignition temp	Not determined
Decomposition temp	Not determined	Kinematic viscosity	Not determined
Dynamic Viscosity	Not determined	Explosive properties	Not determined
Oxidizing properties	Not determined	Bulk Density	Not applicable

**SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity**

Not reactive under normal conditions

**Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Conditions to Avoid**

Keep out of reach of children. Extreme temperatures.

**Incompatible Materials**

Strong acids. Aluminum. Magnesium.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Caustic solutions will liberate flammable hydrogen gas from active metals. Extreme temperatures may liberate unidentified, possibly harmful organics and other compounds.

**SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Information on Likely Routes of Exposure**

**Product Information**

- Eye Contact**                      Causes severe eye damage.
- Skin Contact**                      Causes severe skin burns.
- Inhalation**                      Avoid breathing vapors or mists.
- Ingestion**                      Do not taste or swallow.

**Component Information**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	= 1350 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Trade Secret*	= 2500 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

**Information on Physical, Chemical and Toxicological Effects**

**Symptoms**                      Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

**Delayed and Immediate Effects as well as Chronic Effects from Short and Long-term Exposure**

**Carcinogenicity**                      The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen. However, the product as a whole has not been tested.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Sodium Nitrilotriacetate, monohydrate 18662-53-8		Group 2B		X

*IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)  
Group 2B – Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans  
OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)  
X - Present*

**Numerical Measures of Toxicity-Product**

Not determined

**Unknown Acute Toxicity**                      24% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

**SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity**

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

**SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Treatment Methods**

**Disposal of Wastes** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**California Hazardous Waste Status**

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Sodium Hydroxide, 1310-73-2	Toxic; Corrosive

**SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**DOT** NA 1760, COMPOUND, CLEANING, LIQUID, 8, PG III, (Contains Sodium Hydroxide)

**SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**International Inventories**

**Legend:**

Not determined

**US Federal Regulations**

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Sodium Hydroxide, 1310-73-2	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

**Section 313 of Sara Title III**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Component	CWA – Reportable Quantities	CWA – Toxic Pollutants	CWA – Priority Pollutants	CWA – Hazardous Substances
Sodium Hydroxide, 1310-73-2	1000 lb			X

**US State Regulations**

**California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
Sodium Nitrilotriacetate, monohydrate 18662-53-8	Carcinogen

<b>SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION</b>
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<u>NFPA</u>	Health Hazards	Flammability	Reactivity	Personal Protection
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**Disclaimer**

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