

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Code: SH250
Product Name: Shear 250
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Product Category:

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Skin Corrosion/Irritation, Category 1A



GHS Signal Word: **Danger**

GHS Hazard Phrases: H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

GHS Precautionary Phrases: P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

GHS Response Phrases: P303+361+353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P305+351+338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P301+330+331 - IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P304+340 - IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
P321 - Specific treatment see Section 4 reference to supplemental first aid instruction - if immediate measures are required.

GHS Storage and Disposal Phrases: P501 - Dispose of contents and containers in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations.

Potential Health Effects (Acute and Chronic): Chronic: Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis. Effects may be delayed.

Inhalation: Causes chemical burns to the respiratory tract. Causes severe irritation of upper respiratory tract with coughing, burns, breathing difficulty, and possible coma. Irritation may lead to chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema.

Skin Contact: Causes skin burns. May cause deep, penetrating ulcers of the skin. May cause skin rash (in milder cases), and cold and clammy skin with cyanosis or pale color. Corrosive, causes permanent skin damage (scarring).

Eye Contact: Corrosive. Will cause eye burns and permanent tissue damage. May cause irreversible eye injury.

Ingestion: May cause corrosion and permanent tissue destruction of the esophagus and digestive tract. Causes gastrointestinal tract burns. May cause perforation of the digestive tract. Causes severe pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and shock. May cause systemic effects.



3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS #	Hazardous Components (Chemical Name)	Concentration
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	<35.0 %

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Emergency and First Aid Procedures:

In Case of Inhalation:	Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If breathing has ceased apply artificial respiration using oxygen and a suitable mechanical device such as a bag and a mask. Get medical attention immediately.
In Case of Skin Contact:	Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing separately before reuse. Get medical attention if irritation persists.
In Case of Eye Contact:	Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do after 5 minutes and continue rinsing for an additional 15 minutes. Get medical advice/attention.
In Case of Ingestion:	Rinse mouth with water. If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid immediately.

Note to Physician: Treat symptomatically and supportively. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Pt:	> 212.00 F Method Used: Pensky-Marten Closed Cup
Explosive Limits:	LEL: No data. UEL: No data.
Autoignition Pt:	NP
Suitable Extinguishing Media:	Use typical fire fighting media on surrounding flammable materials, including such things as water spray, dry chemical, foam and carbon dioxide.
Fire Fighting Instructions:	As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH approved (or equivalent), and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. Contact of this product with many "active" metals such as aluminum, copper and zinc, can cause formation of flammable hydrogen gas.
Flammable Properties and Hazards:	High temperatures and fire conditions can result in the formation of carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide, and oxides of: phosphorus.
Hazardous Combustion Products:	High temperatures and fire conditions can result in the formation of carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide, and oxides of: phosphorus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Protective Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:	Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.
Environmental Precautions:	Do not let product enter drains, sewers, watersheds or water systems.
Steps To Be Taken In Case Material Is Released Or Spilled:	Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Spills/Leaks: Provide ventilation. Isolate hazard area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Contain spill using an inert diking material. Transfer material into an approved container for possible recovery and reuse or for



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disposal. Spill area may be neutralized with a weak acetic acid solution.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions To Be Taken in Handling:	Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
Precautions To Be Taken in Storing:	Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep container closed when not in use. Avoid contact with strong acids and "soft" metals. Store in a tightly closed container. Protect containers against damage. Store away from heat. Store away from sparks, flames.
Other Precautions:	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Keep out of reach of children.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

CAS #	Partial Chemical Name	OSHA TWA	ACGIH TWA	Other Limits
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	PEL: 2 mg/m3	CEIL: 2 mg/m3	No data.

CAS #	Chemical Name	Jurisdiction	Recommended Exposure Limits	Notations
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	NIOSH	CEIL: 2 mg/m3	

Respiratory Equipment (Specify Type):	Avoid breathing vapors and mists. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator, with a full-facepiece or a full-facepiece respirator with dust/mist cartridges when concentrations are unknown.
Eye Protection:	Wear chemical splash goggles and a full-face shield where there is potential for eye contact.
Protective Gloves:	Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure. Rubber or neoprene gloves.
Other Protective Clothing:	Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure. Chemical resistant apron. Rubber or neoprene boots.
Engineering Controls (Ventilation etc.):	Use adequate mechanical or local exhaust ventilation to minimize exposure levels, particularly in areas where the air contacts open process equipment. Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.
Work/Hygienic/Maintenance Practices:	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical States:	[] Gas [X] Liquid [] Solid
Appearance and Odor:	Appearance: Clear. Amber. Liquid. Odor: Odorless.
pH:	NA
Melting Point:	< 32.00 F
Boiling Point:	> 212.00 F
Flash Pt:	> 212.00 F Method Used: Pensky-Marten Closed Cup
Evaporation Rate:	NA
Flammability (solid, gas):	No data available.
Explosive Limits:	LEL: No data. UEL: No data.
Vapor Pressure (vs. Air or mm Hg):	NA
Vapor Density (vs. Air = 1):	NA



Specific Gravity (Water = 1): 1.296
Density: NA
Solubility in Water: Complete
Saturated Vapor Concentration: NA
Octanol/Water Partition Coefficient: No data.
Autoignition Pt: NP
Decomposition Temperature: No data.
Viscosity: NA

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Contact of this product with many "active" metals such as aluminum, copper and zinc, can cause formation of flammable hydrogen gas.

Stability: Unstable [] Stable [X]

Conditions To Avoid - Instability: Excess heat, Ignition sources, Incompatible materials.

Incompatibility - Materials To Avoid: Flammable liquids, Acids, organic halogens. Contact of this product with many "active" metals such as aluminum, copper and zinc, can cause formation of flammable hydrogen gas.

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts: High temperatures and fire conditions can result in the formation of carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide, and oxides of: phosphorus.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Will occur [] Will not occur [X]

Conditions To Avoid - Hazardous Reactions: No data available.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicological Information: Epidemiology: No information available.
 Teratogenicity: No information available.
 Reproductive Effects: No information available.
 Mutagenicity: No information available.
 Neurotoxicity: No information available. No information found.
 Teratogenicity: No information available.
 Reproductive Effects: No information available.
 Mutagenicity: See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.
 Neurotoxicity: No information available.
 Other Studies: CAS# 1310-73-2
 Acute toxicity, LDLO, Oral, Species: Rabbit, 500.0 mg/kg.

Irritation or Corrosion: Other Studies: CAS# 1310-73-2
 Standard Draize Test, Eyes, Species:Rabbit, 50.0 ug, 24H
 Standard Draize Test, Skin, Species: Rabbit, 500 mg, 24H.

Carcinogenicity/Other Information: CAS# 1310-73-2: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Carcinogenicity: NTP? No IARC Monographs? No OSHA Regulated? No

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General Ecological Information: Environmental: No information available.
Physical: No information available.
Other: Do not empty into drains.

Other Studies: CAS# 1310-73-2:
LC50, Common Shrimp, Sand Shrimp (Crangon crangon), adult(s), 33000 - 100000 ug/L, 48H
LC50, Western Mosquitofish (Gambusia affinis), adult(s), 125000 ug/L, 96H
LC50, Cockle (Cerastoderma edule), adult(s) 330000 - 1000000 ug/L, 48H
LC50, Guppy (Poecilia reticulata)}, young organism(s), 196.0 mg/L, 96H.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available.

Persistence and Degradability: No data available.

Bioaccumulative Potential: No data available.

Mobility in Soil: No data available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method: Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

LAND TRANSPORT (US DOT):

DOT Proper Shipping Name: Sodium Hydroxide Solution.
DOT Hazard Class: 8 CORROSIVE
UN/NA Number: UN1824 **Packing Group:** II



15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPA SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986) Lists

CAS #	Hazardous Components (Chemical Name)	S. 302 (EHS)	S. 304 RQ	S. 313 (TRI)
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	No	Yes 1000 LB	No

This material meets the EPA 'Hazard Categories' defined for SARA Title III Sections 311/312 as indicated:

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Explosive	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Acute toxicity (any route of exposure)
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Flammable (gases, aerosols, liquid, or solid)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Skin Corrosion or Irritation
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Oxidizer (liquid, solid or gas)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Serious eye damage or eye irritation
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Self-reactive	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Respiratory or Skin Sensitization
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Pyrophoric (liquid or solid)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Germ cell mutagenicity
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Pyrophoric gas	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Carcinogenicity
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Self-heating	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Reproductive toxicity
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Organic peroxide	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Corrosive to metal	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Aspiration Hazard
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Gas under pressure (compressed gas)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Simple Asphyxiant
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No In contact with water emits flammable gas	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (Health) Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Combustible Dust	



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[] Yes [X] No (Physical) Hazard Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

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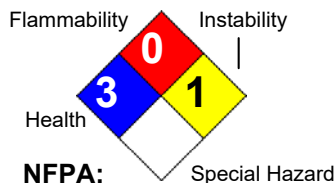
Other US EPA or State Lists

TSCA: Yes - Inventory; CA PROP.65: No; CA TAC, Title 8:
TAC: Cat. IIb, Title 8

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision Date: 11/06/2020
Preparer Name: Crystal Maira

Hazard Rating System:



Additional Information About No data available.

This Product:

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