

Section: 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier: **NALCO® 77224**
Substance type: CLP Mixture

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against:

Use of the Substance/Mixture : pH CONTROL
Identified uses : Boiler treatment under 1T per day
Recommended restrictions on use : Reserved for industrial and professional use.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet:

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Section: 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION


2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Corrosive to metals, Category 1	H290
Skin corrosion, Sub-category 1A	H314
Serious eye damage, Category 1	H318

2.2 Label elements

Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms	:	
Signal Word	:	Danger
Hazard Statements	:	H290 May be corrosive to metals. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Precautionary Statements	:	Prevention: P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection/ hearing protection.

NALCO® 77224**Response:**

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.

P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P305 + P351 + P338 + P310 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.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:
Sodium Hydroxide

2.3 Other hazards

None known.

Section: 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**3.2 Mixtures****Hazardous components**

Chemical Name	CAS-No. EC-No. REACH No.	Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)	Concentration: [%]
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2 215-185-5 01-2119457892-27	Skin corrosion Category 1A; H314 Corrosive to metals Category 1; H290 Skin corrosion Category 1A H314 \geq 5 % Skin corrosion Category 1B H314 2 - < 5 % Skin irritation Category 2 H315 0.5 - < 2 % Eye irritation Category 2 H319 0.5 - < 2 %	20 - < 25

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

Section: 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**4.1 Description of first aid measures**

If inhaled : Remove to fresh air.
Treat symptomatically.
Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.

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Wash clothing before reuse.
Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse.
Get medical attention immediately.

In case of eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.
Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Get medical attention immediately.

If swallowed : Rinse mouth with water.
Do NOT induce vomiting.
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If conscious, give 2 glasses of water.
Get medical attention immediately.

Protection of first-aiders : In event of emergency assess the danger before taking action.
Do not put yourself at risk of injury. If in doubt, contact emergency responders. Use personal protective equipment as required.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment : Treat symptomatically.

Section: 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards during firefighting : Not flammable or combustible.

Hazardous combustion products : Not applicable.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters : Use personal protective equipment.

Further information : Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

Section: 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel : Ensure adequate ventilation.
Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.
Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes.

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When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.
Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only.
Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

Advice for emergency responders : If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions : Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Stop leak if safe to do so.
Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).
Flush away traces with water.
For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 1 for emergency contact information.
For personal protection see section 8.
See Section 13 for additional waste treatment information.

Section: 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling : Do not ingest. Do not breathe spray, vapour. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Use only with adequate ventilation.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers : Do not store near acids. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Keep out of reach of children. Keep container tightly closed. Store in suitable labelled containers.

Suitable material : The following compatibility data is suggested based on similar product data and/or industry experience: HDPE (high density polyethylene), Compatibility with Plastic Materials can vary; we therefore recommend that compatibility is tested prior to use.

Unsuitable material :

Mild steel, Aluminium

7.3 Specific end uses

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Specific use(s) : pH CONTROL

Section: 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters	Basis
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	STEL	2 mg/m3	UKCOSSTD

DNEL

Sodium Hydroxide	:	End Use: Workers Exposure routes: Inhalation Potential health effects: Long-term local effects Value: 1 mg/m3
		End Use: Consumers Exposure routes: Inhalation Potential health effects: Long-term local effects Value: 1 mg/m3

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Effective exhaust ventilation system.
Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure standards.

Individual protection measures

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

Eye/face protection (EN 166) : Safety goggles
Face-shield

Hand protection (EN 374) : Recommended preventive skin protection
Gloves
Nitrile rubber
butyl-rubber
Breakthrough time: 1 – 4 hours
Minimum thickness for butyl-rubber 0.7 mm for nitrile rubber 0.4 mm or equivalent (please refer to the gloves manufacturer/distributor for advise).
Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.

Skin and body protection (EN 14605) : Personal protective equipment comprising: suitable protective gloves, safety goggles and protective clothing including appropriate safety shoes

Respiratory protection (EN : When respiratory risks cannot be avoided or sufficiently

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143, 14387) limited by technical means of collective protection or by measures, methods or procedures of work organization, consider the use of certified respiratory protection equipment meeting EU requirements (89/656/EEC, (EU) 2016/425), or equivalent, with filter type: BE

The Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) recommendations provided above have been made in good faith based on typical expected conditions of use. PPE selection should always be completed in conjunction with a proper risk assessment and in accordance with a PPE management program.

Environmental exposure controls

General advice : Consider the provision of containment around storage vessels.

Section: 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance : Liquid

Colour : colourless

Odour : odourless

Flash point : > 93.3 °C

pH : 13, 100 %

Odour Threshold : no data available

Melting point/freezing point : no data available

Initial boiling point and boiling range : no data available

Evaporation rate : no data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : no data available

Upper explosion limit : no data available

Lower explosion limit : no data available

Vapour pressure : no data available

Relative vapour density : no data available

Relative density : 1.27

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : completely soluble

Solubility in other solvents : no data available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : no data available

Auto-ignition temperature : no data available

Thermal decomposition : no data available

Viscosity, dynamic : no data available

Viscosity, kinematic : no data available

Explosive properties : no data available

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Oxidizing properties : no data available

9.2 Other information

VOC : 0 %

Section: 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid : Extremes of temperature

10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : Mild steel
Aluminium
Strong acids

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products : Not applicable.

Section: 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Information on likely routes of exposure : Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

Toxicity

Product

Acute oral toxicity : There is no data available for this product.

Acute inhalation toxicity : There is no data available for this product.

Acute dermal toxicity : There is no data available for this product.

Skin corrosion/irritation : There is no data available for this product.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation : There is no data available for this product.

Respiratory or skin sensitization : There is no data available for this product.

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Carcinogenicity	: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
Reproductive effects	: No toxicity to reproduction
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Contains no ingredient listed as a mutagen
Teratogenicity	: There is no data available for this product.
STOT - single exposure	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT - repeated exposure	: There is no data available for this product.
Aspiration toxicity	: No aspiration toxicity classification

Potential Health Effects

Eyes	: Causes serious eye damage.
Skin	: Causes severe skin burns.
Ingestion	: Causes digestive tract burns.
Inhalation	: May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation.
Chronic Exposure	: Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

Experience with human exposure

Eye contact	: Redness, Pain, Corrosion
Skin contact	: Redness, Pain, Corrosion
Ingestion	: Corrosion, Abdominal pain
Inhalation	: Respiratory irritation, Cough
Further information	: no data available

Section: 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Product

Environmental Effects	: This product has no known ecotoxicological effects.
Toxicity to fish	: no data available
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	: no data available
Toxicity to algae	: no data available

Components

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Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : Sodium Hydroxide
48 h EC50: 40 mg/l

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Product

Biodegradability : Greater than 95% of this product consists of inorganic substances for which a biodegradation value is not applicable.
Result: Not applicable - inorganic

Components

Biodegradability : Sodium Hydroxide
Result: Not applicable - inorganic

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Product

Bioaccumulation : This preparation or material is not expected to bioaccumulate.

Components

Bioaccumulation : Sodium Hydroxide
study scientifically unjustified

12.4 Mobility in soil

Product

This substance is water soluble and is expected to remain primarily in water.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Product

Assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects

No adverse effects expected.

Section: 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Waste codes should be assigned by the user, preferably in discussion with the waste disposal authorities.

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product : Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration.
If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations.
Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.

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- Contaminated packaging : Dispose of as unused product.
Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
Do not re-use empty containers.
- Guidance for Waste Code selection : Inorganic wastes containing dangerous substances. If this product is used in any further processes, the final user must redefine and assign the most appropriate European Waste Catalogue Code. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable European (EU Directive 2008/98/EC) and local regulations.

Section: 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipper/consignor/sender is responsible to ensure that the packaging, labeling, and markings are in compliance with the selected mode of transport.

Land transport (ADR/ADN/RID)

- 14.1 UN number: UN 1824
14.2 UN proper shipping name: SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
14.3 Transport hazard class(es): 8
14.4 Packing group: II
14.5 Environmental hazards: No
14.6 Special precautions for user: Not applicable.

Air transport (IATA)

- 14.1 UN number: UN 1824
14.2 UN proper shipping name: SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
14.3 Transport hazard class(es): 8
14.4 Packing group: II
14.5 Environmental hazards: No
14.6 Special precautions for user: Not applicable.

Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

- 14.1 UN number: UN 1824
14.2 UN proper shipping name: SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
14.3 Transport hazard class(es): 8
14.4 Packing group: II
14.5 Environmental hazards: No
14.6 Special precautions for user: Not applicable.
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code: Not applicable.

Section: 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture:

- Seveso III: Directive : Not applicable.
2012/18/EU of the European
Parliament and of the Council

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on the control of major-
accident hazards involving
dangerous substances.

INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

KOSHER

This product has been certified as KOSHER/PAREVE for year-round use EXCEPT FOR THE PASSOVER SEASON by the CHICAGO RABBINICAL COUNCIL.

INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL CONTROL LAWS

CANADA

The substances in this preparation are listed on the Domestic Substances List (DSL), are exempt, or have been reported in accordance with the New Substances Notification Regulations.

United States TSCA Inventory

The substances in this preparation are included on or exempted from the TSCA 8(b) Inventory (40 CFR 710)

NATIONAL REGULATIONS GERMANY

Water contaminating class : WGK 1
(Germany) Classification according to AwSV, Annex 1

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment:

A Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for some of the substances in this mixture.

Section: 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Procedure used to derive the classification according to REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Classification	Justification
Corrosive to metals 1, H290	Calculation method
Skin corrosion 1A, H314	Calculation method
Serious eye damage 1, H318	Calculation method

Full text of H-Statements

H290 May be corrosive to metals.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Full text of other abbreviations

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECHA - European Chemicals Agency; EC-Number - European Community number; ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL -

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Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; SVHC - Substance of Very High Concern; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TRGS - Technical Rule for Hazardous Substances; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

Further information

Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet : IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of the Carcinogenic Risk of Chemicals to Man, Geneva: World Health Organization, International Agency for Research on Cancer.

The possible key literature references and data sources which may have been used in conjunction with the consideration of expert judgment to compile this Safety Data Sheet: European regulations/directives (including (EC) No. 1907/2006, (EC) No. 1272/2008), supplier data, inter-net, ESIS, IUCLID, ERICards, Non European official regulatory data and other data sources.

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Numbers quoted in the MSDS are given in the format: 1,000,000 = 1 million and 1,000 = 1 thousand. 0.1 = 1 tenth and 0.001 = 1 thousandth

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Annex: Exposure Scenarios

Exposure Scenario: Boiler treatment under 1T per day

Life Cycle Stage : Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites

Sector of use : **SU23** Electricity, steam, gas water supply and sewage treatment

Contributing scenario controlling environmental exposure for:

Environmental release category : **ERC4** Industrial use of processing aids in processes and products,

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not becoming part of articles

Daily amount per site : 1000 kg

Type of Sewage Treatment Plant : none

Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for:

Process category : **PROC15** Use as laboratory reagent

Exposure duration : 60.00 min

Operational conditions and risk management measures : Indoor

Local Exhaust Ventilation with 90% efficiency is required

General ventilation Ventilation rate per hour: 1

Skin Protection : see section 8

Respiratory Protection : see section 8

Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for:

Process category : **PROC1** Use in closed process, no likelihood of exposure

Exposure duration : 60 min

Operational conditions and risk management measures : Indoor

Local Exhaust Ventilation is not required

General ventilation Ventilation rate per hour: 1

Skin Protection : see section 8

Respiratory Protection : see section 8

Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for:

Process category : **PROC8a** Transfer of substance or preparation (charging/ discharging) from/ to vessels/ large containers at non-dedicated facilities

Exposure duration : 15 min

Operational conditions and risk management measures : Indoor

Local Exhaust Ventilation is not required

General ventilation Ventilation rate per hour: 1

Skin Protection : see section 8

Respiratory Protection : see section 8

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Contributing scenario controlling worker exposure for:

Process category : **PROC28** Manual maintenance (cleaning and repair) of machinery

Exposure duration : 240 min

Operational conditions and risk : Indoor
management measures

Local Exhaust Ventilation is not required

General ventilation Ventilation rate per hour: 1

Skin Protection : see section 8

Respiratory Protection : see section 8