

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) and Canada WHMIS 2015 which includes the amended Hazardous Products Act (HPA) and the Hazardous Products Regulation (HPR)

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# 1. Identification

Product identifier

Product Name METALGUARD® A85

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) A85ND

Synonyms Mixture

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Corrosion inhibitor for automotive antifreeze/coolant

Restrictions on use Use only for intended applications

For professional use only For industrial use only

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

# Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Reproductive toxicity	Category 2

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#### Label elements

#### **Danger**

#### **Hazard statements**

Causes skin irritation.

Causes serious eye damage.

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.



# **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

# **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

### Eyes

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.

#### Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice and attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

# **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

# **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

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

# Other information

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

# Substance

Not applicable.

### Mixture

# Synonyms Mixture

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	Hazardous Material Information Review Act registry number (HMIRA registry #)	Date HMIRA filed and date exemption granted (if applicable)
Sodium benzoate	532-32-1	5-6	-	-
Tolytriazole sodium salt	64665-57-2	3-4	-	-
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	0.10-0.16	_	-

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# 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

**General advice** Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

Eye contact Get immediate medical advice/attention. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under

the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area.

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical

attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce

vomiting. Call a physician.

**Self-protection of the first aider** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

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

**Symptoms** Burning sensation.

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

**Note to physicians**Treat symptomatically.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known based on information supplied.

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

None known based on information supplied.

# **Explosion data**

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None. Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Special protective equipment and

**precautions for fire-fighters** gear. Use personal protection equipment.

### 6. Accidental release measures

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions**Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

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Methods for cleaning up Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled

containers. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

# 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with

skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store locked up.

Keep out of the reach of children. Store at temperatures above 15.5 °C / 60 °F.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Control parameters

# **Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV		OSH	A PEL		NIOSH
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Ceiling: 2 mg/m	3	(vacated) Ce	eiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>		Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Chemical name	Alberta	Britis	h Columbia	Ontario		Quebec
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceilir	ng: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CEV: 2 mg/	m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

General hygiene considerations Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do

not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product.

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# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Transparent liquid

**Physical state** Liquid Color Yellow Odor Distinct

**Odor threshold** No information available

Property **Values** Remarks • Method

Hq 9.9 - 10.8

Melting point / freezing point 0 °C / 32 °F

> 100 °C / > 212 °F Initial boiling point and boiling range

Flash point Not combustible **Evaporation rate** No data available **Flammability** No data available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressure 10 mmHg at 20°C (68°F)

Vapor density > 2.0 (air = 1)

Relative density 1.185 - 1.195

Water solubility Completely soluble

Solubility(ies) No data available **Partition coefficient** No data available **Autoignition temperature** No data available **Decomposition temperature** No data available Kinematic viscosity No data available **Dynamic viscosity** No data available

Other information

**Explosive properties** No information available. **Oxidizing properties** No information available. No information available Softening point Molecular weight No information available **VOC Content (%)** No information available No information available **Liquid Density** No information available **Bulk density** 

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity None under normal use conditions.

Chemical stability May crystallize at temperatures below 15.5°C (60°F).

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid Temperatures below 15.5°C (60°F).

Incompatible materials Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# 11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

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#### **Product Information**

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of

respiratory tract.

Eye contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye

damage. (based on components). May cause irreversible damage to eyes.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation.

(based on components).

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause

gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

# Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms Redness. Burning. May cause blindness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

### **Acute toxicity**

#### **Numerical measures of toxicity**

# **Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium benzoate	= 4070 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Tolytriazole sodium salt	= 1980 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Potassium hydroxide	= 284 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation**Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes burns. Causes serious eye

damage.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

Reproductive toxicity Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin. Classification based on data available

for ingredients. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

STOT - single exposure No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure**No information available.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

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# 12. Ecological information

# **Ecotoxicity**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to	Crustacea
			microorganisms	
Sodium benzoate 532-32-1	-	LC50: 420 - 558mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: >100mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas)	2	EC50: <650mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna)

Persistence and degradability

No information available.

### Bioaccumulation

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Partition coefficient	
Sodium benzoate 532-32-1	-2.13	
Tolytriazole sodium salt 64665-57-2	1.083 - <=1.091	
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	0.65 0.83	

Mobility in soil No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available.

# 13. Disposal considerations

# Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations, Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

California waste information This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as

a hazardous waste.

# 14. Transport information

**DOT** Not regulated

TDG Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

**IMDG** Not regulated

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# 15. Regulatory information

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

# **International Regulations**

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

### International Inventories

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

### **US Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

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.

### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

#### **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).

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	-	X

# **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	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

### **US State Regulations**

# **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

## U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Potassium hydroxide	X	X	X
1310-58-3			

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#### U.S. EPA Label Information

#### EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

# 16. Other information

NFPA Health hazards 3 Flammability 0 Instability 0 Special hazards - HMIS Health hazards 3 \* Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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