

SAFETY DATA SHEET



1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name BSI-550 Heavy-Duty CIP Cleaner

Other means of identification

High alkaline cleaner

Recommended Uses

Removal of fat soils and suited for rendering operations.

Distributor Address

Best Sanitizers, Inc.
PO Box 1360
Penn Valley, CA 95946

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone Numbers ChemTrec 1-800-424-9300

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Serious eye damage/irritation	Category 1
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1

Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

Causes serious skin burns and eye damage



Appearance Aqueous solution

Physical State Liquid

Odor Alkaline

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Precautionary Statements - Response

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Specific treatment (see Section 4 on SDS for more information).

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): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin (hair) with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes 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.

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up.

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

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

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

Other Information

*May be harmful in contact with skin.

*Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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Unknown acute Toxicity 1.8% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Water	7732-18-5	52-62	
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	36-46	
Trade Secret	Proprietary	1-3	*

* The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

Eye Contact

Hold eye(s) open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye(s). Seek immediate medical advice/ attention.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult. Call a physician immediately.

Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms and Effects

See Section 11 for symptom information

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians: Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Dry Chemical. Water spray (fog), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

No Information available.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

No information available.

Hazardous combustion products:

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Explosion Data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None

Sensitivity to Static Discharge None

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out. Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

For emergency responders Isolate area. Keep unnecessary personnel away.

Environmental precautions

Environmental Precautions Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Contain and collect spillage 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).

Methods for Cleaning Up Collect spillage. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Remainder may be neutralized with a mild acid (vinegar) and rinsed to a sewer.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Handling Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Wash thoroughly after handling. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions/ Incompatible materials Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep from freezing.
Acids. Amphoteric metals (aluminum, copper, zinc).

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

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

ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists - Threshold Limit Value. OSHA PEL: Occupational Safety and Health Administration - Permissible Exposure Limits. NIOSH IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers, eyewash stations, ventilation system.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Splash proof chemical goggles and face shield.

Skin and Body Protection Wear protective Neoprene™ gloves. Rubber gloves. Wear suitable protective clothing. Rubber boots recommended.

Respiratory Protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Hygiene Measures Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse. Do not Eat, Drink or Smoke when using this product.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical and Chemical Properties

Formula	See Section 3		
Physical State	Liquid		
Appearance	Aqueous solution		
Color	Clear amber	Odor	Alkaline
Property	Values	Odor Threshold	No information available
pH	13	Remarks/ Method	
Melting/freezing point	3.9°C / 39° F	+/- 1 @ 21°C	
		None known	

Boiling point / boiling range	120°C / 248° F	None known
Flash Point	Not Flammable	N/A
Evaporation rate	No information available	None known
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	None known
Flammability Limits in Air		
Upper flammability limit	No data available	None known
Lower flammability limit	No data available	None known
Vapor pressure	No data available	None known
Vapor density	No data available	None known
Specific Gravity	1.455 g/cc	None known
Water Solubility	Soluble in water.	None known
Solubility in other solvents	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient:	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known
Decomposition temperature	No data available	None known
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available.

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions. Exothermic reaction will occur upon dilution with water.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

None known.

Incompatible materials

Acids. Amphoteric metals (aluminum, copper, zinc).

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	Inhalation of vapors in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system. Vapors may be irritating to eyes, nose, throat, and lungs.
Eye Contact	Risk of serious damage to eyes. Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.
Skin Contact	Corrosive. Contact causes severe skin irritation and possible burns.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. Can burn mouth, throat and stomach, ingestion causes burns of the upper digestive and respiratory tracts.

Component Information

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

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

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

Sensitization No Information Available

Germ cell mutagenicity No Information Available

Carcinogenicity This product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.

Reproductive toxicity	No Information Available
STOT single exposure	No Information Available
STOT repeated exposure	No Information Available
Aspiration Hazard	No Information Available

Numerical measures of toxicity –Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 1.8% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

Dermal LD50 3,273.00 mg/kg

12. Ecological Data

Ecotoxicity

Harmful/Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

1.8% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	45.4: 96 h Onocorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 Static	-

Persistence and Degradability

No Information Available.

Bioaccumulation

No information available

Mobility

Soluble in water.

Other adverse effects

No information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

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

Contaminated packaging Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

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

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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UN/ID No.	1760
Proper shipping name	Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (contains sodium hydroxide)
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	II
Emergency Response Guide Number	154

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Chemical Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDL	Complies
EINECS/EIINC	Complies

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
 DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
 EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization 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

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

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 Quantity	CWA-Toxic Pollutants	CWA-Priority Pollutants	CWA-Hazardous Substances
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lbs	-	-	X

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environment 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 lbs	-	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
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	X	X	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health Hazard 2	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Hazards Corrosive, Alkaline
HMIS	Health Hazard 2	Flammability 0	Physical Hazard 0	Personal Protection D (face shield, gloves, synthetic apron)

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