

G.J. CHEMICAL COMPANY, INC. SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. PRODUCT IDENTIFIER

1.1 PRODUCT NAME:-----> **CAUSTIC POTASH 45%**
(All Grades)

PRODUCT NUMBER(S):-----> 121600

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS:----> Potassium Hydroxide Solution 45%, KOH 45%

CAS-No: 1310-58-3

1.2 RELEVANT IDENTIFIED USES OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE AND USES ADVISED AGAINST

RECOMMENDED USE: Manufacture of substances, Laboratory Chemicals

USES ADVISED AGAINST: No information available

1.3 DETAILS OF THE SUPPLIER OF THE SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1.4 Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Phone: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Corrosive to metals (Category 1), H290

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Skin corrosion (Category 1A), H314

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H402

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements



Pictogram

GHS05

GHS07

Signal word

DANGER

Hazard statement(s)

- H290** May be corrosive to metals.
- H302** Harmful if swallowed.
- H314** Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- H318** Causes serious eye damage.
- H402** Harmful to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)

Prevention:

- P234** Keep only in original container.
- P264** Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
- P270** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
- P273** Avoid release to the environment.
- P280** Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response:

- P301 + P312 + P330** IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
- 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/shower.
- P304 + P340 + P310** IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
- 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.
- P363** Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
- P390** Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Storage:

- P405** Store locked up.
- P406** Store in corrosive resistant stainless steel container with a resistant inner liner.

Disposal:

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

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

3. INGREDIENTS

3.1 SUBSTANCE: Not applicable

3.2 MIXTURE:

Ingredient	CAS No.	% by WT. Range	CLASSIFICATION
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	45	Corrosive to metals (Category 1), H290
	EC-No.215-181-3		Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302
	Index-No.019-002-00-8		Skin corrosion (Category 1A), H314
	Reg.-No. 01-2119487136-33-XXXX		Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Water	7732-18-5 EC-No.231-791-2	55	Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3), H402 Not a hazardous substance or mixture.
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4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

4.1 DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES:

Emergency and First Aid Procedures:

INHALATION: Potassium Hydroxide Solution 45%

****FIRST AID-**

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. Keep warm and quiet. Get medical attention immediately.

EYE CONTACT (Splash): Potassium Hydroxide Solution 45%

****FIRST AID-** Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes, holding eyelids apart to ensure flushing. Washing eyes within several seconds is essential to achieve maximum effectiveness. Remove contact lenses, if worn, after initial rinse. Take to a physician.

SKIN CONTACT (Splash): Potassium Hydroxide Solution 45%

****FIRST AID-** Wash affected area with soap and water for 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Consult a physician if irritation persists.

INGESTION: Potassium Hydroxide Solution 45%

****FIRST AID-** Patient should be made to drink large amounts of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician or poison control center, treat symptomatically.

4.2 MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE AND DELAYED:

Eyes: On contact causes severe burns that result in damage to eye tissue.

Skin: Corrosive to all body tissues with which it comes in contact. The effect of local dermal exposure may consist of multiple areas of superficial destruction of the skin or of primary irritant dermatitis. A latent period may exist between exposure and sense of irritation.

Inhalation: Inhalation of spray, or mist may result in varying degrees of irritation or damage to the respiratory tract. Also may cause lung tissue damage, which could produce chemical pneumonia.

Ingestion: Causes severe burns to mucous membranes of the mouth, throat, esophagus, and stomach.

Chronic: The local effect may consist of multiple areas of superficial destruction of the skin or of primary irritant dermatitis. Similarly, chronic inhalation of dust, spray, or mist may result in varying degrees of irritation or damage to the respiratory tract tissues and an increased susceptibility to respiratory illness. Regardless of concentration, the severity of damage and extent of its irreversibility increases with length of contact time. The latent period, following skin contact during which no sensation or irritation occurs varies with concentration.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: Corrosive to all body tissues with which it comes in contact. Skin contact may aggravate an existing dermatitis. Human dermal exposure: Regardless of concentrations, the severity of damage and extent of its irreversibility increases with length of contact time. Prolonged contact with potassium hydroxide solutions of >1% can cause a high degree of tissue destruction.

4.3 INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT NEEDED: No data available.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point: N/A

LEL %:N/A

UEL %:N/A

5.1 SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Foam--> x CO2--> x Dry Chemical--> x Water-fog--> x Other-->

5.2 SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE: Direct contact with water can cause a violent exothermic reaction. See reactivity section.

CONDITIONS OF FLAMMABILITY: Not flammable or combustible.

COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: Potassium oxides

5.3 ADVICE FOR FIREFIGHTERS: Shut off source. Water fog may be used to cool closed containers to prevent pressure build up. Wear full protective clothing including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus for confined spaces. Avoid direct contact of this product with water as this can cause a violent exothermic reaction.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES: Wear respiratory protection (see Section 8). Minimize breathing

dusts and skin contact, ventilate confined areas, open all windows and doors, assure conformity with applicable government regulations. Keep all nonessential people away.

6.2 ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:

Keep out of water sources, drains and sewers. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

6.3 METHODS AND MATERIAL FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP:

Methods for cleanup and containment:

Shut off valves, contain spill, prevent accumulation of dust, keep-out of water sources and sewers. Neutralize remaining traces with any dilute inorganic acid, e.g. Hydrochloric Acid. The spill area should then be flushed with water followed with a liberal covering of sodium bicarbonate.

Methods for disposal:

All clean up material should be removed and placed in approved containers. Spills in dirt or sand may be handled by removing the affected soil and placing in approved containers.

REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ): Potassium Hydroxide - 1000 POUNDS

Potassium Hydroxide 45% Solution – 2223lbs

The Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) Section 304 requires that a release equal to or greater than the reportable quantity for this substance be immediately reported to the local emergency planning committee and the state emergency response commission (40 CFR 355.40). If the release of this substance is reportable under CERCLA Section 103, the national response center must be notified immediately at (800) 424-8882 or (202) 426-2675 in the metropolitan Washington, D. C. area (40 CFR 302.6).

6.4 REFERENCE TO OTHER SECTIONS: See Sections 8 and 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING: Wear personal protective equipment as described in Section 8. Avoid breathing vapors in top of shipping container. Use with adequate ventilation. Use non-sparking tools to open or close containers. Avoid work practices that may release volatile components in the atmosphere. Avoid contaminating soil or releasing material into sewage and drainage systems.

Advice on general occupational hygiene:

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. When using do not smoke.

7.2 CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES:

Store large quantities only in buildings designed to comply with OSHA 1910.106. Keep containers tight and upright to prevent leakage. Do not store with incompatible materials. Keep containers closed when not in use.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Non-combustible, corrosive hazardous materials

SPECIAL MIXING INSTRUCTIONS: Considerable heat is generated when product is mixed with water. Never add water to product. Always add product, with constant stirring, slowly to surface of lukewarm (80-100°F) water. Add product very gradually while stirring constantly. If product is added too rapidly, or without stirring and becomes concentrated at bottom of mixing vessel, excessive heat may be generated, resulting in dangerous boiling and spattering, and a possible immediate and violent eruption of highly caustic solution. Product can react explosively with acids, aldehydes, and many other organic chemicals.

CONTAINER WARNINGS: Empty containers release residue and can be dangerous. Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill, or expose such containers to heat, sparks, static electricity or other sources of ignition. Do not attempt to clean. "Empty" drums should be completely drained, properly bunged and promptly returned to a drum re-conditioner. Do not store in aluminum container or use aluminum fittings or transfer lines, as flammable hydrogen gas can be generated.

7.3 SPECIFIC END USES: Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

8. EXPOSURE CONTROL (PERSONAL PROTECTION)

8.1 CONTROL PARAMETERS:

Ingredient	CAS No.	% by WT. Range	Exposure Limits
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3 EC-No.215-181-3 Index-No.019-002-00-8 Reg.-No. 01-2119487136-33-XXXX	45	2mg/m3 TWA (ACGIH) 2mg/m3 Ceiling (OSHA)
Water	7732-18-5 EC-No.231-791-2	55	N.E.

Key: (PEL) = Permissible Exposure Limit OSHA
 (TLV) = Threshold Limit Value OSHA & ACGIH
 (STEL) = Short Term Exposure Limit ACGIH
 (WEEL) = USA. Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels
 (TWA) = Time Weighted Average
 CAS = Chemical Abstracts Registry Number
 IDLH = Immediate Danger to Life and Health
 N.E. =None Established

8.2 EXPOSURE CONTROLS

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES: Consider the potential hazards of this material (Section 2), applicable exposure limits, job activities, and other substances in the work place when designing engineering controls and selecting personal protective equipment. If engineering controls or work practices are not adequate to prevent exposure to harmful levels of this material, the personal protective equipment listed below is recommended.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Provide general dilution or local exhaust ventilation in volume and pattern to keep concentrations within permitted exposure limits. All areas should be ventilated in accordance with OSHA Regulation 29 CFR Part 1910. Explosion proof motors should be used in mechanical ventilation.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: The specific respirator selected must be based on contamination levels found in the work place, must not exceed the working limits of the respirator and be jointly approved by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health and the Mine Safety and Health Administration (NIOSH-MSHA):

For vapor/mist concentrations in excess of ACGIH TWA an air supplied NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator with full face-piece and dust, fume and mist filter where dusts and mists may occur.

BODY CLOTHING: Use chemical resistant apron or other impervious clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

SKIN PROTECTION: Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

HYGIENE METHODS: Use good personal hygiene practices, wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet facilities.

EYE/FACE PROTECTION: Use safety eyewear with splash guards or face shield. A safety shower and eyewash should be easily accessible to the work area.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Potassium Hydroxide Solution 45% 1310-58-3

Appearance-----> Clear liquid solution

Color-----> Colorless

Odor-----> Odorless
Odor Threshold----- > No data available
pH-----> No data available
Molecular weight----- > 56.11amu
Melting/Freezing Point-----> -20°F
Boiling Range (°C)-----> 271.4@760mmHg
Specific Gravity----- > 1.456@25°C
Vapor Pressure-----> No data available
Vapor Density (air=1)-----> No data available
Water Solubility----- > Soluble
Partition Coefficient N-Octanol/water-> No data available
Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate=1)----> 0.36
Flash Point-----> No data available
Upper Flammability Limit-----> No data available
Lower Flammability Limit-----> No data available
Auto-ignition Temperature-----> No data available
Decomposition Temperature-----> No data available
Viscosity-----> No data available
Explosive Properties-----> No data available
Oxidizing Properties----- > No data available

9.2 Other information-----> No data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY INFORMATION

10.1 REACTIVITY: No applicable information available

10.2 CHEMICAL STABILITY: Unstable () Stable (X)

10.3 POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS: No data available

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: May occur () Will not occur (X)

10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Heat, Sparks, Pilot Lights, Static Electricity, and Open Flame.

10.5 INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS: Avoid direct contact with water. This product may be added slowly to water or acids with dilution and agitation to avoid a violent exothermic reaction. Avoid contact with aluminum, zinc, tin and alloys containing these metals. Do not mix with strong acids without dilution and agitation. In addition avoid contact with leather, wool, acids, organic halogen compounds, organic nitro compounds, with nitromethane and other similar nitro compounds causes formation of shock-sensitive salts.

10.6 HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Formed under fire conditions- Potassium Oxides

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS:

Routes of Entry: Inhalation--> x Skin--> x Ingestion--> x

ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS:

Effects of overexposure:

Eyes> On contact causes severe burns that result in damage to eye tissue.

Skin> Corrosive to all body tissues with which it comes in contact. The effect of local dermal exposure may consist of multiple areas of superficial destruction of the skin or of primary irritant dermatitis. A latent period may exist between exposure and sense of irritation.

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Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure> Corrosive to all body tissues with which it comes in contact. Skin contact may aggravate an existing dermatitis.

ACUTE TOXICITY:

The effects of overexposure shown in Section II are based on acute toxicity profiles. Typical values are:

Ingredient	Oral LD50 (Rat)	Skin LD50(Rabbit)	Inhalation LC50	
Potassium Hydroxide	365mg/kg			

SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION: Corrosive to skin

SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION: Severe burns

RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITIZATION: No data available

MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: No data available

CARCINOGEN STATUS:

IARC: 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.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA

REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY: No evidence of reproductive effects.

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT-SE) - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System): no data available

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT-RE) - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System): no data available

ASPIRATION HAZARD: No data available

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

DANGEROUS TO AQUATIC LIFE IN HIGH CONCENTRATIONS

May be dangerous if it enters water intakes.

Notify local health and pollution control officials.

Notify operators of nearby water intakes.

12.1 AQUATIC TOXICITY: Any damaging effects are mostly a consequence of the increase in pH. The upper pH limit tolerated by most freshwater fish is 8.4; the pH must generally be greater than 9 before the aqueous environment becomes lethal for fully developed fish. Freshwater algae are destroyed above pH 8.5. Concentrations of 20 to 100 mg/L have been reported to kill salmon, trout, carp and crayfish.

12.2 PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY: The pH effect of potassium hydroxide in water is naturally reduced by the absorption of atmospheric carbon dioxide.

This reduction is also effected by dilution with water and by the natural acidity of a given body of water. There is no degradation of potassium hydroxide in waters, only loss by absorption or chemical neutralization.

12.3 **BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL**: No data available
Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD): No data available

12.4 **MOBILITY IN SOIL**: No data available

12.5 **RESULTS OF PBT AND vPvB** :
PBT assessment results: This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6 **OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS**: Harmful to aquatic life.

13. **DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

13.1 **WASTE TREATMENT METHODS**: Hazard characteristic and regulatory waste stream classification can change with product use. Accordingly it is the responsibility of the user to determine the proper storage, transportation, treatment and or disposal methodologies for spent materials and residues at time of disposition. Dispose in accordance with all applicable disposal regulations. Incinerate under controlled conditions in a permitted facility.

CONTAMINATED PACKAGING: Dispose of as unused product.

DISPOSAL MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDARDS APPLICABLE TO GENERATORS OF HAZARDOUS WASTE, 48 CFR 262

14. **TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Land Transport (DOT)

14.1 USDOT ID Number-----> UN1814
14.2 USDOT Shipping Name-----> Potassium Hydroxide, Solution
14.3 USDOT Hazard Classification-----> 8 (Corrosive Liquid)
 USDOT Label Codes-----> 8
14.4 USDOT Package Code-----> II
14.5 Marine Pollutant-----> No
14.6 Special precautions for user-----> Yes
 Emergency Response Guide-----> 154
 Reportable quantity-----> 1000lbs. (2223lbs. 45% solution)

Sea Transport (IMDG)

14.1 ID Number-----> UN1814
14.2 Proper shipping name-----> POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLUTION
14.3 Hazard Classification-----> 8 (Corrosive Liquid)
 Label Codes-----> 8
14.4 Package Code-----> II
14.5 Marine Pollutant-----> Yes
14.6 Special precautions for user-----> Yes
 EMS-Number-----> F-A, S-B

Air Transport (IATA)

- 14.1 ID Number-----> UN1814
- 14.2 Proper shipping name-----> Potassium Hydroxide, Solution
- 14.3 Hazard Classification-----> 8 (Corrosive Liquid)
Label Codes-----> 8
- 14.4 Package Code-----> II
- 14.5 Environmental hazard-----> None
- 14.6 Special precautions for user-----> No

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 SAFETY, HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS/LEGISLATION SPECIFIC FOR THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE:

SARA TITLE III (Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act)

SECTION 302 AND 304: Extremely Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 355) - Not Listed

SECTION 313: Toxic Chemicals Listing (40 CFR 372.65) - Not Listed

SECTION 311/312: Hazard Categorization (40 CFR 370) - Acute Health Hazard

CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act)

SECTION 102(A) Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302.4) - Listed

Potassium Hydroxide CAS 1310-58-3

Reportable Quantity - 1,000 pounds.

SECTION 101(14) Reportable Quantity: 1,000 lbs

Massachusetts Right to Know Components

Potassium hydroxide CAS-No.1310-58-3

Pennsylvania Right to Know Components

Water CAS-No.7732-18-5

Potassium hydroxide CAS-No.1310-58-3

New Jersey Right to Know Components

Water CAS-No.7732-18-5

Potassium hydroxide CAS-No.1310-58-3

California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

TSCA (Toxic Substance Control Act)

Potassium hydroxide CAS-No.1310-58-3 AND Water CAS 7732-18-5 are listed on the TSCA Inventory.

International Inventories:

<u>Country or Region</u>	<u>Inventory Name</u>	<u>On inventory yes/no</u>
<u>Australia</u>	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances	Yes
<u>Canada</u>	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
<u>Canada</u>	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
<u>China</u>	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
<u>Europe</u>	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
<u>Europe</u>	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
<u>Japan</u>	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
<u>Japan</u>	Industrial Safety & Health Law Inventory (ISHL)	Yes
<u>Korea</u>	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
<u>Mexico</u>	National Inventory of Chemical Substances (INSQ)	Yes
<u>New Zealand</u>	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
<u>Philippines</u>	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
<u>Switzerland</u>	Inventory of Notified New Substances (CHINV)	Yes
<u>Taiwan</u>	National Existing Chemical Inventory (NECI)	Yes
<u>United States & Puerto Rico</u>	Toxic Substances Control Act Inventory	Yes

15.2 CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT: A Chemical Safety Assessment has been conducted.

16. OTHER INFORMATION:

HMIS (Hazardous Materials Identification System)

Hazard Rating:

- 4-Extreme**
- 3-High**
- 2-Moderate**
- 1-Slight**
- 0-Insignificant**

NFPA RATINGS (SCALE 0-4):	Health=3	Fire=0	Reactivity=0	
HMIS RATINGS (SCALE 0-4):	Health=3	Fire=0	Reactivity=0	PPE=X

Text of hazard statement codes in Section 2 and 3:

- H290 May be corrosive to metals.**
- H302 Harmful if swallowed.**
- H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.**
- H318 Causes serious eye damage.**
- H402 Harmful to aquatic life.**

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Acronyms:

ACGIH	-	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygenists
AIHA	-	American Industrial Hygiene Association
ANSI	-	American Nation Standards Institute
API	-	American Petroleum Institute
CERCLA	-	Comprehensive Emergency Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
DOT	-	U.S. Department of Transportation
EPA	-	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
HMIS	-	Hazardous Materials Information System
IARC	-	International Agency For Research On Cancer
MSHA	-	Mine Safety and Health Administration
NFPA	-	National Fire Protection Association
NIOSH	-	National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
NOIC	-	Notice of Intended Change (Proposed change to ACGIH TLV)
NTP	-	National Toxicology Program
OPA	-	Oil Pollution Act of 1990
OSHA	-	U.S. Occupational Safety & Health Administration
PEL	-	Permissible Exposure Limit (OSHA)
RCRA	-	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
REL	-	Recommended Exposure Limit (NIOSH)
SARA	-	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 Title III
SCBA	-	Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus
STEL	-	Short-Term Exposure Limit (generally 15 minutes)
TLV	-	Threshold Limit Value
TSCA	-	Toxic Substances Control Act
TWA	-	Time Weighted Average (8hr.)
WHMIS	-	Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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