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### Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product code: 314

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

Use of substance / mixture: PC35: Washing and cleaning products (including solvent based products).

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: Clover Chemicals Ltd

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UK

**Tel:** +44 (0) 1663 733114 **Fax:** +44 (0) 1663 733115

Email: technical@cloverchemicals.com

## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: NHS Direct 08454647

NHS24 0845242424

ROI 018092166

(office hours only)

### **Section 2: Hazards identification**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CLP: Skin Corr. 1A: H314

Most important adverse effects: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### 2.2. Label elements

Label elements:

Hazard statements: H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Signal words: Danger

Hazard pictograms: GHS05: Corrosion

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Precautionary statements: P102: Keep out of reach of children.

P260: Do not breathe dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+330+331: IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+361+353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse

skin with water/shower.

P332+313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

P304+340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P405: Store locked up.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

PBT: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

### Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

# **Hazardous ingredients:**

### SODIUM HYDROXIDE

EINECS	CAS	PBT / WEL	CLP Classification	Percent
215-185-5	1310-73-2	-	Skin Corr. 1A: H314	10-30%

### Section 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Skin contact: Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water. Transfer to hospital if there are burns or

symptoms of poisoning.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist

examination.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Wash out mouth with water. If conscious, give half a litre of water to

drink immediately. Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.

Inhalation: Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so.

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

Skin contact: Irritation or pain may occur at the site of contact. Progressive ulceration will occur if treatment

is not immediate.

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Eye contact: There may be irritation and pain. The vision may become blurred. Corneal burns may occur.

Ingestion: There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. There may be difficulty

swallowing. Corrosive burns may appear around the lips.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

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

**Immediate / special treatment:** Eye bathing equipment should be available on the premises.

### Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Water.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Exposure hazards:** Corrosive.

### 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. Wear self-contained

breathing apparatus.

### Section 6: Accidental release measures

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

**Personal precautions:** Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS.

Notify the police and fire brigade immediately. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent

the escape of liquid.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions:** Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up procedures: Transfer to a suitable container.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

# Section 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Avoid the formation or spread of mists in the air.

## 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Keep container tightly closed.

Suitable packaging: Polyethylene.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): No data available.

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### Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

### Hazardous ingredients:

#### **SODIUM HYDROXIDE**

### Workplace exposure limits:

### Respirable dust

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	-	2 mg/m3	-	-

### **DNEL/PNEC Values**

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

Hand protection: Gloves (alkali-resistant). Impermeable gloves.

Eye protection: Safety glasses with side-shields.

Skin protection: Protective clothing. Alkali resistant protective clothing.

## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State: Liquid
Colour: Yellow

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Odour: Characteristic odour

Evaporation rate: Moderate

Oxidising: Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

Solubility in water: Soluble

Viscosity: Non-viscous

Boiling point/range°C: 100 Melting point/range°C: 0

Flammability limits %: lower: Not applicable. upper: Not applicable.

Flash point°C: Not applicable. Part.coeff. n-octanol/water: Not applicable.

Autoflammability°C: Not applicable. Vapour pressure: Not applicable.

Relative density: 1.158 pH: 13.5

VOC g/I: 0

## 9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

### Section 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity:** Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

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### 10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Aluminium. Zinc.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes of carbon dioxide / carbon monoxide. In combustion emits

toxic fumes of nitrogen oxides.

### **Section 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

### Hazardous ingredients:

#### **SODIUM HYDROXIDE**

IPR	MUS	LD50	40	mg/kg
ORL	RBT	LDLO	500	mg/kg

#### Relevant hazards for substance:

Hazard	Route	Basis
Skin corrosion/irritation	DRM	Hazardous: calculated
Serious eye damage/irritation	OPT	Hazardous: calculated

### Symptoms / routes of exposure

Skin contact: Irritation or pain may occur at the site of contact. Progressive ulceration will occur if treatment

is not immediate.

**Eye contact:** There may be irritation and pain. The vision may become blurred. Corneal burns may occur.

Ingestion: There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. There may be difficulty

swallowing. Corrosive burns may appear around the lips.

**Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

# Section 12: Ecological information

## 12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values: No data available.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: Biodegradable. The surfactants contained in this preparation comply with the biodegradability

criteria as laid down in regulation (EC) No.648/2004 on detergents.

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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No bioaccumulation potential.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: Soluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

12.6. Other adverse effects

### Section 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal of packaging: Dispose of as normal industrial waste.

NB: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations

regarding disposal.

### **Section 14: Transport information**

### 14.1. UN number

UN number: UN1760

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Shipping name: CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.

(SODIUM HYDROXIDE (12%))

# 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: 8

## 14.4. Packing group

Packing group: II

# 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: No Marine pollutant: No

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: No special precautions.

Tunnel code: E
Transport category: 2

### **Section 15: Regulatory information**

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

### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by

the supplier.

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### **Section 16: Other information**

### Other information

Other information: This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No

453/2010.

Phrases used in s.2 and s.3: H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and

shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting

from handling or from contact with the above product.