MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name	**NU-BRITE (4291)**
CAS #	Mixture
Product use	Coil Cleaner / Degreaser
Manufacturer	Nu-Calgon 2008 Altom Court St. Louis, MO 63146 US Phone: 314-469-7000 / 800-554-5499 Emergency Phone: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview	DANGER CAUSES EYE BURNS. CAUSES SKIN BURNS.
Potential short term health effects	
Routes of exposure	Eye, Skin contact, Inhalation, Ingestion.
Eyes	Causes chemical burns. May cause blindness.
Skin	Causes chemical burns. Harmful contact may not cause immediate pain.
Inhalation	May cause respiratory tract irritation or chemical burns.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. Causes chemical burns to mouth, throat and stomach.
Target organs	Eyes. Respiratory system. Skin.
Chronic effects	Prolonged or repeated exposure to dilutions can cause drying, defatting and dermatitis.
Signs and symptoms	The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes.
OSHA Regulatory Status	This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.
Potential environmental effects	Components of this product have been identified as having potential environmental concerns.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Ingredient(s)	CAS #	Percent
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	10 - 30
Alkyl polyglycoside	110615-47-9	1 - 5

4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures	
Eye contact	Immediately flush with cool water. Remove contact lenses, if applicable, and continue flushing for 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention immediately.
Skin contact	Immediately flush with cool water for 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Discard or wash well before reuse. Obtain medical advice immediately.
Inhalation	If symptoms develop move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward to reduce risk of aspiration. Never give anything by mouth if victim is unconscious, or is convulsing. Obtain medical attention.
General advice	If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Use of an impervious apron is recommended. Keep out of reach of children.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flammable properties	Not flammable by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Extinguishing media	
Suitable extinguishing media	Dry chemical. Water spray. Carbon dioxide. Foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media	Not available
Protection of firefighters	
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Not available
Protective equipment for firefighters	Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing apparatus.
Hazardous combustion products	May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon.
Explosion data	
Sensitivity to mechanical impact	No.
Sensitivity to static discharge	No.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.
Environmental precautions	Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public waters.
Methods for containment	Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.
Methods for cleaning up	Before attempting clean up, refer to hazard data given above. Small spills may be absorbed with non-reactive absorbent and placed in suitable, covered, labelled containers. Prevent large spills from entering sewers or waterways. Contact emergency services and supplier for advice. Never return spills to original containers for re-use.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling	Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Use good industrial hygiene practices in handling this material. Keep container tightly closed. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid breathing vapors or mists of this product.
Storage	Keep out of the reach of children. Store in a closed container away from incompatible materials.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure limits

Ingredient(s)	Exposure Limits
Alkyl polyglycoside	**ACGIH-TLV** Not established **OSHA-PEL** Not established
Sodium hydroxide	**ACGIH-TLV** Ceiling: 2 mg/m3 **OSHA-PEL** TWA: 2 mg/m3

Engineering controls	General ventilation normally adequate.
Personal protective equipment	
Eye / face protection	Wear chemical goggles.
Hand protection	Rubber gloves. Confirm with a reputable supplier first.
Skin and body protection	As required by employer code. Rubber apron recommended.
Respiratory protection	Avoid breathing mists or vapors. Where exposure guideline levels may be exceeded, use an approved NIOSH respirator.
General hygiene considerations	Use good industrial hygiene practices in handling this material. When using do not eat or drink. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Liquid.
Color	Blue
Form	Liquid

Odor	Characteristic, Mild
Odor threshold	Not available
Physical state	Liquid
pH	14 (Concentrate)
Melting point	Not available
Freezing point	32.00 °F (0 °C)
Boiling point	212.00 °F (100 °C)
Pour point	Not available
Evaporation rate	Not available
Flash point	None to boiling
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available
Flammability limits in air, lower, % by volume	Not available
Flammability limits in air, upper, % by volume	Not available
Vapor pressure	Not available
Vapor density	Not available
Specific gravity	1.242 ± 0.005
Octanol/water coefficient	Not available
Solubility (H2O)	Complete
VOC (Weight %)	Not available
Viscosity	Not available
Percent volatile	76

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity	Reacts violently with acids. This product may react with oxidizing agents.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Conditions to avoid	Hazardous vapours may be produced when mixed with chlorinated detergents or sanitizers. Do not mix with other chemicals.
Incompatible materials	Acids. Oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon.

11. Toxicological Information

Component analysis - LC50

Ingredient(s)	LC50
Alkyl polyglycoside	Not available
Sodium hydroxide	Not available

Component analysis - Oral LD50

Ingredient(s)	LD50
Alkyl polyglycoside	5000 mg/kg rat
Sodium hydroxide	Not available

Effects of acute exposure

Eye	Causes chemical burns. May cause blindness.
Skin	Causes chemical burns. Harmful contact may not cause immediate pain.
Inhalation	May cause respiratory tract irritation or chemical burns.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. Causes chemical burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

Sensitization	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Chronic effects	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Carcinogenicity	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Mutagenicity	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.

Reproductive effects	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Teratogenicity	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Name of Toxicologically Synergistic Products	Not available

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity Components of this product have been identified as having potential environmental concerns.

Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Fish - Acute Toxicity Data

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	96 Hr LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: 45.4 mg/L [static]

Persistence / degradability	Not available
Bioaccumulation / accumulation	Not available
Mobility in environmental media	Not available
Environmental effects	Not available
Aquatic toxicity	Not available
Partition coefficient	Not available
Chemical fate information	Not available
Other adverse effects	Not available

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal instructions	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Waste from residues / unused products	Not available
Contaminated packaging	Not available

14. Transport Information

U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

Basic shipping requirements:

Proper shipping name	Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s. (SODIUM HYDROXIDE RQ = 5000 lbs)
Hazard class	8
UN number	UN3266
Packing group	II
Additional information:	
Special provisions	B2, IB2, T11, TP2, TP27
Packaging exceptions	<0.3 Gallon - Limited Quantity
ERG number	154

Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG - Canada)

Basic shipping requirements:

Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (SODIUM HYDROXIDE)
Hazard class	8
UN number	UN3266
Packing group	II
Additional information:	
Special provisions	16
Packaging exceptions	<1L - Limited Quantity

15. Regulatory Information

Canadian federal regulations This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

Canada - WHMIS - Ingredient Disclosure List

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	1 %

WHMIS status Controlled

WHMIS classification Class E - Corrosive Material

WHMIS labeling

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

29 CFR 1910.1200 hazardous chemical Yes

US Federal regulations This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	1000 Lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ

U.S. - CWA (Clean Water Act) - Hazardous Substances

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Present

CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity

Sodium hydroxide: 1000.0000

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - Yes
Delayed Hazard - No
Fire Hazard - No
Pressure Hazard - No
Reactivity Hazard - No

Section 302 extremely hazardous substance No

Section 311 hazardous chemical Yes

Clean Air Act (CAA) Not available

Clean Water Act (CWA) Hazardous substance

State regulations This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

U.S. - California - 8 CCR Section 339 - Director's List of Hazardous Substances

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Present

U.S. - Louisiana - Reportable Quantity List for Pollutants

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	1000 Lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ

U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Present

U.S. - Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Present

U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	sn 1706

U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	1000 Lb RQ (air); 100 lb RQ (land/water)

U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Environmental hazard

U.S. - Rhode Island - Hazardous Substance List

Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Toxic; Flammable

Inventory name

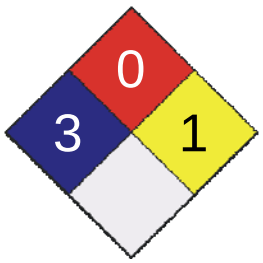
Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

16. Other Information

LEGEND HMIS/NFPA	
Severe	4
Serious	3
Moderate	2
Slight	1
Minimal	0

Health	/	3
Flammability		0
Physical Hazard		1
Personal Protection		X



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