

# Safety Data Sheet

## Section 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### 1.1 Product identifier

Product Name: **CUTTER (ZIP)**  
Synonym: Non Butyl Alkaline Degreaser  
Product Item No.: 4392 (267904)

### 1.2 Recommended use of the product and restrictions on use

Uses: Degreaser, Cleaner, etc.  
Restrictions: Contact with soft metals  
Product dilution: Product is able to be diluted

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

Company: Emtech Laboratories, Inc.  
580 S. Cemetery Street  
Norcross, Georgia 30071  
Telephone: 877-753-3271  
Fax Phone Number: 888-294-7060

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone Number: 678-534-8007

## Section 2. Hazards Identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture:

#### Health hazards

Skin corrosion (Category 1)  
Serious eye damage (Category 1)

#### Environmental hazards

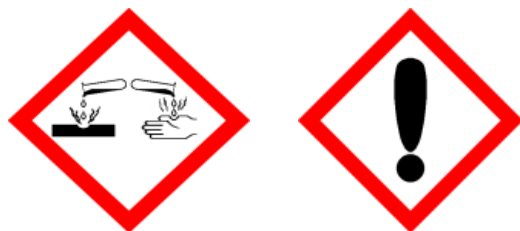
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute hazard (Category 3)

#### Other Hazards

Corrosive to metals (Category 1)

### 2.2 GHS Label elements

Pictogram(s)



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Signal Word: Danger

**Hazard statement(s):**

H290: Maybe corrosive to metals.  
 H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
 H318: Causes serious eye damage.  
 H402: Harmful to aquatic life.

**Precautionary statement - Prevention**

P264: Wash thoroughly after handling.  
 P273: Avoid release to the environment.  
 P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

**Precautionary statement - Response**

P301 + P310+: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
 P330 + P331: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.  
 P353: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
 P304 + P340: 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. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
 P305 + P351+: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
 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. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
 P363: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

**Precautionary Statements – Storage**

P403 + P235 +: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. P410 + P412: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.  
 P405: Store locked up.

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS:**

**Supplemental information** 0.5% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown long-term hazards to the aquatic environment.

Section 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

**Substance/ Mixture:** Mixture

Hazardous Ingredients	Concentration Range (%)	CAS number
Sodium Hydroxide	5 - 8	1310-73-2
EDTA tetrasodium salt	1 – 3	64-02-8
Sodium tripolyphosphate pentabasic	2 - 4	7758-29-4
Alcohols, C10-14, ethoxylated	2 – 4	66455-15-0
C8-14 Alkyl Polyglucoside	2 - 4	110615-47-9

Balance of other ingredients is non-hazardous or less than 0.1%. Any concentration shown as a range is to protect confidentiality or is due to batch variation.

## Section 4. First Aid Measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.  
Move out of dangerous area.

#### Eye

Immediately flush eyes with water for 15-20 minutes, while holding eyelids open.  
Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.  
Seek medical attention at once.

#### Skin

Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

#### Inhalation

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. Consult a physician if breathing difficulty persists.

#### Ingestion

Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have a person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

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

Burning pain and severe corrosive skin damage. Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Permanent eye damage including blindness could result.

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

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically

## Section 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

### 5.1 Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder).

#### Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

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

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear full protective clothing (chemical splash suit) and positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus, MSHA/NIOSH approved or equivalent.

### 5.4 Further information

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

National Fire  
Protection  
Association (NFPA)  
0 = None 4 = Extreme Hazard

Health: 3  
Fire Hazard: 1  
Reactivity: 0

## Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

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

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

For small amounts: Pick up with suitable absorbent material. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations. Do not use saw-dust or other combustible substances as an absorbent during cleanup. For large amounts: Pump off product. Correctly dispose of recovered product immediately

### 6.3 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 8 to personal protective protection and section 13 to waste treatment.

## Section 7. Handling and Storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Do not breathe mist or vapor. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Do not taste or swallow. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. For precautions see section 2.2.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including and incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from sunlight, and heat. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Storage area should be clearly identified, clear of obstruction and accessible only to trained and authorized personnel. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.  
**Incompatibility** - Strong Acids, and soft metals such as Aluminum.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses referenced in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## Section 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

#### US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	CAS-No.	Type	Value
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	Ceiling 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	USA. ACGIH TLV USA, NIOSH REL

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TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week.

STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) - the airborne concentration of a particular substance calculated as a time-weighted average over 15 minutes, which should not be exceeded at any time during a normal eight hour work day. According to current knowledge this concentration should neither impair the health of, nor cause undue discomfort to, nearly all workers.

WEEL - Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

## 8.2 Appropriate engineering controls

Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## 8.3 Personal protective equipment

### General Information

Provide eyewash, safety shower and washing facilities.

### Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

### 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. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

### Body Protection

Wear suitable protective clothing.

### Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

### Hygiene measures

Do not smoke while handling/using product. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use.

## Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	Form:	Liquid
	Color:	Varies – Yellow, Green, Orange Mixture
b) Odor		Mild surfactantmon with organic odor
c) Odor Threshold		no data available
d) pH		12.9 Typical
e) Melting point/freezing point		no data available

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f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	212°F (100°C)
g) Flash point closed cup	>200°F (>93.33°F)
h) Evaporation rate	no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	no data available
k) Vapor pressure	no data available
l) Vapor density	no data available
m) Relative density	1.06352 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 25 °C (77 °F)
n) Water solubility	soluble
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
q) Decomposition temperature	no data available
r) Viscosity	no data available
s) Explosive properties	no data available
t) Oxidizing properties	no data available

## 9.2 Other information

VOC (Volatile Organic Compounds)	no data available
Molecular Weight	Mixture
Bulk Density	no data available

## Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Contact with incompatible materials.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

When handling this product, avoid contact with aluminum, tin, zinc, and alloys containing these metals. Contact with these materials liberates flammable hydrogen gas. Do not mix strong acids without dilution and agitation to prevent violent or explosive reactions. Avoid contact strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, acid chlorides, and acid anhydrides.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire, decomposition products may include the following materials: carbon dioxide, and carbon monoxide, and toxic hydrogen chloride vapors.

## Section 11. Toxicological Information

### 11.1 Likely Routes of exposure

Likely routes of exposure include: inhalation, eye and skin contact.

### 11.2 Signs and symptoms of exposure

Burning pain and severe corrosive skin damage. Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Permanent eye damage including blindness could result.

**11.3 Delayed and immediate effects/Chronic effects from short- and long-term exposure****Eye**

Causes serious eye damage

**Skin**

Causes serious skin burns

**Inhalation**

May cause irritation to the respiratory system. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

**Ingestion**

Toxic if swallowed. Causes digestive tract burns.

**Chronic effects**

No information available.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Not a respiratory sensitizer. This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No information available.

**Specific target organ toxicity-single exposure**

No information available.

**Specific target organ toxicity-repeated exposure**

No information available.

**Aspiration hazard**

No information available.

**Additional Information**

RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances): None

**11.4 Information on toxicological effects****Acute toxicity**

Ingredient	CAS No.	LD50-Oral, Rat	Inhalation, Rat	Dermal, Rabbit
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	No data	No data	No data

**11.5 Carcinogenicity**

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer): No component of this product is present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists): No component of this product is present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP (National Toxicology Program): No component of this product is present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP. OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration): No component of this product is present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Section 12. Ecological Information
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**12.1 Ecotoxicity**

Ingredient	CAS No.	
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	LC50-Gambusia affinis (Mosquito fish)-125 mg/l-96 h

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

The organic components of the product are biodegradable.

**12.3 Bio accumulative potential**

No information available

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No information available

**12.5 Other adverse effects**

No Known effect.

## Section 13. Disposal Considerations

**13.1 Disposal Instructions**

Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or restate is a violation of federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

**13.2 Local disposal regulations**

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**13.3 Hazardous waste code**

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

**13.4 Waste from residues / unused products**

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

**13.5 Contaminated packaging**

Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

## Section 14. Transportation Information

**Land Transport (DOT)**

14.1 UN number	1760
14.2 Proper Shipping Name:	Corrosive liquids, n.o.s.
14.3 Transport Hazard Class:	8
14.4 Packing Group	II
14.5 Special Precautions for the user	No data

**IATA** (International Air Transport Association): No data

**IMDG** (International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code): No data

## Section 15. Regulatory Information

**SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313 Components**

No data.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards**

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

**US State regulations****Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

Sodium hydroxide (CAS 1310-73-2)

**New Jersey Right To Know Components**

Sodium hydroxide (CAS 1310-73-2)

**California Right To Know Components**

Sodium hydroxide (CAS 1310-73-2)

**Florida Right To Know Components**

Sodium hydroxide (CAS 1310-73-2)

**Minnesota Right To Know Components**

Sodium hydroxide (CAS 1310-73-2)

**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.

## Section 16. Other Information

**Hazardous Material  
Information System  
(HMIS)**
**Health:** 3**Fire Hazard:** 1**Reactivity:** 0

0 = None 4 = Extreme

**Personal Protective  
Equipment**
**B – Safety****Safety Glasses, Gloves**

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