# **AUSTRALIAN CHEMICAL REAGENTS**

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name: AUSDET DC9TL

Product Code: 0638 Other Names: Nil

Uses: Laboratory Detergent

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## 1. HAZARDS INFORMATION

GHS Classification Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 2

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 2A

Signal Word(s) Pictogram(s)

**WARNING** 



Hazard Statement(s) H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

**Precautionary Statement(s)** 

**Preventative** P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye

protection/face protection.

**Response** P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel

unwell.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to

do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical

advice/attention.

**Disposal** P501 Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste

disposal plant.

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#### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

## **Ingredients:**

Chemical Entity	CAS No	Proportion
Sodium hydroxide	[ 1310-73-2]	2%
Surfactants	-	10-30%
Seguestering agents	-	<20%
Water	[7732-18-5]	to 100%

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Safety showers and eye wash facilities should be provided.

#### Swallowed:

If conscious wash out mouth with water. Seek medical advice. Show this SDS to medical practitioner.

#### Eve:

Immediately hold eyelids open and flood with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical aid. Show this SDS to medical practitioner.

#### Skin:

Remove contaminated clothing. Immediately wash skin thoroughly with water and mild soap. Seek medical advice if irritation persists. Show this SDS to medical practitioner. Launder clothing before reuse.

#### Inhaled:

Remove from contaminated air. Maintain breathing with artificial respiration if necessary. Seek medical assistance. Show this SDS to a doctor.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media:**

Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

## **Hazards From Combustion Products:**

Solutions will not burn or support combustion. However contact with aluminium, zinc or tin may generate explosive hydrogen gas. Decomposition products include sodium oxide and oxides of carbon.

## **Precautions For Fire Fighters and Special Protective Equipment:**

Fire fighters and others who may be exposed to combustion products during fire should wear full protective clothing including positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Wear SCBA with full face-piece, operated in positive pressure mode when fighting fires.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## **Emergency procedures:**

Prevent from entering waterways. Restrict access to area. Remove chemicals that can react with the spilled material. Spills are slippery

#### Methods and materials for containment and clean up:

Use inert material such as sand or earth to contain spill or leak. Absorb spills with chemical absorber or vermiculite and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling:**

Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

## **Conditions for Safe Storage:**

Store sealed in original container in a cool well ventilated situation away from foods and other chemicals. Do not store in direct sunlight. Observe good hygiene and housekeeping practices.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **National Exposure Standards:**

SWA – Sodium hydroxide 2mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA & Peak Limitation

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Biological Limit Values: No data available.

## **Engineering Controls:**

Not required with normal use. If mists are likely to be generated maintain atmospheric concentrations well below exposure standards with extraction ventilation.

## **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):**

The use of nitrile or neoprene gloves complying with AS 2161 and the use of faceshield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection complying with AS/NZS 1337 is recommended.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : Clear liquid

Odour: Nil pH: 14

Boiling Point ( $^{0}$ C):

Freezing/melting Point:

Vapour Pressure (mm of Hg @ 25 $^{0}$ C):

Not applicable

Not applicable

Not applicable

Not applicable

Specific Gravity:

Flash Point (°C):

Flammability Limits (%):

Solubility in Water (g/L):

Not flammable

Not flammable

Soluble

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical stability:** 

Stable.

Conditions to avoid:

Exposure to air. Absorbs carbon dioxide

Incompatible materials:

Acids, organic materials, chlorinated solvents, aluminum, phosphorus, tin and zinc.

Hazardous decomposition products:

Refer to section 5 (Fire Fighting Measures).

**Hazardous reactions:** 

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Health Effects:**

**Swallowed :** Mildly alkaline. May irritate gastric system if large quantities ingested. For sodium hydroxide LD50 oral - rabbits 500mg/kg.

**Eye:** Will irritate eye tissue. For sodium hydroxide 100mg rinse produced severe irritation of rabbit eyes.

**Skin :** May irritate skin tissue of sensitive individuals with prolonged contact. 500mg of sodium hydroxide produced severe irritation of rabbit skin after 24hrs.

Inhaled: Not considered a hazard with normal laboratory use.

**Chronic Effects:** No data available. Product may cause defatting of the skin with irritation and dermatitis with prolonged skin contact.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity:**

No data available.

Persistence and degradability:

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No data available.

**Mobility:** 

No data available.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**UN Number:** None Allocated

UN Proper Shipping Name: None Allocated Class and subsidiary risk(s): None Allocated

Packing Group: None Allocated Hazchem Code: None Allocated

Special precautions for user: None Allocated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSDP):

Schedule 5

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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