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### 1. Identification

GHS Product identifier Chlorclean

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions

on use Concentrated chlorinated detergent.

Concentrated, heavy duty cleaner and sanitiser for use in food processing plants and other food related operations. Dilutions: Foam cleaning - 1 part to 10 parts water; Pressure washing - 1 part to 20 parts

water; Manual washing - 1 part to 100 parts water.

Other Names None

Other Information Emergency contact: Mobile: 0412 646 246

#### 2. Hazard Identification

This material is hazardous according to Safe Work Australia.

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail.

GHS classification of Acute aquatic toxicity) Category 1
the substance/mixture Skin Corrosion Sub Category 1B
Eye irritation Category 1

Signal Word (s) DANGER

Hazard Statement(s) H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life

R phrases R31 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas

R34 Causes burns

**Precautionary statement -** P234 Keep only in original container.

**Prevention** P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.

 ${\tt P280\ Wear\ protective\ gloves/protective\ clothing/eye\ protection/face\ protection}.$ 

Precautionary statement- P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

**Response**P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing, Rinse skin with

water/shower.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. P321 Specific treatment (see First Aid Measures on Safety Data Sheet).

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

and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Precautionary statement-

**Storage** P405 Store locked up.

P406 Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

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

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## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

<u>Hazardous ingredients</u> <u>Name</u> <u>CAS no.</u> <u>Proportion</u> <u>Hazard symbol</u> <u>Risk phrase</u>

Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2 LOW C R34
Sodium hypochlorite 7681-52-9 LOW C N R31 R34

KEY: Proportion, (wt %) - V HIGH >60, HIGH 30 - 60, MED 10 -29, LOW 1-9, V LOW <1

Non hazardous ingredient to 100%

## 4. First-aid measures

Ingestion: Rinse mouth thoroughly with water immediately. Give water to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting

occurs, have victim lean forward to reduce risk of aspiration. If vomiting occurs give further water to achieve

effective dilution. Seek immediate medical assistance.

**Skin:** Wash affected areas with copious quantities of water immediately. Remove contaminated clothing and wash

before re-use. Seek urgent medical assistance. Cover skin with an emollient.

**Eye contact** Immediately irrigate with copious quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Eyelids to be held open. Seek

immediate medical assistance.

If available, a neutral saline solution may be used to flush the contaminated eye/s an additional 30 minutes.

**First Aid Facilities** Maintain eyewash fountain and safety shower in work area.

**Advice to Doctor** Treat symptomatically. Can cause corneal burns. Ingestion releases hypochlorous acid which is irritating to

mucous membranes and skin but has low systemic toxicity. Inhalation may be followed by pulmonary oedema. Treat symptomatically as for strong alkalis. Consult Poisons Information Centre. In severe cases, where excessive amounts of sodium hydroxide have been ingested, endoscopy should be performed to determine the severity of

the oesophageal burns.

**Other Information** For advice, contact the National Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 13 11 26 and New Zealand 0800

764 766) or a doctor.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Hazards from Combustion May liberate toxic fumes in fire.

Suitable extinguishing

media

Not combustible, however, if material is involved in a fire use: Fine water spray, normal foam, dry agent (carbon

dioxide, dry chemical powder).

Small fire: Use dry chemical, CO2 or water spray.

Large fire: Use water spray, fog or foam - DO NOT use water jets.

If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from the fire area. Cool containers with flooding quantities

of water until well after the fire is out.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

Not combustible, however following evaporation of aqueous component residual material can decompose if

involved in a fire, emitting toxic fumes. Contact with metals may liberate hydrogen gas which is extremely

flammable. Decomposes on heating emitting toxic fumes, including those of chlorine.

Hazchem Code 2R

**Precautions in connection** 

with fire

Wear SCBA and chemical splash suit.

Fully encapsulating, gas-tight suits should be worn for maximum protection. Structural firefighter's uniform is

NOT effective for these materials.

### 6. Accidental release measures

**Emergency procedures** 

Clear area of all unprotected personnel.

Environmental

**Precautions** If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

**Personal Precautions** 

Avoid contact with skin. Avoid contact with eyes.

Personal Protection

Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Wear full protective equipment to prevent skin and

eye contact and breathing in vapours. Work up wind or increase ventilation.

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Clean-up Methods-

Small spillages Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Collect

and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal. Caution - heat may be evolved on contact with

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water.

Large Spillages Seek expert advice on handling and disposal.

### 7. Handling and storage

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**Precautions for Safe** 

**Handling** Avoid skin and eye contact and breathing in vapour, mists and aerosols.

Conditions for safe storage,

including any

incompatibilities This material is a Scheduled Poison S5 and must be stored, maintained and used in accordance with the relevant

regulations.

Store in cool place and out of direct sunlight. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Store away from foodstuffs. Do not store in aluminium or galvanised containers or use die-cast zinc or aluminium bungs; plastic bungs should be used. At temperatures greater than 40°C, tanks must be stress relieved. Keep

containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

## Occupational exposure limit

values

Name STEL TWA

	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	<u>ppm</u>	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	<u>ppm</u>	<u>Footnote</u>
Sodium hydroxide				2	Peak limitation
Chlorine gas			3	1	Peak limitation

Other exposure

Information A time weighted average (TWA) has been established for Sodium hydroxide (Safe Work Australia) of 2mg/m<sup>3</sup>.

<u>Peak Limitation</u> - a ceiling concentration which should not be exceeded over a measurement period which should be as short as possible but not exceeding 15 minutes. The exposure value at the TWA is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working

week.

Appropriate engineering

**Controls** 

In industrial situations maintain the concentrations values below the TWA. This may be achieved by process modification, use of local exhaust ventilation, capturing substances at the source, or other

methods.

**Personal Protective** 

Equipment

Final choice of personal protective equipment will depend on individual circumstances and/or according

to risk assessments undertaken.

**Respiratory Protection** 

**Hand Protection** 

Where ventilation is not adequate, respiratory protection may be required. Avoid breathing dust, vapours or mists. Respiratory protection should comply with AS 1716 - Respiratory Protective Devices and be selected in accordance with AS 1715 - Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels. In event of emergency or

Devices. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels. In event of emergency or planned entry into unknown concentrations a positive pressure, full-face piece SCBA should be used. If respiratory protection is required; institute a complete respiratory protection program including selection,

fit testing, training, maintenance and inspection.

**Eye Protection** The use of a face shield, chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shield protection as appropriate.

Must comply with Australian Standards AS 1337 and be selected and used in accordance with AS 1336. Avoid skin contact when removing gloves from hands, do not touch the gloves outer surface. Dispose of

gloves as hazardous waste.

Hand protection should comply with AS 2161, Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and

maintenance.

Recommendation: Rubber or plastic gloves.

**Footwear** Safety boots in industrial situations is advisory, foot protection should comply with AS 2210,

Occupational protective footwear - Guide to selection, care and use.

**Body Protection** Clean clothing or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with and apron. Clothing for protection

against chemicals should comply with AS 3765 Clothing for Protection Against Hazardous Chemicals.

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Hygiene Measures Do not eat, drink or smoke in work areas. Wash hands thoroughly after handling this material. Maintain

good housekeeping.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

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**Appearance and Odour** 

Clear, pale straw yellow, slightly viscous liquid with chlorine odour.

**Boiling Point/** 

Melting Point (º C)Not AvailableVapour PressureNot Available

% Volatile by volume 88

 Specific Gravity
 1.13 g/cm³

 pH (concentrate)
 12.5 - 13.5

 pH (use in dilution of )
 12 - 12.5 (1:10)

 11 5 13 (1:30)

11.5 - 12 (1:20) 10 - 10.5 (1:100) Complete

Solubility in water

Other Data Contains 5% available chlorine.

Flash Point (º C) None, Non-flammable

#### 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** Reacts violently with acids. Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

**Chemical stability** Stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure. .

The amount of available chlorine diminishes over time.

Possibility of hazardous

**Reactions** Hazardous polymerisation will not occur. Reacts exothermically with acids.

Decomposes on heating to produce chlorine gas.

Conditions to avoid Incompatible materials Avoid contact with foodstuffs. Avoid contact with other chemicals. Avoid contact with acids.

React with acids producing poisonous gaseous chlorine. Contamination and exposure to light and heat

accelerates decomposition. Mildly corrosive to most metals and paints. Will react with peroxides, metal salts and

reducing agents.

Hazardous decomposition

**Products** Chlorine gas.

## 11. Toxicological Information

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Swallowed** Swallowing can result in irritating mouth, oesophagus and stomach. Headaches and nausea possible.

**Eye** In the concentrated form is an irritant to eyes and mucous membranes. Inflammation of the eye tissue is

characterised by redness, watering and/or itching. Repeated or prolonged eye exposure may produce chronic

inflammation or eye tissue damage.

**Skin** In the concentrated form, prolonged skin contact without rinsing may irritate skin upon contact. Skin

inflammation is characterized by a burning sensation, itching, scaling or reddening. Dermatitis may develop

depending on the individual's sensitivity.

**Inhaled** Not normally an exposure route. Spray mists may produce upper respiratory irritation characterised

by sore throat or difficulty in breathing.

Acute toxicity No LD50 data available. Skin corrosion/irritation Severe irritant (rabbit).

**Chronic effects** No information available for the product.

### 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Toxic for aquatic organisms. Avoid contaminating waterways.

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For SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE:

Persistence/degradability This material is biodegradable.

Aquatic toxicity Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

48hr LC50 (fish) 0.07 - 5.9 mg/L.

Acute Toxicity For SODIUM HYDROXIDE

Fish LC50 Gambusia affins (mosquito fish) - 125mg/L - 96 h.

Daphnia EC50 (Daphina magna): 76 mg/l/24h.

### 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal Considerations** Recover or recycle if possible. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical

properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste classification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Do not dispose into the environment, in drains or in water courses. Do not dispose of tank water bottoms by allowing them to drain into the ground. This will result in soil and groundwater contamination. Waste arising from a spillage or tank cleaning should be disposed of in accordance with prevailing regulations, preferably to a recognised collector or contractor. The competence of the collector or

contractor should be established beforehand.

### 14. Transport information

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail.

Transport Information Dangerous goods of Class 8 (Corrosive) are incompatible in a placard load with any of the following:

Class 1, Class 4.3, Class 5, Class 6, if the Class 6 dangerous goods are cyanides and the Class 8

dangerous goods are acids, Class 7 and are incompatible with food and food packaging in any quantity.

Not to be loaded on the same vehicle with strong acids.

U.N. Number 1824

**UN proper shipping name** SODIUM HYDROXIDE, LIQUID

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Hazchem Code 2R
Packing Group II



#### 15. Regulatory information

**Regulatory Information** Listed in the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

Poisons Schedule S5

#### 16. Other Information

Date of preparation or last

revision of SDS 20 August 2015

**References** National Road Transport Commission, 'Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road

and Rail 7th. Ed.', 2007.

'Labeling of Hazardous Workplace Chemicals, Code of Practice' Safe Work Australia.

Safe Work Australia, 'Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances [NOHSC:1008(2004)]'.

Safe Work Australia, 'Hazardous Substances Information System, 2005'.

Safe Work Australia, 'National Code of Practice for the Labeling of Safe Work Hazardous Substances

(2011)'.

THIS MSDS SUMMARISES OUR BEST KNOWLEDGE OF THE HEALTH AND SAFETY HAZARD INFORMATION OF THE PRODUCT AND HOW TO SAFELY USE THE PRODUCT IN THE WORKPLACE. EACH USER MUST REVIEW THIS MSDS IN THE CONTEXT OF HOW THE PRODUCT WILL BE HANDLED AND USED IN THE WORKPLACE.

IF CLARIFICATION OR FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED TO ENSURE THAT AN APPROPRIATE RISK ASSESSMENT CAN BE MADE, THE USER SHOULD CONTACT THIS COMPANY SO WE CAN ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM OUR SUPPLIERS.

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