

# Safety Data Sheet compliant with Regulation (EU) 2020/878

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### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product identifier

Trade name

CAUSTAK 30

UFI :

94WG-K0AR-500U-N9P5

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

Use of the product

ALKALINE DETERGENT FOOD INDUSTRIES BEVERAGE INDUSTRIES DAIRY INDUSTRIES ALKALINE DETERGENT WITH PHOSPHOROUS FREE SCALE INHIBITOR

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company identification

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EU - HYPRED SAS 55, Boulevard Jules Verger B.P 10180 35803 DINARD Cedex - FRANCE Tél : +33 (0)2 99 16 50 00 Fax : +33 (0)2 99 16 50 20 e-mail : kersia@kersia-group.com

For information regarding this safety data sheet, please contact : regulatory@kersia-group.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency phone number

Emergency direct number (24 hours a day, 7 days a week): +44 1273 289451

CARECHEM 24 Tel. +44 1865 407333

For information or to report a poisoning incident contact The National Poisons Information Centre: +353 (1) 809 2166 (8.00 a.m. to 10.00 p.m. 7 days a week).



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> Healthcare Professionals: +353 (1) 809 2566 (24 hour service) NHS: 111

#### SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

The mixture meets the classification criteria provided for under Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.

Substance corrosive to metals - Category 1	H290: May be corrosive to metals.
Skin corrosion - Category 1A	H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Serious damage to eyes - Category 1	H318: Causes serious eye damage.

### 2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to 1272/2008/EC Regulation:

Hazard pictograms(s) :



Signal word : Danger

Contains : Sodium hydroxide

Hazard statement(s) : H290: May be corrosive to metals. H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s) :

P234: Keep only in original packaging.

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

P303 + P361 + P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].

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

P313: Get medical advice/attention.



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

#### 2.3. Other hazards

The mixture does not contain substance identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605. in concentration greater than 0.1%.

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable as this involves a mixture.

#### 3.2. Mixtures

#### Chemical nature of the mixture : ALKALINE DETERGENT

Substance(s)	CAS number(s)	EINECS number(s)	index	No registration REACH	Classification according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008	SCL M-factor ATE	Туре
30% <= Sodium hydroxide < 40%	1310-73-2	215-185-5	011-002-00-6	01-2119457892-27	Met. Corr. 1 H290	C ≥ 5% Skin Corr. 1A H314 2% ≤ C < 5% Skin Corr. 1B H314 0.5% ≤ C < 2% Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Eye Irrit. 2 H319	

Type

(1): Substance classified as hazardous for health and/or the environment

(2) : Substance with an exposure limit at the work station.

- Substance of very high concern candidate for the authorisation procedure:
- (3) : Substance considered as PBT (persistent, bioaccumulable, toxic)
- (4) : Substance considered as vPvB (very persistent, very bioaccumulable) (5) : Substance considered as carcinogenic category 1A
- (6) : Substance considered as carcinogenic category 1B
  (7) : Substance considered as mutagenic category 1A
- (8) : Substance considered as mutagenic category 1B
- (9) : Substance considered as reprotoxic category 1A
- (10) : Substance considered as reprotoxic category 1B
- (11) : Substance considered as endocrine disrupter
- (12): Other substance considered hazardous to health or the environment
- (N): Nanomaterial

Full text of H- and EUH- phrases : see section 16.

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES



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### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

General indications:

Take the contaminated clothes and shoes off immediately. Wash them before wearing them again. In case of faintness, get medical advice/attention. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor.

In the event of inhalation :

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

If breathing stops, apply mouth-to-mouth and call for the emergency medical services.

In the event of contact with the skin :

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes at least. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

In the event of contact with the eyes : Rinse at once with a soft stream of water for at least 15 minutes, eyes wide open. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

In the event of ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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

Skin contact : Corrosive : Causes severe burns.

Eye contact : Causes serious eye damage. Can cause irreversible ocular lesions.

Ingestion : Causes severe burns in mouth and digestive tract. Risk of perforating digestive tracts.

Inhalation : Not considered as hazardous through inhalation under normal conditions of use. Inhaling vapours or aerosols can irritate the nose and throat, a cough and difficulty breathing.

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

Treatments : Symptomatic treatment

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media :

Agents compatible with other products involved into fire.



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> Unsuitable extinguishing media : None from our knowledge.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

CAUSTAK 30 is non-flammable. However, in contact with certain metals (aluminium, zinc...), release of flammable and/or explosive hydrogen if ignited. Burning produces irritant fumes.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

A breathing insulating equipment must be worn because of the abundance of fumes and dangerous gases.

Collect contaminated firefighting water separately, must not be discharged into the drains.

### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel : Evacuate non-essential staff and those not equipped with individual protection apparatus.

6.1.2. For emergency responders :

Evacuate the personnel to a safe location. Keep people upwind and away from the location of the flow/leak. Use personal protection equipment.

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

Intervention limited to trained staff. Do not discharge the product directly to sewer or to environment. Take as soon as possible all incompatible materials away.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Small spillage :

Absorb with an inert, non-combustible absorbent material, such as sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth. Recover in a reservoir of help.

Large spillage : Collect in suitable containers. Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Keep in suitable, properly labelled and closed containers for disposal. Mark out, soak up with an inert absorbant and pump in an emergency tank.



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> Respect protective measures presented at heading 8. Refer to section 13 for the elimination.

#### SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Wash the hands and any other zone exposed with a soft soap and water, before eating, drinking, smoking, and before leaving work. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke in work area. Avoid projections during use. Do not mix with an acid.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### 7.2.1. Storage :

Stored at a temperature included between 5 and 40°C in a well-ventilated place. Do not store below the point of freezing. Keep only in the original container. Keep container closed. Keep in a clean and dry place. Keep away from products sensitive to alkalis.

#### 7.2.2. Packaging or wrapping materials :

High density polyethylene recommended.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No other recommendation.

### SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

#### Exposure limit values :

Substance	CAS number	Country	Туре	Value	Unit	Comments	source
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	IRL	OEL Short term	2	mg/m³	15 minutes reference period	International limit values for chemical agents

### 8.2. Exposure controls

According to the requirements of Directive 98/24 /EC, the employer is required to conduct a risk assessment and implement appropriate risks management measures.

\* If the risk remains after these corrective actions, he must always check by routinely measuring compliance with

<sup>\*</sup> For any situation where the absence of risk is not proven, he must consider the substitution or reduction of risk by improving in priority processes used and collective protection measures. The effectiveness of the solutions implemented will be checked by measurement in comparison to the statutory limit values for substances defined in Section 8.1.



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> regulatory OEL if they exist in section 8.1 and apply all the individual protective measures given in section 8.2. \* When formalized risk assessment indicates a low risk to workers' health, control of compliance with regulatory OEL may not be considered and all individual protection measures is not always mandatory.

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls :

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Apply the necessary technical measures to comply with the professional exposure limit values.

#### 8.2.2. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment :

#### Eye/face protection :

Use safety glasses or facial screen in conformity with the EN ISO 16321-1 standard.



Hand protection : Use chemical resistant gloves approved to EN 374. Examples of prefered materials for insulating gloves: Butyl rubber. PVC Thickness: > 0.5 mm Nitrile rubber. Fluorinated rubber (Viton) Thickness: > 0.4 mm Permeation time >= 480 min



Skin protection :

Wear protective clothing conforms to the standards EN 13034 - type 6 Under prolonged contact, wear boots or half-boots with strong soles and uppers that are impermeable to liquid chemicals in accordance with standard NF EN 13832-3.



Respiratory protection :

None under normal conditions of use.

During use that causes vapours or aerosols to form, wear a half-mask compliant with standard EN 140 or a full mask compliant with standard EN 136 fitted with a filter (compliant with standard EN 143) of type:

P2: Particles, solid aerosols and liquids



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Thermal hazards : Not applicable

Health measures :

Safety shower and eye wash fountain near to workplace. After using, wash systematically all personal protective equipment. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene practices and the safety instructions.

### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls :

Do not discharge the product directly to sewer or to environment.

### SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance
Colour
Odour
Odour threshold
Freezing point
Melting point
Boiling point
Flammability
Lower explosive limit
upper explosive limit
Flash point
Auto-ignition temperature
Decomposition temperature
pH value at 10g/l
Pure pH
kinematic viscosity
Solubility
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water
Vapour pressure
Relative density
Mass density
Vapour density
Particle characteristics

Clear liquid Colourless Ammoniacal Not available 5°C Not applicable Not available Not applicable Not applicable Not applicable Not available Not applicable Not available 12 - 13 > 13 Not available Not applicable Not applicable Not available Not available 1.33 g/cm<sup>3</sup> Not available Not applicable



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> Explosive properties Oxidising properties Evaporation rate:

Not applicable Not applicable Not available

### SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1. Reactivity

None under normal conditions of use.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable in the recommended storage and handling conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reactions with acids.

The contact with strong acids (for example, acid sulphuric, phosphoric, nitric, hydrochloric, chromic or sulphonic) can cause a release of heat, a boiling and a release of toxic vapors.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

High temperatures.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Metals. Aluminium

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

In contact with certain metals (aluminium, zinc...), release of flammable and/or explosive hydrogen if ignited.

These data are given for the concentrated mixture. The use of the mixture under its diluted form must be performed in conformity with data given by the technical data sheet and the technical adviser.

#### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) N°1272/2008

### Substance-related data:

Skin corrosion/irritation Sodium hydroxide (50%): Skin corrosion/irritation . Causes severe burns. - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): Skin corrosion/irritation . Causes severe burns. - MSDS supplier

Serious damage to eyes/eye irritation

Sodium hydroxide (50%): Eye contact: . . corrosive to the eyes - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): Serious damage to eyes/eye irritation . . corrosive to the eyes - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): Serious damage to eyes/eye irritation . . Serious damage to eyes - MSDS supplier

#### Respiratory tracts irritation

Sodium hydroxide (50%): Respiratory tracts irritation . Fog inhalation is irritant for respiratory tract - MSDS supplier



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> Mutagenicity Sodium hydroxide : . Not mutagenic - MSDS supplier

Carcinogenicity Sodium hydroxide : mouse . Not carcinogenic - MSDS supplier

Mix-related data: :

Acute toxicity . Not determined

Skin corrosion/irritation Skin corrosivity . The mix is considered to be corrosive for the skin under the criteria of Regulation 1272/2008/EC.

Serious damage to eyes/eye irritation Ocular corrosivity . Causes serious eye damage according to the criteria of Regulation 1272/2008/EC.

Respiratory / skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation . The mixture is not considered as a skin sensitiser according to 1272/2008/EC Regulation. Respiratory sensitisation . The mixture is not considered as a respiratory sensitiser according to 1272/2008/EC Regulation.

Mutagenicity

. based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

. based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity . based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure . based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure . based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

. based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed :

Skin contact : Corrosive : Causes severe burns.

Eye contact : Causes serious eye damage. Can cause irreversible ocular lesions.

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### 11.2. Information on other hazards

11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties Not concerned

#### SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. à 12.4. Toxicity - Persistence and degradability - Bioaccumulative potential - Mobility in soil

#### Substance-related data:

Acute toxicity Sodium hydroxide : LC 50 - 96 h fishes (Gambusia affinis) 35 - 189 mg/L. - MSDS supplier

Degradability

Sodium hydroxide (50%): Biodegradability aerobic . Not applicable - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): Biodegradability anaerobic . Not applicable - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): Half life air 13 seconds. Degradation product = sodium carbonate - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): Water. . Instantaneous ionization; Degradation products : salts - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): soil . Ionization / neutralization - MSDS supplier

Bioaccumulation Sodium hydroxide ( 50% ) : . Not applicable - MSDS supplier

Mobility Sodium hydroxide (50%): air . Instantaneous degradation - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): Water. . Important solubility and mobility - MSDS supplier Sodium hydroxide (50%): soil/sediments . Important solubility and mobility; Contamination of ground water in case of rain - MSDS supplier

Mix-related data: :

Acute toxicity fishes . No data available. daphnia . No data available. algae . No data available.

Chronic toxicity . No data available.

Degradability

. The surface agents contained in this mix are in line with the requirements of the Detergent Regulation 648/2004/EC.

Bioaccumulation . No data available.

Mobility . No data available.

Conclusion :

The mixture is not considered to be dangerous for the environment according to 1272/2008/EC Regulation.



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#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be a PBT or a vPvB

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties Not concerned

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available.

### SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

#### Treatment of the mixture :

Do not discharge the product directly to sewer or to environment. Comply with Directive 2008/98/EC of 19/11/2008 amended, relating to waste and to Decision 2000/532/ EC (amended ultimately by Decision 2014/955/EC) that establishes a list of hazardous waste that must be taken to an approved centre.

Packaging treatment :

Rinse thoroughly the packaging with water and treat the effluent like wastes. Comply with Directive 2008/98/EC of 19/11/2008 amended, relating to waste and to Decision 2000/532/ EC (amended ultimately by Decision 2014/955/EC) that establishes a list of hazardous waste that must be taken to an approved centre.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ROAD TRANSPORT: Rail/Route (RID/ADR)

14.1 UN number or ID number : 1824

14.2 UN proper shipping name : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

14.3 Transport hazard class(es): 8

14.4 Packing group : II Hazard identification number : 80 Label : 8



Tunnel code : (E)

14.5 Environmental hazards : No



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14.6 Special precautions for user : No information.

Limited Quantity (QL): 1L

MARITIME TRANSPORT : IMDG

14.1 UN number or ID number :1824

14.2 UN proper shipping name : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

14.3 Transport hazard class(es): 8



14.4 Packing group : II

14.5 Environmental hazards Marine pollutant : No

14.6 Special precautions for user : No information. EmS number : F-A, S-B

Limited Quantity (QL): 1L

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments : Not concerned

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

Regulation (EU) n°528/2012 concerning the making available on the market and use of biocidal products : Not concerned

Regulations relating to the hazards from major accidents : SEVESO 3 Directive (2012/18/EC) : Not concerned

Regulations relating to the classification, packaging and labelling of substances and mixtures : Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 amended.

Waste regulations :

2008/98/EC Directive amended by 2015/1127/EC Directive - Regulation 1357/2014/EC Decision 2014/955/EC which establishes the list of hazardous waste.



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Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals : Not concerned

Protection of workers :

Directive 98/24/EC of 07/04/1998 on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work.

Regulation (EU) 2019/1021 of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants : Not applicable

Regulation (EC) 1005/2009 amended on substances that deplete the ozone layer : Not applicable

Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors: Not concerned

Regulation (EC) 648/2004 : In conformity with the regulation in force on detergents: Regulation (EC) N° 648/2004. Ingredient datasheet for the medical staff is available upon written request. Contains : < 5% Polycarboxylates

Comply with national and local legislation.

UN Globally Harmonised System (GHS) on Classification and Labelling of Chemical (GB CLP - SI 2020 No. 1567) and UK REACH (SI 2020 No. 1577)

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

This safety data sheet has been drafted taking into account the information from exposure scenarios for the substances making up the mixture.

### SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The safety data sheet is additional to the technical data sheet but does not replace it. The information given here in is to the best of our knowledge correct and is given in good faith. We must also draw the user's attention on potential risks of the product is used for other purposes for which the product is known.

In no way does it exempt users from being aware of and complying with regulations applicable to their activity. It is their sole responsibility to take all necessary precautions in accordance to the usage of the product they are aware of.

Regulations are only stated in order to help users fulfill the duties involved in the use of the product.

This description should not be considered as exhaustive. It does not exempt users from ensuring if other demands need to be complied with-according to other laws than the ones hereby stated and applicable to holding and usage of the product-demands for which they will remain sole responsibility.



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List of H phrases referred to in section 3 : H290 : May be corrosive to metals. H314 : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Sources of key data used to compile the data sheet : MSDS supplier International limit values for chemical agents

Historical : Version 7.1.0 Cancels and replaces previous version 7.0.2