# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product name Swisher Main Drain** 

40041-32OZ Product code UN1719 **UN/ID No** 

Drain Maintainer/Cleaner **Recommended Use** 

Distributor

Swisher Hygiene Inc. 4725 Piedmont Row Drive, Suite 400,

Charlotte, NC 28210

**Chemical Emergency Phone** 

Number

800-424-9300 (Chemtrec)

**Company Emergency Phone** 

Number

800-444-4138

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### **Emergency Overview**

This product contains substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health.

Appearance Clear Thin Liquid Physical state liquid. **Odor** Characteristic

**Potential Health Effects** 

**Acute toxicity** 

**Eyes** Severe Burns. Skin Severe burns. Inhalation Causes severe burns Severe burns.

Ingestion

**Chronic Effects** No known effect based on information supplied

None known. **Aggravated Medical Conditions** 

**Environmental hazard** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	<25

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye contact** Flush with flowing water for 15 minutes & see physician.

**Skin contact** Wash with soap & water for 15 minutes. See physician if burning persists.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, apply suitable artificial respiration. Get

medical help.

Ingestion Give milk or water to dilute material; DO NOT induce vomiting. Avoid alcohol. CALL A

PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER IMMEDIATELY; NEVER GIVE ANYTHING

BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON.

Notes to physician Treat symptomatically

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties Not flammable

Flash point none

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use water spray or fog, foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, alcohol foam, if product is

involved.

Hazardous Combustion Products If burned, normal combustion products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide; Nitrous oxides.

**Explosion Data** 

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact no Sensitivity to Static Discharge

none none

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Use water spray to cool adjacent fire exposed

containers. Product will not burn but may splatter if temperature exceeds boiling point.

Protective Equipment and

**Precautions for Firefighters** 

Avoid exposure to fumes or vapors. Wear self-contained positive pressurized breathing

apparatus MSHA/NIOSH approved or equivalent to maintain TLV.

NFPA Health Hazard 0 Flammability 0 Stability 0 Physical and chemical

hazards -

HMIS Health Hazard 3 Flammability 0 Physical Hazard 1 Personal protection D

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation

Environmental precautions Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses

**Methods for Containment**Neutralize with dilute acid or sodium bicarbonate.

Methods for cleaning up Mop up & flush to sewer with plenty of water. Floors may be slippery. Use care to avoid

falls.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER POISON Do not get in eyes, on skin or

on clothing Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use

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Technical measures/Storage conditions

Avoid all contact. Store upright in original closed container.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure Guidelines** Review Section 3 & 4 for Exposure Guidelines.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Sodium hydroxide		TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
1310-73-2		_	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Engineering Measures Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems

**Personal Protective Equipment Institutional Environment** 

Eye/Face Protection Safety glasses are suggested when using this product in heavy use and institutional

environments.

**Consumer Environments** Care should be taken to avoid Eye contact.

Skin and body protection Rubber gloves

**Respiratory protection** Unnecessary in open institutional enviroment.

Hygiene measures Practice good personal hygiene. Wash after handling.

Personal Protective Equipment Industrial Environment

**Eye/Face Protection** Splash-proof chemical goggles or face shield.

**Skin and body protection**Impervious rubber, alkali-proof protective gloves Impervious rubber boots & apron. **Respiratory protection**If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved

respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be

provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Hygiene measures Practice good personal hygiene. Wash after handling. Shower at end of work period

Practice good personal hygiene. Wash after handling

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state liquid

Appearance Clear Thin Liquid Odor Characteristic

Color Clear yellow Odor Threshold No information available

**Property Values** Remarks Methods 14 No information available pН No information available Melting/freezing point **Freezing Point** No information available 220 °F No information available Boiling point/boiling range No information available **Flash Point Evaporation rate** GT 1.00 No information available Flammability (solid, gas) No information available Flammability Limits in Air No information available upper flammability limit

**Explosion Limits** 

lower flammability limit

upper lower

Vapor pressure17No information availableVapor density0.62No information available

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No information available

Specific Gravity1.186No information availableWater solubilityCompletely soluble.No information availableSolubility in other solventsNo information availablePartition coefficient: n-octanol/waterNo information availableAutoignition temperatureNo information availableDecomposition temperatureNo information available

Viscosity, kinematic Viscosity, dynamic

**Explosive properties**Oxidizing Properties
No information available
No information available

9.2 Other information

Softening pointNo information availableMolecular WeightNo information availableVOC Content(%)No information availableDensity VALUENo information availableBulk Density VALUENo information available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability** Stable

Incompatible products Strong acids

Conditions to Avoid None known based on information supplied

Hazardous Decomposition Products If burned, normal combustion products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide; Nitrous oxides.

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute toxicity**

**Product Information** Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information.

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium hydroxide		1350 mg/kg (Rabbit)	

#### Chronic toxicity

Target Organ Effects None known.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated

Chemical Name	Toxicity to algae	Toxicity to fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates
Sodium hydroxide		45.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static		

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### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods

This material, as supplied, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40)

CFR 261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is processed or otherwise altered. Consult 40 CFR 261 to determine whether the altered material is a hazardous waste. Consult the appropriate state, regional, or local

regulations for additional requirements

Contaminated packaging Do not re-use empty containers

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Sodium hydroxide	Toxic Corrosive

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note > 1 Qt: Caustic Alkali Liquids, n.o.s., (Contains Sodium Hydroxide), 8, UN1719, II

\_ 1 Qt: Consumer Commodity, ORM-D

**Dot** Regulated

Proper shipping name > 1 Qt: Caustic Alkali Liquids, n.o.s., (Contains Sodium Hydroxide), 8, UN1719, II 1 Qt:

Consumer Commodity, ORM-D

Hazard class 8 UN/ID No UN1719

Packing Group ||

TDG Not regulated

MEX Not regulated

ICAO Not regulated

ICAO/IATA Not regulated

IMDG / IMO Not regulated

RID Not regulated

ADR/RID Not regulated

ADN Not regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**International Inventories** 

TSCA TSCA
DSL Complies
NDSL Complies
EINECS Complies

ELINCS -

ENCS Complies
IECSC Complies
KECL Complies
PICCS Complies
AICS Complies

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

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EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

### **U.S. Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

SARA TITLE III (EPCRA) NOTIFICATION: Does not contain chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 302, 304, or 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and

Reauthorization Act of 1986.

COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, COMPENSATION, AND LIABILITY ACT (CERCLA) NOTIFICATION: SODIUM HYDROXIDE

For more information, consult 40 CFR parts 302, 355, 370, 372, and 40 CFR part 68.

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	no
Chronic Health Hazard	no
Fire Hazard	no
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	no
Reactive Hazard	no

### **Clean Water Act**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Sodium hydroxide	1000 lb			Χ

### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	RQ
Sodium hydroxide	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

#### **U.S. State Regulations**

### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

#### International Regulations

#### Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

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### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**End of Material Safety Data Sheet**