# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### I-PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

## **RUST O SCALE**

**PRODUCT CODE:** #201, #201B

CHEMICAL FORMULATION: RUST REMOVER FOR BOILERS & HOT WATER HEATERS

NFPA HAZARD IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM: HEALTH: FLAMMABILITY: REACTIVITY:

HAZARD RATING: 4- Extreme; 3 - High; 2 - Moderate; 1 - Slight; 0 - Insignificant

#### II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Components (Specific Chemical Identity; Common Name (s))

Other Limits

CAS # OSHA PEL ACGIHTLV Recommended % optional

SODIUM HYDROXIDE

Key: PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit TLV: Threshold Limit Value C: Ceiling Level STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

N/A: Not Applicable N/D: Not Determined N/E: Not Established Y: Yes N: No

**302:** CERCLA List of Hazardous Substances and Reportable Quantities (40 CFR 302.4).

355: SARA TITLE III/ List of Extremely Hazardous Substances for Emergency Planning and Notification (40 CFR 355).

372: SARA TITLE III/ List of Toxic Chemicals subject to Release Reporting (Community Right to Know) (40 CFR 372).

### III - PHYSICAL DATA

BOILING POINT (C/F):

MELTING POINT:

VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg.)@20C

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (WATER = 1): 1.282

CORROSION RATE: VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1): FREEZING POINT: VOC CONTENT (% by weight):

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER: COMPLETE** 

EVAPORATION RATE (Butyl Acetate = 1):

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APPEARANCE AND ODOR: CLEAR WATER WHITE LIQUID

### IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD

FLASH POINT (F/(C): N/A

(TEST METHOD):

FLAMMABLE LIMITS: EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

UPPER: N/A

A LOWER:

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: CAUSTIC SOLUTION IS NON FLAMMABLE

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:

#### V - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY:

STABLE

NONE

INCOMPATIBILITY:

CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

DO NOT MIX WITH STRONG ACIDS

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BYPRODUCTS:

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:

CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

WILL NOT OCCUR

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VI - HEALTH AND HAZARD DATA
SKIN? INGESTION?

ROUTES OF ENTRY: INHALATION? SKIN?

HEATH HAZARDS (ACUTE & CHRONIC):

CARCINOGENICITY: NTP?NO IARC MONOGRAPHS?NO OSHA REGULATED? NO

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

**IF IN EYES:** WILL CAUSE SEVER BURNS **IF ON SKIN:** WILL CAUSE SEVER BURNS

IF SWALLOWED:

IF INHALED: MIST OR SPRAY WILL CAUSE DAMAGE TO RESPIRATORY TRACT.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

IF IN EYES: FLUSH WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR 15 MINUTES, CALL PHYSICIAN IMMEDIATELY

IF ON SKIN: WASH WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER

IF SWALLOWED: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. GIVE LARGE AMOUNTS OF DILUTED ACETIC ACID (1%) VINEGAR

(1-4) CITRIC ACID (1%) OR LEMON JUICE. FOLLOW WITH MILK OR EGG WHITES BEATEN WITH WATER. IF THESE ARE NOT AVAILABLE GIVE LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER. CALL A PHYSICIAN AT

ONCE.

IF INHALED:

VII - SPILL AND LEAK PROTECTION

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:

NEUTRALIZE WITH DILUTED ACID. FLUSH AREA

WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS.

VIII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

VENTILATION: Local Exhaust: XX Mechanical (General):

Other: AND EYE BATH Special: SAFETY SHOWER

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: APPROVED RESPIRATOR FOR CAUSTIC. KEEP AREA WELL VENTILATED TO KEEP

CONCENTRATION OF CAUSTIC IN AIR DOWN.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: RUBBER

EYE PROTECTION: CHEMICAL SPLASH GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELD OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: RUBBER BOOTS AND APRON

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE: AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: WEAR PROPER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT.

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES:

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