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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
 - **Trade name:** Alfa Neutra
 - **Article number:** 3180126124
 - **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
 - **Application of the substance / the mixture** Alkaline cleaner/ detergent
 - **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
 - **Supplier:**
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 - **Further information obtainable from:**
For further questions regarding the safety data sheet, please contact your local Alfa Laval Sales Company which you find at www.alfalaval.com or in section 16 "Other Information" in the end of the safety data sheet
 - **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**
For immediate, life-threatening emergencies, call 999
For health advice and information (24h) dial 111 (NHS direct).
- In Europe: Call 112 and ask for poison information.

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
Met. Corr.1 H290 May be corrosive to metals.
Skin Corr. 1A H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.
- **Hazard pictograms**

GHS05
- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
sodium hydroxide
- **Hazard statements**
H290 May be corrosive to metals.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Precautionary statements**
P260 Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.

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- P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
- P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/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.
- P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/.

- **2.3 Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.2 Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture: consisting of the following components.

- **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 1310-73-2	sodium hydroxide	Skin Corr. 1A, H314	20-30%
EINECS: 215-185-5			
Reg.nr.: 01-2119457892-27			

- **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

- **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor if symptoms persists.
- **After skin contact:**
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
- **After swallowing:**
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.
If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
Corrosive effects. Can cause permanent eye damage.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
Water
Foam
Fire-extinguishing powder
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Not applicable.

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- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Do not breathe vapour.
Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
Send for recovery or disposal in suitable receptacles.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Use neutralising agent.
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
When diluting always pour product into water and not vice versa.
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
When using do not eat, drink or smoke.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
Ensure that washing facilities are available at the work place.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
Store in a dry place.
Keep only in original container.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)**
Industrial cleaner
Only for trade users / technical specialists

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

· **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.

· **8.1 Control parameters**

· **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

CAS: 1310-73-2 sodium hydroxide

WEL Short-term value: 2 mg/m³

· **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

· **8.2 Exposure controls**

· **Personal protective equipment:**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Use only in well-ventilated areas.

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

· **Respiratory protection:**

Use suitable respiratory protective device only when aerosol or mist is formed.

Filter P2



In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

Natural rubber, NR

Neoprene gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

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- **Body protection:** Use protective suit.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

· General Information

· Appearance:

· Form:	Fluid
· Colour:	Colourless
· Odour:	Product specific
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value at 20 °C:** 12.7

· Change in condition

· Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
· Boiling point/Boiling range:	> 100 °C

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.

· Ignition temperature:

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Self-igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· Explosion limits:

· Lower:	Not determined.
· Upper:	Not determined.

· **Vapour pressure:** Not determined.

· Density at 20 °C:	1.28 g/cm ³
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with water:** Fully miscible.

· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

· Viscosity:

· Dynamic:	Not determined.
· Kinematic:	Not determined.

· Solvent content:

· **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %

· **9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity**
Reacts with acids.
Forms heat.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**
Heating occurs when water is added.
Reacts with acids.
Reacts with certain metals.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** Refer to section 10.3 above.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

- **Acute toxicity**

CAS: 1310-73-2 sodium hydroxide

Oral	LD50	2000 mg/kg (rat)
	LDLo	500 mg/kg (rabbit) (LDLo)

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

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**
May cause irreversible eye damage
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

- **Repeated dose toxicity**

CAS: 1310-73-2 sodium hydroxide

Inhalative	Repeated Dose Toxicity	(No information available) 10 weeks; 20 minutes, 2 times/week.
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- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell 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.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

CAS: 1310-73-2 sodium hydroxide

EC50	>100 mg/L (daphnia) (OECD Guideline 202 (Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisati))
LC50	189 mg/L (Fish) (OECD Guideline 203 (Fish, Acute Toxicity Test)) 48 h, Leuciscud idus melanotus
Germ Cell Mutagenicity (Bacterial mutation assay)	(Pseudomonas putida) (Bacterial Forward Mutation Assay)

- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralised.
Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to increased pH-values. A high pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably reduced, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Small amounts may be diluted with plenty of water and washed away. Dispose of bigger amounts in accordance with Local Authority requirements.
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

European waste catalogue

20 00 00	MUNICIPAL WASTES (HOUSEHOLD WASTE AND SIMILAR COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL AND INSTITUTIONAL WASTES) INCLUDING SEPARATELY COLLECTED FRACTIONS
20 01 00	separately collected fractions (except 15 01)
20 01 15*	alkalines L 47/30 16.2.2001 Official Journal of the European Communities EN

- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:**
Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

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Packagings that may not be cleansed are to be disposed of in the same manner as the product.
· **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

· 14.1 UN-Number · ADR, IMDG, IATA	UN1824
· 14.2 UN proper shipping name · ADR · IMDG, IATA	1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
· 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) · ADR, IMDG, IATA	
 · Class · Label	8 Corrosive substances. 8
· 14.4 Packing group · ADR, IMDG, IATA	II
· 14.5 Environmental hazards: · Marine pollutant:	No
· 14.6 Special precautions for user · Danger code (Kemler): · EMS Number: · Segregation groups · Stowage Category · Segregation Code	Warning: Corrosive substances. 80 F-A,S-B Alkalis A SG35 Stow "separated from" acids.
· 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· Transport/Additional information:	
· ADR · Limited quantities (LQ) · Excepted quantities (EQ)	1L Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml
· Transport category · Tunnel restriction code	2 E
· IMDG · Limited quantities (LQ) · Excepted quantities (EQ)	1L Code: E2 Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

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UN "Model Regulation": UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, II

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
EU regulation (EC) no 1272/2008 (CLP)
EC DIRECTIVE 2008/98/EC (waste)
EU Regulation (EC) no.1907/2006 (REACH)
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

This document is only intended to be used as guidance as regards the risks of which we are aware that are associated with the product. Every individual who works with the product or in close proximity of it must receive suitable training. Individuals who come into contact with the product must be capable of using their own judgement as regards conditions or methods for handling, storing and using the product. Alfa Laval is not liable for demands, losses or damage of any kind that arise from flaws or deficiencies in this document or from using, handling, storing or disposing of the product unless it can be proven that Alfa Laval has acted in a grossly negligent manner. Beyond what has been agreed upon and specified in writing with Alfa Laval in the individual case, Alfa Laval makes no promises or assumes any liability, including but not limited to implicit guarantees regarding marketability or appropriateness in terms of both the information provided in this document and the product to which the information refers.

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- **Relevant phrases**
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
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Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Met. Corr. 1: Corrosive to metals – Category 1
Skin Corr. 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1A

* **Data compared to the previous version altered.**