Product ID:SODIUM HYDROXIDE, >5-10% W/V, R-5200F MSDS Date:12/03/1999 FSC:6810 NIIN:00-985-7093 Status Code:A MSDS Number: CKYHR === Responsible Party === Company Name: ANACHEMIA CANADA Address:255 NORMAN H8R 1A3 City:VILLE ST. PIERRE (MONTREAL) State:PQ Country:CN Info Phone Num:514-4 89-5711 Emergency Phone Num:613-996-6666/518-297-4444 Preparer's Name: MSDS DEPT / DEPT DE F.S. Chemtrec Ind/Phone:(800)424-9300 CAGE:36842 === Contractor Identification === Company Name: ANACHEMIA CANADA Address:255 NORMAN H8R 1A3 Box:City:VILLE ST. PIERRE (MONTREAL) State:PQ Country:CN Phone:514-489-5711;518-297-4444 CAGE:36842 Company Name: ANACHEMIA CHEMICALS INC Address:3 LINCOLN BLVD Box:City:ROUSES POINT State:NY ZIP:12979 Country:US Phone:518-297-4444 CAGE:4A444

======= Composition

/Information on Ingredients =========

Ingred Name:SODIUM HYDROXIDE CAS:1310-73-2 RTECS #:WB4900000 Fraction by Wt: >5-10% W/V ACGIH TLV:2 MG/M3 (CEILING) EPA Rpt Qty:1000 LBS DOT Rpt Qty:1000 LBS

Ingred Name:WATER CAS:7732-18-5 RTECS #:ZC0110000 Fraction by Wt: BALANCE

LD50 LC50 Mixture:ORAL LD50: ACUTE: 140 - 340 MG/KG (RAT) Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:YES Ingestion:YES Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:EFFECTS OF ACUTE EXPOSURE: HARMFUL BY INGESTION, INHALATION OR SKIN ABSORPTION. VERY CORROSIVE. ACUTE EFFECTS MAY BE DELAYED. TARGET ORGANS: EYES, SKIN, RESPIRATORY SYSTEM. EYE: EXTREMELY CORROSIVE. CAUSES SEVERE BURNS AND LOSS OF VISION. CAUSES CORNEAL SCARRING AND CLOUDING. GLAUCOMA, CATARACTS AND PERMANENT BLINDNESS MAY OCCUR. SKIN: VERY CORROSIVE! LIQUID IS EXTREMELY CORROSIVE TO THE SKIN AN D RAPIDLY CAUSES SEVERE CH EMICAL

BURNS. CAUSES DEEP AND SEVERE BURNS, ULCERATION AND SCARRING. CAUSES BURNS WHICH MAY BE DELAYED. INHALATION: MATERIAL IS EXTREMELY DESTRUCTIVE TO THE TISSUE OF THE MUC OUS (SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE)

Explanation of Carcinogenicity:SODIUM HYDROXIDE HAS BEEN IMPLICATED AS A CAUSE OF CANCER OF THE ESOPHAGUS IN INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE INGESTED IT. THE CANCER MAY DEVELOP 12 TO 42 YEARS AFTER THE INGESTION INCIDENT. SIMILAR CANCERS HAVE BEEN OBSERVED AT THE SI

TES OF

SEVERE THERMAL BURNS. THESE CANCERS MAY BE DUE TO TISSUE DESTRUCTION AND SCAR FORMATION RATHER THAN THE SODIUM HYDROXIDE.

Effects of Overexposure:HEALTH HAZARDS ACUTE AND CHRONIC (CONT): MEMBRANES AND UPPER RESPIRATORY TRACT. INHALATION MAY BE FATAL AS RESULT OF SPASM, INFLAMMATION AND EDEMA OF THE LARYNX AND BRONCHI, CHEMICAL PNEUMONITIS AND P ULMONARY EDEMA. SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE MAY INCLUDE BURNING SESSION, COUGHING, LARYNGITIS, DYSPNEA, HEADACHE, NAUSEA AND VOMITING. MAY CAUSE SEVERE PNEUMONITIS. MAY CAUSE DELAYED LUNG INJURY. INGESTION: CORROSIVE! BURNS IN MOUTH, PHARYNX AND GASTROINTESTINAL TRACT. MAY CAUSE PAIN, VOMITING, DIARRHEA, ABDOMINAL PAIN, INFLAMMATION OF LARYNX, EXTENSIVE DAMAGE OR PERFORATION OF ESOPHAGUS, COLLAPSE. MAY B E FATAL. (TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION)

First Aid:EYE CONTACT: IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH COPIOUS QUANTITIES OF WATER FOR AT LEA

ST 30 MINUTES HOLDING LIDS APART TO ENSURE FLUSHING OF ENTIRE SURFACE. IF IRRITATION PERSISTS, REPEAT FLUSHING. SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. DO NOT TRANSPORT VICTIM UNTIL RECOMMENDED FLUSHING PERIOD IS COMPLETED UNLESS FLUSHING CAN BE CONTINUED DURING TRANSPORT. SKIN CONTACT: IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR A T LEAST 30 MIN, WHILE REMOVING CONTAMINATED CLOTHING & SHOES. IF IRRITATION PERSISTS, REPEAT FLUSHING. SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. DO NOT

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RECOMMENDED FLUSHING PERIOD I S COMPLETED UNLESS FLUSHING (OTHER INFO)

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Lower Limits:NOT APPLIC

Upper Limits:NOT APPLIC

Extinguishing Media: USE MEDIA SUITABLE FOR SURROUNDING MATERIALS. TAKE CARE NOT TO SPLASH OR SPLATTER THE MATERIAL.

Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR ADEQUATE PERSONAL PROTECTION TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH MATERIAL OR ITS COMB

USTION PRODUCTS. SELF CONTAINED

BREATHING APPARATUS (NIOSH APVD -) WITH A FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN PRESSURE DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE. COOL CONTAINING VESSELS WITH FLOODING QUANTITIES OF WATER UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT.

Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:REACTS WITH MOST COMMON METALS TO PRODUCE HYDROGEN (EXPLOSIVE AND FLAMMABLE GAS). NOT EXPECTED TO BE SENSITIVE TO STATIC DISCHARGE. NOT EXPECTED TO BE SENSITIVE TO MECHANICAL IMPACT. EMITS TOXIC FUMES U NDER FIRE CONDITIONS. FLAMMABLE LIMITS: NOT APPLICABLE. FIRE DEGRADATION PRODUCTS: SODIUM OXIDE.

Spill Release Procedures: EVACUATE THE AREA. ELIMINATE ALL SOURCES IGNITION. ABSORB ON SAND OR VERMICULITE AND PLACE IN A CLOSED CONTAINER FOR DISPOSAL. VENTILATE AREA AND WASH SPILL SITE AFTER MATERIAL PICKUP IS COMPLETE. DO NOT EMPTY INTO DRAINS. DO NOT TOUCH DAMAGED CONTAINER OR SPILLED MATERIAL. SO LUTIONS ARE VERY SLIPPERY CAUSING SLIPPING HAZARD ON FLOORS.

Neutralizing Agent:WEAK ACID

Handling and Storage Precautions:STORE IN A COOL PLACE AWAY FROM HEATED AREAS, SPARKS AND FLAME. STORE IN A WELL VENTILATED AREA. STORE AWAY FROM INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS. DO NOT ADD ANY OTHER MATERIAL TO CONTAINER. DO NOT WASH DOWN TH E DRAIN. DO NOT BREATHE GAS / FUMES / VAPOR / SPRAY. IN CASE OF INSUFFICIENT (TRANSPOR

T INFO)

Other Precautions:SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS OR COMMENTS: EXTREMELY CORROSIVE! CAUSES SEVERE BURNS! RISK OF SERIOUS DAMAGE TO EYES. CORROSIVE EFFECTS ON THE SKIN AND EYES MAY BE DELAYED, AND THE DAMAGE MAY OCCUR WITHOUT THE S ENSATION OR ONSET OF PAIN. STRICT ADHERENCE TO FIRST AID MEASURES FOLLOWING ANY EXPOSURE IS ESSENTIA L. DO NOT (SARA III)

Respiratory Protection: A OSHA APPROVED RESPIRATOR IS ADVISED IN THE

ABSENCE OF PROPER ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROLS. IF MORE THAN TLV, DO NOT BREATHE VAPOR, WEAR A (NIOSH APPROVED -) SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS. P ROTECTIVE CLOTHING IN CASE OF SPILL AND LEAK: WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS (NIOSH APPROVED -), RUBBER BOOTS AND HEAVY RUBBER GLOVES. FULL SUIT.

Ventilation:USE ONLY IN CHEMICAL FUME HOOD TO KEEP AIRBORNE LEVELS BELOW RECOMMENDED EXPOS LIMITS. VENTILATION SHOULD BE CORROSION PROOF. DO NOT USE IN UNVENT ILATED SPACES. Protective Gloves: IMPERVIOUS RUBBER GLOVES. Eye Protection: FACE SHIELD AND SPLASH GOGGLES (ANSI APPROVED -). Other Protective Equipment: APRON, COVERALLS, AND/OR OTHER RESISTANT PROTECTIVE CLOTHING SUFFICIENT TO PROTECT SKIN. HAVE AVAILABLE AND USE AS APPROPRIATE: RUBBER SUITS, APRONS AND BOOTS. ENSURE THAT (WORK HYGENICN PRACTCES) Work Hygienic Practices: OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (CONT): EYEWASH

STATION AND SAFETY SHOWER IS PROXIMAL TO THE WORK-STATION LOCATION. HAVE AVAILABLE AND USE AS APPROPRIATE: FACE SHIELDS, RUBBER SUITS, APRONS, AND BOOTS.

Supplemental Safety and Health

CHEMICAL FORMULA: NOT APPLICABLE. SYNONYMS: R-5200F, R-5200Y, R-5240 (>5 - 10%), R-5260K, R-5250KB, R-524010, R-52408. MATERIAL USES: FOR LABORATORY USE ONLY. CI #: NOT AVAILABLE. CAS #: NOT APPLI CABLE. FORMULA WEIGHT: NOT APPLICABLE. SUPERSEDES: N/P. NFPA: HEALTH - 1, FIRE - 0, REACTIVITY - 1.

======= Physical/Chemical Properties =====

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Boiling Pt:B.P. Text:NOT AVAILABLE Melt/Freeze Pt:M.P/F.P Text:NOT AVAILABLE Vapor Pres:NOT AVAILABLE Vapor Density:NOT AVAIL Spec Gravity:>1 (WATER = 1) pH:>7 (1%SOLN/H2O) Evaporation Rate & amp; Reference:NOT AVAILABLE Solubility in Water:MISCIBLE IN WATER. Appearance and Odor:COLORLESS LIQUID. ODORLESS. Percent Volatiles by Volume:NOT AVAIL

Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid:NO ACIDS, ACID ANHYDRID ES, ACID CHLORIDES, WATER, FLAMMABLE/COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS, ORGANIC MATERIALS, PEROXIDES, ORGANOHALOGEN COMPOUNDS (MAY REACT TO FORM SPONTANEOUSLY COMBUSTIBLE MATLS), NITRO & CHLORO ORGANIC COMPOUNDS MAY Stability Condition to Avoid:UNSTABLE. ABSORBS CARBON DIOXIDE &

MOISTURE FROM AIR. (MATLS TO AVOID CONT'D) REACT EXPLOSIVELY), CHLOROHYDRIN, MALEIC ANHYDRIDE, NITROMETHANE, NITROPROPANE, (TOXICOLOGICAL)

Hazardous Decomposition Products:NOT AVAILABLE. REACTION PRODUCTS:

ABSORBS CARBON DIOXIDE FORM AIR OR OTHER SOURCES FORMING SODIUM CARBONATE. WILL CORRODE WIDE VARIETY OF METALS. CONTACT WITH NITRO ORGANIC (CONDITONS TO AVOID)

Conditions to Avoid Polymerization:WILL NOT OCCUR. (HAZ DECOMP PRODUCTS CONT'D) COMPOUNDS MAY FORM SHOCK SENSITIVE MATERIALS.

Toxicological Information:TOXICITY VALUES OF HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS: SODIUM HYDROXIDE: ORAL (LD50): ACUTE: 140-340 MG/KG (RAT). DERMAL

(LD50): ACUTE: 1350 MG/KG (RABBIT). INTRAPERITONEAL (LD50): ACUTE: 40 MG/M3 (MOUSE). EFFEC TS OF ACUTE EXPOSURE: 10 MG/M3 (SODIUM HYDROXIDE) IS IMMEDIATELY DANGEROUS TO LIFE OR HEALTH. EYE: IRRITATION: EYE-RABBIT 50 UG/24H SEVERE (NAOH). SKIN: IRRITATION: SKIN-RABBIT 500 MG/24H SEVERE (NA OH). SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE (CONT): EFFECTS OF CHRONIC OVEREXPOSURE: MAY RESULT IN AREAS OF DESTRUCTION OF SKIN TISSUE OR PRIMARY IRRITANT DERMATITIS. SIMI

LARLY, INHALATION OF VAPORS OR MISTS MAY CAUSE (ECOLOGICAL INFO)

- Ecological:N/P. TOXICOLOGICAL INFO (CONT): VARYING DEGREES OF DAMAGE TO THE AFFECTED TISSUES AND ALSO INCREASING SUSCEPTIBILITY TO RESPIRATORY ILLNESS. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: NOT AVAILABLE. TERATOGENIC EFFECT S: NOT AVAILABLE. TOXICITY OF THE PRODUCT TO THE REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM: NOT AVAILABLE. TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE, THE CHEMICAL
- , PHYSICAL, AND TOXICITY OF THIS SUBSTANCE HAS NOT BEEN FULLY INVESTIGATE D. (SEE EXPLANATION OF CARCINOGENICITY FOR ADDITIONAL EFFECTS OF CHRONIC OVEREXPOSURE -). WASTE DISPOSAL (CONT): DO NOT CONTAMINATE DOMESTIC OR IRRIGATION WATER SUPPLIES, LAKES, STREAMS, P ONDS, OR RIVERS.

Waste Disposal Methods:NEUTRALIZE CAREFULLY WITH WEAK ACID PH 6 TO 8. DISPOSE OF WASTE MATERIAL AT APPROVED (HAZARDOUS) WASTE TREATMENT/DISPOSAL FACILITY IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LOCAL, PROVINCIAL AND FEDERAL REGULATIO NS. HARMFUL TO AQUATIC LIFE AT LOW CONCENTRATIONS. CAN BE DANGEROUS IF ALLOWED TO ENTER DRINKING WAT ER INTAKES. (ECOLOGICAL INFO)

Transport Information:TDG ROAD/RAIL: TDG CLASS: 8 9.2. PIN: UN1824 PG: II. HANDLING AND STORAGE PREC (CONT):VENTILATION, WEAR SUITABLE RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT. KEEP CONTAI

NER TIGHTLY CLOSED AND

DRY. MANIPULATE IN A WE LL VENTILATED AREA OR UNDER AN ADEQUATEFUME HOOD. EMPTY CONTAINERS MAY CONTAIN A HAZARDOUS RESIDUE. HANDLE AN OPEN CONTAINER WITH CARE. TAKE OFF IMMEDIATELY ALL CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. AVOID CONTACT WI TH A COMBUSTIBLE MATERIAL (WWOD, PAPER, OIL, CLOTHING...). THIS PRODUCT MUST BE MANIPULATED BY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL. DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN, OR ON CLOTHING. WASH WELL AFTER USE. IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOOD STORAGE AND HANDL ING (SARA III)

SARA Title III Information:N/P. TRANSPORT INFO (CONT):

PRACTICES. DO NOT ALLOW SMOKING AND FOOD CONSUMPTION WHILE HANDLING. AFTER HANDLING, ALWAYS WASH HANDS THOROUGHLY WITH SOAP AND WATER. IN CASE OF ACCIDENT OR IF YOU FEEL UNWELL, SEEK MEDICAL ADVICE IMMEDIATELY (SHOW THE LABEL WHEN POSSIBLE). OTHER PRECAUTIONS (CONT): BREATHE VAPOR. AVOID ALL CONTACT WITH THE PRODUCT. AV

OID PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE. U SE ONLY IN A CHEMICAL FUME HOOD. ABSORBS CARBON DIOXIDE FROM AIR. WHEN MIXING WITH WATER ALWAYS ADD THIS PRODUCT TO THE WATER IN SMALL AMOUNTS TO AVOID SPATTERING (STIR CONTINUOUSLY). NEVER ADD WATER TO THIS PRODUCT. (FEDERAL REGULATORY)

Federal Regulatory Information:WHMIS: NOT CONTROLLED UNDER WHMIS (CANADA). SARA III (CONT): THE WATER SHOULD BE LUKEWARM. NEVER START WITH HOT OR COLD WATER. HANDLE AN OPEN CONTAINER WITH C

ARE. CONTAINER SHOULD BE OPENED ON LY BY A TECHNICALLY QUALIFIED PERSON. SYNERGISTIC MATERIALS: NOT AVAILABLE.

State Regulatory Information:N/P. PHYSICAL / CHEMICAL PROPERTIES (CONT): ODOR THRESHOLD: NOT AVAILABLE. WATER / OIL DIST COEFF: NOT AVAILABLE.

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