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# Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name: SMD20
Product code: 303

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

Use of substance / mixture: PC35: Washing and cleaning products (including solvent based products).

## 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: Clover Chemicals Ltd

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Macclesfield Road

Whaley Bridge, High Peak

Derbyshire SK23 7DQ

UK

**Tel:** +44 (0) 1663 733114 **Fax:** +44 (0) 1663 733115

Email: technical@cloverchemicals.com

# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: NHS Direct 08454647

NHS24 0845242424

ROI 018092166

(office hours only)

# **Section 2: Hazards identification**

## 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CHIP: C: R35

Most important adverse effects: Causes severe burns.

#### 2.2. Label elements

Label elements under CHIP:

Hazard symbols: Corrosive.



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Risk phrases: R35: Causes severe burns.

Safety phrases: S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical

advice.

S36/37/39: Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye / face protection.

S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the

label where possible).

#### 2.3. Other hazards

**PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT substance.

## Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

#### **Hazardous ingredients:**

#### SODIUM HYDROXIDE

EINECS	CAS	CHIP Classification	CLP Classification	Percent
215-185-5	1310-73-2	C: R35	Skin Corr. 1A: H314	10-30%

#### Section 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Skin contact: Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin. Drench the

affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still on skin. Transfer

to hospital if there are burns or symptoms of poisoning.

**Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist

examination.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Give 1 cup of water to drink every 10

minutes. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if necessary. If unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. Transfer to hospital as soon

as possible.

**Inhalation:** Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. If unconscious

and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. If conscious, ensure the casualty sits or lies down. If breathing becomes bubbly, have the casualty sit and provide oxygen if available.

Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.

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

Skin contact: Blistering may occur. Progressive ulceration will occur if treatment is not immediate.

**Eye contact:** Corneal burns may occur. May cause permanent damage.

Ingestion: Corrosive burns may appear around the lips. Blood may be vomited. There may be bleeding

from the mouth or nose.

**Inhalation:** There may be shortness of breath with a burning sensation in the throat. Exposure may

cause coughing or wheezing.

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Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

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

Immediate / special treatment: Eye bathing equipment should be available on the premises.

## Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Extinguishing media:** Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray to cool containers.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Exposure hazards:** Corrosive. In combustion emits toxic fumes.

## 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

**Advice for fire-fighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

#### Section 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions:** Notify the police and fire brigade immediately. Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent the escape of liquid.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

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

Clean-up procedures: Clean-up should be dealt with only by qualified personnel familiar with the specific substance.

Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

## Section 7: Handling and storage

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

**Handling requirements:** Avoid direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Do not handle in a confined space. Avoid the formation or spread of dust in the air.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Store in cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

Suitable packaging: Stainless steel. Polyethylene.

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## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): No data available.

#### Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

## **Hazardous ingredients:**

# SODIUM HYDROXIDE

## Workplace exposure limits:

## Respirable dust

State	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL	8 hour TWA	15 min. STEL
UK	1	2 mg/m3	-	-

#### 8.1. DNEL/PNEC Values

**DNEL / PNEC** No data available.

# 8.2. Exposure controls

**Hand protection:** Protective gloves. Gloves (alkali-resistant).

**Eye protection:** Tightly fitting safety goggles. Ensure eye bath is to hand. **Skin protection:** Protective clothing. Alkali resistant protective clothing.

## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State: Liquid

Colour: Yellow-orange

Odour: Barely perceptible odour

**Evaporation rate:** Moderate **Solubility in water:** Soluble

Viscosity: Non-viscous

Boiling point/range°C: 100 Melting point/range°C: 0

**Relative density:** 1.05 - 1.15 **pH:** 1%=12-12.5

VOC g/I: 0

#### 9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

# Section 10: Stability and reactivity

## 10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity: Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

# 10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions.

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#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.

## 10.4. Conditions to avoid

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Aluminium. Zinc.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

## **Section 11: Toxicological information**

## 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

## **Hazardous ingredients:**

#### **SODIUM HYDROXIDE**

IPR	MUS	LD50	40	mg/kg
ORL	RBT	LDLO	500	mg/kg

#### Relevant effects for mixture:

Effect	Route	Basis
Corrosivity	OPT INH DRM	Hazardous: calculated

# Symptoms / routes of exposure

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Eye contact: Corneal burns may occur. May cause permanent damage.

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from the mouth or nose.

Inhalation: There may be shortness of breath with a burning sensation in the throat. Exposure may

cause coughing or wheezing.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

## **Section 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values: No data available.

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: Biodegradable. The surfactants contained in this preparation comply with the biodegradability

criteria as laid down in regulation (EC) No.648/2004 on detergents.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No bioaccumulation potential.

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12.4. Mobility in soil

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT identification:** This product is not identified as a PBT substance.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: Negligible ecotoxicity.

Section 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal of packaging: Dispose of as normal industrial waste.

NB: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations

regarding disposal.

**Section 14: Transport information** 

14.1. UN number

UN number: UN1760

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Shipping name: CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.

(SODIUM HYDROXIDE (12%))

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: 8

14.4. Packing group

Packing group: II

14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: No Marine pollutant: No

14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: No special precautions.

Tunnel code: E

Transport category: 2

Section 15: Regulatory information

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

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by

the supplier.

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## **Section 16: Other information**

#### Other information

Other information: This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No

1272/2008.

This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No

453/2010.

Phrases used in s.2 and 3: H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

R35: Causes severe burns.

Legal disclaimer: According to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31 The above information is believed to be correct but

does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.