

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

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture  
Product name : Grease Buster  
Product code : CDSGRE025

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

#### Relevant identified uses

Main use category : Industrial use, Professional use  
Use of the substance/mixture : Drain cleaner

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

#### Supplier

The Industrial Maintenance Group  
Unit M, Riverside Industrial Estate  
Fazeley, Tamworth  
B78 3RW, Staffordshire  
T 01827 283 322  
[sales@img-limited.co.uk](mailto:sales@img-limited.co.uk), [www.img-limited.co.uk](http://www.img-limited.co.uk)

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : 01827 283 322

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1 H314  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318  
Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

#### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### 2.2. Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



GHS05

Signal word (CLP) : Danger  
Hazard statements (CLP) : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
Precautionary statements (CLP) : P101 - If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.  
P102 - Keep out of reach of children.  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.  
P301+P330+P331+P310 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.  
P303+P361+P353+P310 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.  
P305+P351+P338+P310 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a

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POISON CENTER or doctor.  
P405 - Store locked up.

### 2.3. Other hazards

Contains no PBT and/or vPvB substances  $\geq 0.1\%$  assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

The mixture does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or substance(s) are not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at a concentration equal to or greater than 0,1 %

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
sodium hydroxide; caustic soda	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2 EC-No.: 215-185-5 EC Index-No.: 011-002-00-6	$\geq 30 - < 50$	Skin Corr. 1A, H314
potassium hydroxide; caustic potash	CAS-No.: 1310-58-3 EC-No.: 215-181-3 EC Index-No.: 019-002-00-8	$\geq 5 - < 10$	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1A, H314

### Specific concentration limits:

Name	Product identifier	Specific concentration limits (%)
sodium hydroxide; caustic soda	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2 EC-No.: 215-185-5 EC Index-No.: 011-002-00-6	( $0.5 \leq C < 2$ ) Skin Irrit. 2; H315 ( $0.5 \leq C < 2$ ) Eye Irrit. 2; H319 ( $2 \leq C < 5$ ) Skin Corr. 1B; H314 ( $5 \leq C \leq 100$ ) Skin Corr. 1A; H314
potassium hydroxide; caustic potash	CAS-No.: 1310-58-3 EC-No.: 215-181-3 EC Index-No.: 019-002-00-8	( $0.5 \leq C < 2$ ) Skin Irrit. 2; H315 ( $0.5 \leq C < 2$ ) Eye Irrit. 2; H319 ( $2 \leq C < 5$ ) Skin Corr. 1B; H314 ( $5 \leq C \leq 100$ ) Skin Corr. 1A; H314

Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Causes burns. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Causes serious eye burns. Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately.

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

Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Burns.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Serious damage to eyes.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Burns.

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

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.  
Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

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

Fire hazard : In case of fire, corrosive gases come free.  
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Self-contained breathing apparatus. Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Complete protective clothing.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

General measures : Evacuate area.

#### For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Evacuate unnecessary personnel. See section 8 of the SDS for more information on personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

#### For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Use personal protective equipment as required. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter drains or water courses.

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

For containment : Absorb spilled material with sand or earth.  
Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material. Collect spillage. Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water.  
Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Handle and open container with care. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Wear personal protective equipment.  
Hygiene measures : Always wash hands after handling the product. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

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

Storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Store locked up.  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### National occupational exposure and biological limit values

Grease Buster	
United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Sodium hydroxide
WEL STEL (OEL STEL)	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Regulatory reference	EH40/2005 (Fourth edition, 2020). HSE

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

##### Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

#### Personal protection equipment

##### Personal protective equipment:

Gloves. Protective goggles.

##### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



#### Eye and face protection

##### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses. Safety glasses

#### Skin protection

##### Skin and body protection:

Wear protective gloves. Protective gloves made of PVC

##### Hand protection:

Wear protective gloves

##### Other skin protection

##### Materials for protective clothing:

Wear protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection

##### Respiratory protection:

No respiratory protection needed under normal use conditions

#### Environmental exposure controls

##### Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

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### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Colour	: clear.
Odour	: odourless.
Odour threshold	: Not available
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: Not available
Boiling point	: Not available
Flammability	: Non flammable.
Lower explosion limit	: Not available
Upper explosion limit	: Not available
Flash point	: Not available
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not available
Decomposition temperature	: Not available
pH	: 14
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not available
Solubility	: Soluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: Not available
Vapour pressure	: Not available
Vapour pressure at 50°C	: Not available
Density	: Not available
Relative density	: 1.5
Relative vapour density at 20°C	: Not available
Particle characteristics	: Not applicable

#### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions of use.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal use.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

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### potassium hydroxide; caustic potash (1310-58-3)

ATE CLP (oral)	500 mg/kg bodyweight
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes severe skin burns. pH: 14
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye damage. pH: 14
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified

### 11.2. Information on other hazards

#### Other information

Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Harmful in contact with skin.
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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general	: Before neutralisation, the product may represent a danger to aquatic organisms.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	: Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	: Not classified

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.
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#### sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)

Persistence and degradability	Not rapidly degradable
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#### potassium hydroxide; caustic potash (1310-58-3)

Persistence and degradability	Not rapidly degradable
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### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	Not potentially bioaccumulable.
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### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

### 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

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### 12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available






## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.  
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Disposal must be done according to official regulations.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
<b>14.1. UN number or ID number</b>				
UN 1824	UN 1824	UN 1824	UN 1824	UN 1824
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>				
SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	Sodium hydroxide solution	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION
<b>Transport document description</b>				
UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, III, (E)	UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, III	UN 1824 Sodium hydroxide solution, 8, III	UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, III	UN 1824 SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION, 8, III
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>				
8	8	8	8	8
				
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>				
III	III	III	III	III
<b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>				
Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No Marine pollutant: No EmS-No. (Fire): F-A EmS-No. (Spillage): S-B	Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No
No supplementary information available				

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### Overland transport

Classification code (ADR) : C5  
Limited quantities (ADR) : 5I  
Excepted quantities (ADR) : E1  
Packing instructions (ADR) : P001, IBC03, LP01, R001  
Mixed packing provisions (ADR) : MP19  
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR) : T4  
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (ADR) : TP1  
Tank code (ADR) : L4BN

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Tank special provisions (ADR)	: TU42
Vehicle for tank carriage	: AT
Transport category (ADR)	: 3
Special provisions for carriage - Packages (ADR)	: V12
Hazard identification number (Kemler No.)	: 80
Orange plates	:



Tunnel restriction code (ADR)	: E
EAC code	: 2R

### Transport by sea

Special provisions (IMDG)	: 223
Limited quantities (IMDG)	: 5 L
Excepted quantities (IMDG)	: E1
Packing instructions (IMDG)	: P001, LP01
IBC packing instructions (IMDG)	: IBC03
Tank instructions (IMDG)	: T4
Tank special provisions (IMDG)	: TP1
Stowage category (IMDG)	: A
Segregation (IMDG)	: SGG18, SG35
Properties and observations (IMDG)	: Colourless liquid. Corrosive to aluminium, zinc and tin. Reacts with ammonium salts, evolving ammonia gas. Causes burns to skin, eyes and mucous membranes. Reacts violently with acids.

### Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	: E1
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	: Y841
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	: 1L
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	: 852
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	: 5L
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	: 856
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	: 60L
Special provisions (IATA)	: A3, A803
ERG code (IATA)	: 8L

### Inland waterway transport

Classification code (ADN)	: C5
Limited quantities (ADN)	: 5 L
Excepted quantities (ADN)	: E1
Carriage permitted (ADN)	: T
Equipment required (ADN)	: PP, EP
Number of blue cones/lights (ADN)	: 0

### Rail transport

Classification code (RID)	: C5
Limited quantities (RID)	: 5L
Excepted quantities (RID)	: E1
Packing instructions (RID)	: P001, IBC03, LP01, R001
Mixed packing provisions (RID)	: MP19
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (RID)	: T4
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (RID)	: TP1
Tank codes for RID tanks (RID)	: L4BN
Special provisions for RID tanks (RID)	: TU42
Transport category (RID)	: 3
Special provisions for carriage – Packages (RID)	: W12
Colis express (express parcels) (RID)	: CE8
Hazard identification number (RID)	: 80



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### 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

#### EU-Regulations

##### REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XVII (Restriction Conditions)

##### REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

##### REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the REACH Candidate List

##### PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals)

##### POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants)

##### Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Ozone Depletion list (Regulation EU 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer)

##### Council Regulation (EC) for the control of dual-use items

Contains no substance subject to the COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) for the control of dual-use items

##### Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Explosives Precursors list (Regulation EU 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors)

##### Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances)

### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
BCF	Bioconcentration factor
BLV	Biological limit value
BOD	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)
COD	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level
EC-No.	European Community number
EC50	Median effective concentration

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EN	European Standard
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STP	Sewage treatment plant
ThOD	Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD)
TLM	Median Tolerance Limit
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number
N.O.S.	Not Otherwise Specified
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
ED	Endocrine disruptor

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
Eye Irrit. 2	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1B
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2

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