

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### NALPREP™ IV

#### Section: 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : NALPREP™ IV

Other means of identification : Not applicable.

Recommended use : COOLING WATER TREATMENT

Restrictions on use : Refer to available product literature or ask your local Sales Representative for restrictions on use and dose limits.

Company : Nalco Company  
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USA  
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Emergency telephone number : (800) 424-9300 (24 Hours) CHEMTREC

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#### Section: 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

##### GHS Classification

Skin irritation : Category 2  
Serious eye damage : Category 1

##### GHS Label element

Hazard pictograms :



Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : Causes skin irritation.  
Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary Statements : **Prevention:**  
Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.  
**Response:**  
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

Other hazards : None known.

#### Section: 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration: (%)
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	1 - 5

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### Section: 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- In case of eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately.
- In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Use a mild soap if available. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
- If swallowed : Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
- If inhaled : Remove to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
- Protection of first-aiders : In event of emergency assess the danger before taking action. Do not put yourself at risk of injury. If in doubt, contact emergency responders. Use personal protective equipment as required.
- Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

### Section: 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

- Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.
- Specific hazards during firefighting : Not flammable or combustible.
- Hazardous combustion products : Decomposition products may include the following materials: Carbon oxides nitrogen oxides (NOx) Sulphur oxides Oxides of phosphorus
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : Use personal protective equipment.
- Specific extinguishing methods : Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

### Section: 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only. Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

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- Environmental precautions : Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water.
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway. Flush away traces with water.

### Section: 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Advice on safe handling : Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Use only with adequate ventilation.
- Conditions for safe storage : Do not store near acids. Keep out of reach of children. Keep container tightly closed. Store in suitable labelled containers.
- Suitable material : Keep in properly labelled containers.
- Unsuitable material : not determined

### Section: 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Form of exposure	Permissible concentration	Basis
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	Ceiling	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH
		Ceiling	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NIOSH REL
		TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA Z1

- Engineering measures : Effective exhaust ventilation system. Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure standards.

#### Personal protective equipment

- Eye protection : Safety goggles  
Face-shield
- Hand protection : Wear the following personal protective equipment:  
Standard glove type.  
Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.
- Skin protection : Wear suitable protective clothing.
- Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.
- Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

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#### Section: 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	: Liquid
Colour	: yellow
Odour	: Sweet
Flash point	: , Method: ASTM D 93, does not flash
pH	: 14, 100 %, (25 °C)
Odour Threshold	: no data available
Melting point/freezing point	: FREEZING POINT: -6 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	: no data available
Evaporation rate	: no data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: no data available
Upper explosion limit	: no data available
Lower explosion limit	: no data available
Vapour pressure	: no data available
Relative vapour density	: no data available
Relative density	: 1.1680 - 1.2080, (25 °C),
Density	: no data available
Water solubility	: completely soluble
Solubility in other solvents	: no data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: no data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: no data available
Thermal decomposition temperature	: no data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: 10 mPa.s (20 °C)
Viscosity, kinematic	: no data available
Molecular weight	: no data available
VOC	: no data available

#### Section: 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability	: Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	: No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
Conditions to avoid	: None known.
Incompatible materials	: Strong acids

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Hazardous decomposition products : Decomposition products may include the following materials:  
Carbon oxides  
nitrogen oxides (NOx)  
Sulphur oxides  
Oxides of phosphorus

### Section: 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure : Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

#### Potential Health Effects

Eyes : Causes serious eye damage.  
Skin : Causes skin irritation.  
Ingestion : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.  
Inhalation : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.  
Chronic Exposure : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

#### Experience with human exposure

Eye contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion  
Skin contact : Redness, Irritation  
Ingestion : No symptoms known or expected.  
Inhalation : No symptoms known or expected.

#### Toxicity

##### Product

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate: > 5,000 mg/kg  
Acute inhalation toxicity : no data available  
Acute dermal toxicity : no data available  
Skin corrosion/irritation : no data available  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation : no data available  
Respiratory or skin sensitization : no data available  
Carcinogenicity : no data available  
Reproductive effects : no data available  
Germ cell mutagenicity : no data available  
Teratogenicity : no data available  
STOT - single exposure : no data available

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STOT - repeated exposure : no data available

Aspiration toxicity : no data available

### Section: 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Ecotoxicity

Environmental Effects : This product has no known ecotoxicological effects.

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Toxicity to fish : LC50 Inland Silverside: > 1,000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Test substance: Similar Product

LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout): 3,873 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Test substance: Product  
Test Type: semi-static test

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : LC50 Mysid Shrimp (Mysidopsis bahia): > 1,000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Test substance: Similar Product

EC50 Mysid Shrimp (Mysidopsis bahia): 1,000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 96 h  
Test substance: Similar Product

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity) : EC50: 1,057 mg/l  
Exposure time: 7 d  
Species: Ceriodaphnia (water flea)  
Test substance: Product  
Test Type: 3 Brood

#### Persistence and degradability

Greater than 95% of this product consists of inorganic substances for which a biodegradation value is not applicable.

#### Mobility

The environmental fate was estimated using a level III fugacity model embedded in the EPI (estimation program interface) Suite TM, provided by the US EPA. The model assumes a steady state condition between the total input and output. The level III model does not require equilibrium between the defined media. The information provided is intended to give the user a general estimate of the environmental fate of this product under the defined conditions of the models.

If released into the environment this material is expected to distribute to the air, water and soil/sediment in the approximate respective percentages;

Air : <5%  
Water : 30 - 50%  
Soil : 30 - 50%

The portion in water is expected to be soluble or dispersible.

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### Bioaccumulative potential

This preparation or material is not expected to bioaccumulate.

### Other information

no data available

## Section: 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

If this product becomes a waste, it could meet the criteria of a hazardous waste as defined by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261. Before disposal, it should be determined if the waste meets the criteria of a hazardous waste.

Hazardous Waste: : D002

Disposal methods : Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.

Disposal considerations : Dispose of as unused product. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Do not re-use empty containers.

## Section: 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipper/consignor/sender is responsible to ensure that the packaging, labeling, and markings are in compliance with the selected mode of transport.

The presence of an RQ component (Reportable Quantity for U.S. DOT) in this product causes it to be regulated with an additional description of RQ for road, or as Environmentally hazardous for road and air, ONLY when the net weight in the package exceeds the calculated RQ for the product.

### Land transport (DOT)

Proper shipping name : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION  
Technical name(s) :  
UN/ID No. : UN 1824  
Transport hazard class(es) : 8  
Packing group : III  
Reportable Quantity (per package) : 84,960 lbs  
RQ Component : SODIUM HYDROXIDE

### Air transport (IATA)

Proper shipping name : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION  
Technical name(s) :  
UN/ID No. : UN 1824  
Transport hazard class(es) : 8  
Packing group : III  
Reportable Quantity (per package) : 84,960 lbs  
RQ Component : SODIUM HYDROXIDE

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### Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

Proper shipping name : SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION  
Technical name(s) :  
UN/ID No. : UN 1824  
Transport hazard class(es) : 8  
Packing group : III

### Section: 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**TSCA list** : No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.  
No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

### EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act

#### CERCLA Reportable Quantity

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ (lbs)	Calculated product RQ (lbs)
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	1000	84962

#### SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards** : Acute Health Hazard

**SARA 302** : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313** : This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

#### California Prop 65

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

### INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL CONTROL LAWS :

#### United States TSCA Inventory

The substances in this preparation are included on or exempted from the TSCA 8(b) Inventory (40 CFR 710)

#### Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL)

The substance(s) in this preparation are included in or exempted from the Domestic Substance List (DSL).

#### China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

All substances in this product comply with the Provisions on the Environmental Administration of New Chemical Substances and are listed on or exempt from the Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances China (IECSC).

#### Australia. Industrial Chemical (Notification and Assessment) Act



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All substances in this product comply with the National Industrial Chemicals Notification & Assessment Scheme (NICNAS).

### Japan. ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory

This product contains substance(s) which are not in compliance with the Law Regulating the Manufacture and Importation Of Chemical Substances and are not listed on the Existing and New Chemical Substances list (ENCS).

### Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI)

All substances in this product comply with the Chemical Control Act (CCA) and are listed on the Existing Chemicals List (ECL)

### Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)

All substances in this product comply with the Republic Act 6969 (RA 6969) and are listed on the Philippines Inventory of Chemicals & Chemical Substances (PICCS).

### New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA New Zealand

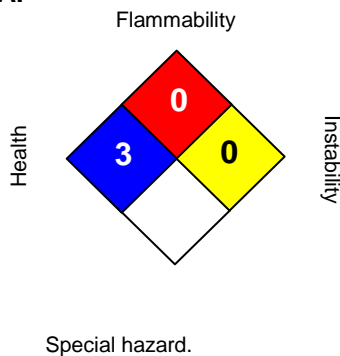
All substances in this product comply with the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act 1996, and are listed on or are exempt from the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.

### Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory

All substances in this product comply with the Taiwan Existing Chemical Substances Inventory (ECSI).

## Section: 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### NFPA:



### HMIS III:

HEALTH	3
FLAMMABILITY	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

0 = not significant, 1 =Slight,  
2 = Moderate, 3 = High  
4 = Extreme, \* = Chronic

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