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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier**

**Product Name** Cal X

**Other means of identification**

**SDS #** CPCI-048

**UN/ID No** UN1760

**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

**Recommended Use** Cleaning agent.

**Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

**Supplier Address**

Cal Pac Chemicals, Inc  
6231 Maywood Ave  
Huntington Park, CA 90255

**Emergency Telephone Number**

**Company Phone Number** (323) 585-2178  
**Emergency Telephone (24 hr)** Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300 (North America) 1-703-527-3887 (International)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Appearance** off-white to yellow liquid

**Physical State** Liquid

**Odor** Slight ammonia

**Classification**

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category B
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

**Signal Word**

**Danger**

**Hazard Statements**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician

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  
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower  
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse  
IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
Immediately call a doctor/physician  
IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Other Hazards**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Caustic Soda	1310-73-2	20-25

\*\*If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.\*\*

### 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

**First Aid Measures**

<b>General Advice</b>	Provide this SDS to medical personnel for treatment.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a doctor/physician.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
<b>Inhalation</b>	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Stay with victim until arrival of emergency medical personnel.
<b>Ingestion</b>	IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

**Most important symptoms and effects**

<b>Symptoms</b>	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Inhalation of mist may cause respirator irritation with coughing, sneezing, salivation and difficulty breathing. Severe exposure could lead to chemical pneumonitis. Propylene glycol has mild allergenic properties.
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**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.
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### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** Not determined.

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Not determined.

**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal Precautions** Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. If diluting, always add this product slowly to water with constant stirring.

**Environmental Precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Neutralize using a weak acid.

**Methods for Clean-Up** Absorb with inert material, and then place in suitable container for chemical waste. Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on Safe Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing and eye/face protection. Wash face, hands, and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

**Incompatible Materials** Acids. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
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Caustic Soda 1310-73-2	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits. Showers. Eyewash stations. Ventilation systems.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection** Wear chemical safety goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection** If potential for skin contact exists, wear neoprene or other chemical resistant gloves, apron, coveralls, and/or foot coverings, as needed.

**Respiratory Protection** If TLV is exceeded, or for symptoms of overexposure, wear a NIOSH-approved respirator for dusts and mists.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid	<b>Odor</b>	Slight ammonia
<b>Appearance</b>	off-white to yellow liquid	<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Not determined
<b>Color</b>	Off-white to yellow		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	14	
<b>Melting Point/Freezing Point</b>	Not determined	
<b>Boiling Point/Boiling Range</b>	> 100 °C / 212 °F	
<b>Flash Point</b>	Not determined	
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	<1	(butyl acetate = 1)
<b>Flammability (Solid, Gas)</b>	Liquid- Not Applicable	
<b>Upper Flammability Limits</b>	Not determined	
<b>Lower Flammability Limit</b>	Not determined	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	<18 mmHg	@ 20°C (68°F)
<b>Vapor Density</b>	<1	(Air=1)
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.240	
<b>Water Solubility</b>	Completely soluble	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	Not determined	
<b>Partition Coefficient</b>	Not determined	
<b>Auto-ignition Temperature</b>	Not determined	
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not determined	
<b>Kinematic Viscosity</b>	Not determined	
<b>Dynamic Viscosity</b>	Not determined	
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	Not determined	
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	Not determined	
<b>Additional Information</b>	Volatile by volume 74%	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity**

Not reactive under normal conditions.

**Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Conditions to Avoid**

Keep out of reach of children.

**Incompatible Materials**

Acids. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Hydrogen.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

**Eye Contact** Causes severe eye damage.

**Skin Contact** Causes severe skin burns.

**Inhalation** Do not inhale.

**Ingestion** Do not ingest.

**Component Information**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Caustic Soda 1310-73-2	-	= 1350 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-

**Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects**

**Symptoms** Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

**Carcinogenicity** Based on the information provided, this product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.

**Numerical measures of toxicity**

Not determined

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity**

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Component Information**

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Caustic Soda 1310-73-2		45.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static		

**Persistence/Degradability**

Not determined.

**Bioaccumulation**

Not determined.

**Mobility**

Not determined

**Other Adverse Effects**

Not determined

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Treatment Methods**

**Disposal of Wastes**                      Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging**              Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**California Hazardous Waste Status**

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Caustic Soda 1310-73-2	Toxic Corrosive

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**Note**    Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances.

**DOT**

**UN/ID No**    UN1760  
**Proper Shipping Name**                      Corrosive Liquid N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide)  
**Hazard Class**    8  
**Packing Group**    II

**IATA**

**UN/ID No**    UN1760  
**Proper Shipping Name**                      Corrosive Liquid N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide)  
**Hazard Class**    8  
**Packing Group**    II

**IMDG**

**UN/ID No**    UN1760  
**Proper Shipping Name**                      Corrosive Liquid N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide)  
**Hazard Class**    8  
**Packing Group**    II

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Caustic Soda	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present	X	X

#### Legend:

*TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory*

*DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List*

*EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances*

*ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances*

*IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances*

*KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances*

*PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances*

*AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances*

### US Federal Regulations

#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Caustic Soda 1310-73-2	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

#### SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

#### CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Caustic Soda	1000 lb			X

### US State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Caustic Soda 1310-73-2	X	X	X

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

<b><u>NFPA</u></b>	<b>Health Hazards</b>	<b>Flammability</b>	<b>Instability</b>	<b>Special Hazards</b>
	2	0	0	COR
<b><u>HMIS</u></b>	<b>Health Hazards</b>	<b>Flammability</b>	<b>Physical Hazards</b>	<b>Personal Protection</b>
	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined

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**Disclaimer**

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**