

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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### SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Material name : B00993 Mst Halt 12QT CS

Material number : 00000000001003698

#### Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company : Zep Inc.

Address : 1310 Seaboard Industrial Blvd., NW  
Atlanta, GA 30318

Telephone : 404-352-1680

#### Emergency telephone numbers

**For SDS Information** : Compliance Services 1-877-428-9937

**For a Medical Emergency** : 877-541-2016 Toll Free - All Calls Recorded

**For a Transportation  
Emergency** : CHEMTREC: 800-424-9300 - All Calls Recorded.  
In the District of Columbia 202-483-7616

### SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Emergency Overview

Appearance	liquid
Colour	red
Odour	characteristic

#### GHS Classification

Corrosive to metals : Category 1  
Acute toxicity (Oral) : Category 4  
Skin corrosion : Category 1A  
Serious eye damage : Category 1

#### GHS Label element

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H290 May be corrosive to metals.  
H302 Harmful if swallowed.  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**  
P234 Keep only in original container.  
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye  
protection/ face protection.  
**Response:**

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P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.  
 P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
 P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.  
 P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.  
 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 POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.  
 P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
 P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

**Storage:**

P405 Store locked up.  
 P406 Store in corrosive resistant stainless steel container with a resistant inner liner.

**Disposal:**

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

**Potential Health Effects****Carcinogenicity:****IARC**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

**ACGIH**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

**OSHA**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**NTP**

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

**Hazardous components**

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration [%]
potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	>= 20 - < 30

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.  
 Consult a physician.  
 Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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- Do not leave the victim unattended.
- If inhaled : If unconscious place in recovery position and seek medical advice.  
If symptoms persist, call a physician.
- In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.  
If skin irritation persists, call a physician.  
If on clothes, remove clothes.
- In case of eye contact : Small amounts splashed into eyes can cause irreversible tissue damage and blindness.  
If in eyes, rinse with water for 15 minutes.  
Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.  
Remove contact lenses.  
Protect unharmed eye.  
Keep eye wide open while rinsing.  
If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.
- If swallowed : Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.  
Keep respiratory tract clear.  
Do NOT induce vomiting.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  
If symptoms persist, call a physician.  
Take victim immediately to hospital.

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### SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

- Suitable extinguishing media : Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : High volume water jet
- Specific hazards during firefighting : Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.
- Hazardous combustion products : Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Carbon monoxide  
Smoke
- Specific extinguishing methods : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
- Further information : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains.  
Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

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### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Use personal protective equipment.
- Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains.  
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.  
If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).  
Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

- Advice on safe handling : Do not breathe vapours/dust.  
Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
For personal protection see section 8.  
Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.  
To avoid spills during handling keep bottle on a metal tray.  
Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national regulations.
- Conditions for safe storage : Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.  
Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.  
Observe label precautions.  
Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.
- Materials to avoid : Do not store near acids.  
Keep away from metals.

**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION****Components with workplace control parameters**

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	C	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH
		C	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NIOSH REL
		C	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA P0

**Personal protective equipment**

- Respiratory protection : Use respiratory protection unless adequate local exhaust ventilation is provided or exposure assessment demonstrates that exposures are within recommended exposure guidelines.

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Remarks	: The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed with the producers of the protective gloves.
Eye protection	: Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Tightly fitting safety goggles Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing problems.
Skin and body protection	: impervious clothing Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.
Hygiene measures	: When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

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### SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	: liquid
Colour	: red
Odour	: characteristic
Odour Threshold	: no data available
pH	: > 12
Melting point/freezing point	: no data available
Boiling point	: 100 °C
Flash point	: no data available
Evaporation rate	: 1
Upper explosion limit	: no data available
Lower explosion limit	: no data available
Vapour pressure	: no data available
Relative vapour density	: no data available
Density	: 1.215 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility	: completely miscible
Solubility in other solvents	: not determined
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: no data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: not determined
Thermal decomposition	: no data available
Viscosity	

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Viscosity, kinematic : no data available

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### SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Stable

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Conditions to avoid : Heat.

Incompatible materials : Acids  
Metals  
Aluminium

Hazardous decomposition products : Other hazardous decomposition products may be formed.

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### SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Acute toxicity

**Product:**

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 431.5 mg/kg  
Method: Calculation method

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

**Product:**

Remarks: Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

**Product:**

Remarks: Causes eye burns.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

no data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

#### Carcinogenicity

no data available

#### Reproductive toxicity

no data available

**potassium hydroxide:**

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### STOT - single exposure

no data available

### STOT - repeated exposure

no data available

### Aspiration toxicity

no data available

### Further information

#### Product:

Remarks: no data available

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## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

no data available

### Persistence and degradability

no data available

### Bioaccumulative potential

#### Product:

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : Remarks: no data available

### Mobility in soil

no data available

### Other adverse effects

no data available

#### Product:

Regulation 40 CFR Protection of Environment; Part 82 Protection of Stratospheric Ozone - CAA Section 602 Class I Substances

Remarks This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, App.A + B).

Additional ecological information : no data available

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## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Disposal methods

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- Waste from residues : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.  
Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container.  
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
- Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.  
Dispose of as unused product.  
Do not re-use empty containers.

### SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transportation Regulation: 49 CFR (USA):  
ORM-D, CONSUMER COMMODITY

Transportation Regulation: IMDG (Vessel):  
UN3266, CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S., (POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE), 8, III - Limited quantity

Transportation Regulation: IATA (Cargo Air):  
UN3266, Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s., (POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE), 8, III - Limited quantity

Transportation Regulation: IATA (Passenger Air):  
UN3266, Corrosive liquid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s., (POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE), 8, III - Limited quantity

Transportation Regulation: TDG (Canada):  
UN3266, CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S., (POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE), 8, III - Limited quantity

### SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

#### CERCLA Reportable Quantity

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ (lbs)	Calculated product RQ (lbs)
potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	1000	4315

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

**SARA 313** : 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.



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**California Prop 65**

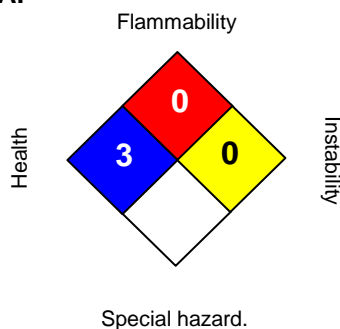
This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

**The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:**

<b>TSCA</b>	On TSCA Inventory
<b>DSL</b>	All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL.
<b>AICS</b>	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
<b>NZIoC</b>	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
<b>PICCS</b>	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
<b>IECSC</b>	On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

**Inventory Acronym and Validity Area Legend:**

AICS (Australia), DSL (Canada), IECSC (China), REACH (European Union), ENCS (Japan), ISHL (Japan), KECI (Korea), NZIoC (New Zealand), PICCS (Philippines), TSCA (USA)

**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION****Further information****NFPA:****HMIS III:**

<b>HEALTH</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>FLAMMABILITY</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>PHYSICAL HAZARD</b>	<b>0</b>

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

**OSHA GHS Label Information:**

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word :

**Danger:**

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