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All surfactants used in this product comply with the current European Regulations concerning Biodegradability and protection of the environment.

Product Information

## **RAPID** Drain Cleaner

## **Product Description:**

Rapid is an effective drain cleaner which is specially formulated to remove fat and food deposits from drains, gulleys and waste and outlet pipes. Rapid works quickly and regular use ensures free flowing drains to prevent future blockages. Rapid also combats unpleasant odours. Can also be used to unblock sinks.

### Features and Benefits:

- Breaks down fat and grease
- Unperfumed (use in kitchen without contaminating food)
- Keeps drains free flowing
- Reduces grease trap service
- Easy to use

## **Directions and Dilutions:**

**WASTE BUILD UP & REGULAR MAINTENANCE:** Pour 250ml into drain or down sink, once or twice a week.

**BLOCKAGE:** Pour 500ml – 1lt slowly into drain or down sink and allow up to 20 minutes for the blockage to clear or, alternatively, leave overnight. Flush drain or sink with hot water.

## *Please note after using this product do not use a plunger as the product may still be present in the pipe.*

## Useful information:

Product Characteristics: Clear pale yellow liquid. Characteristic odour.

Storage: Store in original container away from extremes of temperature

Availability: Available in 4X5 litre boxes

**Composition:** Contains a blend of sodium hypochlorite solution, sodium hydroxide & sodium phosphonate.

For any further information on this product or any other Sky Chemicals product, please contact us and we will be more than willing to help.

#### 1) IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE AND THE COMPANY

PRODUCT NAME: RAPID CODE: A173 DATE UPDATED: 26/07/10

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#### 2) COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Name	EC No.	CAS-No.	Content	Classification
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	215-185-5	1310-73-2	10-20%	C;R35
SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE				
SOLUTION, % CI		700/ 50 0	10.000/	C;R34 R31
ACTIVE	231-668-3	7681-52-9	10-20%	N;R50

The Full Text for all R-Phrases are Displayed in Section 16

**3) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION** 

Causes severe burns. Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. CLASSIFICATION C;R35. R31.

#### 4) FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION: Not relevant. Inhalation unlikely.

**INGESTION:** DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING! Rinse mouth thoroughly. Drink a few glasses of water or milk. Get medical attention immediately! **SKIN CONTACT:** Wash the skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention promptly if symptoms occur after washing. **EYE CONTACT:** Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water while lifting the eye lids. Get medical attention immediately. Continue to rinse.

#### **5) FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** This product is not flammable. Use fireextinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials. **SPECIFIC HAZARDS:** If involved in fire, may emit noxious fumes. **PROTECTIVE MEASURES IN FIRE:** Protective clothing and respiratory protection should be worn when tackling fires involving this product.

#### 6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS:** Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Large spillages or uncontrolled discharges into rivers or streams must be reported to The Environment Agency or other regulatory body.

**SPILL CLEAN UP METHODS:** Small quantities may be flushed to drains with plenty of water. Large Spillages Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Send for disposal as special waste.

#### 7) HANDLING AND STORAGE

**USAGE PRECAUTIONS:** Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

**STORAGE PRECAUTIONS:** Store in a cool place away from light. Keep in original container. Keep containers tightly closed.

#### 8) EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Name Std LT - ppm LT - mg/m3 ST – ppm ST - mg/m3

SODIUM HYDROXIDE

2 mg/m3

#### **INGREDIENT COMMENTS:** WEL = Workplace Exposure Limits **PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: ENGINEERING MEASURES** Not applicable.

RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT: None required. HAND PROTECTION: Household rubber gloves. EYE PROTECTION: Use approved safety goggles or face shield. OTHER PROTECTION: Wear suitable protective clothing.

#### 9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE Liquid COLOUR Clear Pale Yellow ODOUR Faint Characteristic Hypochlorite SOLUBILITY Soluble in water BOILING POINT (°C) 102 MELTING POINT (°C) -2 RELATIVE DENSITY 1.296 @ 20 °c pH-VALUE, DILUTED SOLUTION 12.20 @ 5ml per Litre FLASH POINT (°C) Boils without flashing

#### **10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**STABILITY:** Inadequately vented containers may become pressurised. **CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Heat and direct sunlight. **MATERIALS TO AVOID:** Strong acids. Aluminium, Tin, Zinc and their

alloys.

**HAŹARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Toxic chlorine gas is released if product is mixed with acidic materials

#### **11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: Refer to section 3.

#### **12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**ECOTOXICITY**: Potentially hazardous due to the alkalinity of the product. **BIOACCUMULATION**: Completely soluble. No bioaccumulation. **DEGRADABILITY**: Sequestrant is readily degraded during biological effluent treatment processes.

#### **13) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**DISPOSAL METHODS:** Discharge used solutions to drain. Small amounts (less than 5 Litres) of unwanted product may be flushed with water to sewer. Larger volumes must be sent for disposal as special waste. Rinse out empty container with water and consign to normal waste.

#### **14) TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

PROPER SHIPPING NAME CAUSTIC ALKALI LIQUID, N.O.S. (sodium hydroxide solution)

UN NO. ROAD	1/19	ADR CLASS	Class 8:
			Corrosive
			Substances
ADR PACK			Class 8:
GROUP	II	RID CLASS NO.	Corrosive
			Substances
RID PACK			
GROUP	II	UN NO. SEA	1719
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IMGB CLASS	Class 8: Corrosive	IMDG PACK	
	Substances	GROUP	II
MARINE			1719
POLLUTANT	No	UN NO. AIR	
ICAO CLASS	Class 8: Corrosive		
	Substances	AIR PACK	
		GROUP	11

#### **15) REGULATORY INFORMATION**

LABELLING: Corrosive

CONTAINS SODIUM HYDROXIDE

**RISK PHRASES:** R35 Causes severe burns. R31 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

SAFETY PHRASES S2 Keep out of the reach of children

S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show label where possible).

S50B Do not mix with other products especially acidic products. ENVIRONMENTAL LISTING: Hazardous Waste (England and Wales)

Regulations. EU DIRECTIVES System of specific information relating to Dangerous

Preparations. 2001/58/EEC. As amended by Directive 93/112/EC and 2001/58/EC.

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS: Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations. 2005

APPROVED CODE OF PRACTICE: The compilation of safety Data Sheets L130.

#### **16) OTHER INFORMATION**

INFORMATION SOURCES: Approved Supply List - HSC. Material Safety Data Sheet, Misc. manufacturers. REVISION COMMENTS: New product. REVISION DATE 26<sup>th</sup> July 2010 REV. NO./REPL. SDSGENERATED: Issue 1 RISK PHRASES IN FULL: R31 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas. R34 Causes burns. R35 Causes severe burns. R50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms.