

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION

### Product Identifier

**Product Name** 720 Red

### Other means of identification

**SDS #** OBCO-003

**UN/ID No** UN1760

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

**Recommended Use** Low temperature dishwashing detergent superconcentrate.

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

#### **Supplier Address**

OBCO Chemical Corporation  
7248 Spa Road  
North Charleston, SC 29418

### Emergency Telephone Number

**Company Phone Number** 1-843-572-6688

**Emergency Telephone (24 hr)**

For product spills, leaks or exposures call:  
Infotrac 1-800-535-5053 (North America) or 1-352-323-3500 (International)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Appearance** Clear red liquid

**Physical State** Liquid

**Odor** Technical odor

### Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category B
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

### Signal Word

**Danger**

### Hazard Statements

Harmful if swallowed  
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 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 poison center or doctor/physician  
 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
 Rinse mouth  
 Do not induce vomiting

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up  
 Store in a well-ventilated place

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	20-30

\*\*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>	Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
<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 poison center or doctor/physician.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Get medical attention if necessary.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Drink large volumes of milk or water.

**Most important symptoms and effects**

**Symptoms** Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Harmful if swallowed.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

**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**

Material is corrosive.

**Hazardous Combustion Products** None known.

**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.

**Environmental Precautions** Prevent from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information. See Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS.

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

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for Clean-Up** For small spills: Wipe up product and rinse affected area with water. For large spills - confine spill, soak up with approved absorbent, shovel product into approved container for disposal. Flush spill area with water, collect rinse water in containers for proper disposal. Small spills may be permitted to be flushed to a sanitary sewer. Check with local authorities before proceeding.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on Safe Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash face, hands, and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Follow all SDS/label precautions even after container is emptied because it may retain product residues.

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

**Storage Conditions** Keep container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place. Keep/store only in original container. Protect from extreme temperatures. Store locked up.

**Incompatible Materials** Acids.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Eyewash stations. Showers.

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

**Eye/Face Protection** Chemical anti-splash safety goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin. Protective gloves should be worn.

**Respiratory Protection** Under normal conditions, respirator is not normally required. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid	<b>Odor</b>	Technical odor
<b>Appearance</b>	Clear red liquid	<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Not determined
<b>Color</b>	Clear red		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	13.0-14.0	
Melting Point/Freezing Point	Not determined	
Boiling Point/Boiling Range	Not determined	
Flash Point	> 93 °C / > 200 °F	CC (closed cup)
Evaporation Rate	Not determined	
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Liquid-not applicable	
Upper Flammability Limits	Not applicable	
Lower Flammability Limit	Not applicable	
Vapor Pressure	Not determined	
Vapor Density	Unknown	
Specific Gravity	1.5	
Water Solubility	Completely soluble	
Solubility in other solvents	Not determined	
Partition Coefficient	Not determined	
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not determined	
Decomposition Temperature	Not determined	
Kinematic Viscosity	Not determined	
Dynamic Viscosity	Not determined	
Explosive Properties	Not determined	
Oxidizing Properties	Not determined	
VOC Content (%)	0% by weight	

## 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.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

None known based on information supplied.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Product Information**

#### **Eye Contact**

Causes severe eye damage.

#### **Skin Contact**

Causes severe skin burns.

#### **Inhalation**

Avoid breathing vapors or mists.

#### **Ingestion**

Harmful if swallowed.

### Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Water 7732-18-5	> 90 mL/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	= 214 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-

### 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**

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

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

### Component Information

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3		80: 96 h Gambusia affinis mg/L LC50 static		

### Persistence/Degradability

Not determined.

### Bioaccumulation

Not determined.

### Mobility

Chemical Name	Partition Coefficient
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	0.83

### 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
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Toxic Corrosive

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### Note

Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances. Based on package size, product may be eligible for limited quantity exception.

### DOT

**UN/ID No** UN1760  
**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (Potassium hydroxide)  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** II

**IATA**

**UN/ID No** UN1760  
**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (Potassium hydroxide)  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** II

**IMDG**

**UN/ID No** UN1760  
**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (Potassium hydroxide)  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** II

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**International Inventories**

Not determined

**Legend:**

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

**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)
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	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)

Component	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3 ( 20-30 )	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
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	X	X	X

**16. OTHER INFORMATION****NFPA****Health Hazards****Flammability****Instability****Special Hazards**

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

**HMIS****Health Hazards****Flammability****Physical Hazards****Personal Protection**

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