

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Product and Company Identification

Product identifier	BIONATURE – GEL POUR LE LAVE-VAISSELLE AUTOMATIQUE
Other means of identification	Not available
Recommended use	Automatic Dishwashing Detergent
Recommended restrictions	None known.
Manufacturer	Unica Canada inc. 90, J.A. Bombardier Boucherville, (Québec) Phone:(450) 655-8168 Emergency Phone (CANUTEC Emergency only) : (613) 996-6666

2. Hazards Identification

GHS classification in accordance with : (CAN) WHMIS 2015

Physical hazards	Corrosive to metals	Category 1
Health hazards	Eye damage/irritation	Category 1
	Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Environmental hazards	Not classified.	
OSHA defined hazards	Not classified.	

Label elements



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement

May be corrosive to metals
Causes severe skin burns
Causes serious eye damage

Precautionary statement

Prevention

Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. **IF IN EYES:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Specific treatment (see on this label). If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Storage

Keep only in original container. Store in a corrosive resistant container or a container with resistant inner liner.

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information

None

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Mixture

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Sodium Hypochlorite		7681-52-9	1 -5
Sodium Silicate		6834-92-0	1 -5
Sodium Hydroxide		1310-73-2	1-5

4. First Aid Measures

Inhalation	If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center/doctor/.
Skin contact	If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Specific treatment (see product label). Immediately call a poison center/doctor/.
Eye contact	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/doctor.
Ingestion	If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center/doctor/.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Burning pain and severe corrosive skin damage. Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Permanent eye damage including blindness could result.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.
General information	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wear rubber gloves and chemical splash goggles. Keep out of reach of children.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Treat for surrounding material.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Use appropriate extinguisher, as surrounding material.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Firefighters should wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing apparatus.
Fire-fighting equipment/instructions	Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
Hazardous combustion products	May include and are not limited to: Carbon dioxide, chlorine
Explosion data	
Sensitivity to mechanical impact	Not available.
Sensitivity to static discharge	Not available.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep out of low areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Should not be released into the environment. Large Spills: Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas. Following product recovery, flush area with water Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination. Never return spills to original containers for re-use. Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.
Environmental precautions	Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public waters.

7. Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling	Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use good industrial hygiene practices in handling this material. Avoid breathing vapors or mists of this product. DO NOT get in eyes, on skin or clothing.
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Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up. Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner. Keep only in the original container. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Occupational exposure limits

Components	Value
Sodium Hypochlorite	Ceiling Value : 2 mg/m ³
Sodium Silicate	Exposure limit de 2 mg/m ³ (15 min TWA)
Sodium Hydroxide	Ceiling Value : 2 mg/m ³ ACGIH TLV

**Biological limit values
Appropriate engineering
controls**

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Chemical splash goggles.

Skin protection

Hand protection Chemical resistant gloves. Confirm with a reputable supplier first.

Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. As required by employer code. Where exposure

Respiratory protection guideline levels may be exceeded, use an approved NIOSH respirator.

Not applicable.

Thermal hazards

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

**General hygiene
considerations**

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Clear Gel
Physical state	Gel
Form	Viscous Liquid
Color	Clear
Odor	Lime Fragrance
Odor threshold	Not available.
pH	12.5 – 12.9
Melting point/freezing point	0 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	100 °C
Pour point	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available
Flash point	Not available
Evaporation rate	Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not available
Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not available
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Vapor pressure	Not available
Vapor density	Not available
Relative density	1.16 – 1.18
Solubility(ies)	Complete
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity	Strong acids. This product may react with oxidizing and reductor agents. Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Conditions to avoid	Reacts with strong acids. This product may react with oxidizing agents.
Incompatible materials	Oxidizing agents. Acids.
Hazardous decomposition products	May include and are not limited to: Carbon dioxide, chlorine

11. Toxicological Information

Routes of exposure Eye, Skin contact, Inhalation, Ingestion.

Information on likely routes of exposure

Ingestion	Causes digestive tract burns.
Inhalation	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
Skin contact	Causes severe skin burns.
Eye contact	Causes serious eye damage.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Burning pain and severe corrosive skin damage. Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Permanent eye damage including blindness could result.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Components	Species	Test Results
Sodium hypochlorite		
Acute		
Dermal LD50	Rabbit	> 10000 mg/kg
Inhalation CL50	Rat	> 10.5 mg/kg
Oral LD50	Rat	8200 mg/kg
Sodium Silicate		
Acute		
Dermal LD50	Rat	> 5000 mg/kg
Inhalation LC50	Rat	>2.06 g/m ³ (4Hrs)
Oral	Rat	3400 mg/kg
Sodium Hydroxide		
Acute		
Oral LD 50	Rat	140 – 340 mg/kg
Dermal LD50	Rabbit	1350 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Exposure minutes	Not available.
Erythema value	Not available.
Oedema value	Not available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization	Not available.
Skin sensitization	This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Mutagenicity	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Carcinogenicity	None
Reproductive toxicity	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Teratogenicity	Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not classified.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Not classified.
Aspiration hazard	Not available.
Chronic effects	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
Further information	Not available.
Name of Toxicologically Synergistic Products	Not available.

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Components	Species	Test Results
Sodium Hypochlorite	Fish(Trout) LC50 (96 hrs)	0.030 – 0.70 mg/l
	Aquatic Invertebrate (Daphnia magna) EC50(48 hrs)	0.032 – 0.036 mg/l
Sodium Silicate	Fish (Brachydanio rerio) LC50 (96 hrs)	1108 mg/l
	Aquatic Invertebrate (Daphnia magna) EC50(48 hrs)	1700 mg/l
Sodium Hydroxide	Fish (Onchorhynchus Mykiss) LC50 (96 hrs)	45.4 mg/l
	Aquatic Invertebrate (Daphnia magna) EC50(48 hrs)	No data available
	Algae	No data available
Persistence and degradability	No data available	
Bioaccumulative potential	No data available	
Mobility in soil	No data available	
Other adverse effects	No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.	

13. Disposal Consideration

Disposal instructions	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Local disposal regulations	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Hazardous waste code	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
Waste from residues / unused products	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport Information

General Canada: TDG Proof of Classification: In accordance with Part 2.2.1 (SOR/2014-152) of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations, we certify that the classification of this product is correct as of the SDS date of issue. If applicable, the technical name and the classification of the product will appear below.

U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

Basic shipping requirements:

UN number UN1760
Proper shipping name CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (SODIUM SILICATE)
Hazard class 8
Packing group III



Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG - Canada)

Basic shipping requirements:

UN number UN1760
Proper shipping name CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (SODIUM SILICATE)
Hazard class 8
Packing group III
Limited Quantity



15. Regulatory Information

Canadian federal regulations This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

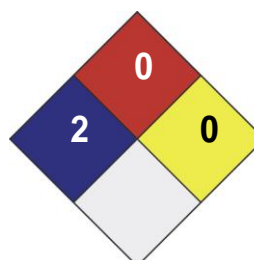
WHMIS status Controlled
WHMIS classification Class E - Corrosive Material
WHMIS labeling Exempt : Consumer Commodity



16. Other Information

LEGEND	
Severe	4
Serious	3
Moderate	2
Slight	1
Minimal	0

HEALTH	/ 2
FLAMMABILITY	0
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0
PERSONAL PROTECTION	X



Disclaimer

The data contained in this material safety data sheet was obtained from sources that were technically accurate, reliable, and state of the art when this document was prepared. If data was unavailable to complete certain sections, the absence of that data is identified in this document. Because the supplier cannot know the exact circumstances during actual use of this product, other hazards, exposure scenarios, disposal considerations, and regulations may apply and it is the responsibility of the user to read and understand the product label and this document before use. Do not use the product for purposes other than those stated in Section 1.

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Further information For an updated SDS, please contact the supplier/manufacturer listed on the first page of the document.

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Other information This Safety Data Sheet was prepared to comply with the current OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS) adoption of the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

