



## Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

**Product Name** Sodium Hydroxide Pellets ACS, 97%  
**Product Code** 68151  
**CAS No** 1310-73-2  
**Use for** Laboratory Chemicals.  
**Company Name** Sisco Research Laboratories Pvt. Ltd.  
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## Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Chemical Name	Percent	EC Number
1310-73-2	Sodium hydroxide	97	215-185-5

## Section 3 - Hazards Identification

**Danger!** Causes eye and skin burns. Causes digestive and respiratory tract burns. Hygroscopic (absorbs moisture from the air).

**Target Organs:** Eyes, skin, mucous membranes.

### Potential Health Effects

**Eye:** Causes eye burns. May cause blindness. May cause chemical conjunctivitis and corneal damage.

**Skin:** Causes skin burns. May cause deep, penetrating ulcers of the skin.

**Ingestion:** May cause severe and permanent damage to the digestive tract. Causes gastrointestinal tract burns. May cause perforation of the digestive tract. Causes severe pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and shock.

**Inhalation:** Irritation may lead to chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema. Causes severe irritation of upper respiratory tract with coughing, burns, breathing difficulty, and possible coma. Causes chemical burns to the respiratory tract.

**Chronic:** Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis. Effects may be delayed.

## Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Eyes:** In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical aid immediately.

**Skin:** In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical aid immediately. Wash clothing before reuse.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical aid immediately. If victim is fully conscious, give a cupful of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid.

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures



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**General Information:** As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool. Use water with caution and in flooding amounts. Contact with moisture or water may generate sufficient heat to ignite nearby combustible materials. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

**Extinguishing Media:** Substance is noncombustible; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire. Do NOT get water inside containers.

**Flash Point:** Not applicable.

**Autoignition Temperature:** Not applicable.

**Explosion Limits, Lower:** Not available.

**Upper:** Not available.

**NFPA Rating:** (estimated) Health: 3; Flammability: 0; Instability: 1

## Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**General Information:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

**Spills/Leaks:** Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide ventilation. Do not get water on spilled substances or inside containers

## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not allow water to get into the container because of violent reaction. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Discard contaminated shoes. Use only with adequate ventilation.

**Storage:** Store in a tightly closed container. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from metals. Corrosives area. Keep away from acids. Store protected from moisture. Containers must be tightly closed to prevent the conversion of NaOH to sodium carbonate by the CO<sub>2</sub> in air.

## Section 8 - Exposure Control / Personal Protection

### Personal Protective Equipment

**Respiratory Protection:** Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N99 (US) or type P2 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Hand Protection:** The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it. Handle with gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Safety glasses

**Skin and body protection:** Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

**Hygiene measures:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties



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**Physical State:** Solid

**Appearance:** white

**Melting Point:** 318 deg C

**Molecular Formula:** NaOH

**Molecular Weight:** 40.00

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Chemical Stability:** Stable at room temperature in closed containers under normal storage and handling conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Moisture, contact with water, exposure to moist air or water, prolonged exposure to air.

**Incompatibilities with Other Materials:** Water, metals, acids, aluminum, zinc, tin, nitromethane, leather, flammable liquids, organic halogens, wool.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Toxic fumes of sodium oxide.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

**Acute toxicity:** Inhalation, mouse: LC50 = 1200 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/2H;

Inhalation, rat: LC50 = 2300 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/2H;

Oral, mouse: LD50 = 6600 mg/kg;

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**Irritation and corrosion:** No data available

**Sensitisation:** No data available

**Chronic exposure:** 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.

## Signs And Symptoms

**Of Exposure:** No data available

### Route Of Exposure

**Inhalation:** No data available

**Skin :** No data available

**Eyes:** No data available

**Ingestion:** No data available

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

No information available.

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

**Product:** Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

**Contaminated packaging:** Dispose of as unused product.

## Section 14 - Transport Information



<b>Product Code</b>	68151		
	<b>IATA</b>	<b>IMO</b>	<b>RID/ADR</b>
<b>Shipping Name:</b>	SODIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID		
<b>Hazard Class:</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>UN Number:</b>	<b>1823</b>	<b>1823</b>	<b>1823</b>
<b>Packing Group:</b>	<b>II</b>	<b>II</b>	<b>II</b>

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

## Section 16 - Other Information

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