

#### **QUADEXX 150**

### **SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : QUADEXX 150

Other means of identification : Not applicable

Recommended use : Cleaning product

Restrictions on use : Reserved for industrial and professional use.

Product dilution information : No dilution information provided.

Company : Ecolab Inc.

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Emergency health

information

: 1-800-328-0026 (US/Canada), 1-651-222-5352 (outside US)

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### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### **GHS Classification**

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

#### **GHS** label elements

Hazard pictograms :





Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : Harmful if swallowed.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary Statements : **Prevention:** 

Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye

protection/ face protection.

Response:

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. 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. Wash

contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage: Store locked up. Disposal:

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Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Other hazards : None known.

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

Pure substance/mixture : Mixture

Chemical name CAS-No. Concentration (%)

potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3 30 - 60

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES** 

In case of eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at

least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately.

In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Use

a mild soap if available. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean

shoes before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

If swallowed : Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give

anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention

immediately.

If inhaled : Remove to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

Protection of first-aiders : If potential for exposure exists refer to Section 8 for specific personal

protective equipment.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

: See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and

symptoms.

# **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: None known.

Specific hazards during fire

fighting

: Not flammable or combustible.

Hazardous combustion

products

Decomposition products may include the following materials:

Carbon oxides

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Sulfur oxides

Oxides of phosphorus

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters

: Use personal protective equipment.

Specific extinguishing : Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be

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methods disposed of in accordance with local regulations. In the event of fire

and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only. Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

Environmental precautions : Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

: Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). Flush away traces with water. For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway.

### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Advice on safe handling : Do not ingest. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not

breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray. Use only with adequate

ventilation. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage : Do not store near acids. Keep out of reach of children. Store in

suitable labeled containers.

Storage temperature : 10 °C to 40 °C

### **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Ingredients	CAS-No.	Form of exposure	Permissible concentration	Basis
potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	Ceiling	2 mg/m3	ACGIH
		Ceiling	2 mg/m3	NIOSH REL

Engineering measures : Effective exhaust ventilation system. Maintain air concentrations

below occupational exposure standards.

## Personal protective equipment

Eye protection : Wear eye protection/ face protection.

Hand protection : Wear the following personal protective equipment:

Standard glove type.

Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of

degradation or chemical breakthrough.

Skin protection : Personal protective equipment comprising: suitable protective gloves,

safety goggles and protective clothing

Respiratory protection : When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they

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must use appropriate certified respirators.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes

and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance : liquid

Color : clear, colorless

Odor : odorless

pH : 12.0 - 14.0, (100 %)

Flash point : Not applicable

Odor Threshold : No data available

Melting point/freezing point : No data available

Initial boiling point and

boiling range

: > 100 °C

Evaporation rate : No data available
Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available
Upper explosion limit : No data available
Lower explosion limit : No data available
Vapor pressure : No data available
Relative vapor density : No data available

Relative density : 1.452 - 1.46

Water solubility : soluble

Solubility in other solvents
Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No data available: No data available

Autoignition temperature : No data available
Thermal decomposition : No data available
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidizing properties : No data available
Molecular weight : No data available
VOC : No data available

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

: No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid : None known.

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Incompatible materials : Acids

Metals

Organic materials

Hazardous decomposition

products

: Decomposition products may include the following materials:

Carbon oxides

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Sulfur oxides

Oxides of phosphorus

## **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

exposure

Information on likely routes of : Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

### **Potential Health Effects**

Eyes : Causes serious eye damage.

Skin : Causes severe skin burns.

Ingestion : Harmful if swallowed. Causes digestive tract burns.

Inhalation : May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation.

Chronic Exposure : Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

#### **Experience with human exposure**

Eye contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion

Skin contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion

Ingestion : Corrosion, Abdominal pain

Inhalation : Respiratory irritation, Cough

**Toxicity** 

**Product** 

: Acute toxicity estimate: 740 mg/kg Acute oral toxicity

Acute inhalation toxicity : No data available Acute dermal toxicity : No data available : No data available Skin corrosion/irritation Serious eye damage/eye : No data available

irritation

Respiratory or skin

sensitization

: No data available

Carcinogenicity : No data available Reproductive effects : No data available Germ cell mutagenicity : No data available Teratogenicity : No data available STOT-single exposure : No data available

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STOT-repeated exposure : No data available
Aspiration toxicity : No data available

# **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity** 

Environmental Effects : This product has no known ecotoxicological effects.

**Product** 

Toxicity to fish : No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other : No data available

aquatic invertebrates

Toxicity to algae : No data available

Persistence and degradability

Not applicable - inorganic

**Bioaccumulative potential** 

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

No data available

## **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Disposal methods : Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If

recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.

Disposal considerations : Dispose of as unused product. Empty containers should be taken to

an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Do not reuse empty containers. Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and

federal regulations.

RCRA - Resource

Conservation and Recovery Authorization Act Hazardous

waste

: D002 (Corrosive)

## **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

The shipper/consignor/sender is responsible to ensure that the packaging, labeling, and markings are in compliance with the selected mode of transport.

Land transport (DOT)

UN number : 1814

Description of the goods : Potassium hydroxide, solution

Class : 8
Packing group : II
Environmentally hazardous : no

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#### Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

UN number : 1814

Description of the goods : POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

Class : 8
Packing group : II
Marine pollutant : no

### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

### **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

Ingredients	CAS-No.	Component RQ (lbs)	Calculated product RQ
			(lbs)
potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	1000	2222

#### 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 toxicity (any route of exposure)

Skin corrosion or irritation

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

SARA 302 : This material does not contain any components with a section 302

EHS TPQ.

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.

#### California Prop. 65

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

### The ingredients of this product are reported in the following inventories:

### **United States TSCA Inventory:**

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

## Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

#### Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS):

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

### New Zealand. Inventory of Chemical Substances:

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

#### Japan. ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory:

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

# Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI):

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

#### Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS):

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On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

### China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC):

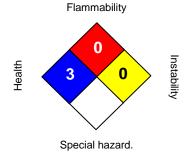
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

### Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI):

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

#### NFPA:



#### HMIS III:



0 = not significant, 1 = Slight, 2 = Moderate, 3 = High

4 = Extreme, \* = Chronic

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