

**SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : BRITE-CASE

Other means of identification : Not applicable

Recommended use : Cleaning product

Restrictions on use : Reserved for industrial and professional use.

Product dilution information : 0.25 % - 3.0 %

Company : Ecolab Inc.  
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**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**
**GHS Classification**
**Product AS SOLD**

Skin corrosion : Category 1A

Serious eye damage : Category 1

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure (Oral) : Category 1 (Blood)

**Product AT USE DILUTION**

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**GHS label elements**
**Product AS SOLD**

Hazard pictograms :



Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
Causes damage to organs (Blood) if swallowed.

Precautionary Statements : **Prevention:**  
Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray. 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: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN

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(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. IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Storage:**

Store locked up.

**Disposal:**

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

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Hazard pictograms

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Other hazards

: None known.

### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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Pure substance/mixture

: Mixture

| Chemical name                           | CAS-No.    | Concentration (%) |
|---|------------|-------------------|
| silicic acid (h2sio3), dipotassium salt | 10006-28-7 | 10 - 30           |
| sodium nitrite                          | 7632-00-0  | 1 - 5             |
| potassium hydroxide                     | 1310-58-3  | 1 - 5             |
| ethylenediamine tetraacetate            | 64-02-8    | 1 - 5             |
| oxirane, methyl-, polymer with oxirane  | 9003-11-6  | 1 - 5             |

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No hazardous ingredients

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### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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- 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 : Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. 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.

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### SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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- 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

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Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>)  
Sulfur oxides  
Oxides of phosphorus

- Special protective equipment for fire-fighters : Use personal protective equipment.
- Specific extinguishing methods : Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Product AS SOLD

- 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.

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## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Product AS SOLD

- 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 : -15 °C to 50 °C

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## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

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#### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

| Ingredients         | CAS-No.   | Form of exposure | Permissible concentration | Basis     |
|---------------------|-----------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| potassium hydroxide | 1310-58-3 | Ceiling          | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>       | ACGIH     |
|                     |           | Ceiling          | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>       | 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 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.

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### SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|   | Product AS SOLD     | Product AT USE DILUTION |
|---|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Appearance                              | : liquid            | liquid                  |
| Color                                   | : tan               | tan                     |
| Odor                                    | : slight            | odorless                |
| pH                                      | : 13.0, (100 %)     | 10.5 - 12.2             |
| 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                        | : 1.2               |                         |
| Water solubility                        | : soluble           |                         |
| Solubility in other solvents            | : No data available |                         |
| Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water  | : 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

#### Product AS SOLD

|                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Chemical stability                 | : Stable under normal conditions.                             |
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | : No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use. |
| Conditions to avoid                | : None known.   |
| Incompatible materials             | : Acids<br>Metals   |

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Hazardous decomposition products : Decomposition products may include the following materials:  
Carbon oxides  
Nitrogen oxides (NOx)  
Sulfur oxides  
Oxides of phosphorus

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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

### Potential Health Effects

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Eyes : Causes serious eye damage.  
Skin : Causes severe skin burns.  
Ingestion : Causes digestive tract burns.  
Inhalation : May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation.  
Chronic Exposure : May cause damage to organs.

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Eyes : Causes serious eye damage.  
Skin : Causes severe skin burns.  
Ingestion : 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

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Eye contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion  
Skin contact : Redness, Pain, Corrosion  
Ingestion : Corrosion, Abdominal pain  
Inhalation : Respiratory irritation, Cough

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### Toxicity

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| Acute oral toxicity               | : Acute toxicity estimate : 2,058 mg/kg                              |
| Acute inhalation toxicity         | : 4 h Acute toxicity estimate : > 200 mg/l<br>Test atmosphere: vapor |
| Acute dermal toxicity             | : No data available  |
| Skin corrosion/irritation         | : No data available  |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation | : No data available  |
| 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  |
| STOT-repeated exposure            | : No data available  |
| Aspiration toxicity               | : No data available  |

#### Ingredients

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Acute dermal toxicity | : silicic acid (h2sio3), dipotassium salt<br>LD50 Rat: > 5,000 mg/kg |
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### SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Product AS SOLD

##### Ecotoxicity

|                       |                            |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Environmental Effects | : Harmful to aquatic life. |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|

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|---|---|
| Toxicity to fish                                    | : No data available                               |
| Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates | : 48 h LC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 61.4 mg/l |
| Toxicity to algae                                   | : No data available                               |

#### Ingredients

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| Toxicity to fish | : silicic acid (h2sio3), dipotassium salt<br>96 h LC50: 210 mg/l<br><br>sodium nitrite<br>96 h LC50 Fish: 1 mg/l<br><br>ethylenediamine tetraacetate<br>96 h LC50 Fish: 121 mg/l<br><br>oxirane, methyl-, polymer with oxirane<br>96 h LC50 Fish: > 100 mg/l |
|------------------|--|

#### Persistence and degradability

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Poorly biodegradable



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Poorly biodegradable

#### Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

#### Mobility in soil

No data available

#### Other adverse effects

No data available

## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Product AS SOLD

Disposal methods : Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. 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 re-use empty containers. Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

RCRA - Resource Conservation and Recovery Authorization Act Hazardous waste : D002 (Corrosive)

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## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### Product AS SOLD

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

#### Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

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UN number : 1814  
Description of the goods : POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION  
Class : 8  
Packing group : II  
Marine pollutant : no

### SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### Product AS SOLD

#### TSCA - 5(a) Significant New Use Rule List of Chemicals

The following substance(s) is/are subject to a Significant New Use Rule:  
sodium nitrite

#### US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt D)

The following substance(s) is/are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements:  
sodium nitrite

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

#### CERCLA Reportable Quantity

| Ingredients    | CAS-No.   | Component RQ (lbs) | Calculated product RQ (lbs) |
|----------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| sodium nitrite | 7632-00-0 | 100                | 2105                        |

#### 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 Health Hazard

**SARA 302** : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313** : The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

|                |           |        |
|----------------|-----------|--------|
| sodium nitrite | 7632-00-0 | 4.75 % |
|----------------|-----------|--------|

#### 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 TSCA Inventory

##### Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) :

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

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

not determined

##### New Zealand. Inventory of Chemical Substances :

not determined

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

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On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

**Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI) :**  
not determined

**Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS) :**  
not determined

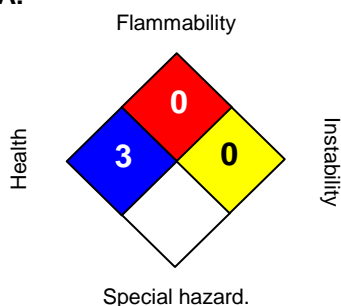
**China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC) :**  
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

**Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory :**  
not determined

## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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#### NFPA:



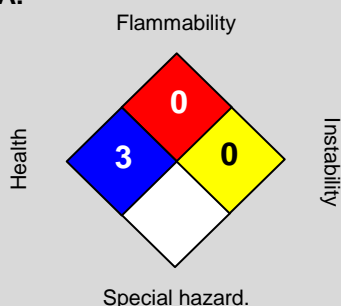
#### HMIS III:

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| HEALTH          | 3 |
| FLAMMABILITY    | 0 |
| PHYSICAL HAZARD | 0 |

0 = not significant, 1 = Slight,  
2 = Moderate, 3 = High  
4 = Extreme, \* = Chronic

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#### NFPA:



#### HMIS III:

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
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| FLAMMABILITY    | 0 |
| PHYSICAL HAZARD | 0 |

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material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.