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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name Genzolate

Other means of identification

SDS # BIR-066

Product Code I00114
UN/ID No UN1823

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Powdered blend of moderately alkaline ingredients designed as a refining agent for rendered fats in order to reduce free-fatty acid levels.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

Birko Corporation
9152 Yosemite Street
Henderson, CO 80640-8027
www.birkocorp.com

Emergency telephone number

Company Phone Number Phone: 303-289-1090 or 1-800-525-0476

Fax: 303-289-1190

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance White powder

Physical state Solid

Odor None

Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	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
Harmful in contact with skin
Harmful if inhaled
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
 Do not breathe dusts or mists
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response

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

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	80-90
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	10-20

**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**Description of first aid measures**

General Advice	Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
Eye Contact	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.
Skin Contact	Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Inhalation	Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
Ingestion	Call a poison center or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Harmful if swallowed. Harmful in contact with skin. Harmful if inhaled. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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

Not determined.

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

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

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 Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

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

Advice on Safe Handling Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe dusts or mists. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing and eye/face protection.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Store locked up.

Incompatible Materials None known based on information supplied.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	TWA: 2 mg/m ³ (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	IDLH: 10 mg/m ³ Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Refer to 29 CFR 1910.133 for eye and face protection regulations.

Skin and Body Protection Refer to 29 CFR 1910.138 for appropriate skin and body protection.

Respiratory Protection Refer to 29 CFR 1910.134 for respiratory protection requirements.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid	Odor Odor Threshold	None Not determined	
Appearance	White powder			
Color	White			
Property	Values	Remarks • Method		
pH	12.6 (1% solution)			
Melting point / freezing point	Not determined			
Boiling point / boiling range	Not determined			
Flash point	Not determined			
Evaporation Rate	Not determined			
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Not determined			
Flammability Limit in Air				
Upper flammability or explosive limits	Not determined			
Lower flammability or explosive limits	Not determined			
Vapor Pressure	Not determined			
Vapor Density	Not determined			
Relative Density	Not determined			
Water Solubility	Not determined			
Solubility in other solvents	Not determined			
Partition Coefficient	Not determined			
Autoignition temperature	Not determined			
Decomposition temperature	Not determined			
Kinematic viscosity	Not determined			
Dynamic Viscosity	Not determined			
Explosive Properties	Not determined			
Oxidizing Properties	Not determined			

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.

Conditions to Avoid

Keep out of reach of children.

Incompatible materials

None known based on information supplied.

Hazardous decomposition products

None known based on information supplied.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure**Product Information**

Eye Contact	Avoid contact with eyes.
Skin Contact	Harmful in contact with skin.
Inhalation	Harmful if inhaled.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed.

Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	140 - 340 mg/kg (Rat)	= 1350 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6	= 20 g/kg (Rat)	= 20800 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Sodium Chloride 7647-14-5	= 3 g/kg (Rat)	> 10 g/kg (Rabbit)	> 42 g/m ³ (Rat) 1 h

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms	Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.
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Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation	Causes severe skin burns.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Causes severe eye damage.
Carcinogenicity	Based on the information provided, this product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.

Numerical measures of toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document.

Oral LD50	749.40 mg/kg
Dermal LD50	1,459.70 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	1.51 mg/L

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	Crustacea
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	242: 120 h Nitzschia mg/L EC50	300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 310 - 1220: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static	265: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2		45.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static	
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6	19000: 96 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50	51600: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 41 - 47: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mL/L LC50 static 51400: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 710: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50	1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static 10000: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Sodium Chloride 7647-14-5		6420 - 6700: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 7050: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 semi-static 6020 - 7070: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 12946: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 4747 - 7824: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 flow-through 5560 - 6080: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 flow-through	340.7 - 469.2: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static 1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

Persistence/Degradability

Not determined.

Bioaccumulation

There is no data for this product.

Mobility

Not determined

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
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	Corrosive
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	Toxic Corrosive

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**Note**

Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances.

DOT

UN/ID No UN1823
Proper Shipping Name Sodium hydroxide, solid
Hazard class 8
Packing Group II

IATA

UN number UN1823
Proper Shipping Name Sodium hydroxide, solid
Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing Group II

IMDG

UN number UN1823
Proper Shipping Name Sodium hydroxide, solid
Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing Group II

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**International Inventories**

Chemical name	TSCA	DSL/NDSL	EINECS/E LINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Sodium carbonate	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Sodium hydroxide	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Propylene Glycol	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Sodium Chloride	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - 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

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

US Federal Regulations**CERCLA**

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	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)

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Sodium hydroxide	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
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	X	X	X
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6	X		X

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health Hazards	Flammability	Instability	Special Hazards
	2	0	0	-
HMIS	Health Hazards	Flammability	Physical hazards	Personal Protection
	2	0	0	F

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