



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT

PRODUCT NAME: **SCALE OFF II, New and Improved**

PRODUCT CODE: 119128

NFPA/HMIS HAZARD CODES(minimal=0; slight=1; moderate=2; serious=3; severe=4)

Health: 3/3

Fire: 0/0

Reactivity: 1/1

Special/Protective Equipment: ALK/C

NAME OF THE MANUFACTURER: Rochester Midland Corporation
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Rochester, New York 14624
USA

Emergency Phone:
INFOTRAC: 1-800-535-5053
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EFFECTS FROM ACUTE EXPOSURE:

INGESTION: Causes burns of the mouth, throat and stomach.
SKIN CONTACT: Causes moderate skin irritation. Causes skin burns which may not be immediately painful or visible.
INHALATION: Irritates mucous membranes. May cause damage to nasal and respiratory passages.
EYE CONTACT: Causes severe eye burns. May cause permanent eye damage. May cause blindness.
CHRONIC EFFECTS: Dermatitis. Possible respiratory damage from inhalation of dust or mist.
EFFECTS/CARCINOGENICITY: None listed under OSHA, IARC, or NTP.
ROUTES OF ENTRY: Routes of entry for solids and liquids include eye and skin contact, ingestion and inhalation.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

PRODUCT COMPOSITION CAS#	%	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PELs
SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2	6-10	Not applicable	2 mg/m ³
SODIUM EDTA 64-02-8	9-12	Not applicable	Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

INGESTION: Do not induce vomiting. Slowly dilute with 1-2 glasses of water or milk and seek medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
SKIN: Flush with water for at least 15 minutes while removing all contaminated clothing and shoes. Continue rinsing until "slippery" feeling is gone. Get medical attention if irritation or burns develop.
INHALATION: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Get medical attention.
EYES: Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical attention.
NOTES TO PHYSICIAN: None.

5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT:	(F): Not determined (C): Not determined
METHOD:	None
FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR	
LOWER (%):	No data
UPPER (%):	No data
SENSITIVITY TO MECHANICAL IMPACT(Y/N):	NO
SENSITIVITY TO STATIC DISCHARGE:	Sensitivity to static discharge is not expected.
SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:	Water. Carbon dioxide.
FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:	Corrosive material. Avoid exposure to mist and splashes. Fire-fighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing when fighting chemical fires. Cool exposed containers with water spray.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

SPILL PROCEDURES:	
SMALL SPILLS:	Reclaim as much as possible.
LARGE SPILLS:	Dike to contain. Pick up with absorbant material. Put in suitable container for disposal.
PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS:	Not applicable
ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:	Not applicable
METHODS FOR CLEANING UP:	Not applicable

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE:	DANGER: Concentrated, alkaline liquid. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not breathe mist or vapors. Store only in original container and keep closed. Contents may develop pressure upon prolonged storage; loosen closure cautiously before opening. Store in a well ventilated area. Mix only with water.
OTHER PRECAUTIONS:	Do not reuse container. Empty containers may retain product residue, follow MSDS/label precautions even after container is emptied. Contact with certain food sugars can release hazardous amounts of carbon monoxide gas in enclosed vessels. Read and follow label instructions.
SPECIFIC USE(S):	Not applicable.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:



EXPOSURE CONTROLS:	Use in a well ventilated area.
RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:	Use approved NIOSH respiratory protection if TLV/PEL exceeded or if over exposure is likely.
PROTECTIVE GLOVES:	Nitrile, neoprene, or other appropriate gloves are recommended to minimize hand skin contact.
EYE PROTECTION:	Goggles and face shield are recommended to minimize eye contact.
OTHER PERSONAL PROTECTION EQUIPMENT:	Rubber boots. Appropriate protective clothing as needed to prevent skin contact. Liquid may penetrate leather shoes and cause delayed burns. Eyewash fountains and safety showers must be easily accessible. It is the responsibility of the end user of this product to determine level of PPE required that is consistent with safe use of this product.
VENTILATION:	General mechanical and/or local exhaust as needed to meet exposure limits if mist in air. Corrosion resistant equipment recommended.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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APPEARANCE AND ODOR:	Clear brown liquid. Mild odor.	
BOILING POINT (F):	As water	(C) Not determined
VAPOR PRESSURE:	As water	
VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1):	As water	
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	Not determined	
SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	1.16-1.17	
VOC Content (%):	0% (per EPA Method 24)	
EVAPORATION RATE:	As water	
PH:	N/A	

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY DATA:	STABLE
POLYMERIZATION:	Will Not Occur.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:	Chlorine gas. Oxygen.
INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID):	Mix only with water. Contact with acids and acid-containing cleaners, such as rust removers, vinegar, and toilet bowl cleaners may generate hazardous gases, such as chlorine, along with heat. Interaction with ammonia-containing materials may liberate ammonia gas or chloramine derivatives of ammonia. Do not mix with: Reducing agents. Organic matter. Avoid contact with aluminum, zinc, other soft metals or galvanized metals. Reaction will generate hydrogen gas. This gas is flammable and/or explosive in presence of ignition source.
CONDITIONS/HAZARDS TO AVOID:	None known.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE TOXICITY:	Not Established
EFFECTS OF CHRONIC EXPOSURE:	Not established.
OTHER TOXIC EFFECTS:	Not established.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:	No data at this time
CHEMICAL FATE INFORMATION:	No data at this time.
MOBILITY:	Not applicable.
PERSISTENCE/DEGRADABILITY:	Not applicable
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL:	Not applicable
OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS:	Not applicable

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

WASTE DISPOSAL METHODS:	Protect all personnel against release of chlorine gas. Dispose in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulations.
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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Please refer to the Bill of Lading/Receiving documents for up to date shipping information.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

PRODUCT COMPOSITION CAS#	%	TSCA:	EINECS:	Canada DSL:	CA PROP 65:
SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2	6-10	Listed	Listed	Listed	Not Listed
SODIUM EDTA 64-02-8	9-12	Not Listed	Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

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PRODUCT COMPOSITION CAS#	%	CERCLA:	SARA 302:	SARA 313:
SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2	6-10	1000 lb 454 kg	Not Listed	Not Listed
SODIUM EDTA 64-02-8	9-12	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

PRODUCT COMPOSITION CAS#	%	Canada WHMIS:
SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2	6-10	Listed

The following components of this material are included in the Massachusetts Substance List and are present at or above reportable levels.

PRODUCT COMPOSITION CAS#	%	MARTK:
SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2	6-10	Listed

The following components of this material are included in the New Jersey Substance List and are present at or above reportable levels.

PRODUCT COMPOSITION CAS#	%	NJRTK:
SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2	6-10	Listed

The following components of this material are included in the Pennsylvania Substance List and are present at or above reportable levels.

PRODUCT COMPOSITION CAS#	%	PARTK:
SODIUM HYDROXIDE 1310-73-2	6-10	Listed

16. OTHER INFORMATION

This information was compiled from current, reliable sources and is believed to be correct. As data, and/or regulations change, and conditions of use and handling are beyond our control, no warranty, express or implied, is made as to completeness or continuing accuracy of this information.

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