

# Safety data sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), amended by 2015/830/EU



## Lithium hydroxide monohydrate $\geq 55\%$ LiOH

article number: **3997**  
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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Identification of the substance	<b>Lithium hydroxide monohydrate</b>
Article number	3997
Registration number (REACH)	01-2119560576-31-xxxx
EC number	215-183-4
CAS number	1310-66-3

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Identified uses:** laboratory chemical  
laboratory and analytical use

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency information service **Poison Centre Munich: +49/(0)89 19240**

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

Classification acc. to GHS			
Section	Hazard class	Hazard class and category	Hazard statement
3.10	acute toxicity (oral)	(Acute Tox. 4)	H302
3.2	skin corrosion/irritation	(Skin Corr. 1A)	H314
3.3	serious eye damage/eye irritation	(Eye Dam. 1)	H318

#### 2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

**Signal word** **Danger**

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### Pictograms



### Hazard statements

H302 Harmful if swallowed  
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

### Precautionary statements

#### **Precautionary statements - prevention**

P261 Avoid breathing dust.  
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/eye protection.

#### **Precautionary statements - response**

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

#### **Labelling of packages where the contents do not exceed 125 ml**

Signal word: **Danger**

Symbol(s)



H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/eye protection.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

### **2.3 Other hazards**

There is no additional information.

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

### **3.1 Substances**

Name of substance	Lithium hydroxide monohydrate
Registration number (REACH)	01-2119560576-31-xxxx
EC number	215-183-4
CAS number	1310-66-3
Molecular formula	HLiO
Molar mass	41,96 g/mol

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures



#### General notes

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Self-protection of the first aider.

#### Following inhalation

If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Medical treatment necessary.

#### Following skin contact

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. Immediate medical treatment required because corrosive injuries that are not treated are hard to cure.

#### Following eye contact

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist. Protect uninjured eye.

#### Following ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. If swallowed danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach (strong corrosive effects). Call a physician immediately.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Irritation, Corrosion, Breathing difficulties, Gastric perforation, Risk of serious damage to eyes

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

none

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media



#### Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings  
water spray, foam, dry extinguishing powder, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

water jet

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear full chemical protective clothing.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### For non-emergency personnel

Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Provide adequate ventilation.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

#### Advices on how to contain a spill

Covering of drains.

#### Advices on how to clean up a spill

Take up mechanically. Control of dust.

#### Other information relating to spills and releases

Place in appropriate containers for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5. Personal protective equipment: see section 8. Incompatible materials: see section 10. Disposal considerations: see section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Provide adequate ventilation. Handle and open container with care. Clear contaminated areas thoroughly.

#### • Measures to prevent fire as well as aerosol and dust generation

Removal of dust deposits.

#### Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash hands before breaks and after work.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a dry place.

#### Incompatible substances or mixtures

Observe hints for combined storage.

#### Consideration of other advice

##### • Ventilation requirements

Use local and general ventilation.

##### • Specific designs for storage rooms or vessels

Recommended storage temperature: 15 – 25 °C.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

No information available.

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

##### National limit values

##### Occupational exposure limit values (Workplace Exposure Limits)

Country	Name of agent	CAS No	Notation	Identifier	TWA [mg/m <sup>3</sup> ]	STEL [mg/m <sup>3</sup> ]	Source
GB	dust		i	WEL	10		EH40/2005
GB	dust		r	WEL	4		EH40/2005

##### Notation

i Inhalable fraction

r Respirable fraction

STEL Short-term exposure limit: a limit value above which exposure should not occur and which is related to a 15-minute period (unless otherwise specified)

TWA Time-weighted average (long-term exposure limit): measured or calculated in relation to a reference period of 8 hours time-weighted average (unless otherwise specified)

##### Relevant DNELs/DMELs/PNECs and other threshold levels

###### • human health values

Endpoint	Threshold level	Protection goal, route of exposure	Used in	Exposure time
DNEL	3,02 mg/kg	human, oral	worker (industry)	chronic - systemic effects
DNEL	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	human, inhalatory	worker (industry)	chronic - systemic effects
DNEL	30 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	human, inhalatory	worker (industry)	acute - systemic effects
DNEL	41,35 mg/kg bw/day	human, dermal	worker (industry)	chronic - systemic effects
DNEL	100 mg/kg bw/day	human, dermal	worker (industry)	acute - systemic effects

###### • environmental values

Endpoint	Threshold level	Environmental compartment
PNEC	2,3 mg/l	freshwater
PNEC	0,23 mg/l	marine water
PNEC	79,2 mg/l	sewage treatment plant (STP)
PNEC	9 mg/kg	freshwater sediment
PNEC	0,9 mg/kg	marine sediment
PNEC	0,45 mg/kg	soil

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

##### Individual protection measures (personal protective equipment)

##### Eye/face protection



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Use safety goggle with side protection. Wear face protection.

### Skin protection



#### • hand protection

Wear suitable gloves. Chemical protection gloves are suitable, which are tested according to EN 374. Check leak-tightness/impermeability prior to use. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

#### • type of material

NBR (Nitrile rubber)

#### • material thickness

>0,11 mm

#### • breakthrough times of the glove material

>480 minutes (permeation: level 6)

#### • other protection measures

Take recovery periods for skin regeneration. Preventive skin protection (barrier creams/ointments) is recommended.

### Respiratory protection



Respiratory protection necessary at: Dust formation. Particulate filter device (EN 143). P2 (filters at least 94 % of airborne particles, colour code: White).

### Environmental exposure controls

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### Appearance

Physical state	solid (crystalline)
Colour	white - light yellow
Odour	odourless
Odour threshold	No data available

#### Other physical and chemical parameters

pH (value)	~ 12 (0,4 g/l, 20 °C)
Melting point/freezing point	424 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	This information is not available.
Flash point	not applicable
Evaporation rate	no data available

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Flammability (solid, gas)	These information are not available
<u>Explosive limits</u>	
• lower explosion limit (LEL)	this information is not available
• upper explosion limit (UEL)	this information is not available
Explosion limits of dust clouds	these information are not available
Vapour pressure	This information is not available.
Density	1,51 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Vapour density	This information is not available.
Bulk density	~ 800 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Relative density	Information on this property is not available.
<u>Solubility(ies)</u>	
Water solubility	~ 200 g/l at 20 °C
<u>Partition coefficient</u>	
n-octanol/water (log KOW)	This information is not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Information on this property is not available.
Decomposition temperature	no data available
Viscosity	not relevant (solid matter)
Explosive properties	Shall not be classified as explosive
Oxidising properties	none

### 9.2 Other information

There is no additional information.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

This material is not reactive under normal ambient conditions.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The material is stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reaction with: Acids

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Humidity.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

aluminium, lead, zinc, tin

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5.

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Exposure route	Endpoint	Value	Species	Source
oral	LD50	578 mg/kg	rat	
dermal	LD50	>2.000 mg/kg	rat	ECHA

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes severe burns.

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Shall not be classified as a respiratory or skin sensitiser.

#### Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties

Shall not be classified as germ cell mutagenic, carcinogenic nor as a reproductive toxicant

- **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (single exposure).

- **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (repeated exposure).

#### Aspiration hazard

Shall not be classified as presenting an aspiration hazard.

#### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

- **If swallowed**

If swallowed danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach (strong corrosive effects)

- **If in eyes**

causes burns, Causes serious eye damage, risk of blindness

- **If inhaled**

cough, breathing difficulties, pulmonary oedema

- **If on skin**

causes severe burns, causes poorly healing wounds

#### Other information

None



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### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1 Toxicity

acc. to 1272/2008/EC: Shall not be classified as hazardous to the aquatic environment.

##### Aquatic toxicity (acute)

Endpoint	Value	Species	Source	Exposure time
LC50	109 mg/l	zebra fish (Danio rerio)		96 h
EC50	33,5 mg/l	daphnia magna		48 h
ErC50	153,4 mg/l	algae	ECHA	72 h

##### Aquatic toxicity (chronic)

Endpoint	Value	Species	Source	Exposure time
EC50	316,8 mg/l	microorganisms	ECHA	3 h
LOEC	24,35 mg/l	fish	ECHA	34 d
NOEC	17,35 mg/l	fish	ECHA	34 d
growth (EbCx) 10%	79,2 mg/l	microorganisms	ECHA	3 h

#### 12.2 Process of degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Data are not available.

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Data are not available.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Data are not available.

#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

Data are not available.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods



This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

##### Sewage disposal-relevant information

Do not empty into drains.

##### Waste treatment of containers/packagings

It is a dangerous waste; only packagings which are approved (e.g. acc. to ADR) may be used.

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### 13.2 Relevant provisions relating to waste

The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

### 13.3 Remarks

Waste shall be separated into the categories that can be handled separately by the local or national waste management facilities. Please consider the relevant national or regional provisions.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1	UN number	2680
14.2	UN proper shipping name Hazardous ingredients	<b>LITHIUM HYDROXIDE</b> Lithium hydroxide monohydrate
14.3	Transport hazard class(es)	
	Class	8 (corrosive substances)
14.4	Packing group	II (substance presenting medium danger)
14.5	Environmental hazards	NONE (non-environmentally hazardous acc. to the dangerous goods regulations)
14.6	<b>Special precautions for user</b>	
	Provisions for dangerous goods (ADR) should be complied within the premises.	
14.7	<b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code</b>	
	The cargo is not intended to be carried in bulk.	
14.8	<b>Information for each of the UN Model Regulations</b>	
	• <b>Transport of dangerous goods by road, rail and inland waterway (ADR/RID/ADN)</b>	
	UN number	2680
	Proper shipping name	LITHIUM HYDROXIDE
	Particulars in the transport document	UN2680, LITHIUM HYDROXIDE, 8, II, (E)
	Class	8
	Classification code	C6
	Packing group	II
	Danger label(s)	8
		
	Excepted quantities (EQ)	E2
	Limited quantities (LQ)	1 kg

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Transport category (TC)	2
Tunnel restriction code (TRC)	E
Hazard identification No	80
<b>Emergency Action Code</b>	2X
<b>• International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)</b>	
UN number	2680
Proper shipping name	LITHIUM HYDROXIDE
Particulars in the shipper's declaration	UN2680, LITHIUM HYDROXIDE, 8, II
Class	8
Marine pollutant	-
Packing group	II
Danger label(s)	8



Special provisions (SP)	-
Excepted quantities (EQ)	E2
Limited quantities (LQ)	1 kg
EmS	F-A, S-B
Stowage category	A
Segregation group	18 - Alkalis

### • International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO-IATA/DGR)

UN number	2680
Proper shipping name	Lithium hydroxide
Particulars in the shipper's declaration	UN2680, Lithium hydroxide, 8, II
Class	8
Packing group	II
Danger label(s)	8



Excepted quantities (EQ)	E2
Limited quantities (LQ)	5 kg

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### Relevant provisions of the European Union (EU)

- **Regulation 649/2012/EU concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC)**

Not listed.

- **Regulation 1005/2009/EC on substances that deplete the ozone layer (ODS)**

Not listed.

- **Regulation 850/2004/EC on persistent organic pollutants (POP)**

Not listed.

- **Restrictions according to REACH, Annex XVII**

Name of substance	CAS No	Wt%	Type of registration	No
Lithium hydroxide monohydrate		100	1907/2006/EC annex XVII	3

- **List of substances subject to authorisation (REACH, Annex XIV)**

not listed

- **Seveso Directive**

2012/18/EU (Seveso III)			
No	Dangerous substance/hazard categories	Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower and upper-tier requirements	Notes
	not assigned		

#### Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS) - Annex II

not listed

#### Regulation 166/2006/EC concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register (PRTR)

not listed

#### Directive 2000/60/EC establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy (WFD)

not listed

#### National inventories

Substance is listed in the following national inventories:

Country	National inventories	Status
AU	AICS	substance is listed
CN	IECSC	substance is listed
EU	ECSI	substance is listed
EU	REACH Reg.	substance is listed
NZ	NZIoC	substance is listed
PH	PICCS	substance is listed

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Country	National inventories	Status
TR	CICR	substance is listed
TW	TCSI	substance is listed

### Legend

AICS	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
CICR	Chemical Inventory and Control Regulation
EC SI	EC Substance Inventory (EINECS, ELINCS, NLP)
IECSC	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China
NZIoC	New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
PICCS	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
REACH Reg.	REACH registered substances
TCSI	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory

## 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance.

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Abbreviations and acronyms

Abbr.	Descriptions of used abbreviations
ADN	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par voies de navigation intérieures (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways)
ADR	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service (service that maintains the most comprehensive list of chemical substances)
CLP	Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures
CMR	Carcinogenic, Mutagenic or toxic for Reproduction
DGR	Dangerous Goods Regulations (see IATA/DGR)
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect Level
DNEL	Derived No-Effect Level
EH40/2005	EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits ( <a href="http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/doc/open-government-licence/">http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/doc/open-government-licence/</a> )
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS	European List of Notified Chemical Substances
EmS	Emergency Schedule
GHS	"Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals" developed by the United Nations
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IATA/DGR	Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA)
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (abbr. of "Marine Pollutant")
NLP	No-Longer Polymer
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

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Abbr.	Descriptions of used abbreviations
RID	Règlement concernant le transport International ferroviaire des marchandises Dangereuses (Regulations concerning the International carriage of Dangerous goods by Rail)
STEL	short-term exposure limit
TWA	time-weighted average
vPvB	very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
WEL	workplace exposure limit

### Key literature references and sources for data

- Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), amended by 2015/830/EU
- Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP, EU GHS)
- Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA)
- International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)

### List of relevant phrases (code and full text as stated in chapter 2 and 3)

Code	Text
H302	harmful if swallowed
H314	causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	causes serious eye damage

### Disclaimer

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.