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## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### DRY DRAIN-A-MATIC DRAIN PIPE CLEANER

**FOR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY:** Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident - Call **INFOTRAC** - Day or Night: **1-800-535-5053**  
**THIS MSDS COMPLIES WITH 29 CFR 1910.1200** (HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD) **IMPORTANT:** Read this MSDS before handling & disposing of this product. Pass this information on to employees, customers and users of this product.

#### PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

**DOT Shipping name:** CONSUMER COMMODITY, ORM-D      **CAS NO.:** MIXTURE  
**Chemical Family:** CAUSTIC      **UN/NA#:** N/R  
**DOT Hazard Class:** N/R      **DATE OF ISSUE:** 03/08

#### SECTION I - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/EXPOSURE LIMITS

Hazardous Ingredients:	CAS #	TLV/PEL	AGENCY	TYPE	SARA-313(% Range)
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	1310-73-2	2MG/M3	ACGIH	TWA	60-70
SODIUM NITRATE	7631-99-4	NOT LISTED			
POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE	1310-58-3	2MG/M3	ACGIH	TWA	1-2
ALUMINUM	7429-90-5	10MG/M3	ACGIH	TWA	3.8-4.6

#### SECTION II - EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

**WARNING:** CONTAINS CAUSTICS – REACTS WITH WATER

**EYE CONTACT:** Move person away from exposure and into fresh air. If irritation or redness develops, flush eyes with clean water and seek medical attention. For direct contact hold eyelids apart for at least 15 minutes. **Seek medical attention.**

**SKIN CONTACT:** Remove contaminated shoes and clothing and cleanse affected areas thoroughly by washing with mild soap and water. If irritation persists **seek medical attention.**

**INHALATION: (breathing)** Not expected to be a hazard under normal operating conditions..

**INGESTION: (swallowing)** If swallowed, seek emergency medical attention. Do **not** give anything by mouth. .

#### SECTION III - HEALTH HAZARDS / ROUTES OF ENTRY

**EYE CONTACT:** One or more components of this material may be an eye irritant.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Contact with this material may cause corrosive burns and ulceration, and scarring.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** Symptoms of toxicity are anticipated by this route .

**INHALATION: (breathing)** Not expected to be a hazard under normal operating conditions.

**INGESTION: (swallowing)** Ingestion of this material may cause the following: Damage to mucous membrane and the digestive tract,

#### SECTION IV - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

**VENTILATION:** If current ventilation practices are not adequate to maintain airborne concentrations below established exposure limits (see section I), additional ventilation or exhaust systems may be required.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** The use of respiratory protection is advised when concentrations exceed the established exposure limits (see Section I). Depending on the airborne concentration use a respirator or gas mask with appropriate cartridges or canisters (NIOSH approved) or supplied air.

**PROTECTIVE GLOVES:** The use of gloves impermeable to the specific material handled is advised to prevent possible irritation.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Approved eye protection to safeguard against potential eye contact, irritation or injury is recommended.

#### SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA

**STABILITY:** Stable

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** (materials to avoid) This product is incompatible with: *Oxidizing agents, strong acids and bases, magnesium and aluminum, zinc, tin, brass and bronze.*

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Thermal decomposition in the presence of air may yield carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and hydrogen gas if in contact with magnesium, aluminum or galvanized zinc..

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur

#### SECTION VI - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

**PRECAUTIONS IN CASE OF LEAK OR SPILL:** Keep all sources of ignition and hot metal surfaces away from spill/release. Stay upwind and away from spill/release. Isolate hazard area and limit entry to emergency crew only. Stop spill/release if it can be done without risk. Wear appropriate protective equipment including respiratory protection as conditions warrant (see Section IV). Prevent spilled material from entering sewers, storm drains, and natural waterways. Dike far ahead of spill for later recovery and disposal. Spilled material may be absorbed by an appropriate absorbent. Notify fire authorities and appropriate federal, state, and local agencies. If spill/release is excess of EPA reportable quantity, immediately notify the **National Response Center**. Phone **800-424-8802**

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** Dispose of product in accordance with local, county, state, and federal regulations.



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**SECTION VII - STORAGE AND SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS**

**HANDLING AND STORAGE PRECAUTIONS:** Do not get in eyes, skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor mist or gas. Keep containers tightly closed, cool, dry, and away from all sources of ignition. Use and store this product with adequate ventilation. Avoid inhalation of vapors and personal contact with the product. Use good personal hygiene practices. Bond and ground equipment when transferring to another container. "Empty" containers contain residue (liquid and/or vapor) and can be dangerous. Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill, grind, or expose such containers to heat, flame, sparks, or other sources of ignition. They may explode and cause injury and death. Empty drums should be completely drained, properly bunged, and promptly shipped to the supplier or drum reconditioner. All other containers should be disposed of in an environmentally safe manner and in accordance with governmental regulations. Before working in or on tanks which contain or has contained his product, refer to **OSHA** or **ANSI Z49.1** regulations and other governmental and industrial references pertaining to cleaning, repairing, welding, or other contemplated operations.

**SECTION VIII - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA**

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Extinguish with dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>, or a universal type foam.  
**FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:** May decompose during contact with flames, heating elements, or in combustion engines releasing irritating gases. Container may explode if heated due to resulting pressure rise.  
**FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Wear appropriate protective equipment including respiratory protection as conditions warrant (see **Section IV**). Stop spill/release if it can be done without risk. Water spray may be useful in minimizing or dispersing vapors and cooling equipment exposed to heat and flame. Avoid spreading burning liquid with water used for cooling purposes.

**SECTION IX - PHYSICAL DATA**

<b>APPROXIMATE BOILING POINT (DEG F): &gt;200</b>	<b>PER CENT VOLATILE: NONE</b>
<b>SPECIFIC GRAVITY (68 F): &gt;1</b>	<b>FLASH POINT (TCC, DEG F): NONE</b>
<b>RELATIVE EVAPORATION RATE (ESTIMATED): &lt;1</b>	<b>PER CENT SOLUBILITY IN WATER: 100</b>
<b>VAPOR PRESSURE @20C mmHg (CALCULATED): &lt;1</b>	

**SECTION X - OTHER REGULATORY DATA**

<b><u>SARA</u></b>	<b><u>HMIS</u></b>
<i>SECTION 302:</i> NONE	Health: 3
<i>SECTION 311 &amp; 312:</i> ACUTE, CHRONIC	Flammability: 0
<i>SECTION 313:</i> See Section I.I	Reactivity: 1

**TSCA**  
 All components are in full compliance with the TSCA inventory.

**CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65**  
 NOT LISTED  
**CERCLA**  
 SODIUM HYDROXIDE RQ: 1000 LBS.  
 POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE RQ: 1000 LBS.

**RCRA**  
 Waste material would be a D002

**CARCINOGENICITY:**  
 NOT LISTED with NTP or IARC.

**NOTICE**

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