



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### Product identifier

Product Name RED HOT STRIPPER

#### Other means of identification

Product Code 3650  
UN/ID No. 1814  
Synonyms None

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use 55% Active Stripper.  
Uses advised against No information available

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

##### Manufacturer Address

Harvard Chemical Research, Inc., 3595 Zip Industrial Blvd., Atlanta, GA 30354

#### Emergency telephone number

Company Phone Number 1-404-761-0657  
24 Hour Emergency Phone Number 800-424-9300  
Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification

##### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3

#### Label elements

##### **Emergency Overview**

##### **Danger**

##### **Hazard statements**

Harmful if swallowed  
Harmful in contact with skin  
Harmful if inhaled  
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage  
May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness

**Appearance** Clear**Physical state** liquid**Odor** Butyl**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
 Wear protective gloves and eye protection.  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific measures (see .? on this label)  
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
 Specific treatment (see .? on this label)  
 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/physician  
 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse  
 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower  
 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician  
 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
 Do not induce vomiting.  
 Give 1 oz. of magnesia with equal amount of water.

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up  
 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)****Other Information**

• Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects  
 Unknown Acute Toxicity % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Water	7732-18-5	<50	*
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether	111-76-2	<40	*
Ethanolamine	141-43-5	<15	*
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	<9	*

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**First aid measures**

<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Rinse with clear water.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. If breathing does not return to normal, seek medical attention.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Immediately drink large quantities of water. Get medical attention.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****Suitable extinguishing media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Alcohol Foam.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

No information available.

**Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.

**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** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**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 cleaning up** PH adjust and dispose in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

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

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions** Keep container closed when not in use. Keep out of reach of children. Do not freeze. Follow label instructions.

**Incompatible materials** Strong acids. OXIDIZERS.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Control parameters**

**Exposure Guidelines** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 111-76-2	TWA: 20 ppm	TWA: 50 ppm TWA: 240 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 25 ppm (vacated) TWA: 120 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) S* S*	IDLH: 700 ppm TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 24 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Ethanolamine 141-43-5	STEL: 6 ppm TWA: 3 ppm	TWA: 3 ppm TWA: 6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 3 ppm (vacated) TWA: 8 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) STEL: 6 ppm (vacated) STEL: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 30 ppm TWA: 3 ppm TWA: 8 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 6 ppm STEL: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	(vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Controls** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.

**Skin and body protection** Wear Neoprene or protective rubber gloves. Drenching safety shower and eye wash station.

**Respiratory protection** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**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**

<b>Physical state</b>	liquid	<b>Odor</b>	Butyl
<b>Appearance</b>	Clear	<b>Odor threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Color</b>	Green-yellow		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	12.5	
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	No information available	
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	100 >212°F	

Flash point	No information available
Evaporation rate	<1
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available
Flammability Limit in Air	
Upper flammability limit:	No information available
Lower flammability limit:	No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available
Vapor density	>1
Specific Gravity	.99
Water solubility	completely soluble
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available
Dynamic viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

#### Other Information

Softening point	No information available
Molecular weight	No information available
VOC Content (%)	No information available
Density	8.16
Bulk density	No information available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

No data available

#### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous polymerization**      Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

#### Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

#### Incompatible materials

Strong acids. OXIDIZERS.

#### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Carbon monoxide. heat.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	No data available
Inhalation	Irritation and difficulty in breathing.
Eye contact	Severely irritating to eyes.
Skin Contact	No data available.

**Ingestion**

Gastric pain and vomiting.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Water 7732-18-5	> 90 mL/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 111-76-2	= 470 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 99 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 450 ppm ( Rat ) 4 h
Ethanolamine 141-43-5	= 1720 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 1000 mg/kg ( Rabbit ) = 1 mL/kg ( Rabbit )	-
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	= 284 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-

**Information on toxicological effects****Symptoms**

No information available.

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure****Sensitization**

No information available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No information available.

**Carcinogenicity**

No information available.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 111-76-2	A3	Group 3	-	-

**Reproductive toxicity**

No information available.

**STOT - single exposure**

No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure**

No information available.

**Aspiration hazard**

No information available.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information****Unknown Acute Toxicity**

% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

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

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity**

44.6% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 111-76-2	-	2950: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 1490: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static	1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 1698 - 1940: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Ethanolamine 141-43-5	15: 72 h Desmodosmus subspicatus mg/L EC50	227: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 3684: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50 static 300 - 1000: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 114 - 196: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 200: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 flow-through	65: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	-	80: 96 h Gambusia affinis mg/L LC50 static	-

**Persistence and degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 111-76-2	0.81
Ethanolamine 141-43-5	-1.91
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	0.65 0.83

**Other adverse effects** No information available

### 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** Do not reuse container.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	Toxic Corrosive

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT** Regulated  
**UN/ID No.** 1814  
**Proper shipping name** Potassium Hydroxide Solution  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** II

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### International Inventories

**TSCA** Complies  
**DSL/NDSL** Complies  
**EINECS/ELINCS** Complies  
**ENCS** Does not comply  
**IECSC** Complies  
**KECL** Complies  
**PICCS** Complies  
**AICS** Complies

#### 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**

**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

Chemical Name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether - 111-76-2	1.0

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute health hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	-	X

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

**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
Water 7732-18-5	-	-	X
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 111-76-2	X	X	X
Ethanolamine 141-43-5	X	X	X
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	X	X	X

**U.S. EPA Label Information**

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

<b>NFPA</b>	Health hazards 0	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Properties -
<b>HMIS</b>	Health hazards 2	Flammability 2	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection X

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