

# SAFETY DATA SHEET NOVALIFT

### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name NOVALIFT

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

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

Supplier British Nova Works Ltd

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## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical and Chemical Hazards Not classified. Human health Skin Corr. 1B - H314

Environment

Not classified.

Classification (1999/45/EEC) C;R34.

## 2.2. Label elements

Contains POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

Label In Accordance With (EC) No. 1272/2008



Signal Word

Danger

**Hazard Statements** 

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**Precautionary Statements** 

P102 Keep out of reach of children.
P280a Wear protective gloves.
P280c Wear eye protection.

P301+330+331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+361+353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water/shower.

P305+351+338 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 or doctor/physician.

P304+340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position

comfortable for breathing.

P332+313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P405 Store locked up.

Dispose of contents / containers to local authority guidlines

### 2.3. Other hazards

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

### 3.2. Mixtures

CAS-No.: 6834-92-0 EC No.: 229-912-9	
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Classification (67/548/EEC)	
Skin Corr. 1B - H314 C;R34.	
STOT Single 3 - H335 Xi;R37.	

FATTY ALCOHOL ETHOXYLATE				
CAS-No.:	EC No.:			
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Aguatic Acute 1 - H400		Classification (67/548/EEC) Xi;R41. N:R50.		

POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE	1-5%		
CAS-No.: 1310-58-3	EC No.: 215-181-3		
Classification (EC 1272/2008)		Classification (67/548/EEC)	
Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Skin Corr. 1A - H314		C;R35 Xn;R22	

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation

Remove victim immediately from source of exposure. Keep the affected person warm and at rest. Get prompt medical attention.

Ingestion

NEVER MAKE AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON VOMIT OR DRINK FLUIDS! Rinse mouth thoroughly. Get medical attention immediately! Skin contact

Remove affected person from source of contamination. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash the skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention promptly if symptoms occur after washing.

Eye contact

Remove victim immediately from source of exposure. Make sure to remove any contact lenses from the eyes before rinsing. Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water while lifting the eye lids. Get medical attention immediately. Continue to rinse.

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

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

## **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media

This product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards

Fire creates: Toxic gases/vapours/fumes of: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

## 5.3. Advice for firefighters

# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow ANY environmental contamination.

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

DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL! Stop leak if possible without risk. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Flush with plenty of water to clean spillage area.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

# **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid spilling, skin and eye contact.

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

Store in tightly closed original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in original container.

Storage Class

Corrosive storage.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

#### SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

Name	STD	TWA - 8 Hrs		- 8 Hrs STEL - 15 Min		Notes
POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE	WEL				2 mg/m3	

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit.

Ingredient Comments

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limits

### 8.2. Exposure controls

Protective equipment





Process conditions

Provide eyewash, quick drench.

Hand protection

Protective gloves and goggles must be used if there is a risk of direct contact or splash.

Eye protection

If risk of splashing, wear safety goggles or face shield.

Other Protection

Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.

Hygiene measures

Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated. Wash promptly with soap & water if skin becomes contaminated. Use appropriate skin cream to prevent drying of skin. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Liquid

## 9.2. Other information

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

## 10.1. Reactivity

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### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid excessive heat for prolonged periods of time.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Fire creates: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Inhalation

Harmful by inhalation. May cause damage to mucous membranes in nose, throat, lungs and bronchial system.

Ingestion

Harmful if swallowed. May cause burns in mucous membranes, throat, oesophagus and stomach.

Skin contact

Causes burns. Harmful in contact with skin.

Eye contact Causes burns.

### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity** 

Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.

### 12.1. Toxicity

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

# 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

## 12.6. Other adverse effects

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# 14.1. UN number

 UN No. (ADR/RID/ADN)
 1760

 UN No. (IMDG)
 1760

 UN No. (ICAO)
 1760

## 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.

## 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID/ADN Class 8

ADR/RID/ADN Class Class 8: Corrosive substances.

ADR Label No. 8
IMDG Class
ICAO Class/Division 8

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## 14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID/ADN Packing group III
IMDG Packing group III
ICAO Packing group III

## 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally Hazardous Substance/Marine Pollutant

No.

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

EMS F-A, S-B
Emergency Action Code 2X
Hazard No. (ADR) 80
Tunnel Restriction Code (E)

## 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

Statutory Instruments

The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (S.I 2009 No. 716).

Approved Code Of Practice

Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply. Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations.

**Guidance Notes** 

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. CHIP for everyone HSG(108).

## 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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Risk Phrases In Full

R34 Causes burns.

R35 Causes severe burns. R22 Harmful if swallowed.

R37 Irritating to respiratory system.

R38 Irritating to skin.

R50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

Hazard Statements In Full

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H315 Causes skin irritation. H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

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