

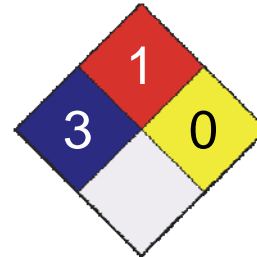
# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. Product and Company Identification

**Product Name** Aerosol Nu-Brite (4291-18)  
**CAS #** Mixture  
**Product use** Cleaner/Degreaser  
**Manufacturer** Nu-Calgon  
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 St. Louis, MO 63146 US  
 Phone: 314-469-7000 / 800-554-5499  
 Emergency Phone: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

| LEGEND<br>HMIS/NFPA |   |
|---------------------|---|
| Severe              | 4 |
| Serious             | 3 |
| Moderate            | 2 |
| Slight              | 1 |
| Minimal             | 0 |

|                     |     |
|---------------------|-----|
| Health              | / 3 |
| Flammability        | 1   |
| Physical Hazard     | 0   |
| Personal Protection | X   |



## 2. Hazards Identification

**Emergency overview** DANGER -- CORROSIVE  
 Contents under pressure. Containers may explode when heated.

**Potential short term health effects**

**Routes of exposure** Eye, Skin contact, Skin absorption, Inhalation, Ingestion.

**Eyes** May cause chemical burns. May cause blindness.

**Skin** May cause severe irritation or chemical burns. May be absorbed through the skin.

**Inhalation** Excessive intentional inhalation may cause respiratory tract irritation and central nervous system effects (headache, dizziness).

**Ingestion** Not a normal route of exposure. Harmful if swallowed. May cause chemical burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

**Target organs** Eyes. Respiratory system. Skin. Based on published data, if contact is repeated and prolonged, monoethanolamine may cause liver and kidney damage. These effects have not been observed in humans.

**Chronic effects** This product may be harmful if it is absorbed through the skin. Prolonged or repeated exposure can cause drying, defatting and dermatitis.

**Signs and symptoms** The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes.

## 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

| Ingredient(s)    | CAS #     | Percent |
|------------------|-----------|---------|
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | 7 - 13  |
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | 1 - 5   |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | 1 - 5   |
| Propane          | 74-98-6   | 1 - 5   |

## 4. First Aid Measures

**First aid procedures**

**Eye contact** Immediately flush with cool water. Remove contact lenses, if applicable, and continue flushing for 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention immediately.

**Skin contact** Immediately flush with water. Wash with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

**Inhalation** If symptoms develop, move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention. If breathing has stopped, trained personnel should administer CPR immediately.

**Ingestion**

Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water, then drink one or two glasses of water. Obtain medical attention. Never give anything by mouth if victim is unconscious, or is convulsing.

**General advice**

Do not puncture or incinerate container. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Keep out of reach of children.

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## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

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**Flammable properties**

Non-flammable aerosol by flame projection test. Containers may explode when heated.

**Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing media** Fog. Water spray. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Not available

**Protection of firefighters**

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** Contents under pressure. Pressurized container may explode when exposed to heat or flame. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out.

**Protective equipment for firefighters** Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing apparatus.

**Hazardous combustion products**

May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen.

**Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to mechanical impact** Not available

**Sensitivity to static discharge** Not available

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## 6. Accidental Release Measures

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**Personal precautions**

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

**Methods for containment**

Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

**Methods for cleaning up**

Before attempting clean up, refer to hazard data given above. Remove sources of ignition. Although the chance of a significant spill or leak is unlikely in aerosol containers, in the event of such an occurrence, absorb spilled material with a non-flammable absorbent such as sand or vermiculite.

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## 7. Handling and Storage

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**Handling**

Use good industrial hygiene practices in handling this material. Do not get this material in your eyes, on your skin, or on your clothing.

**Storage**

Keep out of reach of children. Do not store at temperatures above 49 °C (120.2°F). Keep away from heat, open flames or other sources of ignition.

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## 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

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### Exposure limits

| Ingredient(s)    | Exposure Limits  |
|------------------|--|
| Butane           | <b>ACGIH-TLV</b><br>TWA: 1000 ppm<br><b>OSHA-PEL</b><br>Not established        |
| Ethanolamine     | <b>ACGIH-TLV</b><br>TWA: 3 ppm<br>STEL: 6 ppm<br><b>OSHA-PEL</b><br>TWA: 3 ppm |
| Propane          | <b>ACGIH-TLV</b><br>TWA: 1000 ppm<br><b>OSHA-PEL</b><br>TWA: 1000 ppm          |
| Sodium hydroxide | <b>ACGIH-TLV</b><br>Ceiling: 2 mg/m3<br><b>OSHA-PEL</b><br>TWA: 2 mg/m3        |

### Engineering controls

General ventilation normally adequate.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Eye / face protection

Chemical splash goggles.

#### Hand protection

Rubber gloves. Confirm with a reputable supplier first.

#### Skin and body protection

As required by employer code.

#### Respiratory protection

Where exposure guideline levels may be exceeded, use an approved NIOSH respirator. Avoid breathing mists or vapors.

#### General hygiene considerations

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. When using do not eat or drink. Wash hands and face before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

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## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

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|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
| Appearance                                     | Compressed liquefied gas |
| Color  | Not available            |
| Form   | Spray                    |
| Odor   | Not available            |
| Odor threshold                                 | Not available            |
| Physical state                                 | Gas                      |
| pH   | 13.0 ± 0.5               |
| Melting point                                  | Not available            |
| Freezing point                                 | Not available            |
| Boiling point                                  | Not available            |
| Flash point                                    | Not available            |
| Pour point                                     | Not available            |
| Evaporation rate                               | < 1 (Ether = 1)          |
| Flammability limits in air, lower, % by volume | Not available            |
| Flammability limits in air, upper, % by volume | Not available            |
| Vapor pressure                                 | 481 kPa                  |
| Vapor density                                  | Not available            |

|                           |               |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Specific gravity          | Not available |
| Octanol/water coefficient | Not available |
| Solubility (H2O)          | Not available |
| Auto-ignition temperature | Not available |
| VOC (Weight %)            | Not available |
| Viscosity                 | Not available |
| Percent volatile          | Not available |

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Chemical stability</b>                 | Stable under recommended storage conditions.  |
| <b>Conditions to avoid</b>                | Aerosol containers are unstable at temperatures above 49°C (120.2°F). Reacts with soft metals producing flammable hydrogen gas. |
| <b>Incompatible materials</b>             | Acids. Reducing agents. Oxidizers.  |
| <b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>   | May include and are not limited to: Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen.   |
| <b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b> | Hazardous polymerization does not occur.  |

## 11. Toxicological Information

### Component analysis - LC50

| Ingredient(s)    | LC50                         |
|------------------|------------------------------|
| Butane           | 658 mg/l/4h rat              |
| Ethanolamine     | 1210 mg/m <sup>3</sup> mouse |
| Propane          | 658 mg/l/4h rat              |
| Sodium hydroxide | Not available                |

### Component analysis - Oral LD50

| Ingredient(s)    | LD50                            |
|------------------|---------------------------------|
| Butane           | Not available                   |
| Ethanolamine     | 1720 mg/kg rat; 700 mg/kg mouse |
| Propane          | Not available                   |
| Sodium hydroxide | Not available                   |

### Effects of acute exposure

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| <b>Eye</b>        | May cause chemical burns. May cause blindness.  |
| <b>Skin</b>       | May cause severe irritation or chemical burns. May be absorbed through the skin.  |
| <b>Inhalation</b> | Excessive intentional inhalation may cause respiratory tract irritation and central nervous system effects (headache, dizziness). |
| <b>Ingestion</b>  | Not a normal route of exposure. Harmful if swallowed. May cause chemical burns to mouth, throat and stomach.                      |

### Sensitization

Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.

### Chronic effects

Based on published data, if contact is repeated and prolonged, monoethanolamine may cause liver and kidney damage. These effects have not been observed in humans.

### Carcinogenicity

Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.

### Mutagenicity

Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.

### Reproductive effects

Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.

### Teratogenicity

Non-hazardous by WHMIS/OSHA criteria.

## 12. Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity** Components of this product have been identified as having potential environmental concerns.

### Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Algae Data

Ethanolamine 141-43-5 72 Hr EC50 Scenedesmus subspicatus: 15 mg/L

### Ecotoxicity - Freshwater Fish Species Data

Ethanolamine 141-43-5 96 Hr LC50 Pimephales promelas: 227 mg/L [flow-through]; 96 Hr LC50 Brachydanio rerio: 3684 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Lepomis macrochirus: 300-1000 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: 114-196 mg/L [static]; 96 Hr LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: >200 mg/L [flow-through]

Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2 96 Hr LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss: 45.4 mg/L [static]

### Ecotoxicity - Microtox Data

Ethanolamine 141-43-5 30 Min EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum: 13.7 mg/L; 17 Hr EC50 Pseudomonas putida: 110 mg/L; 2 Hr EC50 Nitrosomonas: 12200 mg/L

### Ecotoxicity - Water Flea Data

Ethanolamine 141-43-5 48 Hr EC50 Daphnia magna: 65 mg/L

**Environmental effects** Not available

**Aquatic toxicity** Not available

**Persistence / degradability** Not available

**Bioaccumulation / accumulation** Not available

**Partition coefficient** Not available

**Mobility in environmental media** Not available

**Chemical fate information** Not available

**Other adverse effects** Not available

## 13. Disposal Considerations

**Waste codes** Not available

**Disposal instructions** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Waste from residues / unused products** Not available

**Contaminated packaging** Not available

## 14. Transport Information

### U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

Consumer Commodity ORM-D

### Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG - Canada)

#### Basic shipping requirements:

**Proper shipping name** AEROSOLS, non-flammable, containing substances in Class 8, packing group II

**Hazard class** 2.2 (8)

**UN number** 1950

#### Additional information:

**Special provisions** 80

**Packaging exceptions** <0.125L - Consumer Commodity



## 15. Regulatory Information

**Canadian federal regulations** This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

**Canada - CEPA - High Priority Chemicals as Identified by DSL Categorization**

Butane 106-97-8 Batch 4, published November 17, 2007

**Canada - WHMIS - Ingredient Disclosure List**

|                  |           |     |
|------------------|-----------|-----|
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | 1 % |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | 1 % |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | 1 % |

**US Federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

**U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities**

Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2 1000 Lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ

**U.S. - CWA (Clean Water Act) - Hazardous Substances**

Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2 Present

**Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)**

**29 CFR 1910.1200 hazardous chemical** Yes

**CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity**

Sodium hydroxide: 1000.0000

**Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)**

**Hazard categories**  
Immediate Hazard - Yes  
Delayed Hazard - No  
Fire Hazard - No  
Pressure Hazard - Yes  
Reactivity Hazard - No

**Section 302 extremely hazardous substance** No

**Section 311 hazardous chemical** Yes

**Clean Air Act (CAA)** Not available

**Clean Water Act (CWA)** Not available

**WHMIS status** Controlled

**WHMIS classification** Class A - Compressed Gas, Class E - Corrosive Material

**WHMIS labeling**



**State regulations**

This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

**U.S. - California - 8 CCR Section 339 - Director's List of Hazardous Substances**

|                  |           |         |
|------------------|-----------|---------|
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | Present |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | Present |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | Present |

**U.S. - Illinois - Toxic Air Contaminants**

|              |          |         |
|--------------|----------|---------|
| Ethanolamine | 141-43-5 | Present |
|--------------|----------|---------|

**U.S. - Louisiana - Reportable Quantity List for Pollutants**

|                  |           |                                   |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | 1000 Lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|

**U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List**

|                  |           |         |
|------------------|-----------|---------|
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | Present |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | Present |
| Propane          | 74-98-6   | Present |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | Present |

**U.S. - Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List**

|                  |           |                   |
|------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | Present           |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | Present           |
| Propane          | 74-98-6   | Simple asphyxiant |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | Present           |

**U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List**

|                  |           |         |
|------------------|-----------|---------|
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | sn 0273 |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | sn 0835 |
| Propane          | 74-98-6   | sn 1594 |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | sn 1706 |

**U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances**

|                  |           |  |
|------------------|-----------|--|
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | 1000 Lb RQ (air); 100 lb RQ (land/water) |
|------------------|-----------|--|

**U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List**

|                  |           |                      |
|------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | Present              |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | Present              |
| Propane          | 74-98-6   | Present              |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | Environmental hazard |

**U.S. - Rhode Island - Hazardous Substance List**

|                  |           |                  |
|------------------|-----------|------------------|
| Butane           | 106-97-8  | Toxic; Flammable |
| Ethanolamine     | 141-43-5  | Toxic; Flammable |
| Propane          | 74-98-6   | Toxic; Flammable |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | Toxic; Flammable |

**Inventory name**

| Country(s) or region        | Inventory name                                | On inventory (yes/no)* |
|-----------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Canada                      | Domestic Substances List (DSL)                | Yes                    |
| Canada                      | Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)           | No                     |
| United States & Puerto Rico | Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory | Yes                    |

A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

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## 16. Other Information

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