



AL-700 (AFCO 5231)

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Form: Mixture

Product Name: AL-700 (AFCO 5231)

Product Code: AFCO 5231

Intended Use of the Product

Use of the Substance/Mixture: Chlorinated alkaline CIP cleaner for use on aluminum. For professional use only.

Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Company

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Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency number : 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the Substance or Mixture

Classification (GHS-US)

Met. Corr. 1 H290
Skin Corr. 1A,B H314
Eye Dam. 1 H318
STOT SE 3 H335
Aquatic Chronic 1 H410

Label Elements

GHS-US Labeling

Hazard Pictograms (GHS-US)



Signal Word (GHS-US)

: Danger

Hazard Statements (GHS-US)

: H290 - May be corrosive to metals
H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318 - Causes serious eye damage
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation
H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Precautionary Statements (GHS-US)

: P234 - Keep only in original container
P260 - Do not breathe vapors, mist, spray
P261 - Avoid breathing fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
P264 - Wash hands, forearms, and other exposed areas thoroughly after handling
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
P273 - Avoid release to the environment
P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection
P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting
P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

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P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P312 - Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell
P321 - Specific treatment (see section 4)
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
P390 - Absorb spillage to prevent material damage
P391 - Collect spillage
P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
P405 - Store locked up
P406 - Store in corrosive resistant/... container with a resistant inner liner
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to local, regional, national, territorial, provincial, and international regulations

Other Hazards

Other Hazards Not Contributing to the Classification: Exposure may aggravate those with pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions. When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes. Corrosive vapors.

Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US) Not available

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substances

Mixture

Name	Product identifier	% (w/w)	Classification (GHS-US)
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	70 – 90	Not classified
Potassium hydroxide	(CAS No) 1310-73-2	20 – 30	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318
Potassium silicate	(CAS No) 1312-76-1	1 – 5	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Stot SE 3, H335
Pentasodium triphosphate	(CAS No) 7758-29-4	1 – 5	Not classified
Sodium hypochlorite	(CAS No) 7681-52-9	1 – 5	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410
Sodium polyacrylate	(CAS No) 9003-04-7	0.1 – 1.0	Eye Irrit. 2A, H319

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of First Aid Measures

General: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Inhalation: When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area. Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Eye Contact: 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.

Ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: Corrosive. Causes burns. Causes serious eye damage. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

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Skin Contact: Contact may cause immediate severe irritation progressing quickly to chemical burns.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage.

Ingestion: Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: Not available

Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention.

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water spray, fog, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

Fire Hazard: Not considered flammable but may burn at high temperatures.

Explosion Hazard: Product is not explosive.

Reactivity: Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

Advice for Firefighters

Precautionary Measures Fire: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Firefighting Instructions: Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

Protection During Firefighting: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Potassium oxides. Sodium oxides. Phosphorus oxides. Hydrogen chloride.

Other information: Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Reference to Other Sections

Refer to section 9 for flammability properties.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

General Measures: Do NOT breathe (vapors, mist, spray). Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

For Non-Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE).

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

For Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency Procedures: Ventilate area.

Environmental Precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams. Absorb and/or contain spill with inert material, then place in suitable container.

Methods for Cleaning Up: Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Do not take up in combustible material such as: saw dust or cellulosic material. Contact competent authorities after a spill. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Reference to Other Sections

See heading 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Additional Hazards When Processed: When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes. May be corrosive to metals. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

Hygiene Measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, or smoking and again when leaving work. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and forearms thoroughly after handling. Always wash your hands immediately after handling this product, and once again before leaving the workplace.

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

Technical Measures: Comply with applicable regulations.

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Storage Conditions: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep/Store away from heat, direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures, incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids, Metals. Nitrogen containing compounds, ammonium compounds.

Specific End Use(s)

Chlorinated alkaline CIP cleaner for use on aluminum. For professional use only.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (mg/m ³)	2 mg/m ³
USA NIOSH	NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m ³)	2 mg/m ³
Ontario	OEL Ceiling (mg/m ³)	2 mg/m ³
Québec	PLAFOND (mg/m ³)	2 mg/m ³

Exposure Controls

Appropriate Engineering Controls: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Alarm detectors should be used when toxic gases may be released. If user operations generate fumes, gas, vapors, spray, or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or regulatory limits.

Personal Protective Equipment: Protective clothing. Protective goggles. Gloves. Face shield.



Materials for Protective Clothing: Chemically resistant materials and fabrics. Corrosionproof clothing.

Hand Protection: Wear chemically resistant protective gloves.

Eye Protection: Chemical goggles or face shield.

Skin and Body Protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory Protection: A respirator is not needed under normal and intended conditions of use. If airborne concentrations of vapor or mist are expected to exceed exposure limits, use NIOSH-approved respirator.

Thermal Hazard Protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

Other Information: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear, Pale-yellow green
Odor	: Chlorine
Odor Threshold	: Not available
pH	: > 13
Relative Evaporation Rate (butylacetate=1)	: Not available
Melting Point	: Not available
Freezing Point	: Not available
Boiling Point	: 104.4 °C (219.92°F)
Flash Point	: None
Auto-ignition Temperature	: None
Decomposition Temperature	: Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	: Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	: Not available
Vapor Pressure	: Not available

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Relative Vapor Density at 20 °C	: Not available
Specific Gravity	: 1.24
Solubility	: Complete.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: Not available
Viscosity	: Not available
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to mechanical impact.
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Static Discharge	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to static discharge.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.
Chemical Stability: Stable at standard temperature and pressure.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid: Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures. Incompatible materials.
Incompatible Materials: Strong acids, Metals.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon oxides (CO, CO₂). Thermal decomposition generates : Toxic gases.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects - Product

Acute Toxicity: Not classified
LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
pH: Not available
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: Causes serious eye damage.
pH: Not Available
Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified
Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified
Teratogenicity: Not available
Carcinogenicity: Not classified
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified
Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): May cause respiratory irritation.
Aspiration Hazard: Not classified
Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.
Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact: Contact may cause immediate severe irritation progressing quickly to chemical burns.
Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage.
Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion: Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

LD50 and LC50 Data:

Water (7732-18-5)	
LD50 Oral Rat	> 90000 mg/kg
Sodium hypochlorite (7681-52-9)	
LD50 Oral Rat	8200 mg/kg
LD50 Dermal Rabbit	> 10000 mg/kg
Pentasodium triphosphate (7758-29-4)	
LD50 Oral Rat	3100 mg/kg
LD50 Dermal Rabbit	> 7940 mg/kg
Sodium hypochlorite (7681-52-9)	
IARC Group	3
Potassium Silicate(1312-76-1)	
LD50 Oral Rat	1300mg/kg

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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

Ecology - General: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Sodium hypochlorite (7681-52-9)	
LC50 Fish 1	0.06 (0.06 - 0.11) mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [flow-through])
EC50 Daphnia 1	0.033 - 0.044 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna [Static])
LC 50 Fish 2	4.5 (4.5 - 7.6) mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [static])
EC50 Daphnia 2	0.033 (0.033 - 0.044) mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna [Static])

Potassium Silicate (1312-76-1)	
LC50 Fish 1	301-478 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis Macrochirus)
LC50 Fish 2	3185mg/l (Exposure time: 96h – Species: Brachydanio rerio [semi-static])

Persistence and Degradability

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Bioaccumulative Potential

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Bioaccumulative Potential	Not established.

Potassium silicate (1312-76-1)	
BCF fish 1	(no bioaccumulation expected)

Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)	
Log Pow	0.65

Mobility in Soil Not available

Other Adverse Effects

Other Information: Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Recommendations: Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

Ecology – Waste Materials: This material is hazardous to the aquatic environment. Keep out of sewers and waterways.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 In Accordance with DOT

Proper Shipping Name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Potassium hydroxide, sodium hypochlorite)
Hazard Class : 8
Identification Number : UN3266
Label Codes : 8
Packing Group : III
Marine Pollutant : Marine pollutant
ERG Number : 154



14.2 In Accordance with IMDG

Proper Shipping Name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Potassium hydroxide, sodium hypochlorite)
Hazard Class : 8
Identification Number : UN3266
Packing Group : III
Label Codes : 8
EmS-No. (Fire) : F-A
EmS-No. (Spillage) : S-B
Marine pollutant : Marine pollutant



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14.3 In Accordance with IATA

Proper Shipping Name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Potassium hydroxide, sodium hypochlorite)
Packing Group : III
Identification Number : UN3266
Hazard Class : 8
Label Codes : 8
ERG Code (IATA) : 8L



14.4 In Accordance with TDG

Proper Shipping Name : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Potassium hydroxide, sodium hypochlorite)
Packing Group : III
Hazard Class : 8
Identification Number : UN3266
Label Codes : 8



SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Federal Regulations

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SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard
Water (7732-18-5)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
Sodium hypochlorite (7681-52-9)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
Sodium polyacrylate (9003-04-7)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
Pentasodium triphosphate (7758-29-4)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
Potassium silicate (1312-76-1)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	

US State Regulations

Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)
U.S. - New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances
U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List
U.S. - New Jersey - Special Health Hazards Substances List
U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term
Sodium hypochlorite (7681-52-9)
U.S. - New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances
U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List
U.S. - New Jersey - Special Health Hazards Substances List
U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term


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U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term
Potassium Silicate (1312-76-1)
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term
Pentasodium triphosphate (7758-29-4)
U.S. - New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances
U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term

Canadian Regulations

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WHMIS Classification	Class E - Corrosive Material
	
Water (7732-18-5)	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
Listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 1 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects Class E - Corrosive Material
Sodium hypochlorite (7681-52-9)	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
Listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List	
WHMIS Classification	Class C - Oxidizing Material Class E - Corrosive Material Class F - Dangerously Reactive Material
Sodium polyacrylate (9003-04-7)	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects
Potassium Silicate (1312-76-1)	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
Pentasodium triphosphate (7758-29-4)	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all of the information required by CPR.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

Revision date	: 5/24/2016
Other Information	: This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

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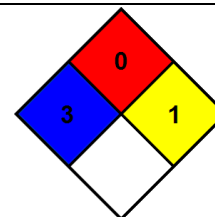
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GHS Full Text Phrases:

Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral) Category 4
Aquatic Acute 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard Category 1
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1
Eye Irrit. 2A	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A
Met. Corr. 1	Corrosive to metals Category 1
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1A
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1B
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3
H290	May be corrosive to metals
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

- NFPA Health Hazard** : 3 - Short exposure could cause serious temporary or residual injury even though prompt medical attention was given.
- NFPA Fire Hazard** : 0 - Materials that will not burn.
- NFPA Reactivity** : 1 - Normally stable, but can become unstable at elevated temperatures and pressures or may react with water with some release of energy, but not violently.



HMIS III Rating

- Health** : 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is given
- Flammability** : 0 Minimal Hazard
- Physical** : 1 Slight Hazard

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