



Safety Data Sheet

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1. Identification of the Substance/Preparation and of the Company/Undertaking

Product identifier

Product Description: DECCONATUR(TM) 575

Other means of identification

Item#: 24-575

Synonyms Not Available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Organic Fruit Coating.

Uses advised against Activities contrary to label recommendation

Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Manufacturer Address

DECCO

Decco U.S. Post Harvest, Inc.

1713 S. California Ave.

Monrovia, CA 91016-0120

Emergency telephone number

Company Phone Number 626-358-1838

8:00 am - 5:00 pm (PST)

Emergency telephone number

Chemtrec: (800) 424-9300 (24hrs) or (703) 527-3887

Medical: Rocky Mountain Poison Control Center

(866) 673-6671 (24hrs)

2. Hazards Identification

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

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

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A

Label elements

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

WARNING

hazard statements

CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION

Causes serious eye irritation



appearance dark brown translucent

Physical state liquid

Odor No information available

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

IF IN EYES: Rinse continuously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

OTHER INFORMATION

3. Composition/information on Ingredients

Chemical name	CAS-No	Weight %	Trade secret
Shellac	9000-59-3	5-40	
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	1-20	

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

4. First aid measures

FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye contact	In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
Skin contact	Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
Inhalation	If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
Ingestion	Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Clean mouth with water.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

Most Important Symptoms and Effects No information available.

Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

Notes to physician Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

Hazardous combustion productsNo information available.

Explosion data

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Use personal protective equipment. 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 Avoid contact with the skin and the eyes. Use personal protective equipment.

Environmental Precautions

Environmental precautions Consult a regulatory specialist to determine appropriate state or local reporting requirements, for assistance in waste characterization and/or hazardous waste disposal and other requirements listed in pertinent environmental permits.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Clean-Up Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

7. Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling

Handling Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store out of direct sunlight.

incompatible materials No information available.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Exposure guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
Sodium hydroxide	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	TWA: 2 mg/m ³ (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³

Engineering controls Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection

Where there is potential for eye contact have eye flushing equipment available. Use eye protection to avoid eye contact. Safety glasses with side-shields.

Skin protection

Wear protective gloves/clothing.

Respiratory protection

Where airborne exposure is likely, use NIOSH approved respiratory protection equipment appropriate to the material and/or its components. Full facepiece equipment is recommended and, if used, replaces need for face shield and/or chemical goggles. If exposures cannot be kept at a minimum with engineering controls, consult respirator manufacturer to determine appropriate type equipment for given application. Observe respirator use limitations specified by NIOSH or the manufacturer. For emergency and other conditions where there may be a potential for significant exposure, use an approved full face positive-pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus. Respiratory protection programs must comply with 29 CFR 1910.134.

General hygiene considerations

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	liquid	Odor	No information available
appearance	dark brown translucent		
color	No information available		

<u>Property</u>	<u>VALUES</u>	<u>Remarks/ • Method</u>
pH	8.5	
Melting point/freezing point	No information available	
Boiling Point/Range	No information available	
Flash Point		
Evaporation Rate	No information available	
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	No information available	
Specific gravity	1.003	
Water solubility	No information available	
Solubility in Other Solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available	
Autoignition temperature	No information available	
decomposition temperature	No information available	
Viscosity, kinematic	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	No information available
Bulk density	8.37 lb/gal

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

no data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Keep away from children.

incompatible materials

No information available.

Hazardous decomposition products

No information available.

11. Toxicological Information

Information on Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation	There is no data available for this product.
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Eye contact	There is no data available for this product.
Skin contact	There is no data available for this product.
Ingestion	There is no data available for this product.

Component Information

Shellac: No skin allergy was observed in humans or guinea pigs following repeated exposure (6% cosmetic formulation). Repeated inhalation exposure of rabbits to hair spray formulations containing this material caused no toxicity to the respiratory tract or lungs. Repeated exposure in the feed of rats produced no signs of toxicity or adverse effects on reproductive success or offspring development. No genetic changes were observed in tests using bacteria or animal cells. Single exposure studies indicate that this material is practically non-toxic if swallowed (rat LD50 >5,000 mg/kg) or absorbed through skin (rabbit LD50 >10,000 mg/kg, 6% cosmetic formulation), non-irritating to rabbit skin (6% cosmetic formulation) and slightly irritating to rabbit eyes (6% cosmetic formulation). Sodium hydroxide Single exposure studies indicate that this material is slightly toxic if absorbed through skin (rat LD50 1,350 mg/kg) and corrosive to rabbit eyes and skin. Many publications in the scientific literature confirm that this material is corrosive to all tissues. Repeated inhalation resulted in lung damage in rats. No tumors were seen in long-term animal studies. No genetic changes were observed in tests using bacteria. No significant increases in mortality in relation to duration or intensity of exposures were reported in an epidemiologic study of a small group of workers exposed to caustic dust for 30 + years. Massive ingestion of this material has been implicated as causing esophageal cancer. Squamous cell carcinomas of the esophagus occurred approximately 12-24 years later in individuals who survived accidental childhood ingestion and are likely due to the tissue destruction and possible scarring of the esophagus rather than a direct effect of this material.

Chemical name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	= 1350 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-

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.
Mutagenic effects No information available.
Carcinogenicity There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product.
Reproductive effects Not Available.
STOT - Single Exposure No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure No information available.
Aspiration hazard No information available.

Numerical Measures of Toxicity - No information available**12. Ecological Information****ecotoxicity**

No information available

Persistence/Degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation

No information available.

Other Adverse Effects

No information available

13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Treatment Methods

Waste Disposal Method Dispose of in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

Chemical name	Sodium hydroxide
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14. Transport Information

DOT NOT REGULATED

TDG NOT REGULATED

ICAO NOT REGULATED

IATA NOT REGULATED

15. Regulatory Information

International Inventories

USINV	Not determined
DSL/NDSL	Not determined
EINECS/ ELINCS	Does not comply
ENCS	Does not comply
China	Does not comply
KECL	Does not comply
PICCS	Does not comply
AICS	Does not comply
TSCA	Does not comply

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 Commercial Chemical Substances/EU 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

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 40n of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

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

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb			X

Chemical name	RQ	CERCLA EHS RQs	RQ
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

CERCLA

Component	RQ
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2 (1-20)	1000 lb

RCRA**Pesticide Information****State Regulations****State Right-to-Know**

Chemical name	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Sodium hydroxide	X	X	X		

International regulations**U.S. EPA Label information**

EPA Pesticide registration number Not applied

16. Other Information

NFPA HEALTH 1 flammability 0 Instability 0 Physical hazard -

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Revision Summary

Update Section 9 Update section 12

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