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## Re: Genesis Alkali Sodium Hydroxide Non-Food Grade Status

Dear Valued Customer:

Thank you for your inquiry regarding the food grade status of Genesis sodium hydroxide solution, 50% (caustic soda).

The product is manufactured by Genesis according to standards that are consistent with the various industrial and chemical uses of caustic soda. Genesis does not certify or represent its caustic soda as a food grade product. We take every measure to produce a high-quality product, however we do not: manufacture under FDA GMP/FSMA regulations, have Food Safety Plans, HACCP plans, conduct 3rd party food safety audits, or maintain GFSI certification for our processes which produce caustic soda. Therefore, Genesis does not certify or represent this product as "food grade".

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Michae Kemmerer

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