

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name: Glass Washer Machine Detergent

Recommended Use:

Supplier: Midland Chemicals
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Based on available information, not classified as hazardous according to criteria of ASCC; NON-HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

Risk Phrases: Harmful if swallowed. Risk of damage to eyes.

Safety Phrases: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label whenever possible).

Poisons Schedule: N/A

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS Number	Proportion	Risk Phrases
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	<15%	
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	<15%	
E.D.T.A		<5%	
Water		Up to 100%	

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 131 126; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor at once.

Inhalation:

Remove victim from area of exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. Seek medical advice if effects persist.

Skin Contact:

If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly. Seek immediate medical assistance.

Eye Contact:

If in eyes, hold eyes open flood with water for at least 15 minutes and see a doctor.

Ingestion:

If swallowed DO NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water. Seek immediate medical assistance.

Medical attention and special treatment:

Treat symptomatically. Treat as diluted Caustic Soda

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Hazards from combustion products:

Non-combustible material.

Precautions for fire fighters and special protective equipment:

Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to products of decomposition. Keep containers cool with water spray.

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Not combustible, however, if material is involved in a fire, use: Fine water spray, normal foam, dry agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder).

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Emergency procedures:

Clear area of all unprotected personnel. If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

Methods and materials for containment and clean up:

Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contact and breathing in vapours. Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Collect and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal. Wash area down with excess water.

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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

This material must be stored, maintained and used in accordance with the relevant regulations.

Conditions for safe storage:

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated place and out of direct sunlight. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Store away from foodstuffs. Keep containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks.

Precautions for safe handling:

Avoid skin and eye contact, and breathing in vapour, mists, and aerosols.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure Limits: No value assigned for this specific material by the National Occupational Health and Safety Commission.

Engineering controls:

Use in well ventilated areas. Keep containers closed when not in use.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Wear gloves, eye glasses or goggles, and for prolonged period use approved mask.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state: Opaque Liquid

Colour: Opaque

Solubility: Miscible in water.

Specific Gravity: 1.20

Relative Vapour Density (air=1): Not available

Vapour Pressure (20 °C): Not available

Flash Point (°C): Not applicable

Flammability Limits (%): Not applicable

Auto Ignition Temperature (°C): Not applicable

Boiling Point/Range (°C): ca. 100°C

pH: 13 @ 1% solution

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability: Stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.

Conditions to avoid: None known.

Incompatible materials: Incompatible with strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition products: None known

Hazardous reactions: None known.

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11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

Ingestion: Extremely corrosive to skin, caused severe burns to mouth, nausea, intestinal perforation.

Eye contact: Causes severe burns to the eyes.

Skin contact: Causes severe burns to the skin.

Inhalation: Causes burning and severe irritation.

Long Term Effects: No information available for the product.

Toxicological Data: No LD50 data available for the product.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Avoid contaminating waterways.

Persistence/degradability and mobility The material is biodegradable .

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods:

Refer to Waste Management Authority. Dispose of material through a licensed waste contractor.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road and Rail Transport

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

Marine Transport

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

Air Transport

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

- Classification:** Based on available information, not classified as hazardous according to criteria of ASCC; NONHAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.
- Hazard Category:**
- Risk Phrase(s):** R22: Harmful if swallowed.
R36: Irritating to eyes
- Safety Phrase(s):** S25: Avoid contact with eyes.
S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
S36/37/39: Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label whenever possible).
- Poisons Schedule:** N/A

16. OTHER INFORMATION

This material safety data sheet has been prepared by Midland Chemicals

This MSDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Midland Chemicals cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material. If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact Midland Chemicals at the contact details on page 1.

Midland Chemical's responsibility for the material as sold is subject to the terms and conditions of sale, a copy of which is available upon request.