

**1. Identification of the Material and Supplier**

**Product Name** Laundry Soaker  
**Product Use** Laundry soaker for whites and colours.  
**Creation Date:** 1 September 2015  
**Supplier** Solo Pak Pty Ltd  
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**Mail Address** PO Box 67, Brisbane Markets, QLD, 4106

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**Emergency Telephone:** 1300 307 755 (Available 24 Hours)

**2. Hazards Identification**

HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO THE CRITERIA OF SAFEWORK AUSTRALIA  
**HAZARD CATEGORY: Irritant**  
NON-DANGEROUS GOODS ACCORDING TO THE ADG CODE.

**RISK PHRASES**

R22..Harmful if swallowed  
R36 Irritating to eyes.  
R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes

**SAFETY PHRASES**

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**ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS**

**Swallowed:** May cause irritation to mouth, throat and stomach with effects including mucous build up, irritation to the tongue and lips and pains in the stomach, which may lead to nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

**Eye:** Will cause irritation to the eyes, with effects including: tearing, pain, stinging and blurred vision. These effects are considered to be of a short acting nature and no long term injury is anticipated, if the product is removed promptly.

**Skin:** May cause irritation to the skin, with effects including; Redness and itchiness.

**Inhaled:** Mists from the product may cause irritation to the nose, throat and respiratory system with effects including: Cough, discomfort, difficulty breathing and shortness of breath.

**Chronic:** Prolonged contact may cause severe eye irritation and some form of permanent eye damage may occur.

## Additional information for Chronic

No significant long term exposure effects, including carcinogenic, mutagenic, teratogenic and reproductive effects, have been reported. However, repeated ingestion of some phosphates (120-240mg/kg/day) has been shown to cause increased calcium excretion and soft tissue calcification in man.

### 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

(Listed when present at 1% or greater, carcinogens at 0.1% or greater)

SUBSTANCE NAME	Proportion	CAS Number
SODIUM PERCARBONATE	25%	15630-89-4
CARBONATES/ SILICATES (Proprietary Blend)	up to 50%	Proprietary Blend
SODIUM TRIPOLYPHOSPHATE (Below Cutoff)	1 to 10%	7758-29-4
SURFACTANTS AND OTHER NON-HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES	Balance	Proprietary Blend

This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may vary slightly. Minor quantities of other non hazardous ingredients are also possible.

The TWA exposure value is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week. The STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) is an exposure value that should not be exceeded for more than 15 minutes and should not be repeated for more than 4 times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the STEL. The term "peak "is used when the TWA limit, because of the rapid action of the substance, should never be exceeded, even briefly.

### 4. First aid measures

**Swallowed:** If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Give 3 to 4 glasses of water to drink. If irritation persists transport to hospital or doctor.

**Eye:** If dust enters the eyes, flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, ensuring eye lids are held open. If irritation persists, immediately transport to hospital or doctor.

**Skin:** If dust is falls onto the skin, remove any contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation persists transport to hospital or doctor.

**Inhaled:** Move victim to fresh air. Apply resuscitation if victim is not breathing - If trained personnel available administer oxygen if breathing is difficult.

**First Aid Facilities:** Eye wash fountain, safety shower and normal wash room facilities.

**Advice to Doctor:** Treat symptomatically.

In case of poisoning, contact Poisons Information Centre

In Australia call Tel: 131126

In New Zealand Tel: 034747000

## 5. Fire fighting measures

**Fire/Explosion Hazard** If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Decomposes on heating emitting soot, smoke and decomposition products.

**Fire Fighting Procedures:** Fire fighters to wear Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) in confined spaces, in oxygen deficient atmospheres or if exposed to products of decomposition. Full protective clothing is also recommended.

**Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding fire situation.

**Flammability** This material is not a combustible or flammable solid.

## 6. Accidental release measures

This product is a powder, under appropriate conditions dusts may be generated. Wear suitable protective equipment in these circumstances. Ventilate area. If possible wet area down to prevent high dust levels. If spill occurs, use dustless methods, such as a HEPA vacuum and filter. Otherwise, use a non-sparking shovel and place into a suitably labeled container for later disposal. Do not dry sweep. Remainder of material can be picked up and re-cycled or disposed.

## 7. Handling and storage

- Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- Use in a well-ventilated area.
- DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin.
- Store in original closed containers in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight
- Do not mix with any other chemicals other than as advised by your Solo Pak representative.

## 8. Exposure controls /personal protection

**Hand:** Personal protection is not normally required unless a risk assessment indicates the need for it.

**Eyes:** Personal protection is not normally required unless a risk assessment indicates the need for it.

**Skin:** Personal protection is not normally required unless a risk assessment indicates the need for it.

**Respiration:** Personal protection is not normally required unless a risk assessment indicates the need for it.

### Exposure Standards

No exposure standards are available for this product, however, the following exposure standards have been assigned by the National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC) to the following components of the product:

#### SODIUM PERCARBONATE

(Worksafe Australia)  
[TWA]10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

#### CARBONATE

No exposure standards have been assigned by the National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC)

### Engineering Controls

Good industrial hygiene practice requires that employee exposure be maintained below the recommended exposure standards. This is preferably achieved through the provision of adequate ventilation where necessary. Where dust cannot be controlled in this way, personal respiratory protection should be employed.

### Personal Protection Equipment

GLOVES: PVC or natural rubber.

EYES: Chemical goggles or faceshield to protect eyes.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Avoid breathing of dusts. The use of a respirator is not normally required, however, if high dust levels are present, then the use of a suitable dust mask or half-face respirator with a P1 filter is recommended. All respirators must comply with AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical Description & colour:	Yellow medium density powder
Specific Gravity	1.02
Boiling Point:	Not applicable
Vapor Pressure	Not applicable
Solubility in water	Fully soluble

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

**STABILITY:** Stable under normal conditions of use.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Decomposes on heating emitting soot, smoke and decomposition products.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur.

**INCOMPATIBILITIES:** Strong acids, alkalis and oxidizing agents.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Incompatibles.

**11. Toxicological information**

There is no toxicological information available for this product.

**12. Ecological information**

None allocated

**13. Disposal considerations**

Refer to appropriate authority in your State. Dispose of material through a licensed waste contractor. Normally suitable for disposal by approved waste disposal agent.

**14. Transport information**

<b>UN Number:</b>	None allocated
<b>Proper Shipping Name:</b>	NONE ALLOCATED
<b>Dangerous Goods Class:</b>	None allocated
<b>Subsidiary risk:</b>	None allocated
<b>Packing Group:</b>	None allocated
<b>Hazchem Code:</b>	None allocated

Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG Code) 6th Edition. Not classified as a Dangerous Good according to the UN, DOT(US), ICAO(IATA) or IMO(IMDG).

**15. Regulatory information**

None allocated

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**16. Other information**

This MSDS contains only safety-related information. For other data see product literature.

Acronyms:

ADG Code Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

CAS number Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number

Hazchem Number Emergency action code of numbers and letters that provide information to emergency services especially firefighters

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

NOHSC National Occupational Health and Safety Commission

NOS Not otherwise specified

NTP National Toxicology Program (USA)

R-Phrase Risk Phrase

SUSDP Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs & Poisons

UN Number United Nations Number

**End of MSDS**