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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Product name Swisher Steady Step

Other means of identification

 Product Code
 41769-36

 Document
 41769-36

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use
Recommended use Floor & All Purpose Cleaner

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Distributor

Swisher Hygiene Inc. 4725 Piedmont Row Drive Suite 400 Charlotte, NC 28210

Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (NORTH AMERICA)

1-703-527-3887 (INTERNATIONAL)

Company Phone Number 800-444-4138

## 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 2

#### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

## Warning

# Hazard Statements Causes skin irritation

Causes serious eye irritation

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Appearance Opaque Powder Physical state Powder Odor Odorless

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

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

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

- Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
- IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously 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
- IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place

## **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to approved disposal facility

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

#### Other information

Unknown Acute Toxicity

100% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Sodium Metasilicate	6834-92-0	2.5% - 10%	*
Sodium dodecylbenzenesulfonate	25155-30-0	2.5% - 10%	*
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	10% - 25%	*

<sup>\*</sup>The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

## First aid measures for different exposure routes

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Eye contact Flush with large amounts of running water for at least 15 minutes while holding upper and

lower lids open. If irritation persists get medical attention immediately.

**Skin contact** Flush with flowing water for 15 minutes. See physician if irritation persists.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion Drink large amounts of water. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Consult physician immediately

for additional advice and treatment.

#### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Main Symptoms The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling in section 2

and/or in section 11.

## Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

Notes to physician Treat symptomatically.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry powder. Water spray. Foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

#### **Explosion Data**

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None. Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

#### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

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 Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with the skin and the eyes. Use personal

protective equipment.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

#### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for Containment**Transfer contaminated absorbent, soil and other materials to containers for disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Stop spill or leak if it can be done safely. Contain spill to smallest possible area. Large spills

should be recovered for disposal.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Open containers slowly to relieve any pressure.

Empty containers may contain product residue.

All safety precautions taken when handling this product should also be taken when handling empty drums and containers. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures/Storage

conditions

Store in a cool, dry area away from combustibles and reactive chemicals. Store away from

sources of ignition. Do not store at temperatures above 120 ° F.

**Incompatible products** Strong Oxidizers and Acids.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Control parameters**

**Exposure Guidelines** 

Review Section 3 & 4 for Exposure Guidelines.

Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Measures** 

Ensure adequate ventilation and that running water is available for washing eyes and skin

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Safety glasses with side-shields. Tightly fitting safety goggles.

**Skin and body protection** Rubber gloves.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved

respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be

provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**Hygiene measures**Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Practice good personal hygiene. Wash

after handling.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Powder

AppearanceOpaquePowderOdorOdorless

Color White Odor Threshold No information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Methods</u>

pH <11.5 (1% solution)

Melting/freezing point No information available

Boiling point/boiling range NA

Flash Point No information available

Evaporation rate NA

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available

Flammability Limits in Air

Upper flammability limitNo information availableLower flammability limitNo information available

Vapor pressure 23 hPa

Vapor density No information available

Specific Gravity 0,5 g/cm³
Water solubility Soluble in water

Solubility in other solvents
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/waterNo information available
Autoignition temperature
Decomposition temperature
Viscosity, kinematic
No information available
No information available
No information available

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Viscosity, dynamic No information available

**Explosive properties** Not explosive **Oxidizing Properties** Not an oxidizer

Other information

Softening point No information available **Molecular Weight** No information available **VOC Content(%)** No information available **Density VALUE** No information available **Bulk Density VALUE** No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Strong exothermic reaction with acids.

## **Conditions to Avoid**

Extreme Temperatures .

## **Incompatible Materials**

Strong Oxidizers and Acids.

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

None known based on information supplied.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** Causes serious eye irritation Causes skin irritation

Inhalation No known effect based on information supplied.

Eye contact Causes serious eye irritation.

Skin contact Irritating to skin.

Ingestion Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium Metasilicate 6834-92-0	= 600 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Sodium dodecylbenzenesulfonate 25155-30-0	= 500 mg/kg (Rat) = 438 mg/kg ( Rat)	-	-
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 2300 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Rat) 2 h

## 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 Contains no ingredient listed as a carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity No information available. STOT - single exposure No information available. STOT - repeated exposure No information available. Aspiration hazard No information available.

## Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 100% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

100% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Sodium Metasilicate	-	210: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L	-
6834-92-0		LC50 semi-static 210: 96 h	
		Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50	
Sodium dodecylbenzenesulfonate	-	10.8: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss	-
25155-30-0		mg/L LC50 static	
Sodium carbonate	242: 120 h Nitzschia mg/L EC50	300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus	265: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L
497-19-8	_	mg/L LC50 static 310 - 1220: 96 h	EC50
		Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50	
		static	

#### Persistence and degradability

Product is biodegradable.

#### **Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## Waste treatment

Waste Disposal Methods Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse container.

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Sodium carbonate	Corrosive
497-19-8	

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

Proper shipping name Cleaning Compound, Not Regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **International Inventories**

TSCA Complies **DSL/NDSL** Complies **EINECS/ELINCS** Complies Complies **ENCS IECSC** Complies Complies **KECL PICCS** Complies **AICS** Complies

## Legend:

TSCA - All components of this product are listed or are exempt or excluded from listing on the 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

## U.S. 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 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	no
Fire Hazard	no
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	no
Reactive Hazard	no

#### **Clean Water Act**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302):

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	RQ
Sodium dodecylbenzenesulfonate	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ
25155-30-0			RQ 454 kg final RQ

## U.S. State Regulations

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

## U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product contains substances regulated by state right-to-know regulations.

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Sodium dodecylbenzenesulfonate	X	-	X
25155-30-0			

#### U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** Not applicable

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA Health Hazards 1 Flammability 0 Instability 0 Physical and chemical

hazards -

HMIS Health hazard 1 Flammability 0 Physical Hazards 1 Personal protection X

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