

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product identifier

Product name Swisher Select Heavy Duty Degreaser and Floor Cleaner

Other means of identification

Product Code 40343-1 UN/ID No UN1719

Referenced Item Numbers 40343-1, 40343-5, 40343-55

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Heavy Duty Degreaser/Floor 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 1 Sub-category B
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

#### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

Danger

**Hazard Statements** 

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

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Appearance Translucent Physical state Liquid Odor Butyl Odor

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

- Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- · 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 ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
- · Wash contaminated clothing 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 locked up

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

## Other information

**Unknown Acute Toxicity** 

1.0034% 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
2-Butoxyethanol	111-76-2	5% - 10%	*
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	3% - 10%	*

<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.

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Floor Cleaner

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doctor/physician.

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with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Inhalation IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for

breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Ingestion IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting.

**Protection of First-aiders**Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce

artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other

proper respiratory medical device.

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 Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use water spray or fog, foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, alcohol foam, if product is involved.

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

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Use water spray to cool adjacent fire exposed containers. Product will not burn but may splatter if temperature exceeds boiling point.

**Hazardous Combustion** 

**Products** 

If burned, normal combustion products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide; Nitrogen oxides.

Hydrogen gas in contact with some metals.

**Explosion Data** 

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

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

This product contains alcohols which will reduce the effectiveness of normal foam. Use alcohol-resistant foam instead.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal

protective equipment.

Other information Common Weak Acids suitable for neutralizing caustic alkalis: acetic acid, citric acid, lemon

juice, tartaric acid, vinegar.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Environmental precautions Neutralization is normally necessary before waste water is discharged into water treatment

plants. Keep out of waterways. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Dike to contain spill and prevent entry into sewers, waterways, and low areas. Neutralize

with dilute acid. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Neutralise with a weak acid. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel

into suitable containers for disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Use good personal hygiene practices. Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking, or

using toilet facilities. Wash thoroughly after work using soap and water. Do not eat, drink or

smoke when using this product.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures/Storage

conditions

Keep container in cool well-ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed. Store away from

incompatible materials. Keep out of the reach of children.

**Incompatible products**Strong oxidizing agents, acids, aluminum and other soft metals.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control parameters

**Exposure Guidelines** Review Section 3 & 4 for Exposure Guidelines.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
2-Butoxyethanol	TWA: 20 ppm	TWA: 50 ppm	IDLH: 700 ppm
111-76-2		TWA: 240 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 5 ppm
		S*	TWA: 24 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Sodium hydroxide	-	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
1310-73-2		_	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

NIOSH IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

#### 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** Splash-proof chemical goggles or face shield.

**Skin and body protection** Impervious rubber, alkali-proof protective gloves. Impervious rubber boots & apron..

**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** Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid

Appearance Translucent Odor Butyl Odor

Color Dark Purple Odor Threshold No information available

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

**pH** 12.1

Melting/freezing pointNo information availableBoiling point/boiling range100 °C / 212 °FFlash PointNo information available

Evaporation rate GT 1.00

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available

Flammability Limits in Air

Upper flammability limit
Lower flammability limit
No information available
No information available

Vapor pressure 17 Vapor density 0.62 **Specific Gravity**  $1.054 \pm .005$ Water solubility Completely Soluble Solubility in other solvents No information available Partition coefficient: n-octanol/waterNo information available **Autoignition temperature** No information available **Decomposition temperature** No information available Viscosity, kinematic No information available Viscosity, dynamic 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(%) 5%

Density VALUENo information availableBulk Density VALUENo information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### **Chemical stability**

Stable.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

#### **Conditions to Avoid**

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

#### **Incompatible Materials**

Strong oxidizing agents, acids, aluminum and other soft metals.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

If burned, normal combustion products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide; Nitrogen oxides. Hydrogen gas in contact with some metals.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

**Inhalation** Severe respiratory irritant. May cause central nervous system depression with nausea,

headache, dizziness, and incoordination.

**Eye contact** Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.

**Skin contact**Contact causes severe skin irritation and possible burns. May be absorbed through the skin

in harmful amounts.

**Ingestion** Severe irritation of the gastrointestinal tract, causing vomiting, nausea and burns. May

cause additional affects as listed under "Inhalation".

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	LC50 Inhalation
2-Butoxyethanol 111-76-2	= 470 mg/kg (Rat)	= 99 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 450 ppm (Rat) 4 h
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	140 mg/kg (Rat)	= 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

SensitizationNo information available.Mutagenic effectsNo information available.

**Carcinogenicity** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
2-Butoxyethanol	A3	Group 3	-	-
111-76-2				

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

A3 - Animal Carcinogen

IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer) Group 3 - Not Classifiable as to Carcinogenicity in Humans

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

**Chronic toxicity** No information available. Avoid repeated exposure.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

#### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

**Unknown Acute Toxicity** 1.0034% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral) 8693 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal) 12091 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 30 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-vapor) 9000 mg/l

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

1.4034% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
2-Butoxyethanol	-	1490: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus	1698 - 1940: 24 h Daphnia magna
111-76-2		mg/L LC50 static 2950: 96 h	mg/L EC50 >1000: 48 h Daphnia
		Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50	magna mg/L EC50
Sodium hydroxide	-	45.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss	-
1310-73-2		mg/L LC50 static	

#### Persistence and degradability

No information available.

## **Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
2-Butoxyethanol	0.81
111-76-2	

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 hydroxide 1310-73-2	Toxic Corrosive

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Regulated UN1719

**Proper shipping name** Caustic Alkali Liquid, n.o.s. (Sodium Hydroxide)

Hazard class 8
Packing Group III
Emergency Response Guide 154

Number

IMDG / IMO

UN/ID NoUN1719Hazard class8Packing GroupIIEmS No.F-A S-B

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA

# 40343-1 Swisher Select Heavy Duty Degreaser and Floor Cleaner

DSL/NDSL EINECS/ELINCS ENCS IECSC KECL PICCS AICS -

#### 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 contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372:

Chemical Name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
2-Butoxyethanol - 111-76-2	1.0
SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories	
Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	no
Fire Hazard	no
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	Yes
Reactive Hazard	no

#### **Clean Water Act**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42):

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

#### **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 hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ 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

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Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	
2-Butoxyethanol	X	X	X	
111-76-2				

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Sodium hydroxide	X	X	X
1310-73-2			

U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** Not applicable

#### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA Health Hazards 2 Flammability 0 Instability 0 Physical and chemical

hazards COR

HMIS Health hazard 2 Flammability 0 Physical Hazards 0 Personal protection B

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