



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product identifier

Product name Swisher Extra Strength HW

Other means of identification

Product Code 40953
UN/ID No UN1759
Document 40953CPH8-4

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Hard Water Dish Detergent

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 A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

Label elements

Emergency Overview

Danger

Hazard Statements

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

**Appearance** Opaque**Physical state** Solid**Odor** Bland Scent**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**

- May be harmful in contact with skin
- Harmful to aquatic life

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 hydroxide	1310-73-2	20% - 30%	*
Pentasodium triphosphate	7758-29-4	20% - 30%	*
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	15% - 25%	*

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

Eye contact	Immediately flush eye with plenty of cool, running water. Remove contact lenses if applicable, and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids apart to ensure thorough rinsing of the entire eye. GET IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Skin contact	Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes and continue to flush with water for 15 minutes. GET IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. Launder clothing before reuse. Discard shoes.
Inhalation	If exposed to excessive levels of vapors, remove to fresh air and get medical attention if cough or other symptoms develop. People with asthma or other lung problems may be more susceptible to injury.
Ingestion	DO NOT induce vomiting. Give large amounts of water if victim is conscious. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.
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**

If involved in a fire, alcohol foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical or water fog.

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

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Not a fire or explosion hazard. Do not mix with acidic chemicals. Solutions are very alkaline. Prolonged contact of solutions of this product with aluminum and other soft metals may release flammable hydrogen gas.

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 skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

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 Mop up & flush neutralized material to sewer with plenty of water.

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 Contact with strong acids produces exothermic reaction. 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
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	TWA: 2 mg/m ³	IDLH: 10 mg/m ³ Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³
Pentasodium triphosphate 7758-29-4	-	15mg/m ³	-

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	Solid	Odor	Bland Scent
Appearance	Opaque	Odor Threshold	No information available
Color	Off-White		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Methods</u>
pH	No information available	not applicable
Melting/freezing point	No information available	
Boiling point/boiling range	NA	
Flash Point	NA	
Evaporation rate	NA	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limits in Air		
Upper flammability limit	No information available	
Lower flammability limit	No information available	
Vapor pressure	NA	
Vapor density	NA	
Specific Gravity	NA	
Water solubility	Approximately 25% by weight	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No 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(%)	No information available
Density VALUE	No information available
Bulk Density VALUE	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to Avoid

Do not leave container open. Keep poly bag tied shut. Do not put spilled material back into drum or container holding IPC 400.

Incompatible Materials

Contact with strong acids produces exothermic reaction. Acids, aluminum and other soft metals.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Hydrogen gas in contact with some metals.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Information on likely routes of exposure**

Product Information	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Inhalation	Corrosive to respiratory system.
Eye contact	Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.

Skin contact Causes burns.

Ingestion Causes gastrointestinal tract burns. Causes severe pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and shock.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	140 mg/kg (Rat)	= 1350 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Pentasodium triphosphate 7758-29-4	= 3100 mg/kg (Rat)	> 7940 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 2300 mg/m ³ (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.
Chronic toxicity Avoid repeated exposure. No information available.
Aspiration hazard No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

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

ATEmix (oral) 7497 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal) 4615 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 5.8 mg/l

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

28.35% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	45.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static	-
Pentasodium triphosphate 7758-29-4	-	1650: 48 h Leuciscus idus mg/L LC50	-
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	242: 120 h Nitzschia mg/L EC50	310 - 1220: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static	265: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

Persistence and degradability

Considered biodegradable. .

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

Other adverse effects

No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment**Waste Disposal Methods**

Product that cannot be used according to the label must be disposed of as a hazardous waste at an approved hazardous waste management facility. Empty containers may be triple rinsed, then offered for recycling or reconditioning; or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill.

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
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	Corrosive

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**DOT****UN/ID No**

Regulated

UN1759

Proper shipping name

Corrosive Solid, Basic, Inorganic, n.o.s. (Sodium Hydroxide)

Hazard class

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Packing Group

II

**Emergency Response Guide
Number**

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**International Inventories****TSCA**

Complies

DSL/NDSL

Complies

EINECS/ELINCS

-

ENCS

-

IECSC

Complies

KECL

Complies

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	Yes

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.

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	X	X	X
Pentasodium triphosphate 7758-29-4	-	-	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

<u>NFPA</u>	Health Hazards 3	Flammability 0	Instability 1	Physical and chemical hazards COR
<u>HMIS</u>	Health hazard 3	Flammability 0	Physical Hazards 1	Personal protection X

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End of Safety Data Sheet