



# Lubricon SW (AFCO 5523)

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### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

#### Product Identifier

**Product Form:** Mixture

**Product Name:** Lubricon SW (AFCO 5523)

**Product Code:** AFCO 5523

#### Intended Use of the Product

**Use of the Substance/Mixture:** Conveyor lubricant for use in bottling plant, dairies, and breweries. For professional use only.

#### Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

##### **Company**

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Chambersburg, PA 17201  
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[www.afcocare.com](http://www.afcocare.com)

#### Emergency Telephone Number

**Emergency number** : 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

### SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification of the Substance or Mixture

##### **Classification (GHS-US)**

Skin Irrit. 2 H315

Eye Dam. 1 H318

Aquatic Acute 3 H402

#### Label Elements

##### **GHS-US Labeling**

##### **Hazard Pictograms (GHS-US)**



##### **Signal Word (GHS-US)**

: Danger

##### **Hazard Statements (GHS-US)**

: H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
H402 - Harmful to aquatic life

##### **Precautionary Statements (GHS-US)**

: P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.  
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P264 - Wash hands, forearms, and other exposed areas thoroughly after handling.  
P273 - Avoid release to the environment.  
P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.  
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.  
P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P308+P313 - If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.  
P321 - Specific treatment see section 4.  
P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.  
P405 - Store locked up.  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to local, regional, national, territorial, provincial, and international regulations.

#### Other Hazards

**Other Hazards Not Contributing to the Classification:** Exposure may aggravate those with pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory

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conditions. When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes.

**Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US)** Not available

### SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Substances

#### Mixture

Name	Product identifier	% (w/w)	Classification (GHS-US)
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	70 – 90	Not classified
Fatty acids, tall-oil, potassium salts	(CAS No) 61790-44-1	10 – 20	Not classified
Potassium hydroxide	(CAS No) 1310-58-3	0.1-1.0	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318
Fatty acids, coco, potassium salts	(CAS No) 61789-30-8	1 – 5	Not classified
Benzenesulfonic acid, C10-16-alkyl derivatives, sodium salts	(CAS No) 68081-81-2	1 – 5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335
Tetrasodium EDTA	(CAS No) 64-02-8	0.1 – 1.0	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:dust,mist), H332 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 2, H401

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

### SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Description of First Aid Measures

**General:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

**Inhalation:** When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area. Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Ingestion:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

#### Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

**General:** Causes serious eye damage. May cause mild skin irritation.

**Inhalation:** None under normal and intended conditions of product use.

**Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation.

**Eye Contact:** Causes serious eye damage.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

**Chronic Symptoms:** None.

#### Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention.

### SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Extinguishing Media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Water spray, fog, carbon dioxide, foam, dry chemical.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

#### Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

**Fire Hazard:** Not considered flammable but may burn at high temperatures.

**Explosion Hazard:** Product is not explosive.

**Reactivity:** When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes. Toxic Gas.

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### Advice for Firefighters

**Precautionary Measures Fire:** Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

**Firefighting Instructions:** Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

**Protection During Firefighting:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Nitrogen oxides. Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>). Potassium oxides. Sodium oxides.

**Other information:** Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

### Reference to Other Sections

Refer to section 9 for flammability properties.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

**General Measures:** Avoid breathing (vapors, mist, spray). Avoid all contact with skin, eyes, or clothing.

#### For Non-Emergency Personnel

**Protective Equipment:** Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE).

**Emergency Procedures:** Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### For Emergency Personnel

**Protective Equipment:** Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

**Emergency Procedures:** Ventilate area.

### Environmental Precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

**For Containment:** Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

### Reference to Other Sections

See heading 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

**Additional Hazards When Processed:** When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes.

**Hygiene Measures:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, or smoking and again when leaving work. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and forearms thoroughly after handling.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

**Technical Measures:** Comply with applicable regulations.

**Storage Conditions:** Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. Keep/Store away from extremely high or low temperatures, incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong acids. Strong oxidizers.

**Special Rules on Packaging:** Keep only in original container.

### Specific End Use(s)

Conveyor lubricant for use in bottling plant, dairies, and breweries. For professional use only.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
USA NIOSH	NIOSH REL (ceiling) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Ontario	OEL Ceiling (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Québec	PLAFOND (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### Exposure Controls

**Appropriate Engineering Controls:** Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. If user operations generate fumes, vapor, spray, or mist use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

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**Personal Protective Equipment:** Protective goggles. Protective clothing. Gloves.



**Materials for Protective Clothing:** Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

**Hand Protection:** Wear chemically resistant protective gloves.

**Eye Protection:** Chemical goggles or face shield.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory Protection:** None needed under normal and intended conditions of product use.

**Other Information:** When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear, Amber
Odor	: Mild
Odor Threshold	: Not available
pH	: >13
Relative Evaporation Rate (butylacetate=1)	: Not available
Melting Point	: Not available
Freezing Point	: Not available
Boiling Point	: 98.9 °C (210.02°F)
Flash Point	: None
Auto-ignition Temperature	: None
Decomposition Temperature	: Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	: Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	: Not available
Vapor Pressure	: Not available
Relative Vapor Density at 20 °C	: Not available
Specific Gravity	: 1.01
Solubility	: Complete.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: Not available
Viscosity	: Not available
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to mechanical impact.
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Static Discharge	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to static discharge.

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** When heated to decomposition, emits toxic fumes. Toxic Gas.

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Extremely high or low temperatures. Incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong acids. Strong oxidizers.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Potassium oxides. Sodium oxides. Nitrogen oxides.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on Toxicological Effects - Product

**Acute Toxicity:** Not classified

**LD50 and LC50 Data:** Not available

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation:** Causes skin irritation. pH: >13

**Serious Eye Damage/Irritation:** Causes serious eye damage. pH: >13

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**Respiratory or Skin Sensitization:** Not classified

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** Not classified

**Teratogenicity:** Not available

**Carcinogenicity:** Not classified.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure):** Not classified

**Reproductive Toxicity:** Not classified

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure):** Not classified

**Aspiration Hazard:** Not classified

**Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation:** None under normal and intended conditions of product use.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact:** Causes serious eye damage.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion:** Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

**Chronic Symptoms:** Not classified

### Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

#### **LD50 and LC50 Data:**

<b>Water (7732-18-5)</b>	
LD50 Oral Rat	> 90000 mg/kg
<b>Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)</b>	
LD50 Oral Rat	214 mg/kg
ATE (oral)	333.000 mg/kg body weight
<b>Tetrasodium EDTA (64-02-8)</b>	
LD50 Oral Rat	1780 mg/kg

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Toxicity

**Ecology - General:** Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

<b>Tetrasodium EDTA (64-02-8)</b>	
LC50 Fish 1	41 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus [static])
EC50 Daphnia 1	>=
EC50 Other Aquatic Organisms 1	(Exposure time: 72 h - Species: Desmodesmus subspicatus)
LC 50 Fish 2	59.8 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [static])

### Persistence and Degradability

<b>Lubricon SW (AFCO 5523)</b>	
Persistence and Degradability	May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

### Bioaccumulative Potential

<b>Lubricon SW (AFCO 5523)</b>	
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not established.

<b>Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)</b>	
Log Pow	0.65

**Mobility in Soil** Not available

### Other Adverse Effects

**Other Information:** Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Disposal Recommendations:** Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

**Ecology – Waste Materials:** This material is hazardous to the aquatic environment. Keep out of sewers and waterways.

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### SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

- 14.1 In Accordance with DOT** Not regulated for transport  
**14.2 In Accordance with IMDG** Not regulated for transport  
**14.3 In Accordance with IATA** Not regulated for transport  
**14.4 In Accordance with TDG** Not regulated for transport

### SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### US Federal Regulations

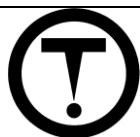
<b>Lubricon SW (AFCO 5523)</b>	
<b>SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes</b>	Immediate (acute) health hazard Delayed (chronic) health hazard
<b>Water (7732-18-5)</b>	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
<b>Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)</b>	
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#### US State Regulations

<b>Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)</b>	
U.S. - New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances RTK - U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - New Jersey - Special Health Hazards Substances List U.S. - New York - Reporting of Releases Part 597 - List of Hazardous Substances RTK - U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List RTK - U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term	
<b>Tetrasodium EDTA (64-02-8)</b>	
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term	
<b>Benzenesulfonic acid, C10-16-alkyl derivatives, sodium salts (68081-81-2)</b>	
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term	

#### Canadian Regulations

<b>Lubricon SW (AFCO 5523)</b>	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects Class D Division 2 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects



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<b>Water (7732-18-5)</b>	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
<b>Potassium hydroxide (1310-58-3)</b>	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
Listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 1 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects Class E - Corrosive Material
<b>Tetrasodium EDTA (64-02-8)</b>	
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects
<b>Fatty acids, tall-oil, potassium salts (61790-44-1)</b>	
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WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all of the information required by CPR.

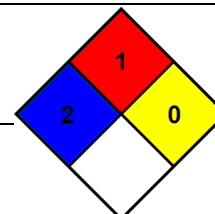
### SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

**Revision date** : 5/16/2016  
**Other Information** : This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

#### GHS Full Text Phrases:

Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:dust,mist)	Acute toxicity (inhalation:dust,mist) Category 4
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral) Category 4
Aquatic Acute 2	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 2
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1
Met. Corr. 1	Corrosive to metals Category 1
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 1A
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3
H290	May be corrosive to metals
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H315	Causes skin irritation
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H332	Harmful if inhaled
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H401	Toxic to aquatic life

**NFPA Health Hazard** : 2 - Intense or continued exposure could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury unless prompt medical attention is given.



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**NFPA Fire Hazard** : 1 - Must be preheated before ignition can occur.  
**NFPA Reactivity** : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions,  
and are not reactive with water.

### HMIS III Rating

**Health** : 2 Moderate Hazard - Temporary or minor injury may occur  
**Flammability** : 1 Slight Hazard  
**Physical** : 0 Minimal Hazard

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