# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# **BIO-GREEN NAPPY WASH POWDER**

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# 1. Identification

GHS Product Identifier BIO-GREEN NAPPY WASH POWDER

**Product Code** 00100289

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use Detergent Powder

# 2. Hazard Identification

# GHS classification of the substance/mixture

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety Regulations, Australia.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)

Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 1

Signal Word (s) DANGER

Hazard Statement (s)

Causes serious eye damage.

Pictogram (s) Corrosion



**Precautionary statement – Prevention** Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

# **Precautionary statement – Response**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

# **Precautionary statement – Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.

**Precautionary statement – Disposal** 

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste facility.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Ingredients

Name	CAS	Proportion
Sodium carbonate	497- 19- 8	10-30 %
Potassium Carbonate	584- 08- 7	10- 30 %
Alcohol C12- 15 Ethoxylated	68131- 39- 5	<5 %
Oxirane, 2- methyl, polymer with oxirane, mono(2- propylheptyl) ether	166736- 08- 9	<5 %
Other ingredients classified as non hazardous at the concentrations used according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia	-	-

# 4. First-aid measures

## Inhalation

If inhaled, remove affected person from contaminated area. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. Seek medical attention.

# Ingestion

Do not induce vomiting. Wash out mouth thoroughly with water. Seek immediate medical attention.

#### Skin

Wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water. If symptoms develop seek medical attention.

#### Eye contact

If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eyes continuously with running water. Remove contact lenses. Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention.

#### **First Aid Facilities**

Eyewash, safety shower and normal washroom facilities.

#### Advice to Doctor

Treat symptomatically.

#### **Other Information**

For advice in an emergency, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor at once. (131 126)

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam, water fog or water mist.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** 

Do not use water jet.

# Hazards from Combustion Products

Non combustible material.

#### **Specific Hazards Arising From The Chemical**

This product is non combustible however, if involved in a fire, will emit toxic fumes.

#### Precautions in connection with Fire

Fire fighters should wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) operated in positive pressure mode. Fight fire from safe location.

# 6. Accidental release measures

#### **Emergency Procedures**

Increase ventilation. Evacuate all unprotected personnel. Wear sufficient respiratory protection and full protective clothing to prevent exposure. Sweep up material avoiding dust generation or dampen spilled material with water to avoid airborne dust, then transfer material to a suitable container. Wash surfaces well with soap and water. Seal all wastes in labelled containers for

subsequent recycling or disposal. Dispose of waste according to the applicable local and national regulations. If contamination of sewers or waterways occurs inform the local water and waste management authorities in accordance with local regulations.

# 7. Handling and storage

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Avoid inhalation of dust, and skin or eye contact. Use only in a well ventilated area. Keep containers sealed when not in use. Prevent the build up of dust in the work atmosphere. Maintain high standards of personal hygiene i.e. Washing hands prior to eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet facilities.

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

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight and moisture. Store in suitable, labelled containers. Keep containers tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials. Ensure that storage conditions comply with applicable local and national regulations.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Occupational exposure limit values**

No exposure standards have been established for the mixture. However, over-exposure to some chemicals may result in enhancement of pre-existing adverse medical conditions and/or allergic reactions and should be kept to the least possible levels.

#### **Biological Limit Values**

No biological limits allocated.

#### Appropriate engineering controls

This substance is hazardous and should be used with a local exhaust ventilation system, drawing solid/dust away from workers' breathing zone. If the engineering controls are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of particulates below the exposure standards, suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

#### **Respiratory Protection**

If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable dust/particulate filter should be used. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning respiratory protective requirements.

Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/NZS 1715, Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/NZS 1716, Respiratory Protective Devices, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.

#### **Eye Protection**

Not normally required for automatic washing applications. The use of safety glasses with full face shield should be used when handling in quantity, cleaning up spills, decanting etc. Eye protection devices should conform to relevant regulations. Eye protection should conform with Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye Protectors for Industrial Applications.

#### **Hand Protection**

Wear gloves of impervious material. Final choice of appropriate gloves will vary according to individual circumstances. i.e. methods of handling or according to risk assessments undertaken. Occupational protective gloves should conform to relevant regulations. Reference should be made to AS/NZS 2161.1: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

#### **Body Protection**

Suitable protective workwear, e.g. cotton overalls buttoned at neck and wrist is recommended. Chemical resistant apron is recommended where large quantities are handled.

#### **Other Information**

No exposure standards have been established for this material, however, the TWA exposure standards for dust not otherwise specified is 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>. As with all chemicals, exposure should be kept to the lowest possible levels. TWA (Time Weighted Average): The average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal eight-hour working day, for a five-day week. Source: Safe Work Australia

Properties	Description	Properties	Description
Form	Powder - Fine Powder	Appearance	White powder.
Odour	Fragrant	Melting Point	Not available
Boiling Point	Ca. 100°C	Solubility in Water	Complete
Specific Gravity	Not applicable	рН	10.0-11.5 (1% solution)
Volatile Component	Ca. 5%	Flash Point	Not available
Flammability	Non combustible		

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Chemical Stability
Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.
Reactivity and Stability
Reacts with incompatible materials
Conditions to Avoid
Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight
Incompatible materials
Reducing and Oxidising agents
Hazardous Decomposition Products
Thermal decomposition may result in the release of toxic and/or irritating fumes
Possibility of hazardous reactions
Not available.
Hazardous Polymerization
Not available.

# **11. Toxicological Information**

#### **Toxicology Information**

No toxicity data available for this material.

#### Ingestion

Ingestion of this product may irritate the gastric tract causing nausea and vomiting.

#### Inhalation

May cause respiratory irritation. Inhalation of product dust can cause irritation of the nose, throat and respiratory system.

#### Skin

May be irritating to skin. The symptoms may include redness, itching and swelling.

Eye

Causes eye damage. Eye contact will cause stinging, blurring, tearing, severe pain and possible burns, necrosis, permanent damage and blindness.

# 12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Harmful to the aquatic environment Persistence and degradability Not available Mobility Not available Environmental Protection Prevent large amounts from entering waterways, drains and sewers.

# 13. Disposal considerations

#### Disposal considerations

Dispose of waste according to applicable local and national regulations. Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes including emptied containers are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all applicable local and national regulations.

# 14. Transport information

#### **Transport Information**

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)

# 15. Regulatory information

#### **Regulatory information**

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.

Not classified as a Scheduled Poison according to the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP).

#### **Poisons Schedule**

Not Scheduled

# **16. Other Information**

#### Date of preparation or last revision of SDS

SDS created: May 2017, Supercedes: Oct 2016

#### References

Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail.

Model Work Health and Safety Regulations, Schedule 10: Prohibited carcinogens, restricted carcinogens and restricted hazardous chemicals.

Workplace exposure standards for airborne contaminants.

Adopted biological exposure determinants, American Conference of Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH).

Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of chemicals

#### **Uses and Restrictions**

BIO-GREEN NAPPY WASH POWDER is safe to use on most fabrics. Treat coloured fabrics and whites separately. Follow the clothing manufacturers washing instructions. If in doubt, test colourfastness of garments before use. Do NOT soak woollens, silk, coloured linen or non-colourfast dyed fabrics.

DOMESTIC MACHINES: For front loaders and top loaders. Choose a hot water wash cycle (60 – 80 °C).

Light to medium soiling/ normal load: 1/4 cup.

Heavy soiling/large load/hard water: 1/2 cup.

Pre-soak nappies/linen in a bucket of HOT water containing 1/3 of a cup of BIO-GREEN NAPPY WASH POWDER for a minimum of 15 minutes. Continue the normal wash cycle.

COMMERCIAL MACHINES: Medium soiling: 250 – 500g per 45 kg load.

#### **User Information**

BIO-GREEN NAPPY WASH POWDER is a fragrant detergent powder for use in both commercial and domestic machines. Formulated to provide excellent results in all water conditions. Also boosted with a powerful peroxy salt to provide hydrogen peroxide in the wash – removes stains, sanitizes and deodorizes. Prepared from ingredients that have been carefully selected to maximize both ecological and operator safety.

#### **Other Information**

DO NOT MIX WITH OTHER CHEMICALS WITHOUT PRIOR CONSULTATION WITH THE MANUFACTURER. Always use product as directed. Never return any unused material to original drum.

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