

**EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/04/95** MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

This MSDS complies with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard CFR 1910.1200 and OSHA Form 174. N/A SIGNIFIES NON-APPLICABLE

RATING

%LEL N/A

# **IDENTITY AND SUPPLIERS INFORMATION**

PRODUCT NAME: TOTAL C185 CHEMICAL FAMILY: ALKALINE DETERGENT

GENERIC NAME: LIQUID LAUNDRY DETERGENT FORMULA: PROPRIFTARY NEPA HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

SUPPLIER'S NAME: GENERAL PRODUCTS & SUPPLY INC. PHONE NUMBER: (724) 327-7200 SUPPLIER'S ADDRESS:

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PROPER SHIPPING NAME: CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. CONTAINING CAUSTIC POTASH UN1760

**IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM** HEALTH 3 FLAMMABILITY 0 REACTIVITY 1 MAX PERSONAL PROTECTION С

# **SECTION 1 - INGREDIENT IDENTIFICATION AND INFORMATION**

CHEMICAL NAME	CARC.	CAS NO.	WT %	SARA III	PEL	TWA-TLV	STEL-TLV
Potassium hydroxide, liquid	No	1310-58-3	>20	No	C2mg/m3	C2mg/m3	N/A
Sodium nitrilotriacetate	No	18662-53-8	>8	No	1 mg/m3	1 mg/m3	2 mg/m3
N sodium silicate	No	1344-09-8	>8	No	5 mg/m3		
Polyacrylate polymer	No	N/A Mixture	>4	No			

#### SECTION 2 - PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

+212°F BOILING POINT: VAPOR PRESSURE: (mm Hg) 18@68°F VAPOR DENSITY: SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Complete

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.24 pH RANGE: 13.0-14.0 <1

EVAPORATION RATE: (Ether=1)

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: Clear, red liquid of light viscosity with

characteristic odor

#### SECTION 3 - FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLAMMABILITY: (FLAME PROJECTION) N/A AUTO IGNITION TEMP: N/A FLASH POINT: None T.O.C

FLAMMABILITY LIMITS: %UEL N/A

EXTINGUISHER MEDIA: Water, dry foam, CO2 SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: None

UNUSUAL FIRE/EXP. HAZARDS: None

## SECTION 4 - REACTIVITY HAZARD DATA

Stable HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur INCOMPATIBILITY: Strong acids CONDITIONS TO AVOID: N/A

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Alkaline vapors in fire

### **SECTION 5 - HEALTH HAZARD DATA AND FIRST AID**

PRIMARY ROUTES OF ENTRY:

EYES:

INHALATION:

INGESTION:

ACUTE EFFECTS:

SKIN: Skin irritant. Prolonged or repeated contact can cause chemical

burns or dermatitis.

Severe eye irritant. Prolonged contact may cause burns or

permanent eye damage.

Irritating to mucous membranes of the nose, throat and lungs.

INHALATION: May cause coughing, chest pain, breathing difficulties.

Extremely corrosive to mouth & throat. Can result in severe

burns. May cause abdominal pain, nausea & vomiting.

FIRST AID PROCEDURES:

EYES:

SKIN: Remove contaminated clothing. Flush exposed areas with large

quantities of water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Flush eyes with large quantities of clear cool water, holding

eyelids open. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

Get to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek

medical attention if symptoms persist.

DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Drink large amounts of water or INGESTION: milk to dilute in stomach. Seek immediate medical attention.

#### SECTION 6 - CONTROL AND PROTECTIVE MEASURES

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Use in well-ventilated area. PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Chemical resistant. EYE PROTECTION: Chemical splash goggles **VENTILATION REQUIREMENTS:** Local exhaust.

OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: Waterproof apron recommended.

EYE PROTECTION: Do not eat, drink or smoke in work area. Wash hands after handling. Launder contaminated clothing

## SECTION 7 - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AND USE

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF MATERIAL IS SPILLED OR RELEASED:

WASTE DISPOSAL METHODS:

OTHER PRECAUTIONS:

PRECAUTIONS IN HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Contain spill. Mop up or otherwise absorb and hold for disposal. Flush area to avoid slip hazard. Any method in accordance with federal, state and local laws

Store in original shipping containers. Keep closed when not in use. Shelf life 1 year. Protect from

extreme heat or cold

Read and follow label directions. Keep out of reach of children. Keep away from sources of heat, sparks or flames.

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