



Safety Data Sheet

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name Laundry Builder

Other means of identification

SDS # EMS-018

UN/ID No UN1814

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Detergent.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

EMS Detergent Services
390 Herky Street, Suite 4W
North Liberty, IA 52317

Emergency Telephone Number

Company Phone Number (319) 665-2216

Emergency Telephone (24 hr) Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300 (North America) 1-703-527-3887 (International)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance Light green liquid

Physical State Liquid

Odor Bland

Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category C
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Carcinogenicity	Category 2

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

May be harmful if swallowed

Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Suspected of causing cancer



Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
 Use personal protective equipment as required
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

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
 Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician
 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
 Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician
 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

Other Hazards

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	10-15
Tetrasodium EDTA	64-02-8	1-5
Trisodium Nitrilotriacetate	5064-31-3	0-0.5

If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

First Aid Measures

Eye Contact	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.
Skin Contact	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin 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. Get immediate medical attention.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. Dilute with 1-2 glasses of water if the victim can swallow. Get medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects

Symptoms	May be harmful if swallowed. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically.
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5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Not determined.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Product is not flammable.

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 Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

Environmental Precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Soak up and contain spill with an absorbent material.

Methods for Clean-Up Sweep up absorbed material and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on Safe Handling Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place. Do not freeze. Store locked up. Keep out of the reach of children.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizers. Acids.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	(vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³	Ceiling: 2 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits. Make emergency eyewash stations, safety/quick-drench showers, and washing facilities available in work area. Local exhaust is suggested for use, where possible, in enclosed or confined spaces.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection	Chemical safety goggles/faceshield. Refer to 29 CFR 1910.133 for eye and face protection regulations.
Skin and Body Protection	Rubber gloves. Refer to 29 CFR 1910.138 for appropriate skin and body protection.
Respiratory Protection	Refer to 29 CFR 1910.134 for respiratory protection requirements.
General Hygiene Considerations	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical State	Liquid	Odor	Bland
Appearance	Light green liquid	Odor Threshold	Not determined
Color	Light green		
Property	Values	Remarks • Method	
pH	Not determined		
Melting Point/Freezing Point	N/A		
Boiling Point/Boiling Range	> 100 °C / 212 °F		
Flash Point	Not determined		
Evaporation Rate	> 1		
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Not determined		
Upper Flammability Limits	Not determined		
Lower Flammability Limit	Not determined		
Vapor Pressure	Nil		
Vapor Density	N/A		
Specific Gravity	1.2		
Water Solubility	Completely soluble		
Solubility in other solvents	Not determined		
Partition Coefficient	Not determined		
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not determined		
Decomposition Temperature	Not determined		
Kinematic Viscosity	Not determined		
Dynamic Viscosity	Not determined		
Explosive Properties	Not determined		
Oxidizing Properties	Not determined		

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Reactivity**

Not reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
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Conditions to Avoid

Keep out of reach of children.

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizers. Acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

None known based on information supplied.

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

Eye Contact	Causes severe eye damage.
Skin Contact	Causes severe skin burns.
Inhalation	May cause respiratory irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	= 284 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Sodium Tripolyphosphate Anhydrous 7758-29-4	= 3100 mg/kg (Rat)	> 7940 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Tetrasodium EDTA 64-02-8	= 1658 mg/kg (Rat) = 10 g/kg (Rat)	-	-
Potassium Silicate 1312-76-1	= 1300 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Trisodium Nitrilotriacetate 5064-31-3	= 920 mg/kg (Rat)	-	> 5 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects

Symptoms Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Carcinogenicity Suspected of causing cancer.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Trisodium Nitrilotriacetate 5064-31-3		Group 2B		X

Legend

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

X - Present

Numerical measures of toxicity

Not determined

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Component Information

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3		80: 96 h Gambusia affinis mg/L LC50 static		
Sodium Tripolyphosphate Anhydrous 7758-29-4		1650: 48 h Leuciscus idus mg/L LC50		
Tetrasodium EDTA 64-02-8	1.01: 72 h Desmodesmus subspicatus mg/L EC50	41: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 59.8: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static		610: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Potassium Silicate 1312-76-1		301 - 478: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 3185: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50 semi-static		216: 96 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Trisodium Nitrotriacetate 5064-31-3	560 - 1000: 96 h Chlorella vulgaris mg/L EC50	93 - 170: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through 175 - 225: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 252: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 470: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 560 - 1000: 96 h Oryzias latipes mg/L LC50 560 - 1000: 96 h Oryzias latipes mg/L LC50 semi-static 72 - 133: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 560 - 1000: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 semi-static 560 - 1000: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 114: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50		560 - 1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L LC50

Persistence/Degradability

Not determined.

Bioaccumulation

Not determined.

Mobility

Chemical Name	Partition Coefficient
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	0.65 0.83

Other Adverse Effects

Not determined

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Treatment Methods

Disposal of Wastes	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated Packaging	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

California Hazardous Waste Status 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
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Toxic Corrosive

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances.

DOT

UN/ID No	UN1814
Proper Shipping Name	Potassium hydroxide, solution
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	III

IATA

UN/ID No	UN1814
Proper Shipping Name	Potassium hydroxide, solution
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	III

IMDG

UN/ID No	UN1814
Proper Shipping Name	Potassium hydroxide, solution
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	III
Marine Pollutant	This material may meet the definition of a marine pollutant

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Potassium hydroxide	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present	X	X
Tetrasodium EDTA	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present	X	X
Trisodium Nitrilotriacetate	Present	X		Present		Present	X	Present	X	X

Legend:

TSCA - 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 Chemical Substances/European 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

US Federal Regulations

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	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

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

CWA (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
Potassium hydroxide	1000 lb			X

US State Regulations

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	X	X	X
Sodium Tripolyphosphate Anhydrous 7758-29-4		X	X
Trisodium Nitrilotriacetate 5064-31-3		X	

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health Hazards	Flammability	Instability	Special Hazards
	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined	Not determined
HMIS	Health Hazards	Flammability	Physical Hazards	Personal Protection
	3	0	2	Not determined

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