

# **GRASSROOTS #5 CUTLERY PRESOAK**

# **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

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Other Means of GR-CPS50

Identification

**Recommended Use** WAREWASH LIQUID PRESOAK. **Restrictions on Use** KEEP AWAY FROM CHILDREN.

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# **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

Classified according to Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015) and the US Hazard Communication Standard (HCS 2012).

#### Classification

Skin corrosion - Category 1; Serious eye damage - Category 1

### **Label Elements**



Signal Word:

Danger

Hazard Statement(s):

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary Statement(s):

Prevention:

P260 Do not breathe dusts or mists.

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response:

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor if you feel unwell.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTRE or doctor.

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P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).

P330 Rinse mouth.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage:

P405 Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

# **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### Mixture:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers	Other Names
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	1-10		
Sodium Metasilicate	6834-92-0	1-5		
Alcohols, C12-15, ethoxylated, liquids	68131-39-5	1-5		
2-Propenoic acid, methyl ester, reaction products with 2-ethyl-1-hexanamine and sodium hydroxide	68610-44-6	<1		

## **SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

#### **First-aid Measures**

#### Inhalation

Take precautions to ensure your own safety before attempting rescue (e.g. wear appropriate protective equipment). Move to fresh air. Remove source of exposure or move to fresh air. Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by Poison Centre or doctor. Avoid mouth-to-mouth contact by using a barrier device. Call a Poison Centre or doctor if you feel unwell.

#### **Skin Contact**

Avoid direct contact. Wear chemical protective clothing if necessary. Take off contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands, belts). Take off immediately contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands, belts). Quickly and gently blot or brush away excess chemical. Wash with plenty of water. Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell or are concerned. Clean clothing, shoes and leather goods.

### **Eye Contact**

IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 - 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice or attention.

### Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth if person is rapidly losing consciousness, or is unconscious or convulsing. Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs naturally, lie on your side in the recovery position. Rinse mouth with water again. Avoid mouth-to-mouth contact by using a barrier device. Call a Poison Centre or doctor if you feel unwell.

#### **First-aid Comments**

Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell or are concerned.

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

May cause moderate to severe irritation.

# **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

### **Extinguishing Media**

# **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

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Not combustible. Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding fire.

# **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Not applicable.

# Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

Does not burn.

Not known to generate any hazardous decomposition products in a fire.

# **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Emergency responders: get expert advice. Use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

It is good practice to prevent releases into the environment.

# Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

No special clean-up methods are necessary.

#### Other Information

Contact supplier, local fire and emergency services for help.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Prevent all skin contact. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not swallow.

### **Conditions for Safe Storage**

Cool. Keep amount in storage to a minimum. Store in the original, labelled, shipping container.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Control Parameters**

	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
Chemical Name	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA
Potassium hydroxide		2 mg/m3	Not established			
Sodium Metasilicate	Not established		Not established			

OSHA = US Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

# **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

Provide eyewash and safety shower if contact or splash hazard exists.

### **Individual Protection Measures**

### **Eye/Face Protection**

Wear chemical safety goggles and face shield when contact is possible.

### **Skin Protection**

Wear chemical protective clothing e.g. gloves, aprons, boots.

### **Respiratory Protection**

Not required.

# **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

# **Basic Physical and Chemical Properties**

Appearance Yellow.

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**Odour** Soapy

Odour Threshold Not available

**pH** 11.9 (1% solution)

Melting Point/Freezing Point Not available (melting); Not available (freezing)

Initial Boiling Point/Range ~ 100 °C (212 °F)

Flash Point Not available Evaporation Rate Not available

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable (liquid).

**Upper/Lower Flammability or** 

Explosive Limit

Not applicable (upper); Not applicable (lower)

Vapour PressureNot availableVapour Density (air = 1)Not availableRelative Density (water = 1)1.0 - 1.1 at 20 °C

**Solubility** Soluble in all proportions in water; Not available (in other liquids)

Partition Coefficient,

n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)

Not available

Auto-ignition TemperatureNot applicableDecomposition TemperatureNot available

Viscosity Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)

Other Information

Surface Tension Not available

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions of use.

# **Chemical Stability**

Normally stable.

#### **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None expected under normal conditions of storage and use.

# **Conditions to Avoid**

Acidic conditions (low pH).

# **Incompatible Materials**

Oxidizing agents (e.g. peroxides), strong acids (e.g. hydrochloric acid).

Corrosive to: iron, carbon steel.

# **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

None known.

# **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Information presented below is for the entire product, unless otherwise specified.

### **Likely Routes of Exposure**

Skin contact; eye contact; inhalation; ingestion.

#### **Acute Toxicity**

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
Potassium hydroxide		205 mg/kg (rat)	> 1260 mg/kg (rabbit)
Sodium Metasilicate	Not available	> 600 mg/kg (rat)	Not available

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LC50: No information was located.

LD50 (oral): No information was located.

LD50 (dermal): No information was located.

### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

May cause mild irritation based on information for closely related chemicals.

### Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

May cause mild irritation based on information for closely related chemicals.

# STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

#### Inhalation

May be harmful based on information for closely related materials.

#### **Skin Absorption**

May be harmful based on information for closely related materials.

### Ingestion

May be harmful based on information for closely related materials.

### **Aspiration Hazard**

May be drawn into the lungs (aspirated) if swallowed or vomited.

# STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Repeated Exposure

Conclusions cannot be drawn from the limited studies available.

### Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

No information was located for respiratory sensitization.

### Carcinogenicity

Conclusions cannot be drawn from the limited studies available.

### **Reproductive Toxicity**

### **Development of Offspring**

Conclusions cannot be drawn from the limited studies available.

# **Sexual Function and Fertility**

Conclusions cannot be drawn from the limited studies available.

### **Effects on or via Lactation**

Conclusions cannot be drawn from the limited studies available.

#### **Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

Conclusions cannot be drawn from the limited studies available.

#### Interactive Effects

No information was located.

### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Environmental information was not located.

# **Ecotoxicity**

Studies were not located.

#### Persistence and Degradability

No information was located.

#### **Bioaccumulative Potential**

No information was located.

# **Mobility in Soil**

Studies are not available.

### Other Adverse Effects

There is no information available.

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# **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

# **Disposal Methods**

This section is not required by OSHA HCS 2012.

# **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Regulation	UN No.	Proper Shipping Name	Transport Hazard Class(es)	Packing Group
Canadian TDG	1814	POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION	8	II

Special Precautions Not applicable

Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

None known.

# **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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Key to Abbreviations ACGIH® = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA = US Occupational Safety and Health Administration

AIHA® = AIHA® Guideline Foundation

References CHEMINFO database. Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS).

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