

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product Name** SOFT-CELL

**Other means of identification**

**Product Code** 258  
**UN/ID No.** UN3262  
**Synonyms** None

**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

**Recommended Use** Heavy Duty Warewashing Detergent.  
**Uses advised against** No information available

**Manufacturer Address**

Anderson Chemical Company, 325 South Davis Avenue, Litchfield, MN 55355 (320-693-2477)

**Emergency telephone number**

Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Classification**

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3 - (H335)

**Label elements**

**Emergency Overview**

**Danger**

**Hazard statements**

Harmful if swallowed  
 Harmful if inhaled  
 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage  
 May cause respiratory irritation



**Appearance** dry, free flowing granules

**Physical state** powder

**Odor** No information available

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
 Use only in well-ventilated areas

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Specific treatment (see Section 4 on this label)

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: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

Do NOT induce vomiting

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

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

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)****Other Information**

- Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

- Toxic to aquatic life

Unknown Acute Toxicity

3.5% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	34	
Sodium metasilicate	6834-92-0	20	
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	5	
Sodium dichloroisocyanurate dihydrate	51580-86-0	2.5	

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**First aid measures****Eye contact**

Flush immediately with water for 15 minutes. Lift upper and lower eyelids for complete rinsing. Get immediate medical attention.

**Skin Contact**

Flush with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**Inhalation**

Remove victim from immediate source of exposure to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen if available. If victim is not breathing, administer CPR. If individual experiences nausea, headache, or dizziness, get immediate medical attention.

**Ingestion**

Rinse mouth with water. Give water to dilute. Do not induce vomiting. Get immediate medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to a semi-comatose, comatose, convulsing or unconscious person.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms** Corrosive to eyes, skin, and digestive tract. Causes eye and skin burns. Dust corrosive to respiratory tract. Corrosive to mouth, esophagus, and stomach. May cause permanent eye damage.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable extinguishing media**

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

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** None known.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

If the stock solution container breaks, the solution should be handled with care as it is corrosive.

**Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.

**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** Evacuate nonessential personnel. Ventilate area. Wear appropriate personal protection equipment.

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

**Methods for containment** Completely contain spilled material with dikes or sand bags, etc.

**Methods for cleaning up** Recover as much material as possible into containers for disposal or reuse. Remaining material may be diluted with water and neutralized. Flush spill area with water. Neutralization products, both solid and liquid, must be recovered for disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on safe handling** Do not get in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear appropriate protective clothing/equipment. Do not breathe dust. Use with adequate ventilation. Do not ingest.

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

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed and properly labeled. Containers that have been emptied will retain product residue and should be handled as if they were full. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from incompatible materials. Wash hands before eating, drinking, using tobacco, applying make-up or using the toilet. Do not store, use, and/or consume foods, beverages, tobacco in areas where this product is stored.

**Incompatible materials** Reacts with strong acids and will yield chlorine gas. Strong oxidizing agents. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. Strong bases, active metals (like sodium), oxidizers (ie: chlorine, oxygen, permanganates, perchlorates, percarbonates, peroxides, chromates, hypochlorites, nitric acid, and sulfuric acid), cyanide and sulfide salts. Contact with some metals can generate explosive hydrogen gas.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

#### Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

<b>Eye/face protection</b>	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	If contact is anticipated, wear protective clothing appropriate to use conditions.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**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

<b>Physical state</b>	powder	<b>Odor</b>	No information available
<b>Appearance</b>	dry, free flowing granules	<b>Odor threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Color</b>	white		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	12.35	1% Solution
Melting point/freezing point	No information available	
Boiling point / boiling range	No information available	
Flash point	No information available	
Evaporation rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor density	No information available	
Specific Gravity	No information available	
Water solubility	Soluble in water	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient	No information available	
Autoignition temperature	No information available	
Decomposition temperature	No information available	
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	

**Explosive properties** No information available  
**Oxidizing properties** No information available

**Other Information**

**Softening point** No information available  
**Molecular weight** No information available  
**VOC Content (%)** No information available  
**Density** No information available  
**Bulk density** No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity**

No data available

**Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**Conditions to avoid**

Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

**Incompatible materials**

Reacts with strong acids and will yield chlorine gas. Strong oxidizing agents. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. Strong bases, active metals (like sodium), oxidizers (ie: chlorine, oxygen, permanganates, perchlorates, percarbonates, peroxides, chromates, hypochlorites, nitric acid, and sulfuric acid), cyanide and sulfide salts. Contact with some metals can generate explosive hydrogen gas.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Hydrogen. Toxic fumes of sodium oxide. Oxides of sulfur. Carbon oxides. Chlorine gas.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

**Product Information** No data available

**Inhalation** May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

**Eye contact** Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.

**Skin Contact** Contact causes severe skin irritation and possible burns.

**Ingestion** Causes burns.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	= 2300 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 2 h
Sodium metasilicate 6834-92-0	= 600 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	= 1350 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-

**Information on toxicological effects**

**Symptoms** No information available.

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

**Sensitization** No information available.

<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	No information available.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information**

**Unknown Acute Toxicity** 3.5% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

<b>ATEmix (oral)</b>	1932 mg/kg
<b>ATEmix (dermal)</b>	14812 mg/kg
<b>ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)</b>	3.2 mg/l

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity**

13% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	242: 120 h Nitzschia mg/L EC50	300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 310 - 1220: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static	265: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Sodium metasilicate 6834-92-0	-	210: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50 semi-static 210: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50	216: 96 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	-	45.4: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static	-

**Persistence and degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

**Other adverse effects**

No information available

**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**

Do not reuse container.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	Corrosive
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	Toxic Corrosive

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****DOT**

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<b>Proper shipping name</b>	Corrosive Solid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s.
<b>Hazardous ingredients</b>	(Sodium Metasilicate/Sodium Hydroxide)
<b>Hazard Class</b>	8
<b>Packing Group</b>	II

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

<b>TSCA</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Does not comply
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Does not comply
<b>ENCS</b>	Does not comply
<b>IECSC</b>	Complies
<b>KECL</b>	Does not comply
<b>PICCS</b>	Complies
<b>AICS</b>	Complies

### 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

#### SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

<b>Acute health hazard</b>	Yes
<b>Chronic Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Fire hazard</b>	No
<b>Sudden release of pressure hazard</b>	No
<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	No

#### CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as 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
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb	-	-	X

#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
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Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ
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**US State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Sodium hydroxide 1310-73-2	X	X	X
Sodium dichloroisocyanurate dihydrate 51580-86-0	-	X	X

**U.S. EPA Label Information**

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

<b>16. OTHER INFORMATION</b>
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<b>NFPA</b>	Health hazards 2	Flammability 0	Instability 1	Physical and Chemical Properties -
<b>HMIS</b>	Health hazards 2	Flammability 0	Physical hazards 1	Personal protection X

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No information available

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