

Material Safety Data Sheet

Comet Powder Cleanser

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SECTION 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT

Identity: Disinfectant Powder Cleanser
Use: Powered All-Purpose Cleanser
Brands: COMET (Regular and Lemon Fresh Fragrances)

Hazard Rating: 1	Health: 1	4=Extreme
	Flammability: 0	3=High
	Reactivity: 0	2=Moderate
		1=Slight

Emergency Telephone Number: Call 1-800-926-9441 from 8:00 AM to 8:00 EST PM or call your Local Poison Control Center.

SECTION 2 - COMPOSITION AND INGREDIENTS

Ingredients/Chemical Name: Bleach, cleaning agents (calcium carbonate, sodium carbonate, anionic surfactants), quality control agents, perfume, color. Comet Cleanser contains no phosphorus.

Hazardous Ingredients as defined by OSHA, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Common Name</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Recommended Limits</u>	<u>Composition Range</u>
<u>LD50/LC50</u> Calcium Carbonate NA/NA	Limestone	1317-65-3	ACGIH TWA: 10mg/m ³ (total dust) 5mg/m ³ (respirable dust) OSHA PEL: 15mg/m ³	60-100%
Silica, Quartz 9g/kg/NA (Naturally Occurring component of limestone.)	Quartz	14808-60-7	ACGIH TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ (respirable dust) OSHA TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³	0.1-1%

SECTION 3 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Health Hazards: (Acute and Chronic):

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions: None

Environmental Precautions: DISPOSAL IS TO BE PERFORMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL REGULATIONS. Product contains biodegradable surfactant. If permitted, flush small quantities down sewer drain with large excess of water or dispose of at landfill.

Steps to be Taken in Case Material is Released or Spilled: Vacuum to remove spill and place in trash container for disposal or flush with water. Do not dry sweep.

SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions to be Taken in Handling and Storing: Avoid moisture when storing to prevent loss of bleaching action and to prevent caking.

Other Precautions: None Required

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type): None required with normal use. For bulk handling or other dusty conditions, use respiratory protection approved by NIOSH for dust.

Ventilation:

Local Exhaust: None required with normal consumer use. Special: None
Mechanical (General): Acceptable Other: None

Eye Protection: None required with normal consumer use.

Industrial Setting: For splash protection, use chemical goggles

Protective Gloves: None required with normal use.

Other Protective Equipment: None required with normal use.

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Boiling Point F: N/A

Vapor Pressure (mm Hg): N/A

Vapor Density (Air=1): N/A

Odor Threshold: N/A

Coefficient of Water/Oil Distribution: N/A

Scooped Density: N/A

Appearance: Green powder

Odor: Cedar pine or lemon scent.

Specific Gravity (H₂O =1): ca. 1

Percent Volatile by Volume (%): ca. 1

Evaporation Rate (nBuOAc=1): N/A

Freezing Point: N/A

pH (1% solution): N/A

Solubility in Water: Moderately

Reserve Alkalinity: N/A

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Possible Hazardous Reactions/Conditions: None Known

Explosion Data-Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: None

Explosion Data-Sensitivity to Static Discharge: None

Conditions to Avoid: None

Materials to Avoid: None

Hazardous Decomposition Products: None Known

Other Recommendations: None

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Calcium carbonate, an ingredient of this product, contains small amounts of crystalline silica (quartz) as a naturally occurring impurity. Prolonged, excessively high exposures to respirable crystalline silica may result in reduced lung function in some individuals. IARC has found sufficient evidence to classify crystalline silica as a carcinogen in animals, but there is limited evidence in humans.

LD50 (rats oral): 9 g/kg

ED50: 0.23 g/kg

Product as a Whole:

CARCINOGENICITY: None Known

SENSITIZATION EFFECTS: None Known

REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS: None Known

SYNETGISTIC EFFECTS: None Known

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No concerns at relevant environmental concentrations.

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method: Product contains biodegradable surfactant. If permitted, flush small quantities down sewer drain with large excess of water or dispose of at landfill. DISPOSAL IS TO BE PERFORMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL REGULATIONS.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Classification: Comet cleanser is not DOT hazardous and is not regulated under the DOT Hazardous Material Regulations (49 CFR, parts 171-180) which govern the sale and transport of hazardous materials.

SECTION 15 - ADDITIONAL REGULATORY INFORMATION

All components are listed on the US TSCA Inventory. No components are affected by Significant New Use Rules (SNUR's) under TSCA §5.

No components of Comet are subject to California Proposition 65.

All ingredients are CEPA approved for import to Canada. This product has been classified with Hazard Criteria of the Canadian Control Products Regulation (CPR) and this MSDS contains all information required by the Canadian Products Regulation.

SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

N/A - Not Applicable

N/K - Not Known

The submission of this MSDS may be required by law, but this is not an assertion that the substance is hazardous when used in accordance with proper safety practices and normal handling procedures. Data supplied is for use only in connection with occupational safety and health.

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