

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION		
PRODUCT NAME:	DISPATCH® HOSPITAL CLEANER DISINFECTANT TOWELS WITH BLEACH	
PRODUCT NUMBER:	69101-Singles 69150-150 Piece Canister 69240-40 Piece Soft-Pack 69260-60 Piece Soft Pack	DATE: July 10, 2009
TRADE NAME: Dispatch® Hospital Cleaner Disinfectant Towels With Bleach. GENERAL USE: Hospital Disinfectant CHEMICAL FAMILY: Sodium Hypochlorite PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: Bleach disinfectant formula absorbed on towels. Mild Bleach Odor.	 DISPATCH® HOSPITAL CLEANER DISINFECTANT TOWELS WITH BLEACH	
MANUFACTURER	Caltech Industries, Inc.	DATE PREPARED: July 10, 2009 SUPERSEDES: November 15, 2004
ADDRESS (NUMBER, STREET, P.O. BOX)	4520 E. Ashman Road, Suite C	TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR INFORMATION / Customer Service 800-234-7700
(CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE)	Midland, MI 48642-8911	CHEMTEL 24-HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER 1-800-255-3924 North America Toll Free
SECTION 2 - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS		
Hazardous Components	% (by Weight)	CAS #
Sodium hydroxide	<0.2%	1310-73-2
Sodium metasilicate	<0.6%	6834-92-0
Sodium hypochlorite	<1.0%	7681-52-9
Notes: * The balance of ingredients not listed above are non-hazardous as defined in the OSHA hazard communication standard 29CFR 1910.1200.		
SECTION 3 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION		
EMERGENCY OVERVIEW		
Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing as this product may produce irritation. Do not allow this product to contact acidic materials as hazardous chlorine gas may be released.		
POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS		
INHALATION:		
No adverse effects are anticipated from inhalation.		
SKIN:		
Normal exposure (contact) is not likely to cause significant skin irritation.		
EYES:		
Causes moderate eye irritation.		
INGESTION:		
May cause gastrointestinal irritation and upset.		
CARCINOGENICITY:		
NTP? NO	IARC MONOGRAPHS? No	OSHA REGULATED? NO
CALIFORNIA, Prop.65?	No	
SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES		
INHALATION:		
No specific treatment, suspected hazard by this route is minimal. Note to Physician: No specific antidote. Supportive care. Treatment based on judgement of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.		
EYES:		
If in eyes, hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first five minutes, then continue rinsing eyes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.		
SKIN:		
Wash with soap and water, no further first aid should be required.		
INGESTION:		
No specific treatment, suspected hazard by this route is minimal.		

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SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

GENERAL HAZARDS: Product is minimally flammable FP ≥101°C (215°F) . Chlorine may be released from this product in the presence of acids.
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog, carbon dioxide and dry chemical to fight surrounding fire.
FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear SCBA when fighting fires involving this product as a precaution.
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: None.
HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide, Carbon Dioxide, smoke , organic vapors from dried and heated towels in fire conditions.

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Isolate damaged goods. Spills should be diluted with water, then absorbed with sand, clay, or earth. Dispose of saturated absorbent materials appropriately since spontaneous heating may occur.

SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE: Ventilation: Good general ventilation should be sufficient for most conditions. Respiratory Protection: No respiratory protection should be needed. Protective Clothing: No precautions other than clean body covering clothing should be needed. Gloves are recommended. Eye Protection: Use safety glasses or equivalent protection to avoid eye contact.

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS	NIOSH				ACGIH		OSHA	
	TWA ppm	TWA mg/m3	STEL ppm	STEL mg/m3	TLV/TWA ppm	TWA mg/m3	PEL ppm	PEL mg/m3
Sodium hydroxide				10 IDLH		2		2
Sodium metasilicate	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
Sodium hypochlorite	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE

PERSONAL PROTECTION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134, ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace concentrations of this product in air exceed the published TLV's.
PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Impervious rubber, or nitrile gloves are advised if prolonged or repeated exposure is likely.
EYE PROTECTION: Use safety glasses with protective side shields to avoid eye contact.
OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT: Not required.
WORK / HYGIENIC PRACTICES: Wash with soap and water after contact.

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE AND ODOR Solution on a synthetic fabric towel with a mild bleach odor.	VAPOR PRESSURE 17.5mmHg at 20°C
pH 12.2	SPECIFIC GRAVITY (WATER = 1) 1.015 @25°C.
BOILING POINT / BOILING RANGE 100°C (212°F)	SOLUBILITY IN WATER Completely soluble (for liquid).
FLASH POINT >101°C (>215°F)	VISCOSITY NA
FLAMMABLE LIMITS LEL: NE UEL: NE	VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1) NR
AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE NE	EVAPORATION RATE (WATER = 1) NR

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SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY	STABLE	X	CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Excessive heat and light exposure. Avoid contact with incompatible materials listed in the following section:
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INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID):
Avoid contact with acids, reducing agents, ammonia, or heavy metals such as nickel, cobalt, copper, and iron.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BYPRODUCTS:
Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide (from burning dried towels), and chlorine in the presence of acids.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.	CONDITIONS TO AVOID: None related to polymerization.
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SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Hazardous Components	CAS #	LD50 of Ingredient (Specify Species and Route)	LC50 of Ingredient (Specify Species)
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	Oral, rat: LD50 ≥90 mL/kg (in this product)	NE
Sodium metasilicate	6834-92-0	Oral, rat: LD50 ≥90 mL/kg (in this product)	NE
Sodium hypochlorite	7681-52-9	Oral, mouse: LD50 = 5800 mg/kg	NE

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No information is available for this blended product.

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:
Isolate damaged goods. Spills should be diluted with water, then absorbed with sand, clay, or earth. Dispose of saturated absorbent materials appropriately since spontaneous heating may occur. Landfill in a permitted waste disposal facility in accordance with all local, state, and federal regulations.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Not Regulated	
DOT HAZARD CLASS / Pack Group: Not Regulated REFERENCE: 49CFR172, 49CFR173 UN / NA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: Not Regulated LABEL: Not regulated HAZARD SYMBOLS: NONE	IATA HAZARD CLASS / Pack Group: Contact Manufacturer IMDG HAZARD CLASS: Contact Manufacturer RID/ADR Dangerous Goods Code: Contact Manufacturer UN TDG Class / Pack Group: Contact Manufacturer Hazard Identification Number (HIN): Contact Manufacturer Refer to 49CFR172 and 49CFR173 for pertinent regulations.

Note: Transportation information provided is for reference only. Client is urged to consult CFR 49 parts 100 - 177, IMDG, IATA, EU, United Nations TDG, and WHMIS (Canada) TDG information manuals for detailed regulations and exceptions covering specific container sizes, packaging materials and methods of shipping.

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SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA (USA - Toxic Substance Control Act):	Listed.		
SARA TITLE III (USA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act):			
Acute Health:	Yes	Chronic Health:	No
Fire:	No	Sudden Release of Pressure:	No
Reactive:	No		

313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS: None reportable.

CERCLA (USA - Comprehensive Response Compensation and Liability Act):	CAS# 7681-52-9: 100 lb final RQ; 45.4 kg final RQ.
	CAS# 1310-73-2: 1000 lb final RQ; 454 kg final RQ.

SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

Legend: NA=Not applicable NE= Not established NR= Not reported

HAZARD RATINGS	HAZARD DESCRIPTION	RATING	DEFINITION
HMIS HAZARD RATINGS	HEALTH:	2	0 = INSIGNIFICANT
	FLAMMABILITY:	0	1 = SLIGHT
	PHYSICAL HAZARD:	1	2 = MODERATE
	PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:	B ☒+☒	3 = HIGH 4 = EXTREME
NFPA HAZARD RATINGS	HEALTH:	0	0 = NONE
	FLAMMABILITY:	0	1 = SLIGHT / LITTLE
	REACTIVITY:	1	2 = MODERATE
	SPECIAL HAZARDS:	OX	3 = HIGH / SERIOUS 4 = EXTREME

* - Refers to NFPA recognized Hazards Only

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