

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

**Product Name:** ALKA KLENZ - LO FOAM

**Other Means of Identification:** Mixture

**Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use:** Dairy detergent

**Details of Manufacturer or Importer:**

DASCO Pty Ltd  
24 - 26 Helen Street  
Heidelberg Heights VIC 3081

**Phone Number:** 03 9459 7004

**Emergency telephone number:** National Poisons Information Centre: 13 11 26

## 2 Hazard(s) Identification

**Hazardous Nature:**

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (7th edition).



Corrosion

Skin Corrosion/Irritation 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Eye Damage 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.



STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

**Signal Word** Danger

**Hazard Statements**

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

**Precautionary Statements**

P260 Do not breathe dusts or mists.

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280 Wear eye protection / face protection.

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

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

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

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position 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 CENTER/doctor.

P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405 Store locked up.

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Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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### 3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

**Chemical Characterization: Mixtures****Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.**Hazardous Components:**

CAS: 497-19-8	Sodium carbonate	>60%
	☞ Eye Damage 1, H318; ☞ STOT SE 3, H335	
CAS: 10213-79-3	Sodium metasilicate pentahydrate	10-30%
	☞ Corrosive To Metals 1, H290; Skin Corrosion/Irritation 1B, H314; ☞ STOT SE 3, H335	

### 4 First Aid Measures

**Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Seek medical attention if breathing problems develop.**Skin Contact:**

In case of skin contact, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with water and soap. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Eye Contact:**

In case of eye contact, rinse with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Ingestion:**

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Symptoms Caused by Exposure:**

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin Contact: Causes severe skin burns.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage.

Ingestion: Causes burns to the mouth, nose, throat and oesophagus. May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea and vomiting.

### 5 Fire Fighting Measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Water fog or fine spray.**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:**

Hazardous combustion products include oxides of carbon, oxides of silicon, and oxides of sodium.

Product is not flammable.

Containers close to fire should be removed only if safe to do so. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers.

Minimise run-off from fire fighting entering drains or water courses.

HAZCHEM Code: 2X

**Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:**

When fighting a major fire wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective equipment.

### 6 Accidental Release Measures

**Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:**

Wear approved dust/particulate filter respirator and full protective clothing. Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generating dust.

**Environmental Precautions:**

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses.

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**Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up:**

Stop leak if safe to do so and sweep granules into a pile and shovel into drums for subsequent disposal. Avoid generating dust. Provide adequate ventilation. Decontaminate spill area with detergent and water.

### 7 Handling and Storage

**Precautions for Safe Handling:**

Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation of dust. Food, beverages and tobacco products should not be stored or consumed where this material is in use. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. Provide eyewash fountains and safety showers in close proximity to points of potential exposure.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:**

Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Protect from direct sunlight and moisture. Keep away from acids, oxidising agents, and active metals such as aluminium, tin, and zinc.

### 8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

**Exposure Standards:**

Nuisance dust:  
TWA - 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (inspirable dust)

**Engineering Controls:**

Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area, keeping airborne concentrations below occupational exposure standards.

**Respiratory Protection:**

Where an inhalation risk exists, wear approved particulate respirator (filter type P). At high dust levels, wear a powered air purifying respirator (PAPR) with P3 filter or an air-line respirator or a full-face P3 (particulate) respirator. See Australian/New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 1715 and 1716 for more information.

**Skin Protection:**

Plastic or rubber gloves. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2161 for more information. When selecting gloves for use against certain chemicals, the degradation resistance, permeation rate and permeation breakthrough time should be considered. Occupational protective clothing (depending on conditions in which it has to be used, in particular as regards the period for which it is worn, which shall be determined on the basis of the seriousness of the risk, the frequency of exposure to the risk, the characteristics of the workstation of each worker and the performance of the protective clothing). See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4501 for more information.

**Eye and Face Protection:**

Eye and face protectors for protection against dust. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 for more information.

### 9 Physical and Chemical Properties

**Appearance:**

<b>Form:</b>	Granular powder
<b>Colour:</b>	White
<b>Odour:</b>	Slight detergent-like
<b>Odour Threshold:</b>	No information available
<b>pH-Value:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Melting point/freezing point:</b>	No information available
<b>Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range:</b>	No information available
<b>Flash Point:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flammability (solid, gas):</b>	No information available
<b>Auto-ignition Temperature:</b>	No information available
<b>Decomposition Temperature:</b>	No information available

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**Explosion Limits:****Lower:** No information available**Upper:** No information available**Vapour Pressure:** Not applicable**Relative Density:** Not determined.**Vapour Density:** Not applicable**Evaporation Rate:** Not applicable**Solubility in Water:** Soluble**Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water):** No information available**Viscosity:** No information available

## 10 Stability and Reactivity

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** No dangerous reactions known under conditions of normal use.**Chemical Stability:** Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of storage and use.**Conditions to Avoid:** Direct sunlight and moisture.**Incompatible Materials:** Acids, oxidising agents, and active metals such as aluminium, tin, and zinc.**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Oxides of carbon, oxides of silicon, and oxides of sodium.

## 11 Toxicological Information

**Toxicity:****LD50/LC50 Values:****CAS: 497-19-8 Sodium carbonate**

Oral	LD50	4,090 mg/kg (Rattus norvegicus (rat))
	LD50	>2,000 mg/kg (Oryctolagus cuniculus (rabbit))

**CAS: 10213-79-3 Sodium metasilicate pentahydrate**

Oral	LD50	847 mg/kg (Rattus norvegicus (rat))
	LD50	>5,000 mg/kg (Rattus norvegicus (rat))
Inhalation	LC50	>2,060 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Rattus norvegicus (rat))

**Acute Health Effects****Inhalation:** May cause respiratory irritation.**Skin:** Causes severe skin burns.**Eye:** Causes serious eye damage.**Ingestion:**

Causes burns to the mouth, nose, throat and oesophagus. May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea and vomiting.

**Skin Corrosion / Irritation:** Causes severe skin burns.**Serious Eye Damage / Irritation:** Causes serious eye damage.**Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Carcinogenicity:**Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.  
This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.**Reproductive Toxicity:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure:** May cause respiratory irritation.**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Repeated Exposure:**

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

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**Aspiration Hazard:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Chronic Health Effects:** No data associated with long term health effects.**Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** No data available.

## 12 Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:****Aquatic toxicity:**

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

**CAS: 497-19-8 Sodium carbonate**

EC50/48 h	200 mg/l (Daphnia magna (water flea))
LC50/96 h	300 mg/l (Lepomis macrochirus (bluegill))
EC50/120hr	242 mg/l (Algae)

**Persistence and Degradability:** No data available on finished product.**Bioaccumulative Potential:** No data available on finished product.**Mobility in Soil:** No data available on finished product.**Other adverse effects:** No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal Considerations

**Disposal Methods and Containers:** Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.**Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:**

Please consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information.

## 14 Transport Information

<b>UN Number</b>	
<b>ADG, IMDG, IATA</b>	UN3262
<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	
<b>ADG, IMDG, IATA</b>	CORROSIVE SOLID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (DISODIUM TRIOXOSILICATE)
<b>Dangerous Goods Class</b>	
<b>ADG Class:</b>	8
<b>Packing Group:</b>	
<b>ADG, IMDG, IATA</b>	II
<b>EMS Number:</b>	F-A,S-B
<b>Hazchem Code:</b>	2X
<b>Special Provisions:</b>	274
<b>Excepted quantities (EQ):</b>	E2
<b>Limited Quantities:</b>	1 kg
<b>Packagings &amp; IBCs - Packing Instruction:</b>	P002, IBC08
<b>Packagings &amp; IBCs - Special Packing Provisions:</b>	B2, B4
<b>Portable Tanks &amp; Bulk Containers - Instructions:</b>	T3

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**Portable Tanks & Bulk Containers - Special Provisions:**

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## 15 Regulatory Information

**Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals:**

All components are on the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory.

**Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule:**

Poisons Schedule: 5

## 16 Other Information

**Date of Preparation or Last Revision:** 06.09.2024**Prepared by:** MSDS.COM.AU Pty Ltd[www.msds.com.au](http://www.msds.com.au)**Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADG: Australian Dangerous Goods

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TWA: Time Weighted Average

NES: National Exposure Standard (Safe Work Australia - Workplace Exposure Standards For Airborne Contaminants)

Corrosive To Metals 1: Corrosive to metals – Category 1

Skin Corrosion/Irritation 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1B

Eye Damage 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

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