MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Texas Correctional Industry

A division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice

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NFPA HAZARD RATING 4- SEVERE 3- SERIOUS 2- MODERATE 1- SIGHT 0- INSIGNIFICANT

SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: De-Germ

General Use: Industrial auto machine dishwashing
Manufacturer Name: Texas Correctional Industry
Soap & Detergent Plant

One Circle Drive Sugar Land, Texas 77478 **Emergency Telephone Numbers**

Galveston Texas Poison Control: **1-800-764-7661**Soap & Detergent Plant Lab: 281-490-1111
MSDS available at: www.tci.tdcj.state.tx.us
Monday thru Thursday: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

SECTION 2 - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT

			ACGIH/OSHA (TWA)		
Chemical/Common Name	CAS No.	PERCENT	TLV	PEL	WHMIS
Sodium Metasilicate	6834-92-0	~33	N/D	3 mg/m^3	1%
Sodium Sesquicarbonate	533-96-0	13 - 14	15 ppm	N/D	N/D
Sodium Tripolyphosphate	7758-29-4	~33	5 mg/m ³	N/D	N/D

N/A = Not Applicable N/D = Not Determined

Threshold Limit Values (TLV): TWA (time-weighed average for 8 hr. day); PEL (personal exposure limit)
WHMIS – minimum amount necessary in a mixture to trigger reporting: 1% (hazardous chemical); 0.1% (extremely hazardous chemical)

SECTION 3 - PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Vapor Pressure : N/D
Specific Gravity (water = 1) : N/D
Solubility in Water : Complete
pH (1% aqueous solution) : 11.8 – 12.2
Boiling Point : N/A

Appearance and Odor : White to off white granular powder

SECTION 4 - FIRE AND HAZARD DATA

Flash Point (T.C.C.) : Nonflammable

Flammable Limit : N/D

Physical Hazard : Higher pH determines a slightly corrosive mixture note; CAUTION: corrosive powder

Extinguishing Media : Water and foam

Fire Extinguishing Procedure : Use of respiratory equipment is recommended in enclosed areas.

Fire and Explosive Hazard : N/D

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SECTION 5 - REACTIVE DATA

Hazardous Decomposition : Oxides of carbon and nitrogen

Stability : Stable

Incompatibility : Inorganic acids

SECTION 6 - HEALTH HAZARD

Primary Route of Exposure : Eyes, Skin, Oral, or Inhalation

Signs and Symptoms of Over Exposure (acute)

Eyes : May cause eye irritation or injury; Corrosive dust Skin : Contact may cause irritation; avoid exposure

Ingestion : May cause gastrointestinal irritation; Do not ingest this product
Inhalation : Dust protection should not be necessary; Do not inhale this product

Signs and Symptoms of Over Exposure (chronic) : None known Medical condition aggravated by over exposure : Not known

Carcinogen or suspect of carcinogen ingredients : Has no ingredient listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP, or OSHA

SECTION 7 - EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURE

Eyes : Do not get in your eyes. Flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes, until irritation subsides; seek medical attention

Skin : Immediately brush off any excess and flush skin with large quantities of water; seek medical attention if irritation

develops

Ingestion : Rinse mouth thoroughly. Drink plenty of water; do not induce vomiting; Contact a physician immediately.

Inhalation : Do not breathe dust. Move exposed individual to fresh air.

SECTION 8 - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Respiratory Protection : Use an appropriate respirator approved for dust if product dust exceeds exposure limits.

Ventilation Requirement : Yes Protective Gloves : Nitrile

Eye Protection : Chemical goggles

SECTION 9 - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken if released or spilled : Gather all materials practical for salvage or disposal. Rinse residue with water.

Waste disposal method : Any unsalvageable material must be disposed in compliance with local, state, and

federal laws and regulations.

SECTION 10 - STORAGE AND HANDLING

- Store in a cool dry ventilated area. Observe Building Code and NFPA storage requirements.
- Keep container sealed/closed when not in use. Avoid dust formation.

Note: Product should be used as directed on the label. No warranty is implied expressly or otherwise regarding the accuracy of the information in the product's suitability for the consumer's use and the outcome of its use. The technical accuracy of the information submitted herein is based on the data submitted to TCI by the manufacturers for the materials used in this finished product.