SAFETY DATA SHEET

KAY BLOCK WHITENER

Section: 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name	:	KAY BLOCK WHITENER
Other means of identification	:	Not applicable.
Recommended use	:	Cleaning product
Restrictions on use	:	Reserved for industrial and professional use.
Product dilution information	:	Product is sold ready to use.
Company	:	Ecolab New Zealand 2A Pacific Rise Mt. Wellington, Auckland New Zealand +64 7 958 2319
Emergency telephone number	:	0800 243 622 (0800 CHEMCALL) +64 7 958 2372 (International)
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Section: 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification

Corrosive to metals	:	Category 1
Skin corrosion/irritation	:	Category 1A
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	:	Category 1
Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute hazard	:	Category 1
Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic hazard	:	Category 2

GHS Label element

Hazard pictograms :

Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : May be corrosive to metals.
Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Very toxic to aquatic life.
Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements : **Prevention:**
Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection/ hearing protection.
Response:
IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. 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. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Collect spillage.
Disposal:
Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Other hazards : Mixing this product with acid or ammonia releases chlorine gas.

Section: 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Pure substance/mixture : Mixture

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration: (%)
sodium chloride	7647-14-5	1 - 5
sodium hypochlorite	7681-52-9	3 - 5
Sodium Carbonate	497-19-8	1 - 5
sodium stearate	822-16-2	1 - 5
sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	0.5 - 1

Section: 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

In case of eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately.

In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

If swallowed : Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

If inhaled : Remove to fresh air. Treat symptomatically. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Protection of first-aiders : If potential for exposure exists refer to Section 8 for specific personal protective equipment.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

Section: 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

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

Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.

Specific hazards during firefighting : Exposure to decomposition products may be a hazard to health.

Hazardous combustion products : Decomposition products may include the following materials:
Carbon oxides

Special protective equipment for firefighters	:	Use personal protective equipment.
Specific extinguishing methods	:	Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.
Hazchem Code	:	2X

Section: 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	:	Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid inhalation, ingestion and contact with skin and eyes. When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Ensure clean-up is conducted by trained personnel only. Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.
Environmental precautions	:	Do not allow contact with soil, surface or ground water.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	:	Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13). Flush away traces with water. For large spills, dike spilled material or otherwise contain material to ensure runoff does not reach a waterway.

Section: 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling	:	Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Mixing this product with acid or ammonia releases chlorine gas. In case of mechanical malfunction, or if in contact with unknown dilution of product, wear full Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).
Conditions for safe storage	:	Do not store near acids. Keep out of reach of children. Keep container tightly closed. Store in suitable labeled containers.
Storage temperature	:	5 °C to 40 °C

Section: 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Form of exposure	Permissible concentration	Basis
sodium stearate	822-16-2	WES-TWA	10 mg/m3	NZ OEL
sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	WES-Ceiling	2 mg/m3	NZ OEL

Engineering measures	:	Effective exhaust ventilation system. Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure standards.

Personal protective equipment

Eye protection	:	Safety goggles Face-shield
Hand protection	:	Wear the following personal protective equipment: Standard glove type. Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.
Skin protection	:	Personal protective equipment comprising: suitable protective gloves, safety goggles and protective clothing
Respiratory protection	:	When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Refer to AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716 for selection, use and maintenance of respiratory protective equipment as applicable.
Hygiene measures	:	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body in case of contact or splash hazard.

Section: 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	:	gel
Colour	:	opaque, green
Odour	:	Chlorine
pH	:	12.4, (100 %)
Flash point	:	Not applicable., Does not sustain combustion.
Odour Threshold	:	no data available
Melting point/freezing point	:	no data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range	:	> 100 °C
Evaporation rate	:	no data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	Not applicable.
Upper explosion limit	:	no data available
Lower explosion limit	:	no data available
Vapour pressure	:	no data available
Relative vapour density	:	no data available
Relative density	:	0.98 - 1.04
Water solubility	:	soluble
Solubility in other solvents	:	no data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	no data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	no data available
Thermal decomposition	:	no data available

Viscosity, kinematic	:	no data available
Explosive properties	:	no data available
Oxidizing properties	:	Yes
Molecular weight	:	no data available
VOC	:	no data available

Section: 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	:	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
Chemical stability	:	Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	:	Mixing this product with acid or ammonia releases chlorine gas.
Conditions to avoid	:	None known.
Incompatible materials	:	Acids Metals
Hazardous decomposition products	:	Decomposition products may include the following materials: Carbon oxides

Section: 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure	:	Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin contact

Potential Health Effects

Eyes	:	Causes serious eye damage.
Skin	:	Causes severe skin burns.
Ingestion	:	Causes digestive tract burns.
Inhalation	:	May cause nose, throat, and lung irritation.
Chronic Exposure	:	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

Experience with human exposure

Eye contact	:	Redness, Pain, Corrosion
Skin contact	:	Redness, Pain, Corrosion
Ingestion	:	Corrosion, Abdominal pain
Inhalation	:	Respiratory irritation, Cough

Toxicity

Product

Acute oral toxicity	:	no data available
Acute inhalation toxicity	:	no data available

Acute dermal toxicity	:	no data available
Skin corrosion/irritation	:	no data available
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	:	no data available
Respiratory or skin sensitization	:	no data available
Carcinogenicity	:	no data available
Reproductive effects	:	no data available
Germ cell mutagenicity	:	no data available
Teratogenicity	:	no data available
STOT - single exposure	:	no data available
STOT - repeated exposure	:	no data available
Aspiration toxicity	:	no data available

Components

Acute oral toxicity	:	sodium chloride LD50 rat: 3,000 mg/kg sodium hypochlorite LD50 rat: 5,230 mg/kg Sodium Carbonate LD50 rat: 2,800 mg/kg sodium stearate LD50 rat: > 5,000 mg/kg

Components

Acute dermal toxicity	:	sodium chloride LD50 rat: > 10,000 mg/kg sodium hypochlorite LD50 rabbit: > 10,000 mg/kg sodium stearate LD50 rabbit: > 3,000 mg/kg

Section: 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity

Environmental Effects	:	Very toxic to aquatic life. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Product

Toxicity to fish	:	no data available
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	:	no data available
Toxicity to algae	:	no data available

Components

Toxicity to fish	:	sodium chloride 96 h LC50 Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish): 5,840 mg/l

Sodium Carbonate
96 h LC50 Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish): 300 mg/l

sodium stearate
96 h LC50 Fish: 7.44 mg/l

Components

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : sodium chloride
48 h EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 4,136 mg/l

sodium hypochlorite
48 h EC50 Aquatic Invertebrate: 0.071 mg/l

Sodium Carbonate
48 h EC50 Ceriodaphnia (water flea): 213.5 mg/l

sodium hydroxide
48 h EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 40 mg/l

Persistence and degradability

Readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

Mobility in soil

no data available

Other adverse effects

no data available

Section: 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods : Do not contaminate storm water drains, natural waterways or soil with chemical or used container. Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of in accordance with local and national regulations.

Disposal considerations : Dispose of as unused product. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Do not re-use empty containers. Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

Section: 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipper/consignor/sender is responsible to ensure that the packaging, labeling, and markings are in compliance with the selected mode of transport.

Land transport (NZ_DG)

UN number : 3266
Description of the goods : CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.
(sodium hydroxide, sodium hypochlorite)
Class : 8
Packing group : III

Hazchem Code : 2X

Sea transport (IMDG/IMO)

UN number	:	3266
Proper shipping name	:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (sodium hydroxide, sodium hypochlorite)
Class	:	8
Packing group	:	III
Marine pollutant	:	Yes

Special precautions for user : None

Section: 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

HSNO Approval Number : HSR002526

HSNO Group Standard : Cleaning Products (Corrosive) Group Standard 2020

The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

United States TSCA Inventory :
All substances listed as active on the TSCA inventory

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) :
All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL.

Australia. Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS) :
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA New Zealand :
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Japan. ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory :
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Korea. Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI) :
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS) :
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances :
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory :
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Section: 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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