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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

**Identity:** Automatic Dishwashing Detergent Phosphate Free **Finished Product**  
**Brands:** CASCADE ACTION PACS (with the Grease Fighting Power of Dawn), CASCADE COMPLETE PACS, CASCADE EXTRA ACTION ACTION PACS, CASCADE PLATINUM ACTION PACS and CASCADE ADVANCED POWER ACTION PACS (Fresh Scent, Regular Scent, Citrus Scent, Apple Blossom Scent, New Zealand Natural Spring, Thai Dragon Fruit, Cascade Pure Essentials (perfume free), Cascade with Extra Bleach Action Lemon Scent, Cascade Stainfighter+ citrus Scent, Cascade Extra Action fresh scent, Cascade Advanced Power ActionPacs, Cascade Action Pacs with the Scent of Gain, Lemon Burst Scent and Holiday Line/Special Offering Extensions)  
**P&G Telephone Number:** 1-800-844-2544  
or call Local Poison Control Center or your physician.

## SECTION II - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Potential Health Hazards (Acute and Chronic):** (See Section 11 for more information)  
Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed.  
Eye Contact: If a pouch breaks, contact with its content may cause moderate irritation.  
Skin Contact: If a pouch breaks, contact with its content may cause mild irritation.  
Inhalation: If pouches are broken, inhaled powder can cause mild respiratory irritation  
**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:**  
Ingestion: Ingestion may result in lodging causing moderate to severe upper gastrointestinal irritation, burning, discomfort which may impede a person's ability to speak or swallow.  
Eye Contact: If a pouch breaks, contact with its content may cause moderate irritation.  
Skin Contact: If a pouch breaks, contact with its content may cause mild irritation.  
Inhalation: None expected. If pouches broken, inhaled powder may cause mild respiratory irritation-  
Medical Conditions Generally Known to be Aggravated by Exposure: None  
**Potential Environmental Effects:** (See Section 12 for more information)

### SECTION III - COMPOSITION AND INGREDIENTS

**Ingredients/Chemical Name:** Sodium carbonate, oxygen bleaching system, enzymes, nonionic wetting agents, sodium silicate, binding agents, dyes, perfume., water soluble film.

**Household Setting:** Under normal consumer use, Cascade ActionPacs would not constitute a hazardous product by OSHA definition as OSHA is not applicable to household consumer use.

**Non Household Setting (federal):** The contents of this pouch product, when tested as a whole, is considered an irritant within the meaning of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard.

Hazardous Ingredients as defined by OSHA, 29 CFR 1910.1200. and/or WHMIS under the HPA:

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Common Name</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Composition Range</u>	<u>LD50</u>
Carbonic Acid, Disodium Salt	Sodium Carbonate (Soda ash)	497-19-8	30-60%	1.9 g/kg (rats, oral)
Carbonic Acid Disodium Salt, Compound w/ Hydrogen Peroxide	Sodium Percarbonate	15630-89-4	3-7% & 10-30%	~1 g/kg (rats, oral)
Silicic acid, sodium salt	Sodium Silicate	1344-09-8	1-5%	~1.8 g/kg (rats, oral)
Enzymes	Enzymes	Mixture	1-5%	N/A

### SECTION IV – FIRST AID INFORMATION

**First Aid Procedures:**

**Ingestion:** If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glassful of water and call a poison control centre or physician immediately.

**Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Rinse exposed area with water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Inhalation:** If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Note to Physician:** (if applicable) Treat symptomatically

**Other:** Consumer product package has the following precautionary statement: CAUTION: IRRITANT. HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR PUT IN MOUTH. MAY IRRITATE EYES OR SKIN. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. See Caution on back. CAUTION: Do not get in eyes. Do not get on skin or clothing. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. FIRST AID TREATMENT: Contains sodium carbonate, sodium silicate and enzymes. If swallowed, give a glassful of water and call a Poison Control Center or doctor immediately. Do not induce vomiting. If in eyes, rinse with water for 15 minutes. If on skin, rinse well with water.

### SECTION V - FIRE FIGHTING INFORMATION

**Flash Point (Method Used):** > 300°F./149°C

**Flammable Properties:** Liquid part not flammable or combustible.

Upper Flammable Limit: N/A

Lower Flammable Limit: N/A

**Explosive Limits:** UEL:N/A LEL: N/A

**Auto-ignition Temperature:** N/K

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** N/K

**Explosion Data (Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact):** N/A

**Explosion Data (Sensitivity to Static Discharge):** N/A

**Extinguishing Media:**

Suitable: CO2, water or dry chemical may be used.

Unsuitable: N/K

**Protection of Firefighters:**

Specific Hazards Arising from the Material: N/K

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters: Normal fire-fighting gear.

### SECTION VI - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions:** If pouches are broken and powder is released (e.g., package damage incident), recommendation is to wear gloves and goggles for chemical handling/cleanup, and dust masks if considerable dust is airborne.

**Environmental Precautions:** DISPOSAL IS TO BE PERFORMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL FEDERAL, STATE/PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL REGULATIONS. Product must be incinerated.

**Methods for Containment:** Prevent spills from reaching waterways.

**Methods for Cleanup:** Minimize dust levels while collecting product (see "inhalation" health effects). Dispose of by incineration.

**Other Information:** (if applicable)

### SECTION VII – HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Precautions To Be Taken in Handling:** Keep product dry.

**Precautions To Be Taken in Storage:** Store in a cool, dry ventilated area. Keep product dry.

### SECTION VIII - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure Guidelines:** N/A

**Engineering Controls:** N/A

**Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):**

Eye/Face Protection: If pouches are broken and powder is released to the air, use chemical goggles.

Skin Protection: If pouches are broken and powder is released, protective gloves (rubber, neoprene) should be used for prolonged direct contact.

Respiratory Protection: If pouches are broken and powder is released to the air, (e.g., package damage incident), recommendation is to wear a dust mask for handling/cleanup.

### SECTION IX - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Appearance (color, physical form, shape):** Clear pouch with a color liquid top and granular bottom with speckles.

**Flash Point (Method Used):** > 300°F./149°C. (liquid part)

**Odor:** Product is perfumed. Pure Essentials is not perfumed

**Solubility in Water:** Nearly 100% at 20°C/68°F.

**Odor Threshold:** N/A

**Decomposition Temperature:** N/A

**Physical State:** Powder: Solid at 20°C/68°F.  
Liquid: Liquid at 20°C/68°F

**Evaporation Rate (nBuOAc=1):** N/A

**Vapor Pressure (mm Hg):** N/A

**Specific Gravity/Density:** 0.91

**Vapor Density (Air=1):** N/A

**Melting/Freezing Point:** N/A

**Boiling Point:** N/A

**Reserve Alkalinity:** 13.54

**Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water):** N/A

**pH (1% solution):** 10.78 – 13.05

**Volatile Organic Compound (VOC):** Not applicable - Product not regulated for VOC Content at State or Federal level.

### SECTION X - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical Stability:** Stable

**Conditions to Avoid:** N/K

**Incompatible Materials:** N/K

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** None known

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** None known

#### SECTION XI - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on individual components indicates that if the pouch breaks, airborne dust from the dry material may cause slight respiratory irritation if inhaled, and direct contact with contents may cause moderate eye and mild skin irritation.

**Chronic Effects:** No chronic health effects reported.

**Target Organs:** No target organs reported.

**Carcinogenicity:** NTP: No IARC: No

#### SECTION XII - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Under normal and foreseeable uses, there are no concerns for aquatic organisms exposed to product ingredients at the anticipated environmental concentrations. Relevant environmental data have been reviewed and these indicate that the product is compatible with down-the-drain disposal routes, including municipal wastewater treatment processes and septic tank systems. This product is intended for dispersive use and should not be disposed of directly into the environment.

#### SECTION XIII - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Disposal Method:** Products covered by this MSDS, in their original form, when disposed as waste, are considered non hazardous waste according to Federal RCRA regulations (40 CFR 261). Disposal should be in accordance with local, state/provincial and federal regulations.

*Non Household Setting (federal):* Liquids may not be disposed in landfills. This is a dual phase product and liquids must be disposed of by incineration. Dry product must also be incinerated.

*Non Household Setting (California):* Waste Code 561

*Household Use:* Product used in household may be disposed of in refuse or in sewer.

#### SECTION XIV - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Transportation Information** – Products covered by this MSDS, in their original form, are not regulated for transportation.

For finished packaged product transported by ground (US DOT): – not regulated

For finished packaged product transported by sea (IMDG) – not regulated

For finished packaged product transported by air (IATA): – not regulated

## SECTION XV - REGULATORY INFORMATION

### UNITED STATES - FEDERAL

All intentionally-added components of this product are listed on the US TSCA Inventory.

EPA Registration Number: Not Applicable

**SARA chemicals:** This product contains none of the following SARA 313/302/304/311/312 chemicals

### STATES:

This product is not subject to warning labeling under California Proposition 65.

California Registration Number: Not Applicable.

### State Right-to-Know and CERCLA:

The following ingredients present in the finished product are listed on state right-to-know lists or state worker exposure lists:

Ingredient	CAS#	Level	States				CERCLA RQ
			MA	PA			
Sodium Sulfate	7757-82-6	5-10% 10-30%	MA	PA			N/A
Enzyme	9000-90-2	0.5 to 1.5%	NJ				N/A
Zinc Carbonate	3486-35-9 and 1314-13-2	0.5 to 1.5%	IL	MA	PA	NJ	N/A
Sodium Percarbonate	15630-89-4	5-10% 10-30%	NJ				N/A
Dipropylene Glycol	25265-71-8	30-60%	PA				N/A
Glycerine	56-81-5	1-5%	MA	PA	RI		N/A

### Canada

All ingredients are CEPA approved for import to Canada by Procter & Gamble. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and this MSDS contains all information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

## SECTION XVI - OTHER INFORMATION

Perfumes contained within the products covered by this MSDS comply with appropriate IFRA guidance.

P&G Hazard Rating:	Health:	2 (eye)	4=EXTREME
	Flammability:	1	3=HIGH
	Reactivity:	0	2=MODERATE
			1=SLIGHT
			0=NOT SIGNIFICANT

\*N/A. - Not Applicable

\*N/K. - Not Known

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