



## SAFETY DATA SHEET PRE-SOAK POWDER

### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name PRE-SOAK POWDER  
Product number C868

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Cleaning agent.

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier ARROW SOLUTIONS  
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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone +44 (0) 777 8505 330

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification

##### Physical hazards

Not Classified

##### Health hazards

Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319

##### Environmental hazards

Not Classified

##### Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)

Xi;R36/38.

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### Pictogram



Signal word Danger

##### Hazard statements

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H290 May be corrosive to metals.

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### Precautionary statements

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): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.  
 P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep 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.  
 P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
 P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national regulations.  
 P260 Do not breathe dust.

### Contains

DISODIUM METASILICATE

### Detergent labelling

< 5% anionic surfactants, < 5% non-ionic surfactants, < 5% phosphates

### 2.3. Other hazards

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

<b>SODIUM CARBONATE</b>	<b>30-60%</b>
CAS number: 497-19-8    EC number: 207-838-8    REACH registration number: 01-2119485498-19-0000	
<b>Classification</b> Eye Irrit. 2 - H319	<b>Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)</b> Xi;R36
<b>DISODIUM METASILICATE</b>	<b>5-10%</b>
CAS number: 6834-92-0    EC number: 229-912-9    REACH registration number: 01-2119449811-37	
<b>Classification</b> Met. Corr. 1 - H290 Skin Corr. 1B - H314 STOT SE 3 - H335	<b>Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)</b> C;R34 Xi;R37

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation

Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

#### Ingestion

Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.

#### Skin contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

#### Eye contact

Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

#### General information

Chemical burns must be treated by a physician.

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### Inhalation

This product is corrosive. Burns can occur. May cause coughing and difficulties in breathing. May cause discomfort. Burning sensation in mouth.

### Ingestion

Corrosive. Causes severe burns. May cause chemical burns in mouth and throat.

### Skin contact

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### Eye contact

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### Notes for the doctor

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Extinguish with the following media: Water spray, fog or mist. Dry chemicals, sand, dolomite etc.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

#### Hazardous combustion products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Oxygen.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

#### Protective actions during firefighting

No specific firefighting precautions known.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### Personal precautions

Do not touch or walk into spilled material. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of dust. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear protective clothing, gloves, eye and face protection.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

#### Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

#### Methods for cleaning up

Collect powder using special dust vacuum cleaner with particle filter or carefully sweep into suitable waste disposal containers and seal securely. Avoid generation and spreading of dust.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

#### Reference to other sections

For personal protection, see Section 8.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Usage precautions

May be corrosive to metals. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not breathe dust. Wear protective clothing, gloves, eye and face protection. Avoid spilling. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Provide adequate ventilation. Prevent accumulation of dust.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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### Storage precautions

Store at temperatures between 4°C and 40°C. Keep only in the original container. Keep container tightly closed and dry. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store locked up.

### Storage class

Corrosive storage.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

#### Specific end use(s)

The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

## SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): 2.

#### SODIUM CARBONATE (CAS: 497-19-8)

DNEL Industry - Inhalation; Long term : 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

#### DISODIUM METASILICATE (CAS: 6834-92-0)

DNEL Industry - Dermal; Long term : 1.49 mg/kg/day  
 Industry - Inhalation; Long term : 6.22 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
 Consumer - Dermal; Long term : 0.74 mg/kg/day  
 Consumer - Inhalation; Long term : 1.55 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
 Consumer - Oral; Long term : 0.74

#### MONOSODIUM PHOSPHATE (CAS: 7558-80-7)

DNEL General population - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 3.04 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
 Workers - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 4.07 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

PNEC - STP; 50 mg/l  
 - Fresh water; 0.05 mg/l  
 - Marine water; 0.005 mg/l  
 - Intermittent release; 0.5 mg/l

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Protective equipment



#### Eye/face protection

Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is possible. The following protection should be worn: Dust-resistant, chemical splash goggles.

#### Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible. It is recommended that gloves are made of the following material: Nitrile rubber. Polyvinyl alcohol (PVA). Viton rubber (fluoro rubber).

#### Hygiene measures

Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated.

## SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### Appearance

Powder

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### Colour

White.

### Odour

No characteristic odour.

### 9.2. Other information

#### Other information

Not determined.

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1. Reactivity

There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

#### Stability

Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No specific material or group of materials is likely to react with the product to produce a hazardous situation.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

There are no known conditions that are likely to result in a hazardous situation.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

#### Materials to avoid

Avoid contact with acids and acidic materials. Prolonged contact with aluminium, magnesium, alkali metals may cause - reaction and gas generation/pressure build up.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Oxygen.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Inhalation

This product is corrosive.

#### Ingestion

May cause chemical burns in mouth, oesophagus and stomach.

#### Skin contact

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

#### Eye contact

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

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### Toxicological information on ingredients.

#### SODIUM CARBONATE

##### Acute toxicity - oral

Acute toxicity oral (LD<sub>50</sub> mg/kg)

2,800.0

##### Species

Rat

##### Acute toxicity - dermal

Acute toxicity dermal (LD<sub>50</sub> mg/kg)

2000.01

##### Species

Rabbit

ATE dermal (mg/kg)

2000.01

#### DISODIUM METASILICATE

##### Acute toxicity - dermal

Acute toxicity dermal (LD<sub>50</sub> mg/kg)

5000.0

##### Species

Rat

ATE dermal (mg/kg)

5000.0

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## SECTION 12: Ecological Information

### **Ecotoxicity**

The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

### **12.1. Toxicity**

#### **Acute toxicity - fish**

Not determined.

### Ecological information on ingredients.

#### SODIUM CARBONATE

##### **Acute toxicity - fish**

LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hours: 300 mg/l, Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill)

##### **Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates**

, : 200-227 mg/l, Freshwater invertebrates, Freshwater invertebrates

#### DISODIUM METASILICATE

##### **Acute toxicity - fish**

LC50, 96 hours: 180 mg/l, Brachydanio rerio (Zebra Fish)

##### **Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates**

EC<sub>50</sub>, 48 hours: 1700 mg/l, Daphnia magna

##### **Acute toxicity - aquatic plants**

EC<sub>50</sub>, 72 hours: 207 mg/l, Scenedesmus subspicatus

### **12.2. Persistence and degradability**

#### **Persistence and degradability**

The product is expected to be biodegradable.

### **12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

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The product is not bioaccumulating.

**Ecological information on ingredients.**

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The product is not bioaccumulating.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

**Mobility**

The product is soluble in water.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

**Ecological information on ingredients.**

**SODIUM CARBONATE**

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

Not determined.

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**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

**Disposal methods**

Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

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**SECTION 14: Transport information**

**14.1. UN number**

UN No. (ADR/RID)	1759
UN No. (IMDG)	1759
UN No. (ICAO)	1759
UN No. (ADN)	1759

**14.2. UN proper shipping name**

Proper shipping name (ADR/RID)	CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S. (disodium metasilicate)
Proper shipping name (IMDG)	CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S. (disodium metasilicate)
Proper shipping name (ICAO)	CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S. (disodium metasilicate)
Proper shipping name (ADN)	CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S. (disodium metasilicate)

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

ADR/RID class	8
IMDG class	8
ADN class	8

**Transport labels**



**14.4. Packing group**

ADR/RID packing group	II
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IMDG packing group II

ICAO packing group II

ADN packing group II

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Tunnel restriction code (E)

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### National regulations

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended).

#### EU legislation

Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010 of 20 May 2010. Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as amended).

#### Guidance

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.

### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

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## SECTION 16: Other information

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### Revision comments

NOTE: Lines within the margin indicate significant changes from the previous revision.

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### Risk phrases in full

R22 Harmful if swallowed.

R34 Causes burns.

R36 Irritating to eyes.

R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

R37 Irritating to respiratory system.

R8 Contact with combustible material may cause fire.

### Hazard statements in full

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

### Disclaimer

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