

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## TANGO POWDER

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION

**GHS Product Identifier**

TANGO POWDER

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Poisons Information Centre Tel 131126

**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

Chlorinated machine dishwasher powder containing rinse aid.

**Disclaimer**

The information herein is to the best of our knowledge, correct and complete. It describes the safety requirements for this product and should not be construed as guaranteeing specific properties. Since methods and conditions are beyond our control we do not accept liability for any damages resulting from the use of, or reliance on, this information in inappropriate contexts.

### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

**GHS classification of the substance/mixture**

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 1B

STOT Single Exposure: Category 3 (respiratory tract irritation)

**Signal Word (s)**

DANGER

**Hazard Statement (s)**

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

**Precautionary Statement (s)**

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P103 Read label before use.

**Pictogram (s)**

Corrosion, Exclamation mark


**Precautionary statement – Prevention**

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.

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

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

**Precautionary statement – Response**

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.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Precautionary statement – Storage**

P405 Store locked up.

**Precautionary statement – Disposal**

P501 Dispose of contents/container: Recycle packaging by replacing cap and returning clean containers to recycler or designated collection point.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Ingredients**

Name	CAS	Proportion
Dichloro- 1, 3, 5- triazinetrione, sodium salt	2893- 78- 9	0- 10 %
Sodium carbonate	497- 19- 8	10- 30 %
Sodium hydroxide	1310- 73- 2	1. 6%
Ingredients determined not to be hazardous		30- 60 %
Non hazardous surfactants	Mixture	0- 10 %

#### 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

##### Inhalation

Remove from exposure, rest and keep warm. Unless exposure has been slight, obtain medical attention.

##### Ingestion

If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water to be taken slowly. Obtain medical attention.

##### Skin

If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly. Wash clothing before re-use. If symptoms of irritation persist, see a doctor.

##### Eye contact

If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes and see a doctor.

##### First Aid Facilities

Eye wash. Hand wash basin.

##### Advice to Doctor

Product contains a low proportion of sodium hydroxide, disodium metasilicate and SDIC. Vomiting has not been induced because of risk of aspiration into the lungs. If swallowed, may cause holes in stomach and intestines. Evacuation of stomach should not be attempted. Contact Poisons Information Centre.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

##### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam or water fog.

##### Hazards from Combustion Products

Carbon dioxide, water vapour, sodium carbonate, oxides of sulphur, chlorine, sodium hypochlorite, cyanuric acid.

##### Special Protective Equipment for fire fighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) required for fire-fighting personnel. If possible to do so safely, shut off fuel to fire. Use water spray to spray to cool fire-exposed surfaces and to protect personnel.

##### Specific Hazards Arising From The Chemical

Not flammable. Contact with aluminium, tin, zinc or galvanised iron may generate hydrogen, a flammable gas. Will react vigorously or violently with acids, generating much heat, and giving off carbon dioxide, a simple asphyxiant and chlorine gas, a toxic gas. Contact with ammonium compounds will generate ammonia, a poisonous gas. If tanks, drums or containers of this material are heated, they may rupture and project corrosive materials over a wide area.

##### Hazchem Code

2X

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

##### Spills & Disposal

Disposal of small spillages only. For large spillages liquids should be contained using sand or earth, and both liquids and solids then transferred to salvage containers. Residues should be treated as for small spillages. CAUTION: Before dealing with spillage take necessary protective measures, inform others to keep at a safe distance and, for flammable materials, shut off all possible sources of ignition.

CARE! Spillages will be slippery when wet. If local regulations permit, mop up with plenty of water and run to waste, diluting greatly with running water. Otherwise transfer to container and arrange removal by disposals company. Wash site of spillage thoroughly with water.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated place, out of reach of children. Large quantities should be stored in a dangerous goods store. Store in original container. Keep container tightly closed. Keep container dry. Keep away from acids, aluminium, tin, zinc and galvanised iron. Protect from physical damage. Clean up all spills promptly; avoid secondary accidents.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

##### Occupational exposure limit values

Substance	Regulations	Exposure Duration	Exposure Limit	Units	Notes
Sodium hydroxide		TWA	2	mg/m3	Peak limitation

##### Appropriate Engineering Controls

Do not use on aluminium, tin, copper or copper alloys, zinc or galvanised iron. If dust risk exists, consider local mechanical exhaust/extraction to keep airborne contamination below TLV.

##### Personal Protective Equipment

Avoid contact with the skin. Prevent contact with the eyes. Avoid breathing the dust. Personal protection to be selected from those recommended below, as appropriate to mode of use, quantity handled and degree of hazard:-

Face shield or safety glasses

Gloves, rubber or plastic

Plastic apron, sleeves and boots

Impervious overalls.

Dust mask. In case of vapour: Respirators in accordance with AS/NZS 1715/1716. The use of a P1 respirator with replaceable filters is recommended. Filter capacity and respirator type depends on exposure levels and type of contaminant. If entering spaces where the airborne concentration of a contaminant is unknown then the use of a Self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with positive pressure air supply complying with AS/NZS 1715 / 1716, or any other acceptable International Standard is recommended.

Always maintain a high level of personal hygiene when using cleaning chemicals. That is wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or using the toilet.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

##### Form

Solid

##### Appearance

White powder.

##### Odour

Slight smell of chlorine / alkaline.

##### Melting Point

No data.

**Solubility in Water**

Approx. 10% soluble in water, with generation of heat.

**pH**

11.5-12.5 (1% solution)

**Vapour Pressure**

None

**Flash Point**

None.

**Flammability**

Not flammable.

**Auto-Ignition Temperature**

No data for the mixture. Sodium dichloroisocyanurate will undergo self-sustaining decomposition with evolution of heat if heated to 240 - 250 °C.

**Other Information**

Alkaline. Hygroscopic. Will absorb moisture and carbon dioxide from the air. Will react vigorously with acids, generating heat and carbon dioxide, a simple asphyxiant and chlorine, a toxic gas. Contact with moisture will generate chlorine. May react violently with calcium hypochlorite. Contact with aluminium, tin, zinc or galvanised iron may generate hydrogen, a flammable gas. Contact with ammonium compounds will generate ammonia, a poisonous gas.

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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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**Chemical Stability**

Stable under normal use conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid**

Heat, flames, ignition sources and incompatibles.

**Incompatible materials**

Strong alkalis, acids, oxidizing agents, ammonium salts.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Emits choking and corrosive fumes when heated to decomposition.

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**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**Toxicology Information**

No adverse health effects are expected, if the product is handled in accordance with this Material Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms and effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Acute Toxicity - Oral**

LD 50 : Sodium hydroxide No data

LDLo : Sodium hydroxide 500 mg/kg oral, rabbit

LD 50 : Sodium dichloroisocyanurate 700 mg/kg oral, rat

6,000 mg/kg skin rabbit

**Ingestion**

Irritant. May cause burns to mouth and throat, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pains and diarrhoea (occasionally bloody). Can also cause swelling of the larynx and suffocation, perforation of stomach and intestines with constrictive scarring.

**Inhalation**

Severe irritation of the nose and throat. Can cause inflammation of the lungs.

**Skin**

Will cause burns to the skin, with effects including; Redness, blistering, localised pain and dermatitis.

**Eye**

Will cause burns to the eyes with effects including: Pain, tearing, conjunctivitis and if duration of exposure is long enough, blindness will occur.

**Chronic Effects**

Long term, low level exposure can lead to irritation of skin, lungs, nose, throat and mouth.

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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**Ecotoxicity**

Toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.

**Persistence and degradability**

Inherently Biodegradable.

**Mobility**

Powder is easily contained, but material is reasonably soluble in large amounts of water.

**Environmental Fate**

This substance may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Environmental Protection**

Avoid contaminating waterways, drains, sewers, or ground.

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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**Waste Disposal**

Refer to appropriate authority in your State. Dispose of material through a licensed waste contractor. Normally suitable for disposal by approved waste disposal agent.

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

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**Transport Information**

Store away from acids.

Dangerous Goods of Class 8 Corrosives are incompatible in a placard load with any of the following: - Class 1, Class 4.3, Class 5, Class 6, if the Class 6 dangerous goods are cyanides and the Class 8 dangerous goods are acids and Class 7.

Classified as a Class 8 Dangerous Good.

**U.N. Number**

3262

**UN proper shipping name**

CORROSIVE SOLID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

**Transport hazard class(es)**

8

**Packing Group**

II

**Hazchem Code**

2X

**IERG Number**

37

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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**Poisons Schedule**

S5

**Australia (AICS)**

All components listed.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Date of preparation or last revision of SDS**

17/10/2016

**References**

Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice  
Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons  
Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail  
Globally Harmonised System of classification and labelling of chemicals

**Signature of Preparer/Data Service**

Technical manager Tel: (03) 9450 4555

**Technical Contact Numbers**

Emergency Advice All Hours:

Chief Chemist Tel: (03) 9450 4555 Mon-Fri 8am - 6pm

Poisons Information Centre: 13 11 26 - 24hrs

**Other Information**

This SDS summarises at the date of issue our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product, and in particular how to safely handle and use the product in the Workplace. Please refer to the technical datasheet (Instructions for use), and the label on the drum. The company cannot anticipate or control the individual working conditions encountered and so each user should read this SDS carefully, and if in doubt ring the Contact Point Number given below.

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**END OF SDS**

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