Material Safety Data Sheet

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: COMPUBLEND(tm) II BASE U
MANUFACTURER: 3M
DIVISION: Commercial Care Division

ADDRESS: 3M Center
St. Paul, MN 55144-1000

EMERGENCY PHONE: 1-800-364-3577 or (651) 737-6501 (24 hours)

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Product Use:
Specific Use: 3M (TM) CompuBlend (TM) II Cleaning System Base Chemical

SECTION 2: INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	C.A.S. No.	% by Wt
WATER	7732-18-5	40 - 70
ACRYLIC ACID, POLYMERS	9003-01-4	10 - 30
EDTA TETRASODIUM SALT	64-02-8	10 - 30
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	1310-73-2	3 - 7
SODIUM CHLORIDE	7647-14-5	< 0.5

SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

3.1 EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Specific Physical Form: Liquid
Odor, Color, Grade: Clear golden yellow color, mild odor
General Physical Form: Liquid
Immediate health, physical, and environmental hazards: May cause chemical eye burns. May cause chemical skin burns. May cause chemical gastrointestinal burns.

3.2 POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

Eye Contact:
Corrosive (Eye Burns): Signs/symptoms may include cloudy appearance of the cornea, chemical burns, severe pain, tearing, ulcerations, significantly impaired vision or complete loss of vision.

Skin Contact:
Corrosive (Skin Burns): Signs/symptoms may include localized redness, swelling, itching, intense pain, blistering, ulceration, and tissue destruction.

Inhalation:
Respiratory Tract Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

Ingestion:
Gastrointestinal Corrosion: Signs/symptoms may include severe mouth, throat and abdominal pain; nausea; vomiting; and diarrhea; blood in the feces and/or vomitus may also be seen.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 FIRST AID PROCEDURES

The following first aid recommendations are based on an assumption that appropriate personal and industrial hygiene practices are followed.

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical attention.

Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Immediately flush skin with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing and clean shoes before reuse.

Inhalation: Remove person to fresh air. If signs/symptoms develop, get medical attention.

If Swallowed: Do not induce vomiting. Give victim two glasses of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get immediate medical attention.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES

Flash Point	*Not Applicable*
OSHA Flammability Classification:	Not Applicable

5.2 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA
Material will not burn.

5.3 PROTECTION OF FIRE FIGHTERS

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Nonflammable.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Material will not burn.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Accidental Release Measures: Observe precautions from other sections. Call 3M- HELPS line (1-800-364-3577) for more information on handling and managing the spill. Evacuate unprotected and untrained personnel from hazard area. The spill should be cleaned up by qualified personnel. Ventilate the area with fresh air. Contain spill. For larger spills, cover drains and build dikes to prevent entry into sewer systems or bodies of water. Dilute in a large excess of water. Carefully, and with stirring, add appropriate dilute acid such as sulfamic acid or vinegar. Confirm neutrality. Working from around the edges of the spill inward, cover with bentonite, vermiculite, or commercially available inorganic absorbent material. Mix in sufficient absorbent until it appears dry. Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Clean up residue with water. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities. Cover, but do not seal for 48 hours. Seal the container. Dispose of collected material as soon as possible.

In the event of a release of this material, the user should determine if the release qualifies as reportable according to local, state, and federal regulations.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 HANDLING

Keep out of the reach of children. This product is not intended to be used without prior dilution as specified on the product label. Avoid breathing of vapors, mists or spray. Avoid skin contact. Avoid eye contact. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water.

7.2 STORAGE

Store away from acids.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Use in a well-ventilated area. NOTE: When used as directed and diluted and dispensed with a COMPUBLEND (TM) Chemical Dispenser, special ventilation is not required.

8.2 PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

8.2.1 Eye/Face Protection

Avoid eye contact.

NOTE: When used as directed and diluted and dispensed with a COMPUBLEND (TM) Chemical Dispenser, eye contact with the concentrate is not expected to occur.

If the product is not used with the COMPUBLEND system or if there is an accidental release, the following eye protection is recommended: Indirect Vented Goggles, Full-face shield.

8.2.2 Skin Protection

Avoid skin contact.

NOTE: When used as directed and diluted and dispensed with a COMPUBLEND (TM) Chemical Dispenser, skin contact with the concentrate is not expected to occur.

If the product is not used with the COMPUBLEND system or if there is an accidental release, select and use gloves and/or protective clothing to prevent skin contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. Consult with your glove and/or protective clothing manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible materials. Gloves made from the following material is recommended: Butyl Rubber, Neoprene, Nitrile Rubber. The following protective clothing material(s) are recommended: Apron - Neoprene, Boots -

Neoprene.

8.2.3 Respiratory Protection
Avoid breathing of vapors, mists or spray.

NOTE: When used as directed and diluted and dispensed with a COMPUBLEND (TM) Chemical Dispenser, respiratory protection is not required.

If the product is not used with the COMPUBLEND (TM) system or if there is an accidental release, select one of the following NIOSH approved respirators based on airborne concentration of contaminants and in accordance with OSHA regulations: Half facepiece or fullface air-purifying respirator with N95 cartridges. Consult the current 3M Respiratory Selection Guide for additional information or call 1-800-243-4630 for 3M technical assistance.

8.2.4 Prevention of Swallowing
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water.

8.3 EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

Ingredient	Authority	Type	Limit	Additional Information
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	ACGIH	CEIL	2 mg/m3	
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	CMRG	TWA	2 mg/m3	
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	OSHA	CEIL	2 mg/m3	Table Z-1A
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	OSHA	TWA	2 mg/m3	Table Z-1

SOURCE OF EXPOSURE LIMIT DATA:
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
CMRG: Chemical Manufacturer Recommended Guideline
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration
AIHA: American Industrial Hygiene Association Workplace Environmental Exposure Level (WEEL)

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Specific Physical Form:	Liquid
Odor, Color, Grade:	Clear golden yellow color, mild odor
General Physical Form:	Liquid
Flash Point	*Not Applicable*
Boiling point	Approximately 212 ºF
Vapor Pressure	<=16 psia [@ 131 ºF]
Specific Gravity	Approximately 1.3 [*Ref Std:* WATER=1]
pH	9.5 - 10.5
Solubility in Water	Complete
Evaporation rate	Approximately 1 [*Ref Std:* WATER=1]
Viscosity	< 100 centipoise

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable.

Materials and Conditions to Avoid: None known

Hazardous Polymerization: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Hazardous Decomposition: Under recommended usage conditions, hazardous decomposition products are not expected. Hazardous decomposition products may occur as a result of oxidation, heating, or reaction with another material.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Please contact the address listed on the first page of the MSDS for Toxicological Information on this material and/or its components.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not determined.

CHEMICAL FATE INFORMATION

Not determined.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method: Incinerate in an industrial or commercial facility in the presence of a combustible material. As a disposal alternative, dispose of waste product in a facility permitted to accept chemical waste.

EPA Hazardous Waste Number (RCRA): Not regulated

Since regulations vary, consult applicable regulations or authorities before disposal.

SECTION 14:TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ID Number	UPC	ID Number	UPC
61-5000-6959-8	00-48011-14708-6		

Please contact the emergency numbers listed on the first page of the MSDS for Transportation Information for this material.

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

US FEDERAL REGULATIONS

311/312 Hazard Categories:

Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No Immediate Hazard - Yes Delayed Hazard - No

STATE REGULATIONS

CHEMICAL INVENTORIES

The components of this product are in compliance with the chemical notification requirements of TSCA.

The components of this material are in compliance with the new chemical notification requirements for the Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory.

The components of this product are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances.

The components of this product are listed on Japan's Chemical Substance Control Law List (also known as the Existing and New Chemical Substances List.)

All the components of this product are listed on China's Inventory of Chemical Substances.

The components of this product are in compliance with notification requirements in the Philippines.

The components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List.

INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

This MSDS has been prepared to meet the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Hazard Classification

Health: 3 **Flammability:** 0 **Reactivity:** 0 **Special Hazards:** None
Acid/Base: Alkaline

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) hazard ratings are designed for use by emergency response personnel to address the hazards that are presented by short-term, acute exposure to a material under conditions of fire, spill, or similar emergencies. Hazard ratings are primarily based on the inherent physical and toxic properties of the material but also include the toxic properties of combustion or decomposition products that are known to be generated in significant quantities.

HMIS Hazard Classification

Health: 3 **Flammability:** 0 **Reactivity:** 0 **Protection:** X - See PPE section.

Hazardous Material Identification System (HMIS®) hazard ratings are designed to inform employees of chemical hazards in the workplace. These ratings are based on the inherent properties of the material under expected conditions of normal use and are not intended for use in emergency situations. HMIS® ratings are to be used with a fully implemented HMIS® program. HMIS® is a registered mark of the National Paint and Coatings Association (NPCA).

Revision Changes:
Section 14: ID Number(s) and/or UPC(s) was modified.

In addition, information obtained from a database may not be as current as the information in the MSDS available directly from 3M.

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