



# COSHH Risk Assessment

**TABLET SALT (10 kg)**

**Product Code: BB096-10**

| PROCESS STAGE                                                                                                            | POTENTIAL RISK                                                                                                                                                       | CONTROL MEASURES                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | ACTION REQUIRED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| <b>DELIVERY</b>                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Packaged in 10 kg reinforced, disposable, polythene bags.<br>Product is supplied ready to use in compacted tablet form.  | Risk of spillage if the container is dropped.<br>Risk of injury to user if dropped.<br>Risk of Musculoskeletal disorder if not lifted correctly.                     | Trained employees should handle only single bags at any given time.<br>Take care not to drop bags.                                                                                                                                                                   | Transfer bags to store immediately following delivery.<br>Do not leave bags in areas where users of the building will come into contact with them.                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STORAGE</b>                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Containers must be stored upright in a cool, dry storage area.<br>Product must be kept stored in its original container. | Risk of emission of noxious fumes if involved in a fire – product itself is not flammable.<br>Minimal risk of spillage if bag is unopened.                           | Keep bags in secure storage areas.<br>Store all bags below chest height to minimise risk of dropping.<br>Restrict access to storage areas to authorised personnel.<br>Keep container dry.<br>Keep away from strong acids.<br>Open bags to be stored upright.         | Use oldest stock first.<br>Make regular checks to ensure that containers are not split or damaged.<br>Make regular checks to ensure that storage area is clean and tidy.                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>USAGE</b>                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Tablets are dispensed directly into automatic dishwashing machines water softener.                                       | Risk of eye contact<br>Risk of skin contact.<br>Risk of ingestion.<br>Risk of inhalation.<br>Take extra care when opening bags and open away from the body and face. | Handle the bags with care. Wear Personal Protective Equipment.<br>Brush up any spillages immediately.<br>Ensure that the bag is returned to the store when not in use.<br>Always read the manufacturer's instructions prior to use.<br>Use cup to dispense from bag. | Provide employees with PPE as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Protective overall</li> <li>• Chemical-resistant goggles</li> <li>• Neoprene or PVC gloves.</li> <li>• Dust mask if necessary.</li> </ul> Ensure that operatives are aware of location of First Aid facilities and personnel. |
| <b>DISPOSAL</b>                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Residual stocks can be disposed of with general refuse.                                                                  | Small risk of skin or eye contact.<br>Risk of contamination with other substances.                                                                                   | Ensure the product is not disposed of via a rainwater sewer (ie drain outside the building).                                                                                                                                                                         | Ensure that all operatives wear Personal Protective Equipment at all times during disposal.                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

**Name of Assessor:**

**Signed:**

**Print:**

**Position:**

**Date of Assessment:**

**Review Date:**

N.B. This risk assessment is offered as guidance only. It is your responsibility to ensure that it reflects the use of the product in your operation and amend accordingly.