



**Product Specification &**

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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**S773**

**DRY BLEND**



**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE PREPARATION AND COMPANY**

**Product Name:** DRY BLEND **Product Code:** S773  
**Manufacturer:** Prochem Europe Ltd., Oakcroft Road, Chessington, Surrey KT9 1RH, UK. Telephone No: 020 8974 1515 (UK) +44 20 8974 1515 (EC) Chemical Product Manager E, H & S  
**Emergency Action:** In the event of a medical enquiry involving this product, please contact your doctor or local hospital accident and emergency department, who may seek advice from the **UK National Poisons Information Service**, where our full product details are held.

**Product Description & Directions For Use:**  
 S773 Dry Blend Carpet Cleaner is a specially formulated powdered detergent for use in carpet soil extraction machines. S773 Dry Blend is suitable for use on most types of carpet, subject to proper pre-inspection and colour testing. Mix 15ml. (1 measure scoop) of S773 powder per 5 litres of hot water in the machine solution tank. **Always pretest carpet for colour fastness with ready-to-use solution of S773 before proceeding.** For unstable dyes use B109 Fibre & Fabric Rinse in place of S773, subject to testing. Pretreat heavily soiled areas and spots with S709 Multi Pro according to label directions. For excessive foam from previously shampooed carpets, add S760 Liquid Defoamer to the machine recovery system.

**SECTION 2: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

SUBSTANCE	RISK (See Section 16)	EINECS NO.	CAS NO.	% W/W (EC RANGE)
Phosphates	None	231-838-7	7758-29-4	More than 30%
Carbonates	Xi R36	207-838-8	497-19-8	15 to 30%
Sulphates	None	None	7757-82-6	5 to 15%
Silicates	C R34 Xi R37	229-912-9	6834-92-0	Less than 5%
EDTA	Xn R22 Xi R36	200-573-9	64-02-8	Less than 5%
Non-ionic surfactant	Xn R22 Xi R41 N R50	None	68131-39-5	Less than 5%
Phosphate	None	233-343-1	10361-03-2	Less than 5%
Non-ionic surfactant	-	-	-	Less than 1%
Fragrance (IFRA certified)	-	-	-	Less than 1%

**SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**Classification:** Irritating to eyes.  
**Eye Contact:** Contact with concentrate or solution may cause moderate eye irritation.  
**Skin Contact:** Prolonged or repeated contact with concentrate or solution may cause irritation and possible dermatitis.  
**Inhalation:** None expected in normal use.  
**Ingestion:** Ingestion of concentrate may produce nausea and irritation due to alkalinity.  
**Environment:** Contains less than 5% alcohol ethoxylate which is classified as very toxic to aquatic organisms. Raw materials are biodegradable. See Ecological Information for further details.

**SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Eye Contact:** Flush immediately with water for 10 minutes, then seek medical attention if irritation persists.  
**Skin Contact:** Flush skin with plenty of water. Seek medical attention if any skin irritation persists.  
**Inhalation:** None required.  
**Ingestion:** If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If injured party is conscious, give two glasses of water. Seek medical attention.

**SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Extinguishing Media:** Product is not flammable. Use water, carbon dioxide, dry powder extinguisher, or other media appropriate for materials actually involved in fire.  
**Fire/Explosion Hazards:** No explosion hazards.  
**Decomposition Products:** Exposure to fire may liberate carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, water and other unidentified thermal decomposition products from this product or its packaging.  
**Special Protective Equipment:** None recommended.

**SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal Protection:** Protective clothing, nitrile butyl rubber gloves, chemical splash goggles.  
**Containment and Disposal:** Large spills should be contained and disposed at legal waste disposal site. Small spills can be flushed with water to sewage drain linked to waste treatment facility.

**SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Handling Precautions:** Wear nitrile butyl rubber gloves and safety glasses when handling concentrate.  
**Storage Precautions:** Avoid extremes of temperature. Keep out of reach of children. Keep in original container.

**SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Exposure Limits:** 10mg/m<sup>3</sup> total 5mg/m<sup>3</sup> respirable dust EH40  
**Environmental Controls:** For additional guidance, contact ENVIROWISE at [www.envirowise.gov.uk](http://www.envirowise.gov.uk) or telephone 0800 585794  
**Eye Protection:** Side shield safety glasses are recommended when handling concentrate.  
**Protective Clothing:** Standard work clothing and nitrile butyl rubber gloves. Protective gloves should be inspected for wear before use and replaced regularly in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications.  
**Respiratory Protection:** Not required.  
**Ventilation:** Normal air circulation.  
**Hygiene:** Wash hands and clothing after use or spill. Do not eat or drink when handling chemicals.

**SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Appearance/Colour/State:** Moist White Powder

**Odour:** Lemon & lime  
**pH Concentrate:** 12   **pH Diluted:** 9.5  
**Boiling Point / Range °C:** Not applicable  
**Flash Point °C:** None   **Method:** Not applicable  
**Flammability Limit %:** Not applicable  
**Explosive Properties:** Not applicable  
**Oxidising Properties:** Not applicable  
**Vapour Pressure:** Not determined  
**Relative Density (Water = 1):** Not applicable  
**Solubility:** Partial in water  
**Partition Coefficient (N-octanol / Water):** Not determined  
**Viscosity:** Not applicable  
**Vapour Density:** Not determined  
**Evaporation Rate:** Not determined  
**% Active:** 90  
**% Solids:** Not applicable

#### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Stability:** Stable  
**Conditions to Avoid:** Extremes of temperature.  
**Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid):** Strong acids.  
**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Exposure to fire may liberate carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, water and other unidentified thermal decomposition products from this product or its packaging.

#### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Eye Contact:** Contact with concentrate or solution may produce moderate irritation if not promptly rinsed.  
**Skin Contact:** Prolonged or repeated contact may cause irritation and possible dermatitis.  
**Inhalation:** No health effects expected. Excessive exposure to dust may cause respiratory irritation.  
**Ingestion:** Product is alkaline and may produce gastrointestinal irritation and nausea.  
**Acute and Chronic Effects:**  
**Acute Toxicity:** LD50 1153mg/Kg (Oral-rat) (Sodium metasilicate)  
LD50 2000 mg/Kg (Oral-rat) (EDTA)  
**Corrosivity / Irritation:** Skin, eye and respiratory.  
**Sensitisation:** None known.  
**Repeated Dose Toxicity:** Not established.  
**Mutagenicity:** None.  
**Carcinogenicity:** None.  
**Teratogenicity:** None.

#### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity:** Contains less than 5% alcohol ethoxylate which is classified as very toxic to aquatic organisms.  
Alcohol Ethoxylate   Fish EC50 10mg/l  
                                  Algae EC50 1mg/l  
                                  Daphnia EC50 10mg/l

**Mobility:** Soluble in water.  
**Persistence and Degradability:** The raw material ingredients in this product are biodegradable within the scope of current EC legislation. The major packaging materials of polyethylene and fibreboard are recyclable.  
**Bioaccumulative Potential:** Does not bioaccumulate.  
**Other Effects:** None known or no relevant data available for substances in this preparation.

#### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste cleaning effluent should be discharged to a sewage drain, which is linked to a local sewage and waste treatment facility. Large quantities of product for disposal should be consigned to a licensed haulier in accordance with UK and EC regulations.  
Empty containers should be rinsed with water then crushed and disposed of at legal waste disposal site.  
Contact local Environment Agency office for waste holder requirements.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**UN No:** None  
**Classification:** Not classified as hazardous for transport  
**Proper Shipping Name:** None  
**Packing Group:** None  
**Road (ADR):** None  
**Sea (IMDG):** None

**Air (ICAO / IATA):** None

**Rail (RID):** None

#### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**Classification:** Xi IRRITANT

##### **Risk Phrases**

R36 Irritating to eyes.

##### **Safety Phrases**

S2 Keep out of reach of children.

S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S37 Wear suitable gloves.

The information given has been compiled with reference to the **CHEMICALS (HAZARD INFORMATION AND PACKAGING FOR SUPPLY) REGULATIONS (CHIP 3) 2002** (as amended), the **CONTROL OF SUBSTANCES HAZARDOUS TO HEALTH REGULATIONS (COSHH) 2002** (as amended) and the **MANAGEMENT OF HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK REGULATIONS 1999** (as amended).

This safety data sheet does not constitute the users own assessment of workplace risk as required by other health and safety regulations.

#### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

**Risk Phrases:** R22 Harmful if swallowed. R34 Causes burns. R36 Irritating to eyes. R37 Irritating to respiratory system. R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes. R50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms.

For additional information on safety, training and use of this product, contact the supplier. This product is intended for professional use only.

The information given is intended to be of assistance to users but is without guarantee. Variations can occur in application and users are advised to conduct their own tests. Suggestions for use neither give nor imply any guarantee as to the intended use.

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