

# Ajax® Crème Cleanser

## 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

ACUTE HEALTH. . . . . 3  
 FIRE. . . . . 0  
 REACTIVITY. . . . . 0

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For consumer information: Call (800) 432-8226

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER: For emergency involving spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident, call CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300, day or night.

THE PITTSBURGH POISON CENTER HAS BEEN PROVIDED SPECIFIC INFORMATION FOR USE IN MEDICAL EMERGENCIES INVOLVING THIS PRODUCT: CALL COLLECT: (412) 692-5596.

HMIS HAZARD RATING				
Least=0	Slight=1	Moderate=2	High=3	Extreme= 4

PRODUCT NAME: Ajax® Crème Cleanser  
 LABEL CODE: 14942  
 CAS NUMBER: Not applicable – product is a mixture.  
 GENERAL USE: An EPA-registered disinfectant cleanser.  
 EPA Registration Number 8155-8-4582

## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

OSHA REGULATED COMPONENTS (present at a concentration > or = 1%):

Component	CAS #	%	PEL	TLV
Dodecylbenzene sulfonic acid	27176-87-0	5-10	NE	NE

The following components, present at a concentration > or = 0.1%, are listed as carcinogens or potential carcinogens by either the National Toxicology Program (NTP), the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) or OSHA:

Component	CAS #	%	PEL	TLV
None - not applicable				

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:

EYE CONTACT: Severe eye irritant. May cause permanent damage.  
 SKIN CONTACT: Causes severe skin irritation. May cause burns on prolonged contact.  
 INGESTION: Harmful if swallowed. May cause nausea, vomiting and diarrhea if swallowed in large amounts.  
 INHALATION: No adverse effects expected.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYE CONTACT: Flush eye with large amounts of water for 15 minutes. Contact a doctor or a poison center immediately.  
 SKIN CONTACT: Remove and isolate contaminated clothing. Rinse area with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Call a doctor or a poison center immediately.  
 INGESTION: Call a physician or a poison center immediately. Drink a glassful of water or milk. Do not induce vomiting.  
 INHALATION: Not applicable.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point (Method): Not Established  
 Extinguishing Media: Water spray, All-purpose dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>  
 SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn when fighting chemical fires.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Protective equipment must be worn. Isolate hazard area. Ventilate area. Stay upwind and keep out of low areas. Do not touch spilled material. Do not allow entry into waterways. Cover with inert, absorbent material and remove to disposal container.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Store in a tightly closed container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

GENERAL CONTROLS: Avoid eye and skin contact. Use with adequate ventilation.  
 PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: Chemical protective clothing composed of natural rubber, neoprene, nitrile, or polyvinyl chloride is highly recommended. Wear appropriate gloves, apron, safety shoes, splash-proof chemical goggles, and face shield.  
 SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS: Keep out of the reach of children.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance and odor: Green cream. Lime odor. pH (as is): 1.05 - 2.0  
Density: 1.05 ± 0.05

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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

GENERAL: This product is stable. Hazardous polymerization will not occur.  
INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS: None known.  
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION: None known.

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product has not been tested as a whole. However, this formula was reviewed by expert toxicologists in the Product Safety Assurance Department of Colgate-Palmolive and is determined to be safe for its intended use. This review has taken into consideration available safety-related information including information on individual ingredients, similar ingredients, similar formulas and potential ingredient interactions. This review is a component of the hazard determination used to prepare the statements in Section 3 of the MSDS.

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not available.

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Any disposal practice must be in compliance with local, state, and federal laws and regulations (contact local or state government agency for specific rules). Do not dump into sewers, any body of water, or onto the ground.

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## 14. TRANSPORTATION

DOT Classification: Consumer Commodity ORM-D

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### RCRA (40 CFR 261, Subpart D):

This product exhibits the hazardous waste characteristic of corrosivity D002 (pH 1.5-2.0).

### CLEAN WATER ACT:

Contains dodecylbenzene sulfonic acid which is a Section 311 material.

### CLEAN AIR ACT:

Not Applicable.

### SARA:

Sections 301-304 (Threshold planning quantity – TPQ)

40 CFR 355: Not Applicable.

### Section 313 (Toxic chemical release reporting)

40 CFR 372: The following chemicals must be reported under SARA 313: Not Applicable.

### CERCLA:

Section 102 (Reportable Quantity – RQ)

40 CFR 302:

The RQ for this product to the environment is 100 lbs. based on the hazardous waste characteristic of corrosivity. Releases greater than or equal to 100 lbs. must be reported to the National Response Center (NRC) immediately: 800-424-8802.

### TSCA Section 8(b) INVENTORY STATUS:

All ingredients in this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory or are not required to be listed on the TSCA Inventory.

### NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE LIST:

This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements:  
Sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate, potassium bisulfate

### PENNSYLVANIA HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE LIST:

This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements:  
Dodecylbenzene sulfonic acid

### MASSACHUSETTS SUBSTANCE LIST:

This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements:  
Dodecylbenzene sulfonic acid

### CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65):

This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: None

### CANADA:

Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)-listed material.

This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements:  
Dodecylbenzene sulfonic acid

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Effective Date: August 23, 2001

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MSDS Status: Revised Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 14, 15

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