



COSHH RISK ASSESSMENT

Safety Floor Cleaner (5 litre)

Product Code: BD075-5



DANGER

PROCESS STAGE	POTENTIAL RISK	CONTROL MEASURES	ACTION REQUIRED
DELIVERY			
Packaged in 5 litre polythene containers in a cardboard carton. Delivered in single containers if required. Polythene containers incorporate handle for carriage.	Risk of spillage if the container is dropped. Risk of injury to user if dropped.	Trained employees should handle only single container at any given time. Take care not to drop bottles. Ensure that the cap is secured at all times.	Transfer containers to store immediately following delivery. Do not leave containers in areas where users of the building will come into contact with them.
STORAGE			
Containers must be stored upright in a cool, dry storage area. Product must be kept stored in its original container.	Minimal risk of spillage if caps are firmly in place. Caps are not child proof.	Ensure that the product is stored away from any acid-based substances. Keep containers in secure storage areas. Store all containers below chest height to minimise risk of dropping. Restrict access to storage areas to authorised personnel.	Use oldest stock first. Make regular checks to ensure that containers are not split or blown/damaged. Make regular checks to ensure that storage area is clean, dry and well-ventilated. Never decant concentrate into an unlabelled container.
USAGE			
Product is dispensed into a bucket or bowl of water, either directly or with the use of a pump dispenser. Product can be dispensed into a rotary cleaner solution tank. Product can be applied with a mop or cleaning cloth. Product can also be dispensed in a spray from a trigger-spray bottle.	Risk of severe skin burns and eye damage. Risk of ingestion. Risk of inhalation. Risk of spillage onto floor and into drainage system.	Handle the containers with care. Spray product away from the body and face at all times. Ensure that the container is returned to store when not in use. Always read the manufacturer's instructions prior to use. Never spray near foodstuffs.	Provide employees with PPE as follows: • Household rubber gloves • Eye protection When mixing solutions, ensure that operatives add product to water. Ensure that operatives are aware of location of First Aid facilities
DISPOSAL			
Empty containers must be rinsed thoroughly and disposed of as normal waste. Residual stocks may be disposed of into a foul sewer (sluice) using plenty of water. Recycle all containers wherever facilities are available.	Small risk of skin or eye contact. Risk of contamination with other substances.	Wash out the container using plenty of water. Do not store any other material in the empty container. Ensure that the product is exhausted before disposal. Ensure that the product is not disposed of via a rainwater sewer (ie outside drain).	Ensure that all operatives wear Personal Protective Equipment at all times during disposal.
Name of Assessor:		Signed:	Print:
Position:		Assessment Date:	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.