

# Material Safety Data Sheet

according to ANSI Z400.1- 2004 and 29 CFR 1910.1200



## SC JOHNSON® PASTE WAX

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### Product information

Trade name : SC JOHNSON® PASTE WAX

Use of the Substance/Mixture : Furniture Polish/Cleaner

Company : S.C. Johnson & Son, Inc.  
1525 Howe Street  
Racine WI 53403-2236

Emergency telephone number : 24 Hour Medical Emergency Phone: (866)231-5406  
24 Hour International Emergency Phone: (703)527-3887  
24 Hour Transport Emergency Phone: (800)424-9300

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Emergency Overview

Appearance / Odor : opaque / solid / solvent-like

#### Immediate Concerns

: Warning  
FLAMMABLE:  
Keep away from heat, sparks and flame.  
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

#### Potential Health Effects

Exposure routes : Eye, Skin, Inhalation, Ingestion.

Eyes : No adverse effects expected when used as directed.

Skin : Prolonged or repeated contact may dry skin and cause irritation.  
May cause skin reactions in rare cases.

Inhalation : Excessive exposures may affect human health, as follows:  
Causes headache, drowsiness or other effects to the central nervous system.

Ingestion : May cause abdominal discomfort.  
Causes headache, drowsiness or other effects to the central nervous system.

Aggravated Medical Condition : Individuals with chronic respiratory disorders such as asthma, chronic bronchitis, emphysema, etc. may be more susceptible to irritating effects

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### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous chemicals present at or above reportable levels as defined by OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 or the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations are listed in this table:

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight percent
Stoddard solvent	8052-41-3	60.00 - 100.00
Paraffin waxes and Hydrocarbon waxes	8002-74-2	10.00 - 30.00
Carnauba wax	8015-86-9	5.00 - 10.00
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene	95-63-6	1.00 - 5.00

For additional information on product ingredients, see [www.whatsinsidescjohnson.com](http://www.whatsinsidescjohnson.com).

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- Eye contact : Rinse with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
- Skin contact : Wash off with soap and water.
- Inhalation : Remove to fresh air. If breathing is affected, get medical attention.
- Ingestion : If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

- Suitable extinguishing media : Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
- Specific hazards during firefighting : Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.
- Further information : Cool and use caution when approaching or handling fire-exposed containers. For large quantities of flammable liquids, consider containment to prevent the spread of fire. Wear full protective clothing and positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

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Flash point : 31.1 °C  
87.98 °F  
Method: Tag Closed Cup (TCC)

Lower explosion limit : Note: no data available

Upper explosion limit : Note: no data available

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions : Remove all sources of ignition.  
Wear personal protective equipment.

Environmental precautions : Outside of normal use, avoid release to the environment.

Methods for cleaning up : Contain spillage, soak up with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and transfer to a container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).  
Use only non-sparking equipment.  
Dike large spills.  
Clean residue from spill site.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

Advice on safe handling : Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.  
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND PETS.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.  
Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

#### Storage

Requirements for storage areas and containers : Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

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### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	CAS-No.	mg/m3	ppm	Non-standard units	Basis
Stoddard solvent	8052-41-3	2,900 mg/m3	500 ppm	-	OSHA TWA
Stoddard solvent	8052-41-3	-	100 ppm	-	ACGIH TWA
Paraffin waxes and Hydrocarbon waxes	8002-74-2	2 mg/m3	-	-	ACGIH TWA

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Respiratory protection

Industrial setting : Use only with adequate ventilation.

Household setting : Use only with adequate ventilation.

**Hand protection** : For prolonged or repeated contact use protective gloves.

##### Eye protection

Industrial setting : If prolonged or repeated contact is possible:  
Safety glasses with side-shields

Household setting : Avoid contact with eyes.

**Skin and body protection** : No special requirements.

**Hygiene measures** : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash thoroughly after handling.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : solid

Color : opaque

Odor : solvent-like

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pH	:	not applicable
Boiling point	:	no data available
Freezing point	:	not applicable
Flash point	:	31.1 °C 87.98 °F Method: Tag Closed Cup (TCC)
Evaporation rate	:	no data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	no data available
Autoignition temperature	:	no data available
Lower explosion limit	:	no data available
Upper explosion limit	:	no data available
Vapour pressure	:	no data available
Density	:	6.52 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 25 °C
Water solubility	:	negligible
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	no data available
Viscosity, dynamic	:	not applicable
Viscosity, kinematic	:	not applicable
Volatile Organic Compounds Total VOC (wt. %)*	:	80 % - additional exemptions may apply *as defined by US Federal and State Consumer Product Regulations

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to avoid	:	Heat, flames and sparks.
Materials to avoid	:	Strong oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products	:	Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours.
Hazardous reactions	:	Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute oral toxicity : LD50  
estimated  
> 5,000 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : no data available

Acute dermal toxicity : No adverse effects expected when used as directed.

##### Chronic effects

Carcinogenicity : no data available

Mutagenicity : None Anticipated

Reproductive effects : no data available

Teratogenicity : no data available

Sensitisation : no data available

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity effects : no data available

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Observe all applicable Federal, Provincial and State regulations and Local/Municipal ordinances regarding disposal.  
Consumer may discard empty container in trash, or recycle where facilities exist.

RCRA waste class : D001 (Ignitable Waste)

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### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### Land transport

▪ **U.S. DOT and Canadian TDG Surface Transportation:**

Proper shipping name UN 1325 Flammable Solid, Organic, N.O.S., 4.1, II

|||Class: 4.1

UN number 1325

|||Packaging group: II

Note: Limited quantities derogation may be applicable to this product, please check transport documents.

#### Sea transport

▪ **IMDG:**

Proper shipping name UN 1325 Flammable Solid, Organic, N.O.S., 4.1, II

|||Class: 4.1

UN number: 1325

|||Packaging group: II

|||EmS: F-A, S-G

Note: Limited quantities derogation may be applicable to this product, please check transport documents.

#### Air transport

▪ **ICAO/IATA:**

Proper shipping name UN 1325 Flammable Solid, Organic, N.O.S., 4.1, II

|||Class: 4.1

UN/ID No.: UN 1325

|||Packaging group: II

Note: SC Johnson typically does not ship products via air, therefore it has not been determined if the product container meets current IATA/ICAO package criteria. Refer to IATA/ICAO Dangerous Goods Regulations for detailed instructions when shipping this item by air.

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Notification status : All ingredients of this product are listed or are excluded from listing on the U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory.

California Prop. 65 : This product is not subject to the reporting requirements under California's Proposition 65.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### HMIS Ratings

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<b>Health</b>	1
<b>Flammability</b>	3
<b>Reactivity</b>	0

### NFPA Ratings

<b>Health</b>	1
<b>Fire</b>	3
<b>Reactivity</b>	0
<b>Special</b>	-

#### Further information

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