

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant is a phosphate-free formulation designed to provide effective cleaning, deodorizing, non-food contact sanitizing, and disinfection specifically for hospitals, nursing homes, schools, food processing plants, and other institutions where housekeeping is of prime importance in controlling the hazard of cross contamination.

NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant, when used as directed, is formulated to disinfect inanimate hard surfaces such as walls, floors, sink tops, toilet bowls, tables, chairs, telephones, and bedframes. For larger areas, such as operating rooms, patient care facilities, and restrooms, this product is designed to provide general cleaning, disinfecting, and sanitizing of non-food contact surfaces.

NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant deodorizes those areas which generally are hard to keep fresh smelling, such as garbage storage areas, empty garbage bins and cans, toilet bowls, and other areas which are prone to odors caused by microorganisms.

**EFFICACY TESTS HAVE DEMONSTRATED THAT NP 5.5 HW (D&F) DETERGENT/DISINFECTANT IS AN EFFECTIVE BACTERICIDE, FUNGICIDE, AND VIRUCIDE IN WATER UP TO 400 PPM HARDNESS (AS  $\text{CaCO}_3$ ) IN THE PRESENCE OF ORGANIC SOIL (5% BLOOD SERUM).**

**DISINFECTION** - To disinfect inanimate, hard surfaces, apply solution with a mop, cloth, sponge or mechanical sprayer so as to wet all surfaces thoroughly. Allow to remain wet for 10 minutes, then remove excess liquid. For heavily soiled areas, a pre-cleaning step is required. Prepare a fresh solution for each use.

**GENERAL DISINFECTION** - Add 1½ ounces NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant per gallon of water.

**HOSPITAL DISINFECTION** - Add 2 ounces NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant per gallon of water.

To disinfect toilet bowls, flush toilet, add 1½ ounces NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant directly to the bowl water. Swab the bowl completely using a scrub brush or toilet mop, making sure to get under the rim. Let stand 10 minutes and flush.

**SANITIZATION OF NON-FOOD CONTACT SURFACES** - To sanitize porous and non-porous environmental surfaces such as floors, walls, tables, add 1 ounce of NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant per 2½ gallons of water. Apply solution with a mop, cloth, sponge or mechanical sprayer so as to wet all surfaces thoroughly. Allow to remain wet for 80 seconds, then remove excess liquid. For heavily soiled areas, a pre-cleaning step is required. Prepare a fresh solution for each use. This product is an effective sanitizer against *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Klebsiella pneumoniae*.

**BACTERICIDAL ACTIVITY** - When diluted at the rate of 2 ounces per gallon of water, NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant exhibits effective disinfectant activity against the organisms: *Escherichia coli*, *Klebsiella pneumoniae*, *Salmonella choleraesuis*, *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Streptococcus pyogenes*, *Enterobacter aerogenes*, *Streptococcus faecalis*, *Shigella dysenteriae*, *Brevibacterium ammoniagenes*, *Salmonella typhi*, and *Serratia marcescens*.

When diluted at the rate of 2 ounces per gallon of water, NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant exhibits effective disinfectant activity against *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* in addition to the above microorganisms and meets all requirements for hospital use.

**\* VIRUCIDAL ACTIVITY** - NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant when used on environmental inanimate hard surfaces at 1½ ounces per gallon of water exhibits effective virucidal activity against Influenza A/Brazil (lower respiratory tract disease).

**MILDEWSTAT** - To control mold and mildew on pre-cleaned, hard, non-porous surfaces add 1½ ounces of NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant per gallon of water. Apply solution with a cloth, mop or sponge making sure to wet all surfaces completely. Let air dry. Prepare a fresh solution for each use. Repeat application at weekly intervals or when mildew growth appears.

**FUNGICIDAL ACTIVITY** - At the 2 ounces per gallon dilution NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant is fungicidal against the pathogenic fungi, *Trichophyton mentagrophytes* (athlete's foot fungus) when used on hard surfaces in such areas as locker rooms, dressing rooms, shower and bath areas, and in exercise facilities.

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## NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant

CLEANER  
DEODORIZER  
SANITIZER (non-food  
contact surfaces)  
MILDEWSTAT (on hard,  
inanimate surfaces)

DISINFECTANT  
FUNGICIDE (Against  
pathogenic fungi)  
VIRUCIDE \*

### ACTIVE INGREDIENTS

Octyl decyl dimethyl ammonium chloride	1.650%
Dioctyl dimethyl ammonium chloride	0.825%
Didecyl dimethyl ammonium chloride	0.825%
Alkyl (50% $\text{C}_{14}$ , 40% $\text{C}_{12}$ , 10% $\text{C}_{16}$ ) dimethyl benzyl ammonium chlorides	2.200%
INERT INGREDIENTS	94.500%

TOTAL 100.000%

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

# DANGER

See side panel for additional precautionary statements

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**KILLS HIV-1 ON PRE-CLEANED ENVIRONMENTAL SURFACES/OBJECTS PREVIOUSLY SOILED WITH BLOOD/BODY FLUIDS** in health care settings (hospitals, Nursing Homes) or other settings in which there is an expected likelihood of soiling of inanimate surfaces/objects with blood or body fluids, and in which the surfaces/objects likely to be soiled with blood or body fluids can be associated with the potential for transmission of human immunodeficiency virus Type 1 (HIV-1) (associated with AIDS.)

**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR CLEANING AND DECONTAMINATION AGAINST HIV-1 OF SURFACES/OBJECTS SOILED WITH BLOOD/BODY FLUIDS.**

**PERSONAL PROTECTION:** When handling items soiled with blood or body fluids use disposable latex gloves, gowns, masks, or eye coverings.

**CLEANING PROCEDURES:** Blood and other body fluids must be thoroughly cleaned from surfaces and objects before application of NP 5.5 HW (D&F) Detergent/Disinfectant.

**CONTACT TIME:** Allow surface to remain wet for 10 minutes.

**DISPOSAL OF INFECTIOUS MATERIALS:** Blood and other body fluids should be autoclaved and disposed of according to local regulations for infectious waste disposal.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

### DANGER

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. CORROSIVE. Causes severe eye and skin damage. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contamination of food. Remove and wash contaminated clothing.

### STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. For eyes, call a physician. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If swallowed, drink egg whites or gelatin solution, or if these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Call physician immediately.

### NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

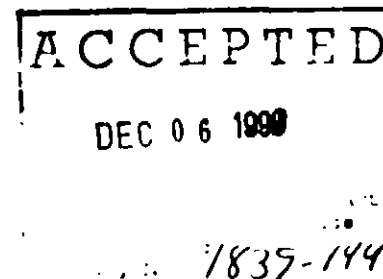
## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

DO NOT CONTAMINATE WATER, FOOD, OR FEED BY STORAGE OR DISPOSAL

**STORAGE** - Store in a dry place no lower in temperature than 50°F or higher than 120°F.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL** - Do not reuse empty container. Triple rinse empty container with water. Return metal drum then offer for reconditioning or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities. Plastic containers may be disposed of in a sanitary landfill, incinerated, or if allowed by local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL** - Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or residue is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions contact you State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.



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