SAFE CARE.



Industrial Cleaners, Solvents & Specialty Products

SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash

DESCRIPTION:

Commercially grown vegetables and fruits generally contain residues of pesticides, herbicides, fungicides, fertilizers, mineral oils, food waxes and organic soils from birds, etc. Just a small amount of *SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash* will completely surround and hold the soil in suspension so that it can be washed away without damaging the fruit or vegetable surface. *SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash* may also be used to clean storage bins, crates, conveyors, flumes, and controlled atmosphere (CA) rooms. The non-ionic surfactant system used for *SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash* complies with:



BioPreferred

- NSF 3D Registered meets USDA 1998 3D Guidelines for Fruit and Vegetable Washing
- USDA
- OSHA 29-CFR Ch. XVII 1910.1200 and 40 CFR Ch. 1, Subparts C & D
- USEPA 600, 4-90, 027 for aquatic toxicity
- USEPA 601 & 602 for VOC testing
- USDA BioPreferred[®] Program

INSTRUCTIONS: SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash can be spray applied to fruits and vegetables or submerged in either a batch or continuous system. The cleaning solution may vary depending on the type of fruit or vegetable and the cleaning system; generally, a .5% - 2% solution of **SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash**. For the best results, the water should be no more than 91°F and the fruits and vegetable should dwell for 1–2 minutes before rinsing with clean water.

- <u>Batch System</u>: Fill vessel containing fruits or vegetables with circulating water. In order to minimize foaming, add *SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash* to the water to make a 0.5% to 2% solution and allow 1 minute of dwell time.
- <u>Continuous System</u>: Vessel containing process water should be circulating before the initial dose of *SC-Fruit & Vegetable Wash* is added, then add 1% dilution (1:100 parts water) to vessel, and allow 1 minute of dwell time.

SAFE CARE® PRODUCTS ARE:

- Non-toxic
- Non-reactive
- Non-carcinogenic
- Readily biodegradable
- Derived from renewable resources
- Safe to use, store and dispose of

SAFE CARE® PRODUCTS DO NOT CONTAIN:

- Petroleum distillates
- Glycol ethers
- Terpenes
- Synthetics
- Builders & reagentsCaustics

- **BASIC PROPERTIES:** Appearance:
- Odor: Water Solubility: Boiling Point: Flash Point: Specific Gravity: pH Range:

Clear, light amber liquid Mild surfactant 100% Soluble 100°C (212°F) None ~1.01 @60/60°F 9.7 – 10.7

The information contained herein is believed to be correct including test data conducted under controlled laboratory conditions. Users of *SAFE CARE* products should perform their own test(s) to determine the suitability of the product for their specific application(s).

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