

Lye- Potassium Hydroxide

- ❖ Harmful if swallowed or inhaled
- ❖ Can cause severe eye and skin burns
- ❖ Can cause severe respiratory & digestive burns
- ❖ Repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis (Eczema)

Found in:

Cascade Liquid Dishwasher

Olay Hydrating Skin Care

Pantene Hair Spray and Hair Care Products

Murphy's Oil Soap

Nitrile Latex Free Gloves

Lysol Spray Cleaner

Virboc Pet Shampoo



Hydrochloric Acid

- ❖ Severe damage to skin and eyes
- ❖ Throat irritation even when exposed briefly and at low levels
- ❖ Linked to reactive airways dysfunction syndrome
- ❖ (Sounds like asthma to me)

Products found in:

Lysol Toilet Bowl Cleaner

Lime-a-way Bowl Cleaner

Sparkle Emulsion Bowl Cleaner

Febreze Laundry Odor Eliminator



Sodium Hydroxide

- ❖ Causes 75% of all caustic injury to the esophagus of kids under 5 years old
- ❖ Can cause burns in tissues
- ❖ Can cause chronic skin irritation
- ❖ Can cause irritation to the respiratory tract
- ❖ Can cause liver & kidney damage

Found in:

Cascade Rinse Formula
409 Degreaser
Chlorox Clean Up Spray with Bleach
Soft Scrub Liquid Gel
Lysol Toilet Bowl Cleaner
Comet Cleanser with Bleach
Drano Max clog Remover
Easy Off Oven Cleaner
Palmolive Gel-Lemon Scent
Woolite Dark Fabric Wash
Chlorox Bleach Pen
Tide Ultra Liquid
Bug B Gon Insect Killer

Personal Care Products

Colgate, Crest, Ultra Bright, Aquafresh Toothpaste
Crest Whitening Strips
Old Spice Deodorant
Olay Total Effects Moisturizing Vitamin Complex
Jerkens Skin Firming Moisturizing
Neutrogena Moisture for Sensitive Skin

Dove Ultra Moisturizing Body Wash
Oil of Olay ProVital Night Cream



Butyl Cellosolve

- Linked to reproductive harm
- Can cause irritation and tissue damage from inhalation
- Exposure for 15 min. while cleaning shower, could inhale 3x the acute exposure limit
- Exposure through the skin

Found in

Windex original

Spot Shot Carpet Cleaner

Simple Green cleaner/degreaser

Glass Plus

Fantastik lemon scent cleaner

409 Wipes

409 All purpose cleaner

Fantastik Oven Cleaner

Orange Glo Spot Remover

Pledge Electronics



Monoethanolamine (MEA)

❖ **Linked to Asthma**

Products found in:

Tide Liquid Laundry/Tide Free Ultra Liquid
Dreft Liquid Laundry
Cheer Liquid Laundry
Ivory Snow Liquid Laundry
409 Spray Degreaser
Easy Off Oven Cleaner
Mr. Muscle Oven & Grill Cleaner
Spic & Span Disinfecting Spray
Stainless Steel Magic Cleaner
Damp Rid Mold & Mildew Control



Sulfamic Acid

- ❖ Toxic to lungs and mucous membranes
- ❖ Direct skin contact is corrosive
- ❖ Causes skin irritation
- ❖ Inhalation causes irritation to GastroIntestinal Tract

Found in:

Loreal Hair Color Products

Jet Dry Rinse Agent for the Dishwasher

Cameo Copper Cleaner

Lime-Away Tub and Toilet Cleaner

Scrubbing Bubbles Toilet Tablets- Citrus Scent

Dip-It Automatic Coffee Maker Cleaner



How do I verify this information?

<http://householdproducts.nlm.nih.gov/ingredients.htm>