



*Whitening Whites Safely
since 1883*

MSB and Septic Tanks

We have always boasted MSB as a non-toxic, non-hazardous, biodegradable, environmentally friendly product. It does have a non-toxic amount of an organic biocide and pH balancer, which is added to prevent algae build up in our mixing tanks. However, even in its concentrated form, the amount is too small for government standards to label it as toxic or hazardous. An SDS for MSB is available at our web site.

The national association that tests products for safety with septic tanks has not tested MSB, so we cannot apply the seal that indicates "safe for septic systems". We can tell you, however, that we receive many letters from people who report they use MSB because they have a septic system and feel in lieu of harsh bleaches and stain removers, MSB is the safest laundry whitener they can use.

We have not received any reports that MSB has been the cause of a septic system mishap or chemical imbalance.

Using MSB with your septic system is "at your own risk", but you certainly wouldn't be alone in giving it try — many have done so very successfully.

