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CAS	Chemical name	Threshold	Chemical family	Chemical function	Applicable Staples product categories of focus
101-20-2	Triclocarban	Not intentionally added	Antimicrobial	Antimicrobial	Formulated products Surface treatment for furniture, textiles, and other office supplies or electronics
3380-34-5	Triclosan	Not intentionally added	Antimicrobial	Antimicrobial	Formulated products Surface treatment for furniture, textiles, and other office supplies or electronics
Entire class	All organohalogen and halogenated flame retardants (PBDEs, etc.)	Not intentionally added. Less than 1000 ppm in testing	Chemical flame retardants	Flame retardants	Furniture, textiles
Entire class	All organophosphate flame retardants (TDCPP, etc.)	Not intentionally added. Less than 1000 ppm in testing	Chemical flame retardants	Flame retardants	Furniture, textiles
30007-47-7	5-Bromo-5-nitro-1,3-dioxane	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
52-51-7	Bronopol	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
78491-02-8	Diazolidinylurea	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
6440-58-0	DMDM hydantoin	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
50-00-0	Formaldehyde	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
107-22-2	Glyoxal	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
39236-46-9	Imidazolidinyl Urea	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
100-97-0	Methenamine	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
463-57-0	Methylene glycol	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
4080-31-3	Quaternium 15	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
70161-44-3	Sodium hydroxymethylglycinate (Propyleneglycol hemiformal)	Not intentionally added	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative	Formulated products
9011-05-6	Urea, polymer with formaldehyde	Composite wood products subject to Title VI of TSCA used in furniture shall be certified to meet or exceed TSCA Title VI compliant emissions standards.	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Adhesive	Furniture
68002-18-6	Urea, polymer with formaldehyde, isobutylated	For formulated, not intentionally added. For furniture, composite wood products subject to Title VI of TSCA used in furniture shall be certified to meet or preferably exceed TSCA Title VI compliant emissions standards.	Formaldehyde & Formaldehyde-Donors	Preservative, adhesive	Formulated products, furniture
7311-27-5	2-(2-(2-(p-Nonylphenoxy)ethoxy) ethoxy)ethoxy) ethanol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
27986-36-3	2-(2-Nonylphenoxy)ethanol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
104-35-8	2-(p-Nonylphenoxy) ethanol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
30784-30-6	4-(1,1-dimethylheptyl)phenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
52427-13-1	4-(1-ethyl-1-methylhexyl)phenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
17404-66-9	4-(1-methyloctyl)phenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
26543-97-5	4-isononylphenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
104-40-5	4-n-nonylphenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
84852-15-3	4-Nonylphenol, branched	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
127087-87-0	4-Nonylphenol, ethoxylated	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles

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9051-57-4	Ammonium salt of sulphated nonylphenol ethoxylate	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
20427-84-3	Ethanol, 2-[2-(4-nonylphenoxy)ethoxy]-	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
27176-93-8	Ethanol, 2-[2-(nonylphenoxy)ethoxy]-	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
28679-13-2	Ethoxynonyl-benzene	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
11066-49-2	isononylphenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
139-84-4	m-nonylphenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
9016-45-9	nonoxynol 10	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
26571-11-9	Nonoxynol-9	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
14409-72-4	Nonoxynol-9	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
25154-52-3	nonylphenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
37340-60-6	Nonylphenol ethoxylate	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
68412-53-3	Nonylphenol ethoxylate	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
27177-05-5	Nonylphenol hepta(oxyethylene)ethanol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
27177-08-8	Nonylphenol nona(oxyethylene)ethanol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
68412-54-4	Nonylphenol, branched, ethoxylated	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
27938-31-4	o-isononylphenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
136-83-4	o-nonylphenol	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
37251-69-7	Oxirane, methyl-, polymer with oxirane, mono(nonylphenyl) ether	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
90481-04-2	Phenol, nonyl-, branched	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
37205-87-1	Poly(oxy 1,2 ethanediyl), a (isononylphenyl) w hydroxy	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
51938-25-1	Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), alpha-(2-nonylphenyl)-omega-hydroxy-	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
127087-87-01	Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), alpha(4-nonylphenyl) omega-hydroxy, branched	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
51811-79-1	Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), alpha-(nonylphenyl)-omega-hydroxy-, phosphate	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
26027-38-3	Polyoxyethylene Nonylphenyl Ether	Not intentionally added	Nonylphenol & NP ethoxylates	Surfactant	Formulated products, textiles
94-26-8	Butylparaben	Not intentionally added	Parabens	Preservative	Formulated products
36457-20-2	Butylparaben sodium	Not intentionally added	Parabens	Preservative	Formulated products
4191-73-5	Isopropylparaben	Not intentionally added	Parabens	Preservative	Formulated products
94-13-3	Propylparaben	Not intentionally added	Parabens	Preservative	Formulated products
35285-69-9	sodium 4-propoxycarbonylphenoxide	Not intentionally added	Parabens	Preservative	Formulated products
Entire class	All per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFASs)	Not intentionally added. Items should have less than 100 ppm in a total fluorine test.	Perfluorinated chemicals	Grease, stain, and water repellants	Disposable foodware, furniture, textiles
80-05-7	Bisphenol A (BPA)	Not intentionally added	Phenolics	Coating agent	Register and point of sale paper rolls, thermal papers
79-97-0	Bisphenol C (BPC)	Not intentionally added	Phenolics	Coating agent	Register and point of sale paper rolls, thermal papers
620-92-8	Bisphenol F (BPF)	Not intentionally added	Phenolics	Coating agent	Register and point of sale paper rolls, thermal papers

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80-09-1	Bisphenol S (BPS)	Not intentionally added	Phenolics	Coating agent	Register and point of sale paper rolls, thermal papers
85-68-7	BBP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
84-74-2	DBP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
84-61-7	DCHP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
117-81-7	DEHP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
84-66-2	DEP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
84-69-5	DIBP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
26761-40-0	DIDP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
28553-12-0	DINP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
84-75-3	DnHP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
117-84-0	DNOP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
131-18-0	DPENP	Not intentionally added	Phthalates	Surfactant (Formulated products), Plasticizer (articles)	Formulated products, office supplies
9002-86-2	Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC)	For furniture less than 1% by weight, for other applicable categories not intentionally added	Polymer	Structural material	Binders, plastic office supplies, furniture (less than 1% by weight).
75-09-2	Methylene chloride	Not intentionally added	Solvent	Solvent	Formulated products
872-50-4	N-Methylpyrrolidone (NMP)	Not intentionally added	Solvent	Solvent	Formulated products
108-88-3	Toluene	Not intentionally added	Solvent	Solvent	Formulated products
79-01-6	Trichloroethylene (TCE)	Not intentionally added	Solvent	Solvent	Formulated products