

## **IS 4955:2001**

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### **Household Laundry Detergent Powders**

#### **SCOPE**

This standard prescribes requirements and methods of sampling and tests for laundry detergent powders for household use. The detergent powders are classified into three grades based on percentage of Active ingredient and Total Phosphates

#### **Requirements**

The standard specifies requirements for the following ingredients and skin sensitivity test:

- a) Active ingredient
- b) Total phosphates
- c) Sodium tripolyphosphate
- d) Active alkalinity
- e) Percent detergency
- f) Ash built up
- g) Skin sensitization potential