Is Dry Max safe for my baby?

At Pampers, nothing is more important to our people than ensuring the safety of our diapers for babies. We evaluate the safety of all ingredients used in our products, including specific testing for problems such as skin irritation and skin allergies. In addition, we constantly monitor consumer health comments to ensure product safety in real consumer use conditions.

Because of this commitment to safety, we made Pampers with Dry Max one of the most mom- and baby-tested diapers in our history. Hundreds of thousands of diapers were tested before they were ever placed on retailer shelves. Our Dry Max diapers use the same type of ingredients as Pampers’ other trusted products and, in fact, many other disposable diapers on the market. The key difference is simply in how we applied those materials and produced the diaper itself. To date, more than a million U.S. families have used more than two billion Pampers with Dry Max diapers.

For even more information about P&G's commitment to product safety, visit http://www.pgproductsafety.com/productsafety/index.shtml

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Was there ever a recall of diapers with Dry Max?

No, there was no recall of Dry Max products. In September 2010, the CPSC and Health Canada announced that they did not find a link between Pampers' Dry Max design and diaper rash. To read the complete Dry Max announcement, please click here: http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml10/10331.html

What are Pampers with Dry Max? How does the Dry Max design work?

Pampers Swaddlers and Cruisers with Dry Max are our high performance diapers and the biggest innovation to Pampers in 25 years. The development of the Dry Max design is the result of more than a decade of research and careful testing involving more than 20,000 babies - including many “tests” in our own homes. Utilizing an innovative diaper core, these hard-working Pampers with Dry Max diapers are thinner than before, and are Pampers’ driest diaper ever as they help lock in wetness.

The Dry Max design refers to the absorbent part of Swaddlers and Cruisers diapers, where our innovative manufacturing process makes the product thinner than before while locking in wetness to make it our driest diaper ever. This allows us to get rid of bulky fluff material, and to put the high-powered absorbent gel exactly where you need it to help lock the wetness away.

What are the materials in Pampers with Dry Max diapers?

Pampers with Dry Max diapers are made of the same types of materials that have been used in diapers for many years. The absorbent core is primarily composed of an acquisition layer containing pulp-based fibers and a storage core containing a super absorbent gelling material. This super-absorbent gel, which is used in most disposable diapers, is made into small beads that turn into a gel-like material in order to hold the large amount of liquid. This gel has been shown to be non-irritating, safe for skin and even safe if ingested. The absorbent core also includes a touch of fragrance inside, to help mask the smell of urine and BM.

The rest of the diaper is primarily composed of soft synthetic materials (Polypropylene and Polyethylene), which are commonly used in applications ranging from clothing to housewares to food packaging, as well as Lycra (a latex-free elastic). In addition, the diaper contains lotion, a cosmetic ingredient to help maintain the baby’s skin health. For a complete list of ingredients in Pampers Dry Max diapers, please visit: http://www.pampers.com/en_US/Pampers-DryMax-Ingredients

What diapers feature the Dry Max design?

Pampers’ Dry Max is a design feature included in Pampers Swaddlers (sizes N-3), Swaddlers Sensitive (sizes 3 and 4), and Cruisers (sizes 3-6) products. The Dry Max design is not featured in our Baby Dry products, or in our pants products (Easy Ups, UnderJams, and Splashers).

Who do I contact if I have any questions or need more information about Pampers with Dry Max?

We value your input, and want hear from you! If you have any questions or concerns, please give us a call at 1-800-PAMPERS (726-7377), Monday-Friday from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm ET. You can also contact us via email by clicking here: http://babycare.custhelp.com/app/ask