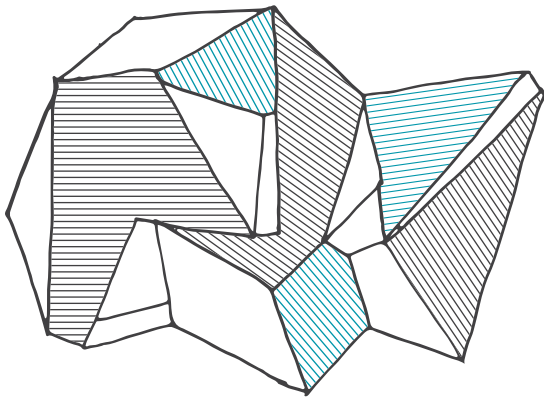


Trona, Soda Ash and Wyoming

Trona

Wyoming's Green River Basin holds the world's purest, largest and most accessible deposit of trona, which:

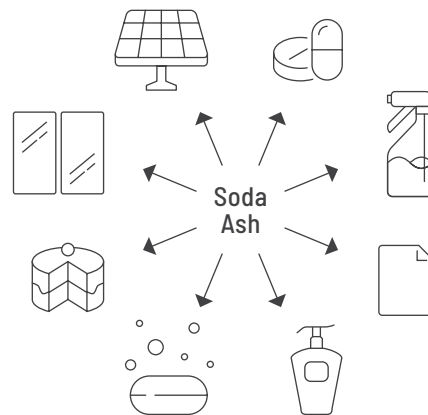


- is a mineral
- is a unique mixture of elements including sodium, alkali, bicarbonate
- was naturally created by Earth's evolutionary changes
- can be processed into soda ash and bicarbonate of soda

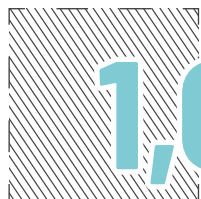
Soda Ash

Natural soda ash, which is the building block for everyday products used around the globe, is processed from trona. It is:

- known chemically as sodium carbonate (Na_2CO_3)
- occurs in many types of mineral waters and in mineral deposits of certain springs and lake brines, but is richest and most commonly found in trona
- is an essential raw material for such products as: glass, solar panels, pharmaceuticals, baked goods, soap, cleaning products, cosmetics, paper and more



Wyoming



Trona beds in Wyoming cover roughly 1,085 square miles

90%

About 90% of the nation's soda ash is located in Wyoming