**Homemade Clothes Washing Detergent**

1 bar Ivory soap shredded

5 Gallons Water

1 1/2 cup Borax

1 1/2 cup Washing Soda

Bring 1 1/2 gallons of water to a boil

Add shredded soap

Bring to a boil

Add borax and washing soda to boiling water. Boil, at a low boil, for 5 minutes. it will become thicker as you continue to stir it and all the soaps combine together.

Add 3 1/2 gallons of COLD water to your bucket and pour your soap into the cold water and start to stir. You will see it start to gel immediately.

Mix well to combine with immersion blender or paint mixer.

Let sit for about 30 minutes stir again really well.