

Section 1 - Identification of the Material and Supplier

Chemical nature: Superphosphate
Trade Name: Amgrow Superphosphate
Product Use: Phosphorus garden fertiliser
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Section 2 - Hazards Identification

Statement of Hazardous Nature

CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO THE CRITERIA OF SWA
NOT CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD BY THE CRITERIA OF THE ADG, IATA or IMDG/IMSBC criteria.

Risk Phrases: Not Hazardous - No criteria found.

Safety Phrases: S23, S36, S24/25. Do not breathe dusts. Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

SUSMP Classification: None allocated.

ADG Classification: None allocated. Not a Dangerous Good according to Australian Dangerous Goods (ADG) Code, IATA or IMDG/IMSBC criteria.

UN Number: None allocated

GHS Signal word: DANGER



HAZARD CLASSIFICATION:

Serious Eye damage/Irritation – Category 1

HAZARD STATEMENT:

H318: Causes serious eye damage

PREVENTION

P102: Keep out of reach of children.

P103: Read label before use

P280: Wear protective clothing, gloves, eye/face protection and suitable dust mask as required

RESPONSE

P101: If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand

P353: Rinse skin or shower with water.

P301+P330+P331: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician

P305 + 351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do – continue rinsing

P370+P378: Not combustible. Use extinguishing media suited to burning materials.

STORAGE

P402+P404: Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.

DISPOSAL

P501: Dispose of small quantities and empty containers by wrapping with paper and putting in garbage. For larger quantities, if recycling or reclaiming is not possible, use a commercial waste disposal service.

Emergency Overview

Physical Description & Colour: Grey to cream granules

Odour: Odourless

Major Health Hazards: Causes serious eye damage

Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Entity | CAS No | Conc% | TWA (mg/m ³) | STEL (mg/m ³) |
|-----------------|-----------|-------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Superphosphate | 8011-76-5 | 100 | not set | not set |

This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may vary slightly. Minor quantities of other non hazardous ingredients are also possible.

The TWA exposure value is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week. The STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) is an exposure value that should not be exceeded for more than 15 minutes and should not be repeated for more than 4 times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the STEL. The term "peak" is used when the TWA limit, because of the rapid action of the substance, should never be exceeded, even briefly

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

General Information: You should call The Poisons Information Centre if you feel that you may have been poisoned, burned or irritated by this product. The number is 13 1126 from anywhere in Australia and is available at all times. Have this MSDS with you when you call.

Inhalation: If exposed, remove victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation persists or breathing difficulties arise

Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing and wash thoroughly with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation develops. Launder clothing before reuse.

Eye Contact: Immediately irrigate with copious quantities of water for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids open. Urgently seek medical assistance – transport to hospital or medical centre

Ingestion: If swallowed, immediately rinse mouth out with water. Give water. Contact Poisons Information Centre or doctor. Do not induce vomiting.

Advice to Doctor: Treat symptomatically – can cause corneal burns

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

Fire and Explosion Hazards: Non- flammable. No fire or explosion hazards exist.

Decomposition: May give rise to toxic and noxious fumes

Extinguishing Media: Media to suit materials involved in fire.

Fire Fighting: If a significant quantity of this product is involved in a fire, call the fire brigade.

Flash point: Non Flammable

Upper Flammability Limit: Not applicable

Lower Flammability Limit: Not applicable

Auto ignition temperature: Not applicable

Flammability Class: Does not burn.

Hazchem Code: None allocated

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Minor spills do not normally need any special cleanup measures. In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses. As a minimum, wear overalls, goggles and gloves. Stop leak if safe to do so, and contain spill. Sweep up and shovel or collect recovered product into labelled containers for recycling or salvage, and dispose of promptly. After spills, wash area preventing runoff from entering drains. If a significant quantity of material enters drains, advise emergency services. This material may be suitable for approved landfill. Ensure legality of disposal by consulting regulations prior to disposal. Thoroughly launder protective clothing before storage or re-use. Advise laundry of nature of contamination when sending contaminated clothing to laundry.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling: Before use carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing hands before eating. Prohibit eating, drinking and smoking in contaminated areas.

Storage: Store in cool, dry, well ventilated area removed from combustible materials, herbicides, fungicides and foodstuffs. Do not allow to come into contact with water either from rain, condensation or

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the surface on which it is stored Ensure containers are labelled, protected from physical damage and sealed when not in use. Keep from extreme heat and open flames and make sure that the product does not come into contact with substances listed under "Materials to avoid" in Section 10.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

The following Australian Standards will provide general advice regarding safety clothing and equipment: Respiratory equipment: **AS/NZS 1715**, Protective Gloves: **AS 2161**, Industrial Clothing: **AS2919**, Industrial Eye Protection: **AS1336** and **AS/NZS 1337**, Occupational Protective Footwear: **AS/NZS2210**.

Exposure Limits **TWA (mg/mP^{3P})** **STEL (mg/mP^{3P})**

Exposure limits have not been set for any ingredients in product.

No special equipment is usually needed when occasionally handling small quantities. The following instructions are for bulk handling or where regular exposure in an occupational setting occurs without proper containment systems.

Ventilation: Avoid high dust concentration and provide local exhaust ventilation where necessary.

Eye Protection: Eye protection such as protective glasses or goggles is required when using this product.

Skin Protection: Wear gloves or gauntlets and long sleeves when using this product to protect against skin irritation

Respirator: Use P2 type canister respirator where high concentrations of airborne dust is present

Provision of eye wash facilities and safety shower recommended.

Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or going to toilet, launder protective clothing before re-use.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties:

Physical Description & colour: Grey to beige granular solid

Odour: Odourless

Melting Point: No data

Decomposition Temperature: no data

Flash Point: Non-flammable

Vapour Pressure: N/A

Density: 1.1g/kg

Solubility: Soluble in water

pH: no data

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: This product is unlikely to react or decompose under normal storage conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: Heat, flames.

Incompatibilities: Oxidising agents

Fire Decomposition Products: May evolve toxic and noxious fumes when heated to decomposition.

Polymerisation: This product is unlikely to undergo polymerisation processes.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Inhalation: May be irritating to mucous membranes and respiratory tract

Skin Contact: Contact with skin may result in irritation

Eye Contact: A severe eye irritant – corrosive to eyes and may cause corneal burns – may result in permanent injury

Ingestion: This product is likely to cause gastric disturbance such as nausea and vomiting if ingested in significant quantities.

Mutagenicity: non hazardous, **Reproductive Toxicity:** non hazardous

Carcinogen Status:

SWA: No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by SWA.

NTP: No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by NTP.

IARC: No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by IARC.

Toxicity to Animals:

LD50 No data available for this product

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Environment: Avoid contamination of waterways. Fertilisers, particularly those containing nitrogen and phosphorus can stimulate weed and algal growth in static surface waters. Nitrogen fertilisers can also contain or form Nitrate which can contaminate surface and ground water. High nitrate concentrations may render the water unsuitable for human and livestock consumption.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Disposal: There are many pieces of legislation covering waste disposal and they differ in each state and territory, so each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked. The Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate: Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle and only if all else fails should disposal be considered. Special help is available for the disposal of Agricultural Chemicals. The product label will give general advice regarding disposal of small quantities, and how to cleanse containers. However, for help with the collection of unwanted rural chemicals, contact ChemClear 1800 008 182 <http://www.chemclear.com.au/> and for help with the disposal of empty drums, contact DrumMuster <http://www.drummuster.com.au/>

Section 14 - Transport Information

UN Number: This product is not classified as a Dangerous Good by ADG, IATA or IMDG/IMSBC criteria. No special transport conditions are necessary unless required by other regulations.

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Poison Schedule: A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSMP)

AICS: All of the significant ingredients in this formulation are to be found in the public AICS Database.

Section 16 - Other Information

This SDS contains only safety-related information. For other data see product literature.

Acronyms:

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| ADG Code | Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (7 th edition) |
| AICS | Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances |
| SWA | Safe Work Australia, formerly ASCC and NOHSC |
| CAS number | Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number |
| Hazchem Code | Emergency action code of numbers and letters that provide information to emergency services especially fire-fighters |
| IARC | International Agency for Research on Cancer |
| NOS | Not otherwise specified |
| NTP | National Toxicology Program (USA) |
| R-Phrase | Risk Phrase |
| SUSMP | Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines & Poisons |
| UN Number | United Nations Number |

THIS SDS SUMMARISES OUR BEST KNOWLEDGE OF THE HEALTH AND SAFETY HAZARD INFORMATION OF THE PRODUCT AND HOW TO SAFELY HANDLE AND USE THE PRODUCT IN THE WORKPLACE. EACH USER MUST REVIEW THIS SDS IN THE CONTEXT OF HOW THE PRODUCT WILL BE HANDLED AND USED IN THE WORKPLACE.

IF CLARIFICATION OR FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED TO ENSURE THAT AN APPROPRIATE RISK ASSESSMENT CAN BE MADE, THE USER SHOULD CONTACT THIS COMPANY SO WE CAN ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM OUR SUPPLIERS. OUR RESPONSIBILITY FOR PRODUCTS SOLD IS SUBJECT TO OUR STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS, A COPY OF WHICH IS SENT TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND IS ALSO AVAILABLE ON REQUEST.

Please read all labels carefully before using product.

This SDS is prepared in accord with the SWA document "Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals - Code of Practice" (December 2011)

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