

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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FOR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY, SPILL, LEAK, FIRE, EXPOSURE OR ACCIDENT, CALL CHEMTREC - DAY OR NIGHT 1-800-424-9300

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

1.1 PRODUCT IDENTIFIER:

TRADE NAME: 0-0-50**1.2 RECOMMENDED USE:** SPECIALTY CROP NUTRIENT, GENERAL-USE FERTILIZER, SPECIALTY INDUSTRIAL USES**1.3 SUPPLIER DETAILS:**

LOVELAND PRODUCTS, INC.

P.O. Box 1286 • Greeley, CO 80632-1286

1.4 24-Hour Emergency Phone: 1-800-424-9300 - **Medical Emergencies:** 1-866-944-8565**U.S. Coast Guard National Response Center:** 1-800-424-8802

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification

Not known to be a Hazardous Chemical as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard

2.2 Label elements



Signal word:

WARNING

Hazard Statement:

H320 – Causes eye irritation.

H313 – May be harmful in contact with skin.

H303 – May be harmful if swallowed

Precautionary

Statement:

P261 – Avoid breathing dust / fume / gas / mist / vapors / spray

P273 - Avoid release to the environment

(Prevention):

P280 - Wear protective gloves and eye / face protection

Precautionary

Statement:

P337 + P313 – If eye irritation persists: get medical attention

(Response):

P305 + P351 + P338 – IF IN EYES: Rinse with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, and continue rinsing eyes.

P302 + P352 – IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes

Precautionary

Statement:

(General): P101 + P102 + P103 – If medical advice is needed, have product container or label available. Keep out of reach of children. Read label before use

2.3 Other hazards

None known

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN –

Appearance and odor: White to brown-colored granules or crystals with slight odor.

Potential Health effects**Routes of exposure**

Eye contact, skin contact, inhalation.

Eyes

May cause eye irritation.

Skin

May cause skin irritation.

Inhalation

May be irritating to respiratory system.

Ingestion

May be irritating to mouth, throat, and stomach.

Target organs

Skin. Eyes. Inhalation.

Signs and symptoms

May cause irritation to the eyes, skin, gastrointestinal tract, and respiratory system.

Potential environmental effects

This product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

3. COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.2 Mixtures

Chemical Name:	CAS No.	Classification	Concentration [%]
Sulfate of Potash	7778-80-5		99 - 100

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of First Aid Measures

General Advice: Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Eye contact: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Ingestion: Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Skin contact: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Inhalation: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferable by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

4.2 Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

Symptoms: Risk of damage to eyes. Skin irritation. Mucous membrane irritation.

4.3 Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment

Treatment: Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

FOR A MEDICAL EMERGENCY INVOLVING THIS PRODUCT CALL: 1-866-944-8565

Take container, label or product name with you when seeking medical attention.

NOTES TO PHYSICIAN: No specific antidote. Treatment of exposure should be directed at the control of symptoms and the clinical condition of the patient.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water fog, water spray, carbon dioxide (CO₂), foam. Do not use water jet as this will spread the fire.

5.2 SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE:

Specific Hazards During Firefighting: During a fire, oxides of sulfur may be produced.

5.3 SPECIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND PRECAUTIONS FOR FIREFIGHTERS

Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters: Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear should be worn in fighting large fires involving chemicals. Use water spray to keep fire exposed containers cool. Keep people away. Isolate fire and deny unnecessary entry.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

Personal Precautions: Avoid inhalation of vapors and dusts, and contact with skin and eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear suitable protective clothing.

6.2 ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS

Environmental Precautions: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water. Do not allow to enter drains, sewers, or watercourses.

6.3 METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEAN-UP

Methods for Clean-Up: Avoid breathing dusts. Sweep up dry spills immediately and transfer to suitable containers for possible land application according to label use or for disposal. Check local, state and federal regulations for proper disposal.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:

Advice on Safe Handling: Avoid inhalation of dusts and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not breathe dust or vapor. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not empty into drains. Handle and open container with care. Use care in handling/storage. Wash before eating, drinking and/or smoking.

7.2 CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE:

Requirements for Storage Areas and Containers: Store in a cool dry place away from children, feed and food products, and seed. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**8.1 CONTROL PARAMETERS:
OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS****OSHA PELs**

Components	Type	Value
Particulates not otherwise classified/regulated	TWA	15 mg/m ³ (Total Dust)

Biological limit values**ACGIH Biological Exposure Indices**

Components	Value	Specimen
No listings		

8.2 EXPOSURE CONTROLS:**Engineering Measures**

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimize the risk of inhalation of vapors and dusts. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.

Individual Protection Measures:

Eye / Face Protection: Goggles or shielded safety glasses are recommended.

Skin Protection: Chemical resistant clothing is recommended. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. The use of chemical-resistant gloves is recommended when handling undiluted product. Be aware that the liquid may penetrate the gloves. Frequent change is advisable.

Respiratory Protection: In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of vapors or dusts, use suitable respiratory equipment. Wear respiratory protection during operations where spraying or misting occurs. In the U.S.A., if respirators are used, a program should be in place to assure compliance with 29 CFR 1910.134, the OSHA Respiratory Protection standard. Wear air supplied respiratory protection if exposure concentrations are unknown.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 APPEARANCE :	Granules
ODOR:	Slight.
ODOR THRESHOLD:	0.1 ppm.
COLOR :	White to brown-colored.
pH :	7 (10% solution).
MELTING POINT / FREEZING POINT:	1956.2 ^o F (1069 ^o C) / 1952.6 ^o F (1067 ^o C)
BOILING POINT:	3072.2 ^o F (1689 ^o C)
FLASH POINT:	Does not flash
FLAMMABILITY (solid, gas):	Does not support combustion.
UPPER / LOWER FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSIVE LIMITS:	Not applicable.
VAPOR PRESSURE:	No data available.
SOLUBILITY:	Soluble
PARTITION CO-EFFICIENT, n-OCTANOL / WATER:	No data available.
AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE:	No data available.
DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE:	Not determined
VISCOSITY:	Not determined
SPECIFIC GRAVITY (Water = 1):	2.66 g/ml
BULK DENSITY:	166.06 lbs/ft ³ / 2660.03 kg/m ³

Note: These physical data are typical values based on material tested but may vary from sample to sample. Typical values should not be construed as a guaranteed analysis of any specific lot or as specification items.

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 REACTIVITY

Stable

10.2 CHEMICAL STABILITY

Stable under normal temperature conditions

10.3 POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS

No reactions known under normal use conditions. Will not polymerize.

10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID

Do not mix with other chemicals.

10.5 INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS

Incompatible with Magnesium. Aluminum.

10.6 HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

May release oxides of sulfur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 LIKELY ROUTES OF EXPOSURE

Skin contact, eye contact.

LC₅₀ (rat) (Urea): No data available.

LD₅₀ Oral (rat): 6600 mg/kg (Sulfate of Potash)

LD₅₀ Dermal (rat): No data available

Acute Toxicity Estimates: No data available

Skin Irritation (rabbit): No data available

Eye Irritation (rabbit): No data available

Specific Target Organ Toxicity: Single exposure: No data available.

Aspiration: No data available

Skin Sensitization (guinea pig): Not a sensitizer

Carcinogenicity: No data available

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: No data available

Interactive Effects: None known

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 ECOTOXICITY

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Ecotoxicological Data

Components	Species	Test Results
Sulfate of Potash (CAS: 7778-80-5)	Aquatic organisms	
	Fish (Lepomis macrochirus)	96 hr LC ₅₀ 653 mg/L
	Water flea (Daphnia magna)	48 hr EC ₅₀ 890 mg/L
	Algae (Desmodesmus subspicatus)	72 hr EC ₅₀ 2,900 mg/L

Drift or runoff may adversely affect non-target plants.

Do not apply directly to water.

Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash water.

Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from target area.

12.2 PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY

Biodegradability: The product is not readily biodegradable

12.3 BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL

Bioaccumulation: No data available.

12.4 MOBILITY IN SOIL

This product is water soluble and may disperse in soil.

12.5 OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS

Assessment: No data available.

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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**13.1 WASTE TREATMENT METHODS**

Do not reuse container. Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**14.1 LAND TRANSPORT**

DOT Shipping Description: NOT REGULATED BY DOT

U.S. Surface Freight Classification: FERTILIZING COMPOUNDS (MANUFACTURED FERTILIZERS), NOI; DRY (NMFC 68140, SUB 5; CLASS 50)

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**15.1 SAFETY, HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS****NFPA & HMIS Hazard Ratings:****NFPA**

1 Health	0 Least
0 Flammability	1 Slight
0 Instability	2 Moderate
	3 High
	4 Severe

HMIS

1 Health
0 Flammability
0 Reactivity
B PPE

SARA Hazard Notification/Reporting**SARA Title III Hazard Category:**

Immediate	<u>Y</u>
Delayed	<u>N</u>

Fire	<u>N</u>
Reactive	<u>N</u>

Sudden Release of Pressure	<u>N</u>
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Reportable Quantity (RQ) under U.S. CERCLA: Not listed.

SARA, Title III, Section 313: Not listed

RCRA Waste Code: Not listed

CA Proposition 65: WARNING: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or birth defects or other reproductive harm.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

SDS STATUS: Format change; all sections revised

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