

# **Spraygro Liquid Fertilizers**

ABN 47 007 974 490

# **Safety Data Sheet**

Globally Harmonised System (GHS)

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# **Hortimix**

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product Identifier

Product Name: Hortimix

CAS Number: Not applicable, mixture

Product Code: Hortimix

Formula Not applicable, mixture

Synonyms Not available

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture: Fertiliser

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Name: Spraygro Liquid Fertilizers

Address: 76 Grand Trunkway, Gillman, SA, 5013, AUSTRALIA

Telephone: +61 8 8447 7266

1.4 Emergency number

Emergency Contacts: 0438 897 977 - Product Chemist

0407 606 409 - National Sales Manager

# **SECTION 2: Hazards Identification**

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

This material is hazardous according to Safe Work Australia; HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.

# Classification of the substance or mixture:

Acute Toxicity, category 4
Acute aquatic toxicity, category 2

Chronic aquatic toxicity, category 2

Serious Eye Damage, category 1

Specific target organ toxicity following repeated exposure, category 2

SIGNAL WORD: DANGER







# **Hazard Statement(s):**

H302: Harmful if swallowed

H312: Harmful in contact with skin

H318: Causes serious eye damage

H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H401: Toxic to aquatic life

H411: Toxic to aquatic life with long-lasting effects

Poisons Schedule: S6 (SUSMP)

# **Precautionary Statement(s):**

# **Prevention:**

P260: Do not breath dust.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P273: Avoid release to the environment.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

#### Response:

P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

P314: Get Medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

P330: Rinse mouth.

P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P391: Collect spillage.

P301+310: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor

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

#### Storage:

# **Disposal:**

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations

# **SECTION 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients**

3.1 Components

Components	CAS Number	Proportion	Material Hazard Codes
zinc sulfate	7733-02-0	10 to 30%	H302,H318,H400,H410
manganese sulfate	10034-96-5	10 to 30%	H373,H411

# **SECTION 4: First Aid Measures**

For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 131 126)

# Inhalation:

If dusts are inhaled:

- Remove from contaminated area.
- Lay patient down, keep warm and rested.
- Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-value mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.
- Transport to hospital, or doctor, without delay.

#### **Skin Contact:**

If skin or hair contact occurs:

- Immediately flush body and clothes with water (use a safety shower if available).
- Remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.
- Wash skin and hair with running water. Contact Poisons Information Centre.
- Transport to hospital, or doctor.

#### **Eye Contact:**

If this product comes in contact with the eyes:

- Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water.
- Contact a Poisons information centre or a doctor and continue flushing until advised to stop.
- Transport to hospital or doctor.
- Removal of contact lenses if worn should be undertaken by skilled personnel.

#### Ingestion:

If ingestion occurs:

- For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre, or a doctor at once.
- Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.
- If vomiting occurs lean patient forward or place on left side to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.
- Never give liquid to a person showing signs of being sleepy or with reduced awareness. i.e. becoming unconscious.
- Give water to rinse out mouth, then provide liquid slowly and as much as casualty can comfortably drink.
- Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.
- Observe the patient carefully.

# Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:

Shortness of breath, Cough.

#### Note to Physician:

Treat symptomatically and supportively

# **SECTION 5: Fire Fighting Measures**

# **Extinguishing media**

- There is no restriction on the type of extinguisher which may be used.
- Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding area.

#### Special Hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

None known

# Advice for firefighters

- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses.
- Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.

#### Fire/Explosion Hazard:

- Non-Combustible
- Decomposition products may produce the following toxic and/or corrosive fumes:
  - sulfur oxides

Firefighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to products of decomposition.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures**

# Minor spills

- Clean up spill immediately
- Wear personal protective equipment when cleaning up (see section 8).
- Sweep/shovel for disposal. Comply with procedures laid down by local, state and federal governments.

# **Major Spill**

- Clear area of personnel
- Contact Fire brigade or other hazard agency.

Prevent entry of spills to sewer and public water. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public water.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and Storage**

This material is a Scheduled Poison S6 and must be stored, maintained and used in accordance with the relevant regulations.

# **Precautions for Safe Handling**

- Avoid skin and eye contact.
- Wash hands and other exposed area with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking.

#### **Conditions for safe storage**

- Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated place and out of direct sunlight.
- Do not store close to food or food cartons.
- Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10.
- Keep containers closed when not in use.
- Check regularly for spills.
- Keep out of reach of children and pets.

# SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Control Parameters:** No value assigned for this specific material or the constituents by the National Occupational Health and Safety Commissions.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment**

#### **Eye and Face Protection**

• Wear googles or glasses while handing this product.

#### **Skin Protection**

- Wear chemically resistant gloves.
- Do not wear clothes or shoes that reveal bare skin.

# **Respiratory protection**

• If excessive dust exists, wear dust mask/respirator.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical state: solid powder Colour: white/pink Odour: none pH (average): n/a Freezing point: n/a Boiling point: n/a Flash point: no data no data Evaporation rate:

Flammability: not flammable

Vapour pressure: n/a Vapour density: n/a

Specific Gravity: 3.1 (water = 1)
Solubility: Very soluble in water

Partition co-efficient no data
Auto-ignition temperature no data
Decomposition temperature no data
Viscosity n/a

# **SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity**

# **Reactivity and Associated Hazards**

# Stability

- Stable under normal conditions of use.
- Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

#### **Conditions to avoid**

See Section 7

# **Incompatible materials**

Incompatible with:

• None specified

# **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

• sulfur oxides

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological Information**

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

#### Ingestion:

- Swallowing may result in nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea and abdominal pain.
- Swallowing may result in severe acute poisoning.
- Swallowing may lead to chronic health effects.

#### **Eye Contact:**

• A severe eye irritant. Corrosive to eyes; contact can cause corneal burns. Contamination of eyes can result in permanent injury.

#### **Skin Contact:**

• While the components of this product are not considered an skin irritant (as classified by EC Directives), direct contact is not recommended as good hygiene practises should be used.

#### Inhalation:

• Breathing dusts may cause chronic health effects.

#### **Chronic:**

• There is some concern that exposure of this product may result in organ damage.

# Hazards for individual components\*

Components	Acute Toxicity	Irritation
zinc sulfate	LD50 for rat (oral) > 1710mg/kg	eye irritant
manganese sulfate	LD50 for mouse (oral) = 2330mg/kg	insufficient or no data

<sup>\*</sup> additional toxicity data, including sensitisation, genetic toxicity, carcinogenicity can be found in the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) databases.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological Information**

- DO NOT CONTAMINTE WATERWAYS
- Toxic to aquatic life
- Toxic to aquatic life with long-lasting effects

# **Ecotoxicity for product: No available data**

- Ecotoxicity for individual components\*

Components	Acute Aquatic Toxicity	
zinc sulfate	LC50 (96h) 0.78mg/L	
manganese sulfate	insufficient or no data	

<sup>\*</sup> additional toxicity data, including long-term aquatic toxicity, aquatic invertebrates, algae/microorganisms can be found in the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) databases.

Persistence and degradability: No specific data on this product Bioaccumulative Potential: No specific data on this product

Mobility in Soil: No specific data on this product

# **SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations**

# **Disposal methods:**

- Reuse or recycle clean containers where possible.
- Refer to local government authority for disposal recommendations. Dispose of material through a licensed waste contractor.

Normally suitable for disposal at approved land waste site.

# **SECTION 14: Transport Considerations**

#### **Land Transport**

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#### Marine Transport (IMDG)

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS

# Air Transport (IATA)

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory Information**

The components of this product are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport

This material is hazardous according to Safe Work Australia; HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.

Poison Schedule: 6 (SUSMP)

# **SECTION 16: Other Information**

This SDS was prepared using:

- The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals GHS (7th Edition) 2017.
- The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals GHS (9th Edition) 2021.
- European Chemical Agency C&L Inventory
- Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals (Safe Work Australia 2016)
- Guidance on the Classification of Hazardous Chemicals under the WHS Regulations (Safe Work Australia 2011)
- Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)
- The Poisons Standard, SUSMP (2022)
- Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. Edition 7.7 (2020)

This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material. Since Spraygro Liquid Fertilizers Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.

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