

Material Safety Data Sheet

According to EC Regulation 1907/2006

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Identification of the substance or preparation
MSDS Ref. No.: 8722.01.25

Product name: Sierrablen 28-5-5+Fe

Use of the Substance/Preparation

Recommended use: Granulated fertilizer.

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Indication of danger:

This product does not have to be classified according to the EU regulations (1999/45/EC)

Most important hazards

None

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical nature of the preparation

Ingredients	CAS-No	Weight %	EC-No.	Classification

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Ammonium nitrate, NH4NO3	6484-52-2	10 - 25%	229-347-8	O;R08
Sulphur, S	7704-34-9	5 - 10%	231-722-6	Xi;R38
Iron sulphate, FeSO4+1H2O	7720-78-7	1 - 5%	231-753-5	Xn;R22 R36/38
Magnesium oxide, MgO	1309-48-4	< 1%	215-171-9	NE

NE = Non-Established

For the full text of the R phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice: If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. If a person vomits when lying on his

back, place him in the recovery position. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. In case of respiratory difficulties practice oxygenotherapy.

Possible symptoms are nausea and/or vommiting.

Inhalation: In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Possible symptoms are coughing and/or

dyspnoea. Move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Skin contact: If a person feels unwell or symptoms of skin irritation appear, consult a physician.

Eye contact: Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. If eye irritation persists,

consult a specialist.

Notes to physician: Artificial respiration and/or oxygen may be necessary

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media:

Coordinate fire extinguishing measures to fire in surrounding area

Unsuitable extinguishing media:

Not applicable

Special exposure hazards arising from the substance or preparation itself, its combustion products, or released gases:

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours.

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary. Evacuate area and fight fire from a safe distance.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions:

Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental precautions:

Prevent product from entering drains. Do not contaminate surface water.

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Methods for cleaning up:

Shovel or sweep up. Use up product completely. Packaging material is industrial waste.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:

Technical measures/precautions: No special technical protective measures required.

Safe handling advice: Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of

ignition.

Storage:

Technical measures/storage conditions: Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Keep away

> from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. For quality reasons: Keep out of reach of direct sunlight, store under dry conditions, partly used bags should be closed well. Keep at

temperatures between 0 °C and 40 °C.

Incompatible products: Not applicable

Granulated fertilizer. Specific use(s):

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering measures to reduce exposure: Ensure adequate ventilation.

Occupational exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection: Not applicable.

PVC or other plastic material gloves. Hand protection:

Eye/face protection Safety glasses.

Skin and body protection: Usual safety precautions while handling the product will

provide adequate protection against this potential effect.

Hygiene measures Follow good housekeeping practices. When using, do not

eat, drink or smoke. Keep away from food, drink and animal

feeding stuffs.

Exposure limit values

Ammonium nitrate. NH4NO3

ACGIH: N.A. OSHA: N.A. Australia TWA NΑ

Czech Republic OEL = 10.0 mg/m3 TWA

Sulphur, S

Australia TWA

France INRS (VME) VME (poussières) = 10 mg/m³

Iron sulphate, FeSO4+1H2O

ACGIH: 1 mg/m³ TWA Australia TWA 1 mg/m³ TWA

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Belgium - 8 Hr VLE 1 mg/m³
Finland - Occupational Exposure Limits - 8 hour 1 mg/m³
Netherlands - OEL - MACs: 1 mg/m³
Norway - 8 h: 0.01 mg/m³
Portugal - TWAs 1 mg/m³ TWA
Spain - Valores Limite Ambientales - VLE 1 mg/m³ VLA-ED

 UK EH40 WEL:
 LTEL (8 hr TWA) 1 mg/m³

 STEL (15 min) 2mg/m³

Magnesium oxide, MgO

ACGIH: 10 mg/m³ TWA OSHA: 15 mg/m3 TWA total Australia TWA 10 mg/m³ TWA Austria - MAKs 6 mg/m³ 10 ma/m³ Belgium - 8 Hr VLE Czech Republic OEL 5 mg/m³ TWA France - Valeurs Limites d'exposition (VLE) 10 mg/m³ 10 mg/m³ VME France INRS (VME) Germany (DFG) - MAK 6 mg/m³ Netherlands - OEL - MACs: 10 mg/m³ Norway - 8 h: 10 mg/m³ 10 mg/m³ TWA Portugal - TWAs

Spain - Valores Limite Ambientales - VLE10 mg/m³ VLA-ED **UK EH40 WEL:**10 mg/m³

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

General Information

Physical State: Solid Appearance: Granular

Color: Orange, Grey, Brown **Odor:** No information available

Important Health Safety and Environmental Information

Boiling point/range:Melting point/range:
Not applicable
Decomposition temperature:
> 150°C

Solubility: Coating not soluble, release nutrients through coating

Vapour pressureNot applicableVapour densityNot applicable

Explosive properties: Doesn't present explosion hazard

Flammability (solid, gas): Non-flammable

Other information

pH: No information available

Bulk density: 800 - 1100 kg/m³

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Conditions to avoid Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

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Hazardous decomposition

products

No decomposition if stored normally. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of

irritating gases and vapours.

Hazardous reactions None reasonably foreseeable

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Component information

Ammonium nitrate, NH4NO3

LD50/oral/rat = 2410 mg/kg

Sulphur, S

LD50/oral/rat = > 2000 mg/kg **LD50/dermal/rat** = > 2000 mg/kg **LC50/inhalation/4h/rat** = > 5.4 mg/l

Iron sulphate, FeSO4+1H2O

LD50/oral/rat = 1389 mg/kg

Other information on acute toxicity:

No information available

Product information

Local effects

Skin effects: May cause skin irritation in susceptible persons.

Eye effects: Contact with eyes may cause irritation.

Inhalation: May cause sensitization by inhalation.

Ingestion: Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product information

Aquatic toxicity: No ecological information is known on the product

Ecotoxicity No ecological information is known on the product

Persistence and degradability

No persistent or cumulative effects were observed

Bioaccumulative potential Does not bioaccumulate

Mobility in soil No information available

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Ecotoxicity effects EC50/48h/daphnia =100 mg/l

LC50/96h/rainbow trout =100 mg/l EC50/72h/algae =74000 µg/l

Sulphur, S

Ecotoxicity effects No information available

Iron sulphate, FeSO4+1H2O

Ecotoxicity effects EC50/48h/daphnia = >100mg/l

LC50/96h/rainbow trout = >72.5mg/l (6d)

EC50/72h/algae = 22mg/l

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods: Use up product completely. Packaging material is industrial waste

Contaminated packaging: Empty containers can be landfilled, when in compliance with the local regulations

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Product information

Physical State: Solid

ADR/RID

UN-No: Not classified for transport

<u>IATA</u>

UN-No: Not classified for transport

IMO / IMDG

UN-No: Not classified for transport

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Indication of danger:

This product does not have to be classified according to the EU regulations (1999/45/EC)

In accordance with local and national regulations

ICPE (FR): Classified installation : article 1331

GefStoffV (DE): C III

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of R Phrases mentioned in Section 3

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

R 8 - Contact with combustible material may cause fire.

R22 - Harmful if swallowed.

R38 - Irritating to skin.

R36/38 - Irritating to eyes and skin.

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End of Safety Data Sheet

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