

Safety Data Sheet

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Description / Properties

Product Name: Sand Remedy™

Product Use: Proprietary blend of natural, absorbent minerals used in horticultural applications to increase water holding ability of soil.

Appearance: Off-white powder
Odour: Odourless

Hazards Classification: Not classified as hazardous.

Other: Certified Organic by NASAA (Cert No. 6327M)

Boiling Point: Not Applicable
Melting Point: > 1000°C
Vapour Pressure: Not applicable
Specific Gravity: Not available
Flash Point: Not combustible
Flammability: Not flammable
Bulk Density: Not available
Solubility: Insoluble
Chemical Stability: Stable
pH: 7 (in aqueous slurry)

Health Hazard Information

Acute:
Swallowed. Material is highly absorbent and could have a dehydrating effect. When ingested, material can swell several times in volume and could produce intestinal obstruction.

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Eye Contact:	Eye contact may cause mechanical irritation.
Skin Contact:	Skin contact may cause dryness.
Inhaled:	Inhalation may cause the drying and irritation of the respiratory tract. Acute aspiration may cause coughing, sneezing and breathing difficulties.
Chronic:	Because this product contains crystalline silica, repeated, prolonged or concentrated inhalation may cause delayed lung injury (silicosis).

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

Special Fire fighting Procedures:	None.
Poisons Information Centre:	13 11 26
Swallowed:	Immediately wash mouth out with water. Do not induce vomiting. If symptoms develop seek medical attention.
Eye:	If contact with the eye(s) occurs, wash with copious amounts of water taking care not to rinse contaminated water into the non-affected eye. If irritation develops seek medical attention.
Skin:	Remove contaminated clothing (wash before reuse). Wash skin gently and thoroughly with water and non-abrasive soap. If symptoms develop seek medical attention.
Inhaled:	Remove the source of contamination or move the victim to fresh air. Have victim blow nose to remove excess dust. Ensure airways are clear. Seek medical attention, keep victim at rest. Have qualified person give oxygen through a face mask if breathing is difficult.
First Aid Facilities:	Eye wash and normal washroom facilities.
Advice to Doctor:	Treat symptomatically.

Precautions for Use

Special Precautions:	Use in a well ventilated area. Keep exposure to dust as low as practicable. Where ventilation is inadequate and dust is generated the use of an air purifying Respirator with filter complying with AS/NZS1715 and 1716 should be worn.
Eye Protection:	The use of safety glasses with side shield protection or chemical goggles which comply with AS/NZ1336 is recommended.
Hand Protection:	Wearing gloves of an impervious material is recommended.
Exposure Limits:	No exposure standards have been established for this material, however the available* exposure limits on ingredients are as follows: Quartz TWA 0.1mg/m ³ Cristobolite TWA 0.1mg/m ³ (* National Occupational Health & Safety Commission Australia)

Safe Handling Information

Handling:	Ensure a high level of personal hygiene is maintained when using this product. Always wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet facilities.
Spilled Material:	Vacuum, sweep or mop up spilled material. Dampen spilled material with water to avoid generating airborne dust. Seal all waste in labelled containers for subsequent recycling or disposal, in accordance with local authority guidelines.
Storage and Transport:	Not classified as a Dangerous Good. Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area. Avoid generation of dust.

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