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# 1. Identification of the Substance and the Company

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name Symbio Mycogro 5-0-28+2.5MgO+1.5Fe + mycorrhizae and soil microbes

Product number

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

Identified uses Fertiliser containing beneficial mycorrhizae, fungi and bacteria

# 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. Hazards Identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture Classification

Classification according to Directive EC 1272/2008 Classification, Labelling and Packaging.

#### **Physical hazards**

**Not Classified** 

#### **Health hazards**

Eve Irrit. 2 - H319

#### **Environmental hazards**

Not Classified

#### 2.2. Label elements

Pictogram



Signal word Warning

Hazard statements H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

The bacteria and fungi in this mixture are considered to belong to hazard group 1 as defined by the Advisory Committee on



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Dangerous Pathogens (ACDP) as "a biological agent unlikely to cause human disease". It should NOT be assumed. However, that these organisms will be innocuous in all situations or that infections can never occur. The mixture should therefore not be used by, or in the presence of immunocompromised persons.

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Compound fertiliser containing 5% nitrogen, 28% potassium oxide, 2.5% iron, 1.5% magnesium

Ingredient CAS/EINECS Classification % w/w Ferrous Sulphate Heptahydrate 7720-78-7 Acute tox 4 H302 5-10%

> Skin irr 2 H315 Eye irr 2 H319

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

#### 4. First Aid Measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Eye contact: Immediately rinse with clean water for 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist or develop.

Skin contact: Wash exposed areas of skin with soap and water following use. Wash all contaminated clothing before re-use.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water and seek medical advice.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air.

# 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Eye Contact: Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause severe irritation. May cause severe eye irritation.

Skin Contact: Repeated and/or prolonged contact may cause irritation.

Ingestion: Based on components, product is considered to present little hazard by oral exposure.

Inhalation: Unlikely to cause harmful effects under normal handling and use.

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None

Additional medical guidance is available to doctors from the National Poisons Information Service.

# 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Non flammable

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

Use foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder, sand. The mixture is not classified as flammable. As such extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials should be chosen.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Possible irritant fumes arising from product decomposition.

# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Contain spread of extinguishing fluids. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus in confined spaces.

#### 6. Accidental Release Measures

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Wash hands and exposed skin after handling.



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#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Do not allow to enter drains or sewers.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel product or use other means and place in container for reuse

(preferred) or disposal.

# 7. Handling and Storage

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Ensure good ventilation at workplace. Ensure good hygiene practices are observed. Do not eat, drink or smoke when handling this product. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Ensure workplace exposure limits are observed. Do not block stack pallets.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in original containers, tightly closed in a secure, well ventilated, cool but frost-free, dry area. Store clear of foodstuffs and in a separate stack from herbicides.

# 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Fertiliser

# 8. Exposure controls/ Personal protection

# 8.1. Control parameters Occupational exposure limits

#### **Occupational Exposure Limits**

Follow workplace regulatory exposure limits for all types of airborne dust (e.g. total dust, respirable dust). Nuisance dust: Inhalable dust 10 mg/m3, Respirable dust 4 mg/m3

# Ammonium Sulphate, Long-term Exposure Limit (LTEL)

Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA)	10	mg/m3
Sand (Silica Dust respirable), Long-term Exposure Limit (LTEL)		
Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA) WEL	0.1	mg/m3
Dolomite, Long-term Exposure Limit (LTEL)		
Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA) WEL	10	mg/m3 inhalable dust
Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA) WEL	4	mg/m3 respirable dust
Calmag Magnesium Oxide, Long-term Exposure Limit (LTEL)		
Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA) WEL	10	mg/m3 inhalable dust
Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA) WEL	4	mg/m3 respirable dust
Urea, Long-term Exposure Limit (LTEL)		
Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA) WEL	10	mg/m3 inhalable dust
Long-term Exposure Limit (8 hour TWA) WEL	4	mg/m3 respirable dust
Potash (CAS 7447-40-7), Desired No Effect Level (DNEL)		
Worker		
Systemic long-term effects dermal:	580	mg/kg/day
Systemic long-term effects inhalative:	292	mg/m3
Systemic short-term effects dermal:	580	mg/kg/day
Systemic short-term effects inhalative:	292	mg/m3
Potash (CAS 7447-40-7), Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)		
Fresh water	0.047	mg/L
Marine water	0.047	mg/m3



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Ferrous Sulphate Heptahydrate (CAS 7782-63-0), Desired No Effect Level (DNEL)

Worker

Acute systemic effects dermal: 2.8 mg/kg/day 9.9 Acute systemic effects inhalative: mg/m3 2.8 mg/kg/day Systemic long-term effects dermal: Systemic long-term effects inhalative: 9.9 mg/m3 **General Population** 

Acute systemic effects oral: 1.4 mg/kg/day Acute systemic effects dermal: 1.4 mg/kg/day 2.5 mg/m3 Acute systemic effects inhalative: Systemic long-term effects oral: 1.4 mg/kg/day Systemic long-term effects dermal: 1.4 mg/kg/day Systemic long-term effects inhalative: 2.5 mg/m3

Ferrous Sulphate Heptahydrate (CAS 7782-63-0), Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

The PNECs given in this section were derived based on the concentration which would cause a 10% increase above typical natural background levels of iron in soil and sediment. Thus the respective PNEC is equal to 110% of the typical natural background level of iron.

Water

Iron is an essential trace element for fish, aquatic invertebrates and plants. A direct toxicity could not be demonstrated in tests. Therefore no PNEC was derived.

Sewage Treatment Plants, Sediment and Soil

STP 500 mg/L 49.5 Sediment (Fresh Water) g/kg Sediment (Marine Water) 49.5 g/kg Soil 55.5 g/kg

Oral (food chain)

Iron is an essential trace element for fish, aquatic invertebrates and plants. A direct toxicity could not be demonstrated in tests, therefore no PNEC was derived.

#### 8.2. **Exposure controls**

Protective equipment





Gloves: wear protective gloves.

Eye/face protection: wear eye protection.

Engineering controls: all handling should only take place in well-ventilated areas. Clothing: wear appropriate clothing to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact.

Hygiene measures: wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Respiratory protection: no specific recommendations

#### 9. **Physical and Chemical properties**

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Beige to dark brown granules

Odour Mild

рН Slightly Acidic

**Boiling point** n/a Melting point n/a Flash point n/a Flammability n/a



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Autoflammability n/a
Explosivity n/a
Oxidising properties n/a
Vapour Pressure n/a
Relative density n/a
Solubility n/a
Decomposition temperature n/a

#### 9.2. Other information

None

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

# 10.1. Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of storage and use

# 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions

# 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Information not available

# 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature

# 10.5. Incompatible materials

None known.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Decomposes at high temperatures producing toxic nitrogen and sulphur oxide fumes.

# 11. Toxicological information

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity - oral

#### Acute toxicity - oral

3,722.3mg/Kg

# Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD50)

No specific test data are available.

# Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC50)

No specific test data are available.

#### Serious eye damage/irritation

Irritation of eyes is assumed.

Respiratory sensitisation

No specific test data are available.

# Skin sensitisation

Not determined.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro

This substance has no evidence of mutagenic properties.



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# Carcinogenicity

No specific test data are available.

#### Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility

Does not contain any substances known to be toxic to reproduction.

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

STOT - single exposure

Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after a single exposure.

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

STOT - repeated exposure

Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after repeated exposure.

#### **Aspiration hazard**

Not anticipated to present an aspiration hazard, based on chemical structure.

#### **Eve contact**

The product is considered to be a low hazard under normal conditions of use. May cause eye irritation.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

The product is not expected to be toxic to aquatic organisms.

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Not classified as hazardous. Provides nutrients essential to plant growth.

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

The product is slowly degradable.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient not known.

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility

No data available.

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

# 12.6. Other adverse effects

No data

#### 13. Disposal considerations

 $\label{lem:def:Disposal} \mbox{ Disposal route should not permit contamination of groundwater.}$ 

# 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Dispose of waste through a reputable waste disposal contractor in accordance with the Environmental Protection Act 1990.

# 14. Transport information

# 14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

# 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.



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#### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Not applicable

#### 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant No.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

none

#### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

# 15. Regulatory information

#### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

This substance is classified and labelled in accordance with regulation 1999/45/EC, 1272/2008, the statutory instrument No.716 2009 Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) regulations and the EC Fertiliser Regulations 2003, Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments.

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

# 16. Other information

Text of the hazard statements mentioned in Section 3:

H302: Harmful if swallowed H315: Causes skin irritation

H319: Causes serious eye irritation

Reason for revision

MSDS re-formatted in-line with regulation 453/2010 all sections affected.

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