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SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRODUCT NAME PRIMERAONE 18-6-18 MAG-IRON SPECIAL

Product Code: NL.2180618TURF_171_01_US

Date of issue: May 2016

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier PrimeraOne 18-6-18 Mag-Iron Special

Recommended uses:

Fertilizer end-use, preparation of fertilizers mixtures.

Dry fertilizer for mixing with water for foliar and soil applications.

Restrictions on uses:

None

Manufacturer SQM North America

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 Company Telephone/Fax
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 Emergency Telephone Number
 (800) 424 9300 (CHEMTREC)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the mixture

Classification of the chemical in accordance with 29CFR §1910.1200

Hazard classes and Hazard categories

Oxidizing solid, Cat. 3

Skin irritant, Cat. 2

Hazard statements

May intensify fire; oxidizer

Causes skin irritation

Eye irritant, Cat. 2 Causes serious eye irritation

Label elements Hazard pictograms



Signal word DANGER

Hazard Statements May intensify fire; oxidizer

Causes skin irritation

Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary Statements

Keep away from heat. Keep/Store away from clothing/flammable/reducing/combustible materials.

Take any precaution to avoid mixing with flammable / combustible / reducing materials.

Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection.

Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

In case of fire: use any suitable mean for extinguishing surrounding fire. Spray water for small fires. For large fires flood with abundant water.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice / attention.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Dispose of contents/container according to local/state/federal regulations.

Other hazards

None

Classification of the relevant ingredients of the mixture in accordance with 29CFR §1910.1200

Hazard classes and Hazard categories

Potassium nitrate Oxidizing solid, Cat. 3

Ammonium nitrate Oxidizing solid, cat. 3; Eye irritant, Cat. 2

Urea phosphate Skin Corrosive Cat. 1B



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3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product has to be considered as a mixture/preparation

Substance name **CAS No EC No** Concentration Potassium nitrate 7757-79-1 231-818-8 30% - 60% 6484-52-2 229-347-8 20% - 50% Ammonium nitrate 225-464-3 4861-19-2 Urea phosphate < 3%

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

General information

In case of persisting adverse effects consult a physician.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person or a person with cramps.

In case of inhalation

Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Get medical attention for any breathing difficulty.

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of soap and water.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice / attention.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

In case of eye contact

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

In case of ingestion

Rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The following symptoms may occur:

Delayed lung effects after short term exposure to thermal degradation products

In case of skin contact Causes skin irritation

In case of eye contact Causes serious eye irritation

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Use any suitable mean for extinguishing surrounding fire. Spray water for small fires.

For large fires flood with abundant water.

Unsuitable material: None, but attention should be paid to compatibility with chemicals surrounding.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Oxidizer. Contact with combustible materials will not cause spontaneous ignition, however, this product will enhance an existing fire.

Thermal decomposition can lead to the escape of toxic/corrosive gases and vapours.

Thermal decomposition products: Nitrous oxides (NOx), nitrites, phosphorus oxides, ammonia and metallic oxides.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Keep upwind of fire. Wear full fire fighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear) and respiratory protection (self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA)).

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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

Provide adequate ventilation. Wear personal protection equipment (Section 8).

Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Ensure waste is collected and contained.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal or recovery.

Unsuitable material for containment/taking up: Do not absorb in saw-dust or other combustible absorbents.

Other information

None

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Avoid generation of dust. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Keep away from flammable, combustible, strong acids, strong alkalis and reducing substances.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep/store only in original container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.

Do not store together with: Flammable substance, reducing agents, strong acids, strong alkalis, empty wood

pallets.

Perchlorate containing product - Special handling may apply. See www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate and Section 15 for more information regarding California State regulations.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Occupational exposure limits

		Potassium nitrate	Ammonium nitrate
OSHA	PEL	Not Established	Not Established
	STEL/ceiling	Not Established	Not Established

ACGIH (2012 TLVs® and BEIs®)

TWA Not Established Not Established
STEL/ceiling Not Established Not Established

Urea phosphate

OSHA PEL Not Established

STEL/ceiling Not Established

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TWA Not Established STEL/ceiling Not Established

Derived No-Effect Level (DNEL) suggested by the manufacturer

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Workers (industrial/professional):				
DNEL Human, dermal, long term (repeated):	20 mg/kg/day (systemic)			
DNEL Human, inhalation, long term (repeated):	30 mg/m ³ (systemic)			

Derived No-Effect Level (DNEL) is the level of exposure to the substance above which humans should not be exposed.



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Engineering controls

Use exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face protection Chemical goggles required all the time.

Skin Protection Nitrile rubber gloves, over 0.11 mm thickness, > 480 min breakthrough time and

protective clothes, recommended.

Respiratory Protection Wear respiratory protection, where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed

exposure limits

General Hygiene Considerations

Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Solid, crystalline powder

Colour Pale blue Odour Odourless **Odour Threshold** No applicable pH value No data available Melting point / freezing range No data available Boiling temperature / boiling range Not applicable Flash point Not applicable Vapourisation rate / Evaporation rate No data available Flammable solids Not flammable Explosion limits (LEL, UEL) Not applicable Vapour pressure No data available Vapour density No data available No data available **Relative Density**

Solubility $> 100 \text{ g/L at } 20^{\circ}\text{C/68}^{\circ}\text{F (water)}$

Partition coefficient n-octanol /water
Auto Ignition temperature (AIT)

Decomposition temperature
Viscosity

Explosive properties

Oxidizer

Not applicable
Not applicable
Not explosive
Oxidizer

Other information

None

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No hazardous reaction when handled and stored according to provisions.

Chemical stability

Stable under normal storage and temperature conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

None identified

Conditions to avoid

Keep away from flammable, combustible, strong acids, strong alkalis and reducing materials.

Incompatible materials

Flammable, combustible, strong acids, strong alkalis and reducing substances under specific conditions. These incompatible materials shall not include approved packaging materials, pallets, or other dunnage (NFPA 430/2004, Code for the Storage of Liquid and Solid Oxidizers, item 4.4.3.1).



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Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition products: Nitrous oxides (NOx), nitrites, phosphorus oxides, ammonia and metallic oxides.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The following information mostly refers to the major component of the product.

Likely routes of exposure (inhalation, ingestion, skin and eye contact)

Eye contact, skin contact and inhalation. Exposure by ingestion is not expected to occur through normal industrial or agricultural use.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

May be irritant to the respiratory tract. Causes skin and eye irritation. Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal disturbances. May cause delayed lung effects after short term exposure to thermal degradation products.

Information on toxicological effects from short and long term exposure

There is no data for the mixture itself.

Acute toxicity

Acute oral toxicity LD50:

Acute Toxicity Estimate for the mixture > 2000 mg/kg bw (additivity formula)

Acute dermal toxicity LD50:

Acute Toxicity Estimate for the mixture >2000 mg/kg bw (additivity formula)

Acute inhalation toxicity LC50:

Acute Toxicity Estimate for the mixture Does not contain acutely toxic ingredients/impurities.

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for the ingredients of the mixture, the classification criteria

are not met.

Irritant and corrosive effects

Irritation to the skin Result Method

Potassium nitrate non-irritant. Equivalent/similar to OECD guideline 404
Ammonium nitrate non-irritant. Equivalent/similar to OECD guideline 404
Urea phosphate Corrosive (Cat. 1B, PKG II) Skin irritation *in vitro*, OECD Guideline 435

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for ingredients of the mixture, this product is classified and

labelled as Skin irritant, cat. 2.

Irritation to eyes Result Method

Potassium nitrate Not-irritating OECD Guideline 405
Ammonium nitrate Irritating (cat. 2) OECD Guideline 405

Urea phosphate Irreversible effects (cat.1) Skin irritation in vitro, OECD Guideline 435

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for ingredients of the mixture, this product is classified and

labelled as Eye irritant, Cat. 2.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Skin sensitization Result

Main ingredients not sensitizing.

Urea phosphate No information available. Urea phosphate is classified as corrosive,

thus, no information on skin sensitization

is deemed necessary.

Respiratory sensitisation No information available.

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for the ingredients of the mixture, the classification criteria

are not met.

Genetic effects

The product does not contain ingredients classified as germ cell mutagens.

Bacterial (Ames Test) Chromosomal aberrations Mutation in mammal. cells

Main ingredients negative negative negative negative

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Reproductive toxicity

Adverse effects on sexual function and fertility/developmental toxicity

OECD guideline 422.

Main ingredients No adverse effects on fertility/development.

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for the ingredients of the mixture, the classification criteria

are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

The product does not contain relevant ingredients classified as Target Organ Toxicant after single exposure.

Practical experience / human evidence

Main ingredients No relevant effect have been observed after single exposure to the main ingredients.

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for the ingredients of the mixture, the classification criteria

are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

The product does not contain relevant ingredients classified as Target Organ Toxicant.

Organs affected: Effects

Main ingredients None No effects

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for the ingredients of the mixture, the classification criteria

are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Physicochemical data and toxicological information does not indicate an aspiration hazard.

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for the ingredients of the mixture, the classification criteria

are not met.

Carcinogenicity

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC)

No component of this product present at levels ≥0.1% is identified as

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

National Toxicology Program (NTP) No component of this product present at levels ≥0.1% is identified as

known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

29 CFR part 1910, subpart Z No component of this product present at levels ≥0.1% is identified as

carcinogen or potencial carcinogen by OSHA.

California Proposition 65 No component of this product present at levels ≥0.1% is identified as

carcinogen by California Prop.65.

WHO (2003) Nitrate in drinking water

No association between nitrate exposure in humans and the risk of

cancer

Assessment / classification: Based on available data for the ingredients of the mixture, the classification criteria

are not met.

Other Toxicological Information

This product contains trace amounts of naturally-occurring perchlorate and iodate. Like other goitrogenic substances, perchlorate may affect iodine uptake by thyroid under specific conditions.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

There is no data for the mixture itself. The following information mostly refers to the major component of the product.

Ecotoxicity

Aquatic Toxicity

Toxicity estimate for the mixture (summation method)

96-h L(E)C50 >100 mg/L Fish

24-h E(E)C50 >100 mg/L Daphnia magna (fresh water flea).

72-h E(E)C50 > 100 mg/L Algae

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Persistence and degradability

The product contains mainly inorganic nitrate and phosphate salts. In aqueous solutions, these salts dissociate into their respective ions. Phosphate ions are finally incorporated into the Phosphorus cycle. Under anoxic conditions, denitrification occurs and nitrate is ultimately converted into molecular nitrogen as part of the Nitrogen cycle.

Bioaccumulative potential

Low potential for bioaccumulation based on physicochemical properties of main components.

Mobility in soil

The components of this mixture have a low potential for adsorption. Portion not taken up by plants, can leach to groundwater.

Other adverse effects

Excess nitrate leaching may enrich waters leading to eutrophication.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable federal and state laws.

It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal method in compliance with applicable regulations.

Waste containing nitrates that exhibit the characteristic of ignitability has the EPA Hazardous Waste Number of D001 according to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261.

Perchlorate containing product - Special handling may apply. See www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate and Section 15 for more information regarding California State regulations.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT (49CFR part 172)

UN-No. 1477

UN Proper Shipping Name NITRATES, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

Hazard class 5.1 Packing group III

Hazard label(s) 5.1 (oxidizer)

Special marking No

Special Provision IB8; IP3; T1; TP33

International Maritime Organization (IMDG Code)

UN-No. 1477

UN Proper Shipping Name NITRATES, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

Hazard class 5.1
Packing group III
Marine pollutant No

Hazard label(s) 5.1 (oxidizer)

Special marking No Special Provision 223

International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and International Air Transport Association (IATA)

UN-No. 1477

UN Proper Shipping Name NITRATES, INORGANIC, N.O.S.

Hazard class 5.1 Packing group III

Hazard label 5.1 (oxidizer)

Special marking No Special Provision No

Special handling procedure

None



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Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

Other special precautions

None

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Federal

SARA Title III Rules

Section 311/312 Hazard Classes

Acute Health Hazard Yes (Eye and skin irritant)

Chronic Health Hazard No

Fire Hazard Yes (Oxidizer)

Release of Pressure No Reactive Hazard No

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals

N511 Nitrate compounds (water dissociable; reportable only when in aqueous solution)

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (EHS)/CERCLA Hazardous Substances

None ingredient is listed.

DHS - Chemical of Interest (Appendix A to 6CFR Part 27)

Potassium nitrate is listed (ACG)

NFPA 704/2012: National Fire Protection Association

Health 2
Fire 0
Reactivity 0
Special OX

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65 No ingredient is listed.

California Code of Regulations Title 22 (Health & Safety See http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate/

Code), Chapter 33

Canada

Ingredient Disclosure List:

No ingredient is listed.

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the 2015 Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

Chemical Inventories

United States TSCA All ingredients are listed
Canada DSL/NDSL All ingredients are listed
European Union (EINECS) All ingredients are listed
Japan (METI) All ingredients are listed

16. OTHER INFORMATION

This SDS complies with 29 CFR part 1910 subpart Z (2012), Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR, 2015) and ANSI Standard Z400.1-2004

Data source REACH Registration Dossiers for major components

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The information above is believed to be accurate and represents the best information currently available to us. However, we make



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