

# **Safety Data Sheet**

## 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product identifier** 

Product Name: SILICA X-TREME®

**Product Code:** 

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use: Complex blended fertilizer for foliar application

Recommended Restrictions: Workers (and your customers or users in the case of resale) should be

informed of the need to observe all standard safety procedures for handling liquid products to avoid spills and potential contact with the

material.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification

Physical hazards:
Health hazards:
Environmental hazards:
OSHA defined hazards:
Not classified.
Not classified.
Not classified.
Not classified.

# GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram:





Signal word: None

**Hazard statement(s):**This product is not hazardous and does not meet the criteria for

classification.

Appearance:

Physical State: Liquid

Odor: Characteristic Precautionary statements: Prevention:

Prevention: Obtain the instructions before use. Do not handle before reading and understanding all safety precautions. Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, hot surfaces, and other ignition sources. No Smoking. Avoid breathing in gases or aerosols. Avoid all contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Do not eat, drink, or smoke while handling this product. Wear gloves, Avoid release into the environment, Wear gloves, protective clothing, and protective equipment for eyes, face, and ears.

Response:

Wash hands after handling.

Disposal:

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority

requirements.

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC): None known.

Other information:

None.

# 3. COMPOSITION OF PRODUCT/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	CAS-No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Potassium silicate	1312-76-1	80-95%	*
Xanthan gum	11138-66-2	0-5%	

Other components below reportable levels 4.0 – 5.5% \*

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# **Description of first aid measures**

**General advice**: Non-hazardous material. If discomfort, irritation or reaction of any kind occurs, seek immediate medical advice from a qualified physician. Make sure that medical professionals are aware of the material(s) involved.

**In case of eye contact**: Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 20 minutes, holding eyelids open to ensure the entire eye and lid tissues are flushed. Rinsing the eyes within seconds of contact is essential for maximum effectiveness. Remove contact lenses after the first 5 minutes if they are present and can be done easily, then continue rinsing the eyes. Seek medical advice.

**In case of skin contact**: Wash immediately after contact with plenty of soap and water for at least 20 minutes. Take off contaminated clothing, and wash before reuse. Call the doctor.

<sup>\*</sup> The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

**If inhaled**: Move victim and get them fresh air. Keep them calm. If not breathing, provide mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If they are in respiratory distress, administer oxygen. Call the doctor.

**If swallowed**: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Give water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call the doctor. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, turn victim on their side to reduce risk of aspiration.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: Irritation.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:** No specific data. Follow the instructions in the clause 4.1

Note to Physician: Treat symptomatically.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

This product is not flammable. Use normal firefighting techniques using water and other available fire suffocating agents.

## **Extinguishing media**

**Suitable extinguishing media:** Coordinated firefighting measures in the environment using: water, foam, alcohol-resistant foam, dry extinguishing powder, ABC powder.

Unsuitable extinguishing media:

**Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:** No specific fire or explosion hazard. Non-flammable substance. Avoid breathing dust, vapors, or fumes from burning materials. In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed.

Advice for firefighters: In case of fire, evacuate the area and extinguish the fire from a safe distance. Avoid all contact. Wear an encapsulating suit with a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) to prevent contact with high concentrations of vapor or fumes in the air. If it is not possible to move the container from the fire area.

**Further information:** Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials. No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:** Avoid contact with the spilled product, using the appropriate personal protection elements as specified in Section 8. Isolate and ventilate the contaminated area.

**Environmental precautions:** Prevent from entering sewers and public waters. Retain and dispose of contaminated water used for washing residues.

#### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

<u>Localization</u>: Remove unauthorized persons. Keep to windward. Lock down the emergency zone. Large-scale spills near water should be blocked with a mound of earth to prevent contamination of aquifers, water sources, and other important water objects. Collect spilled product in suitable containers and send away for use, processing, or disposal as restricted by local/national regulations (see section 13).

<u>After Spill and/or Leakage:</u> Sweep up or shovel dry product into suitable containers. Wash thoroughly after handling.

<u>Cleaning:</u> The affected area should be washed and cleaned with plenty of water. The wastewater after washing and cleaning should be sent to the sewage treatment plant.

Reference to other sections: For disposal see Section 13.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Precautions for safe handling**. Wear the recommended personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe in vapors. Only use the product outdoors or in a well-ventilated place. Minimize the generation and accumulation of vapors. Keep container tightly closed. Do not mix with incompatible substances (see Section 10). When transferring, remember to label. Avoid release to the environment. Do not ingest. Do not eat, drink, or smoke when handling this product. Wash hands carefully after handling, and before eating, drinking, or smoking.

**Recommendations on the conditions for safe storage:** Packaged or in bulk, it must be stored in closed storage spaces sheltered from atmospheric precipitation and humidity. Storage facilities must be well ventilated. The amount of product in storage is not restricted.

Plastic packaging materials (PE).

Keep away from: organic materials, oils, and fats. Keep away from incompatible products (see section 10.5).

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Occupational Permissible Exposure Limits**

Not applicable/Not established

## **Exposure Controls**

**Appropriate engineering controls:** The production area must be well ventilated (general combined air suction and air supply ventilation system). Personal protective equipment must be available on site. A running water source and shower must be provided on site.

## **Personal Protective Equipment**

**General hygiene considerations:** Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

**Eye/face protection:** Safety glasses with side-shields or safety goggles.

**Skin protection:** Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands. Use nitrile reinforced PVC gloves.

**Body protection:** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection:** Wear NIOSH/MSHA approved air-purifying respirator with cartridges/canisters if there is a risk of exposure to fumes or mists at levels that might cause discomfort. In case of insufficient ventilation or if the exposure limit is exceeded, use a mask with cartridges for organic vapors up to the maximum concentration specified by the supplier.

**Control of environmental exposure:** Do not let product enter drains.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### **Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical State: Liquid

Appearance: Reddish-brown opaque fluid

Odor: Characteristic

Odor Threshold: N/A

Property Values 5.5

Freezing point

Boiling point

Flash Point

Evaporation Rate

Flammability (solid, gas)

No data available

Flammability Limit in Air

Decomposition temperature

Upper flammability limit
Lower flammability limit
Vapor pressure
Vapor density
Specific Gravity

No data available
No data available
No data available
1.28 gr/ml

Water solubility

Property
Solubility in other solvents

Soluble in water

Values
N/A

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water N/A
Autoiginition temperature N/A No data available

Viscosity

Explosive properties

No data available

N/A

Oxidizing properties

N/A

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity**: Non-reactive under normal conditions of use and storage.

**Chemical Stability**: Stable under recommended conditions of use and storage.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Violent reaction with: highly oxidizing substances.

No data available

**<u>Hazardous</u>**: Non-Hazardous

**Conditions to Avoid**: No additional information.

Incompatible Materials: No additional information.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: If heated, it can give off irritating vapors. In case of fire, see Section 5.

#### Other

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Spray mist, vapors or fumes could be inhaled. No known hazard

from inhalation.

Eye contact Product could splash or leak and come into eye contact.

Skin contact Direct product could come in contact with skin if product is mishandled and the appropriate protective clothing is not worn.

Not toxic dermally.

Oral Product could accidentally be ingested.

# Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity Information not available for the product.

Skin corrosion/irritation May cause skin dryness.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

May cause irritation from mechanical abrasion.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization May cause irritation.
Skin sensitization May cause skin dryness.

## Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short & long-term exposure

No information is available on any component of this product, at levels greater than or equal to 0.1%, as a probable, possible, or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC (International Agency for Research on Carcinogens).

Mutagenic effects: No data available.

Carcinogenicity: No data available. This product is not listed as a carcinogen by OSHA,

ACGIH, IARC or NTP

STOT-single exposure: Not classified.
STOT-repeated exposure: Not classified.
Chronic toxicity: No data available.
Target organ exposure: No data available.

Aspiration hazard: Mild irritant.

## Numerical measure of toxicity product information

Acute Toxicity No data available

Dermal: mb

No additional data available.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicty**: No data available.

**Persistence and Degradability**: No data available.

**Bioaccumulation**: No data available.

Other adverse effects: No data available.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# Waste treatment methods

**Disposal methods**Avoid releasing into the environment. Dispose of contents and container

in accordance with local regulations. Handle the container and its contents with due precautions (see Section 8). The use, the mixtures, or the pollution may change the disposal options for this product. Empty containers retain product residue (liquid and/or vapor) and can be dangerous. Decontaminate containers immediately after use. Once decontaminated, do not use the container to hold drinking water or food.

## **Packaging**

**DOT (Vessel)** 

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (Land) Not regulated as dangerous goods. Shipping Class 70

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IMO/IMDG (Vessel) Not regulated as dangerous goods.

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IATA (Air) Not regulated as dangerous goods. Trade name: SILICA X-TREME®

"OS". Not regulated.

**IBC Code:** 

Reportable quantity (RQ): Not applicable Not applicable Placard: Not applicable **Emergency response guide** 

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**US Federal Regulations** This product is not known to be a "hazardous chemical" defined by

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D) Not Regulated.

**SARA of 1986:** 

Immediate Hazard No Delayed Hazard No Fire Hazard Nο Pressure Hazard No Reactivity Hazard No

**SARA 304:** Not regulated. SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories Not regulated. Not regulated. **SARA 313** OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050) Not listed.

**CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4)** Components are not listed.

**US State Regulations** 

**US Clean Water Act.** The components of this product are not listed as toxic pollutants nor as

priority pollutants.

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### **Further information**

This SDS summarizes to the best of our knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the product and general guidance on how to safely handle the product in the workplace. Since Carolina Eastern, Inc. 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. The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions.

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