

Groupe Horticole Ledoux inc.

785, rue Paul Lussier Ste-Helene de Bagot Qc, Canada, J0H 1M0 Télécopieur: (450) 791.2225

Téléphone: (450) 791.2222 Sans frais: 1 (888) 791.2223 Courriel: ghl@ghlinc.com Site web: www.ghlinc.com

SAFETY DATA SHEET

DATE PREPARED: CURRENT AS OF: 1/28/19 1/13/14

SECTION 1: PRODUCT / SUPPLIER IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: PureCal Calcium Nitrate

PRODUCT USE: Fertilizer

MFR INFO: The Andersons Upper Sandusky Facility

9841 County Highway 49

Upper Sandusky, Ohio USA 43351

FOR EMERGENCY: (800) 757-8951 FOR INFORMATION: (419) 893-5050

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

HAZARD SYMBOLS / STATEMENTS:



WARNING

CAUSE EYE IRRITATION CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION

HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS: **CATEGORY INTERPRETATION** EYE IRRITATION 2B Causes eve irritation

SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY

SINGLE EXPOSURE 3 Causes irritation to respiratory tract

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:

- CALL A POISON CENTER / PHYSICIAN IF UNWELL
- IF SKIN IRRITATION OCCURS, GET MEDICAL ADVICE
- IF IN EYES, RINSE CAUTIOUSLY WITH WATER FOR SEVERAL MINUTES REMOVE CONTACT LENSES
- IF EYE IRRITATION PERSISTS, GET MEDICAL ADVICE
- WASH HANDS AFTER HANDLING
- USE ONLY OUTDOORS OR IN WELL VENTILATED AREAS
- AVOID BREATHING DUST
- IF INHALED, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR AND KEEP AT REST IN A POSITION COMFORTABLE FOR BREATHING
- STORE CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED
- DISPOSE OF CONTENTS / CONTAINER IN ACCORDANCE WITH NATIONAL / REGIONAL / LOCAL REGULATIONS

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL IDENTITY **SYNONYM CAS NUMBER CONCENTRATION (%)**

Calcium nitrate trihydrate 15842-29-2 100.0

USA002 PURECAL CALCIUM NITRATE

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

IF INHALED: Move victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

IF ON SKIN: Wash affected areas with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation

persists. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

IF IN THE EYES: Immediately flush with water for at least 20 minutes. Seek medical attention if

irritation persists.

IF SWALLOWED: If victim is alert and not convulsing, give one glass of water to dilute material,

but DO NOT induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention.

SPECIAL TREATMENT: None known

HEALTH HAZARDS: See Section 11

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Use media suitable for surrounding fire. No special media

required.

SPECIFIC FIRE HAZARDS: Decomposition products may be toxic.

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear full protective clothing and positive-pressure self-

contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

SPILL / RELEASE PROCEDURES: Collect spilled product and store to re-use. Contaminated product

and/or environmental media should be recovered and disposed of

properly.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS: Prevent spilled material from entering storm drains or water bodies.

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: See Section 8

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE LIMITS:

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

<u>HAZARDOUS COMPONENT</u> <u>OSHA PEL</u> <u>ACGIH TLV</u>

Calcium nitrate trihydrate Not established Not established

USA002 PURECAL CALCIUM NITRATE

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT / PROTECTION MEASURES / CONTROLS:

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: NIOSH approved particulate respirator, if required

EYE PROTECTION: Safety glasses with sideshields, goggles, or faceshield recommended

SKIN PROTECTION: Long sleeves, rubber gloves recommended

VENTILATION: Local exhaust ventilation recommended

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: White crystals with no appreciable odor

5.5 - 6.5pH: 51 C MELTING POINT:

BOILING POINT: Not available FLASH POINT: Not flammable **EVAPORATION RATE:** Not applicable FLAMMABLE LIMITS: Not applicable Not applicable VAPOR PRESSURE: Not applicable VAPOR DENSITY: **BULK DENSITY:** 62 - 66 lbs/ft3

SOLUBILITY (IN WATER): Soluble

Not applicable PARTITION COEFFICIENT: **AUTOIGNITION TEMP:** Not applicable Not applicable **DECOMPOSITION TEMP:** Not available ODOR THRESHOLD: VISCOSITY: Not applicable

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY: Product is stable.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Excessive heat

INCOMPATIBILITY: Reducing agents

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: NOx

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

HEALTH EFFECTS: May cause irritation of the eyes, skin, respiratory tract, and gastrointestinal tract.

Significant overexposure could potentially result in methemoglobinemia and nitrite poisoning. Symptoms might include cyanosis, increased pulse rates, nausea, vomiting,

dizziness, headache, weakness, shortness of breath, and stupor.

CARCINOGENICITY: None of the ingredients are known / listed carcinogens.

INGREDIENT TOXICITY RANGES:

ORAL: 3,900 mg/kg

DERMAL: None listed

INHALATION: None listed

USA002 PURECAL CALCIUM NITRATE

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product is not known to be ecotoxic, persistent, or have the potential to bioaccumulate.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in accordance with all national, regional / state, and local regulations. Reuse recovered product where possible.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

This product is not regulated as a transportation hazard.

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA SECTION 311 / 312: ACUTE HAZARD

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA RATINGS: HEALTH 1

FLAMMABILITY 0 INSTABILITY 0

HMIS RATINGS: HEALTH 1

FLAMMABILITY 0 PHYSICAL HAZARD 0

SDS ID NO: USA002

PREPARED BY: TS

The information and data contained herein is based upon facts considered to be correct as of the date hereof. Information is supplied upon the condition that the persons receiving same will make their own determination as to its suitability for their purposes prior to use. In no event will The Andersons be responsible for damages of any nature whatsoever resulting from the use or reliance upon this information. No representations or warranties, either expressed or implied, of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose or of any other nature are made hereunder with respect to information or the product to which this information refers.