

SAFETY DATA SHEET Alga Bloom

According to Appendix D, OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR §1910.1200

1. Identification

Product identifier

Product name Alga Bloom

appearance Liquid.

Product number alga bloom v03.9.0

Internal identification A31068

Container size 100 mL - 20 L

0.0264 gal - 5.28 gal

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Application Fertilizer

Uses advised against Use only for intended applications.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Bertels B.V.

Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone +31 (0)6 51 66 52 10

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2A - H319

Environmental hazards Not Classified

Label elements

Hazard symbols



Signal word Warning

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Hazard statements H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P302+P352 If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

P305+P351+P338 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P321 Specific treatment (see medical advice on this label).
P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Other hazards

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

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

phosphoric acid 1-5%

CAS number: 7664-38-2

Classification

Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Eye Dam. 1 - H318

The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in Section 16.

4. First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General information If in doubt, get medical attention promptly. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the medical

personnel.

Inhalation No specific recommendations. If throat irritation or coughing persists, proceed as follows.

Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Loosen tight clothing such as collar, tie or belt. Get medical attention if any

discomfort continues.

Ingestion No specific recommendations. If throat irritation or coughing persists, proceed as follows.

Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Skin Contact No specific recommendations. Rinse with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort

continues.

Eye contact Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Rinse with water. Get medical

attention if any discomfort continues.

Protection of first aiders First aid personnel should wear appropriate protective equipment during any rescue.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the

length of exposure.

Inhalation No specific symptoms known. Spray/mists may cause respiratory tract irritation.

Ingestion No specific symptoms known. May cause discomfort if swallowed.

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Skin contact May cause discomfort.

Eye contact May be slightly irritating to eyes.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media The product is not flammable. Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry

powder or water fog. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards Containers can burst violently or explode when heated, due to excessive pressure build-up.

Hazardous combustion

products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances:

Harmful gases or vapors.

Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during

firefighting

Avoid breathing fire gases or vapors. Evacuate area. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out. If a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse vapors and protect men stopping the leak. Control run-off water by containing and keeping it out of sewers and watercourses. If risk of water pollution occurs, notify appropriate authorities.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing. Standard Firefighter's clothing including helmets, protective boots and gloves will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions For personal protection, see Section 8.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Avoid discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Reuse or recycle products wherever possible. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national regulations.

Reference to other sections For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health

hazards. See Section 12 for additional information on ecological hazards. For waste disposal,

see Section 13.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Wear protective clothing as described in

> Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Handle all packages and containers carefully to minimize spills. Keep container tightly sealed

when not in use. Avoid the formation of mists.

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Advice on general Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Take off contaminated clothing and wash

occupational hygiene before reuse. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Store at temperatures between 0°C/32°F and 35°C/95°F. Protect from freezing and direct

sunlight. Store in tightly-closed, original container. Store away from incompatible materials

(see Section 10).

Storage class Unspecified storage.

Specific end uses(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.

8. Exposure controls/Personal protection

Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

phosphoric acid

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): OSHA 1 mg/m³ Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): ACGIH 1 mg/m³ Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): ACGIH 3 mg/m³ OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists.

phosphoric acid (CAS: 7664-38-2)

Immediate danger to life 1000 mg/m³

and health

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering

controls

No specific ventilation requirements.

Eye/face protection Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates

eye contact is possible.

Hand protection Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if

a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible.

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

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

inadequate, suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

Environmental exposure

controls

Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Colored liquid.

Color Brown. to Black.

Odor Characteristic.

Odor threshold No information available.

pH (concentrated solution): 4.7 - 4.9

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Melting point No information available.

Initial boiling point and range No information available.

Flash point No information available.

Evaporation rate No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available.

Upper/lower flammability or

explosive limits

No information available.

Vapor pressureNo information available.

Vapor density No information available.

Relative density 1.20 - 1.27 g/ml

Solubility(ies) Completely soluble in water.

Partition coefficient No information available.

Auto-ignition temperature No information available.

Decomposition Temperature No information available.

Viscosity No information available.

Explosive properties Not applicable.

Oxidizing properties Not applicable.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity See the other subsections of this section for further details.

Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended. Stable under the

prescribed storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No potentially hazardous reactions known.

Conditions to avoid There are no known conditions that are likely to result in a hazardous situation.

Materials to avoid

No specific material or group of materials is likely to react with the product to produce a

hazardous situation.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended. Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Harmful gases or vapors.

11. Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - oral

Notes (oral LD50) Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD50) Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC50) Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

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Skin corrosion/irritation

Animal data Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Causes eye irritation.

Respiratory sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin sensitization

Skin sensitization Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

IARC carcinogenicityNone of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity -

development

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

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

Aspiration hazard Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

General information The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the

length of exposure.

Inhalation Spray/mists may cause respiratory tract irritation.

Ingestion May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Skin Contact Irritating to skin.

Eye contact Irritating to eyes.

Route of exposure Ingestion Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact

Target Organs No specific target organs known.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Not regarded as dangerous for the environment. However, large or frequent spills may have

hazardous effects on the environment.

Toxicity Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability The product is biodegradable.

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Bioaccumulative potential

Bio-Accumulative Potential No data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition coefficient No information available.

Mobility in soil

Mobility The product is water-soluble and may spread in water systems. The product is non-volatile.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

General information The generation of waste should be minimized or avoided wherever possible. Reuse or recycle

products wherever possible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of

the local Waste Disposal Authority.

Disposal methodsDo not empty into drains. Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with

the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

14. Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods

(IMDG, IATA, DOT).

UN Number

UN No. (International) Not applicable.

UN No. (DOT) Not applicable.

UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name

(International)

Not applicable.

Proper shipping name (DOT) Not applicable.

Transport hazard class(es)

Transport Labels

(International)

No transport warning sign required.

DOT transport labels

No transport warning sign required.

Packing group

Packing group (International) Not applicable.

DOT packing group Not applicable.

Environmental hazards

Environmentally Hazardous Substance

No.

Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

DOT reportable quantity Not applicable.

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DOT TIH Zone Not applicable.

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

15. Regulatory information

US Federal Regulations

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Tier II Threshold Planning Quantities

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

CERCLA/Superfund, Hazardous Substances/Reportable Quantities (EPA)

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

Final CERCLA RQ: 5000(2270) pounds (Kilograms)

zinc sulphate (anhydrous)

Final CERCLA RQ: 1000(454) pounds (Kilograms)

SARA Extremely Hazardous Substances EPCRA Reportable Quantities

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

SARA 313 Emission Reporting

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

Copper(II) sulphate penta hydrate

1.0 %

Manganese sulfate

1.0 %

zinc sulphate (anhydrous)

1.0 %

CAA Accidental Release Prevention

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

FDA - Essential Chemical

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

FDA - Precursor Chemical

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

SARA (311/312) Hazard Categories

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

OSHA Highly Hazardous Chemicals

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65 Carcinogens and Reproductive Toxins

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

California Air Toxics "Hot Spots" (A-I)

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

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California Air Toxics "Hot Spots" (A-II)

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

California Directors List of Hazardous Substances

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

zinc sulphate (anhydrous)

Massachusetts "Right To Know" List

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

disodium tetraborate decahydrate

zinc sulphate (anhydrous)

Rhode Island "Right To Know" List

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

disodium tetraborate decahydrate

Minnesota "Right To Know" List

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

disodium tetraborate decahydrate

New Jersey "Right To Know" List

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

zinc sulphate (anhydrous)

Pennsylvania "Right To Know" List

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

disodium tetraborate decahydrate

zinc sulphate (anhydrous)

Inventories

US - TSCA

The following ingredients are listed or exempt:

phosphoric acid

disodium tetraborate decahydrate

zinc sulphate (anhydrous)

US - TSCA 12(b) Export Notification

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

16. Other information

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Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

TDG: The transport of dangerous goods act

IATA: International air transport association.

ICAO: Technical instructions for the safe transport of dangerous goods by air.

IMDG: International maritime dangerous goods.

CAS: Chemical abstracts service. ATE: Acute toxicity estimate.

LC₅₀: Lethal concentration to 50 % of a test population.

LD₅₀: Lethal dose to 50% of a test population (median lethal dose).

EC₅₀: 50% of maximal effective concentration.

PBT: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic substance. vPvB: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative.

Classification abbreviations

and acronyms

Eye Irrit. = Eye irritation

Skin Irrit. = Skin irritation

Training advice Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations.

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Hazard statements in full H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage. H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

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