

**Safety Data Sheet**

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

**sera Pond Plant Booster**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1. Product identifier**

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**EAN**

4001942557085

4001942557108

**1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against****Use of the substance/mixture**

Fertiliser-tablet in aquariums: Mixture of inorganic salts for adjustment of water parameters in aquarium water.

The product is intended for consumer use.

The product is intended for professional use.

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

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

This mixture is not classified as hazardous in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.

Voluntary safety information following the Safety Data Sheet format according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH).

**2.2. Label elements****Additional advice on labelling**

According to EC directives or the corresponding national regulations the product does not have to be labelled.

**2.3. Other hazards**

No information available.

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****3.2. Mixtures****Chemical characterization**

Tablets. Mixture of inorganic salts with organic substances.

**Relevant ingredients**

none (according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH))

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**SECTION 4: First aid measures****4.1. Description of first aid measures****General information**

Brush off contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing prior to re-use.

**After inhalation**

In case of inhalation of decomposition products, affected person should be moved into fresh air and kept still.

Provide fresh air. When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice.

**After contact with skin**

Wash with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**After contact with eyes**

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.

**After ingestion**

Observe risk of aspiration if vomiting occurs. Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice.

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

Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

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

Treat symptomatically.

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1. Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

no restriction

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Non-flammable. In case of fire may be liberated: Sulphur oxides, Hydrogen chloride (HCl), Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Carbon monoxide.

**5.3. Advice for firefighters**

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

**Additional information**

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately.

Do not allow entering drains or surface water.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures****General advice**

Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

**For non-emergency personnel**

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection! Remove persons to safety.

**For emergency responders**

Use personal protection equipment.

Cover drains. Avoid dust formation.

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

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#### For containment

Retain contaminated washing water and dispose it.

#### For cleaning up

Large amounts of spillages: Use approved industrial vacuum cleaner for removal.

Small amounts of spillages: Take up dust-free and set down dust-free.

Clear contaminated areas thoroughly. Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

#### Other information

Take up mechanically. Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Keep out of the reach of children.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

#### Advice on general occupational hygiene

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Wash hands before breaks and after work.

#### Further information on handling

Handle and open container with care. Put lids on containers immediately after use.

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

#### Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep the packing dry and well sealed to prevent contamination and absorption of humidity. Moisture-sensitive.

Recommended storage temperature: at room temperature.

Protect from moisture. Keep away from direct sunlight.

#### Hints on joint storage

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.

#### Further information on storage conditions

No special measures are necessary. The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Fertiliser-tablet in aquariums: Mixture of inorganic salts for adjustment of water parameters in aquarium water.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	fib/cm <sup>3</sup>	Category	Origin
9004-34-6	Cellulose	-	10		TWA (8 h)	
57-50-1	Sucrose	-	10		TWA (8 h)	
		-	20		STEL (15 min)	

#### Additional advice on limit values

To date, no national critical limit values exist.

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When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff.

**8.2. Exposure controls****Appropriate engineering controls**

No special technical protective measures are necessary.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment****Eye/face protection**

Eye protection: not required. Avoid contact with eyes.

**Hand protection**

Hand protection is not required. Avoid contact with skin.

**Skin protection**

Body protection: not required.

**Respiratory protection**

Usually no personal respirative protection necessary. In the case of dust or aerosol formation use respirator with filter model P2 (according to DIN 3181, 1980).

**Thermal hazards**

Thermal decomposition can lead to the escape of irritating gases and vapours. In case of fire may be liberated: Sulphur oxides, Hydrogen chloride (HCl), Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Carbon monoxide.

**Environmental exposure controls**

Avoid release to the environment.

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state:	solid
Colour:	green
Odour:	odourless
Odour threshold:	not applicable
Melting point/freezing point:	> 150 °C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:	not determined
Flammability:	This material is combustible, but will not ignite readily. not applicable
Lower explosion limits:	not determined
Upper explosion limits:	not determined
Flash point:	not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	not determined
pH-Value:	not applicable
Viscosity / kinematic:	not applicable
Water solubility:	partially soluble
Solubility in other solvents:	not determined
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	not applicable
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Density:	not determined
Relative density:	not determined
Bulk density:	not determined
Relative vapour density:	not applicable
Particle characteristics:	not determined

**9.2. Other information**

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**Information with regard to physical hazard classes****Explosive properties**

No ignition, explosion, self-heating or visible decomposition.

**Sustaining combustion:**

Not sustaining combustion

**Self-ignition temperature**

Solid:

not determined

Gas:

not applicable

**Oxidizing properties**

Not oxidising.

**Other safety characteristics**

Evaporation rate:

not applicable

Solvent separation test:

not applicable

Solvent content:

0 %

Solid content:

100,00 %

Sublimation point:

No data available

Softening point:

not applicable

Pour point:

not applicable

Viscosity / dynamic:

not applicable

Flow time:

not applicable

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****10.1. Reactivity**

No hazardous reaction when handled and stored according to provisions.

**10.2. Chemical stability**

The product is chemically stable under recommended conditions of storage, use and temperature.

Moisture-sensitive.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No known hazardous reactions.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

UV-radiation/sunlight. Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods. Decomposition under influence of moisture is highly accelerated by heating.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

Humidity

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**Hydrochloric gas, Sulphur oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide.

Thermal decomposition can lead to the escape of irritating gases and vapours.

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008****Toxicocinetics, metabolism and distribution**

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

**Acute toxicity**

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

**ATEmix calculated**

ATE (oral) &gt; 2000 mg/kg; ATE (dermal) &gt; 2000 mg/kg; ATE (inhalation vapour) &gt; 20 mg/l; ATE (inhalation dust/mist) &gt; 12,5 mg/l

**Irritation and corrosivity**

Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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**Sensitising effects**

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

**Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction**

Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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

Reproductive toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**STOT-single exposure**

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

**STOT-repeated exposure**

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

**Aspiration hazard**

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

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

Inhalation of dust/particles, Skin contact, Eye contact, Ingestion

**Specific effects in experiment on an animal**

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

**Additional information on tests**

The mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP].

**Practical experience**

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

**11.2. Information on other hazards****Endocrine disrupting properties**

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

**Other information**

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

**Further information**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1. Toxicity**

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself. According to the criteria of the European classification and labelling system, the substance/the product has not to be labelled as "dangerous for the environment". Ecological injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

The product has not been tested. The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances. The organic part of the product is biodegradable.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

The product has not been tested.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

The product has not been tested.

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

The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria according to REACH, annex XIII.

**12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties**

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

**12.7. Other adverse effects**

No information available.

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### Further information

No special environmental measures are necessary.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

#### Disposal recommendations

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

#### List of Wastes Code - residues/unused products

160509 WASTES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE LIST; gases in pressure containers and discarded chemicals; discarded chemicals other than those mentioned in 16 05 06, 16 05 07 or 16 05 08

#### List of Wastes Code - used product

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#### List of Wastes Code - contaminated packaging

150102 WASTE PACKAGING; ABSORBENTS, WIPING CLOTHS, FILTER MATERIALS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED; packaging (including separately collected municipal packaging waste); plastic packaging

#### Contaminated packaging

Wash with plenty of water. Completely emptied packages can be recycled. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with the European Communities (Toxic and Dangerous Waste) Regs 1982, SI 33 of 1982.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Land transport (ADR/RID)

#### 14.1. UN number or ID number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

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

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

### Inland waterways transport (ADN)

#### 14.1. UN number or ID number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

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

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

### Marine transport (IMDG)

#### 14.1. UN number or ID number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

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

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

### Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

#### 14.1. UN number or ID number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

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

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

#### 14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: No

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

No information available.

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**14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

not applicable

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****EU regulatory information**

Restrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):

Entry 75

Information according to Directive  
2012/18/EU (SEVESO III):

Not subject to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III)

**Additional information**

The mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP].

**National regulatory information**

Water hazard class (D):

1 - slightly hazardous to water

**15.2. Chemical safety assessment**

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information****Abbreviations and acronyms**ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route  
(European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%

LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

**Key literature references and sources for data**

Safety Data Sheet, ECHA

**Further Information**

Classification for mixtures and used evaluation method according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP].

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material. The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.

*(The data for the relevant ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)*