


Triple Super

Section 1: SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION AND SUPPLIER

Product Name:	Triple Super
Other Names:	TSP, Calcium Triple Superphosphate
Product Code:	7200000
Recommended Use:	Fertiliser
Restrictions of Use:	Refer to Section 15
Company Identification:	Ravensdown Limited
Address:	292 Main South Road, Hornby, Christchurch, 8042 PO Box 1049, Christchurch 8011
Customer Centre:	0800 100 123
National Poisons Information Centre:	0800 POISON (0800 764 766)
Emergency Phone Number:	0800 CHEMCALL (0800 243 622) (24hr) (Emergencies Only)
Transport Emergency Phone Number:	111 - tell operator what service is needed: Fire, Ambulance or Police
Date of SDS Preparation	17 April 2023

Section 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

This substance is hazardous according to the EPA Hazardous Substances (Classification) Notice 2020

EPA Approval No:	Fertilisers (subsidiary) – HSR002571
Pictograms:	
Signal Word:	Warning

GHS Classification and Category	Hazard Code	Hazard Statement
specific target organ toxicity – single exposure Cat. 3 respiratory tract irritation	H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

Prevention Code	Prevention Statement
P103	Read carefully and follow all instructions.
P261	Avoid breathing dust.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Response Code	Response Statement
P312	Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Storage Code	Storage Statement
P405	Store locked up.

Disposal Code	Disposal Statement
P501	Dispose of according to Local Regulations or Authorities

Section 3: COMPOSITION INFORMATION

INGREDIENT	CAS No.	CONTENT %
Triple Super	65996-95-4	100%

Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Routes of Exposure:	
If in eyes:	Flush with plenty of water for several minutes, holding eyelids open if necessary. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical advice if irritation persists.
If on skin:	Wash skin with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
If ingested:	Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything to the mouth of an unconscious person. If vomiting occurs, place victim face downwards, with the head turned to the side and lower than the hips to prevent vomit entering the lungs. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
If inhaled:	Remove person to fresh air. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow person to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. Get medical advice if breathing becomes difficult.
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	
Symptoms:	Refer to Section 11
Eyes:	Not applicable.
Skin:	Not applicable.
Ingested:	Not applicable.
Inhaled:	May cause respiratory irritation.
Chronic:	Not applicable.
Advice to Doctor:	Treat symptomatically.

Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Hazard Type	Not flammable or combustible.
Hazards from combustion products	During high temperature fire conditions can produce phosphorous oxides.
Suitable Extinguishing media	Use media suitable for surrounding materials.
Precautions for firefighters and special protective clothing	Breathing apparatus, goggles and protective gloves
HAZCHEM CODE	None allocated

Section 6: ACCIDENTIAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:
Wear appropriate protective clothing. Exclude non-essential people from the area.
Environmental precautions:
Prevent from entering drains, waterways or sewers. If spill does enter waterways contact local authority.
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:
Contain spill and sweep up. Collect and place in sealable containers. Avoid generating dust. Reuse or recycle where possible. Dispose as per Section 13.

Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:	<p>Read carefully and follow all instructions.</p> <p>Avoid breathing dust.</p> <p>Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.</p> <p>Avoid contact with skin, eyes and inhalation.</p> <p>Use personal protective equipment noted in Section 8.</p> <p>Avoid generating dust.</p> <p>Wash hands thoroughly after use.</p> <p>Do not eat, drink or smoke whilst using this product.</p> <p>Avoid unintended release into the environment.</p>
Storage:	<p>Store away from incompatible materials listed in Section 10.</p> <p>Store in a cool, dry area.</p>

Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

WORKPLACE EXPOSURE STANDARDS (provided for guidance only)

Substance	TWA		STEL	
	ppm	mg/m ³	ppm	mg/m ³
Inspirable dust	-	10	-	-
Respirable dust	-	10	-	-

Workplace Exposure Standard – Time Weighted Average (WES-TWA). The time-weighted average exposure standard designed to protect the worker from the effects of long-term exposure. Workplace Exposure Standard – Short-Term Exposure Limit (WESSTEL). The 15-minute average exposure standard. Applies to any 15- Minute period in the working day and is designed to protect the worker against adverse effects of irritation, chronic or irreversible tissue change, or narcosis that may increase the likelihood of accidents. The WES-STEL is not an alternative to the WES-TWA; both the short-term and time-weighted average exposures apply. Workplace Exposure Standards and Biological Exposure Indices April 2022 13TH EDITION.

Engineering Controls:	Handle in well ventilated area. If dust generated use local extraction to control. Avoid inhalation of dust.
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Personal Protection Equipment:



Eyes:	Wear safety glasses.
Skin/Hands:	Wear protective gloves and overalls.
Respiratory:	If dust is present wear dust mask.
General:	Do not eat, drink or smoke when handling this product. Remove contaminated protective clothing and wash hands and face before meals and after work.

Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Granules
Colour	Triple superphosphate is generally dark grey. The colour of the granules will vary with the rock type/source.
Odour	Odourless
Odour Threshold	Not available
pH	Not available
Boiling Point	Not available
Melting Point	Not available
Freezing Point	Not available
Flash Point	Not available
Flammability	Not flammable
Upper and Lower Explosive Limits	Not available
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Vapour Density	Not available

Specific Gravity	Not available
Bulk Density	1150 kg/m ³
Water Solubility	Soluble.
Partition Coefficient:	Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not available
Decomposition Temperature	Not available
Kinematic Viscosity	Not available
Granulometrics (mm)	Not available

Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability of Substance	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Not data available.
Conditions to Avoid	None known.
Incompatible Materials	No specific incompatibilities.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Phosphorous oxides may be released if exposed to high temperature fire conditions.

Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Effects:

Swallowed	Not applicable however Ingestion of large quantities may lead to nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.
Dermal	Not applicable
Inhalation	May cause respiratory irritation. Over exposure may cause mucous membrane irritation and coughing.
Eye	Not applicable.
Skin	Not applicable.

Chronic Effects:

Carcinogenicity	Not applicable
Reproductive Toxicity	Not applicable
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	Not applicable
Aspiration	Not applicable
STOT/SE	Not applicable
STOT/RE	Not applicable

Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The mixture is not hazardous to the environment.

Persistence and degradability	No data available.
Bioaccumulation	No data available
Mobility in Soil	No data available.
Other adverse effects	No data available
Other	Avoid washing excessive amounts into streams and waterways. Avoid unintended release into the environment.

Section 13: DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Disposal Method:	Collection into sealable containers and dispose of in an approved land fill. Reuse or recycle where possible. If practicable apply excess fertiliser at recommended rates to appropriate land. Observe any local authority restrictions that may apply. Unacceptable disposal methods include, but are not limited to, burning and burying. Rinse containers thoroughly prior to reuse. Otherwise render unusable and dispose of as waste.
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Precautions or methods to avoid: None known.

Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

This product is NOT classified as a Dangerous Good for transport in NZ ; NZS 5433:2020

Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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HSW (HS) Regulations 2017	Trigger Quantity
Signage Trigger Quantities (Schedule 3)	Not required
Emergency Response Plan (Schedule 5)	Not required
Secondary Containment (Schedule 5)	Not required
Tracking (Schedule 26)	Not required
Certified Handlers	Not required
Location Certificate	Not required
Restrictions of use	None known.

Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Glossary

Cat	Category
EC ₅₀	Median effective concentration.
EEL	Environmental Exposure Limit.
EPA	Environmental Protection Authority
HSNO	Hazardous Substances and New Organisms.
HSW	Health and Safety at Work.
LC ₅₀	Lethal concentration that will kill 50% of the test organisms inhaling or ingesting it.
LD ₅₀	Lethal dose to kill 50% of test animals/organisms.
LEL	Lower explosive level.
OSHA	American Occupational Safety and Health Administration.
TEL	Tolerable Exposure Limit.
TLV	Threshold Limit Value-an exposure limit set by responsible authority.
UEL	Upper Explosive Level
WES	Workplace Exposure Limit

References:

1. EPA Hazardous Substances (Safety Data Sheets) Notice 2017
2. Workplace Exposure Standards and Biological Exposure Indices April 2022 edition.
3. Assigning a hazardous substance to a HSNO Approval (Aug 2013).
4. Transport of Dangerous goods on land NZS 5433:2020
5. HSW (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017

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