# MATERIAL SAFETY DATE SHEET EMERALD TRIANGLE MAGNUM 12-1-11

#### **SECTION 1. MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION**

#### Product Name: Magnum

Chemical Family: aqueous solution of magnesium sulfate and thiamine hydrochloride

Product Use: plant nutrient solution

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**For Emergency Day or Night Call**: CHEMTREC – Domestic North America 800-424-9300, International 703-527-3887 (collect calls accepted)

## SECTION 2. INGREDIENTS AND OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS

**Ingredients:** magnesium sulfate, thiamine hydrochloride (vitamin B1)

**Exposure Limits**: The ingredients in Magnum when inhaled in a powder form, are known to be irritants to the upper respiratory tract. As long as these chemicals remain in aqueous solution and do not become aerosolized, they are not an inhalation hazard.

# SECTION 3. HAZARDS INDENTIFICATION

HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED, INHALED OR ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. CAUSES IRRITATION TO SKIN, EYES AND RESIRATORY TRACT.

NFPA Ratings: 0 Flammability / 0 Reactivity / 0 Oxidizer

#### **Potential Health Effects**

**Primary Entry Routes**: ingestion, inhalation, and skin contact.

**Target Organs**: Gastrointestinal system, blood system, skin, mucous membranes.

Ingestion: Ingestion can cause gastro-intestinal distress, with abdominal pain, nausea, and vomiting.

Eye: May cause irritation, redness, and pain.

Skin: No known adverse effects.

Inhalation: Irritation

Carcinogenicity: IARC, NTP and OSHA do not list as a carcinogen.

## Medical Conditions Aggravated by Long-Term Exposure: Unknown

Chronic Effects: No known chronic hazards.

Other: None

#### Section 4. First Air Measures

**Ingestion**: Give several glasses of water for dilution and encourage vomiting. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention.

**Eye Contact**: Do not allow victim to rub or keep eyes tightly shut. Remove contact lenses then gently lift eyelids and flush immediately and continuously with flooding amount of water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician or ophthalmologist if pain or irritation develops.

Skin Contact: Not applicable

**Inhalation:** Remove exposed person to fresh air and support breathing, if necessary. Consult a physician as soon as possible.

After First Aid: Get appropriate community medical support.

#### Section 5. Fire and Explosion Data

Flash Point: Unknown

Auto-ignition Temperature: Unknown

LEL: Unknown

Flammability Classification: Magnum is not combustible.

**Extinguishing Media**: Use dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water spray, fog or foam for extinguishing surrounding fire.

Unusual Fire or Explosion Hazards: None known

**Hazardous Combustion Products**: Non combustible. At very high temperatures, magnesium oxide, sulphur dioxide and sulphur trioxide may be generated.

**Fire Fighting Instructions**: Keep fire exposed containers cool with water spray. Remove containers from fire area, if it can be done safely. Do not release run off from fire control methods to sewers or waterways.

**Fie Fighting Equipment**: Because fire may product toxic thermal decomposition products, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face piece.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Spill/Leak Procedures: Wipe up with absorbent towels or mop.

**Regulatory Requirements**: Follow applicable OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.120).

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Handling Precautions: Avoid ingestion, skin contact, eye contact, and inhalation.

**Storage Requirements:** Keep in tightly closed containers stored in a cool, dry, ventilated area.

**Regulatory Requirements**: Follow applicable OSHA regulations

#### Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Administrative Controls: Avoid breathing mist.

**Respiratory Protection**: If this product is used a directed, respiratory protection in not required. Seek professional advice prior to respirator selection and use. Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and, if necessary, wear a MSHA/NIOSH –approved respirator. If respirators are used, OSHA requires a written respiratory protection program that include, at least: medical certification, training, fit testing, periodic environmental monitoring, maintenance, inspection, cleaning, and convenient, sanitary storage areas.

**Eye Protection**: When handling Magnum, protective eyewear or goggles should be worm per OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.134). Contact lenses pose a special hazard. Soft lenses may absorb irritants, and all contact lenses concentrate irritants. Particles may adhere to contact lenses and cause corneal damage.

**Protective Clothing**: Wear when the possibility of skin or clothing contamination may exist. Wear neoprene or nitrile gloves when directly handing the product.

**Safety Stations**: Eye wash stations, quick drench showers, and washing facilities should be readily accessible to workers handling large quantities of Magnum.

**Contaminated Equipment**: Remove this material from shoes and equipment. Launder contaminated clothing before wearing.

**Comments**: Never eat, drink or smoke in work areas. Practice good personal hygiene after using this product, especially before eating, drinking, smoking, using the toilet, or applying cosmetics.

#### Section 9. Physical and Chemicals Properties

Physical State: Aqueous solution. Density: 1- 1.2 pH: 6-8.5 Appearance: Clear to tan liquid with slight odor. Vapor Pressure: Unknown Water Solubility: Soluble Other Solubilities: Unknown Freezing Point: Unknown Viscosity: Unknown

#### Section 10 Stability and Reactivity

**Stability**: Stable at room temperature in closed containers, under normal storage and handling conditions.

**Polymerization**: Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Chemical Incompatibilities: None known

Conditions to Avoid: High temperatures.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Magnesium oxide, sulphur dioxide and sulphur trioxide.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

See Section 2

# Section 12. Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** Not a listed toxic chemical under SARA Title III, section 313 40 CFR Part 372. Not a CERCLA Hazardous substance under 40 CFR Part 302.

**Environmental Fate**: Not expected to be significant.

Environmental Degradation: Unknown

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal: Follow Federal, Sate and local regulations.

# Section 14. Transportation Information

This product is not regulated hazardous material for transportation.

# Section 15. Regulatory Information

EPA Regulations: Not listed

## Section 16. Other Information

Emerald Triangle Magnum is a plant nutrition product. Information assembled for this Material Safety Data Sheet is for the use of this product as intended by the manufacturer. Users should take all precautions recommended herein while working with this product.

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