

# THE ANDERSONS SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### SECTION 1: PRODUCT / SUPPLIER IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT CODE: APPCK13MDG5

PRODUCT NAME: Andersons Golf Products NutriDG Kal-Tec

PRODUCT USE: Fertilizer

MFR INFO: The Andersons Lawn Products

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#### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## **HAZARD SYMBOLS / STATEMENTS:**



WARNING

MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED
MAY CAUSE MILD SKIN IRRITATION
MAY CAUSE AN ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION
MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION
MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION

HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS:	CATEGORY	INTERPRETATION	
ACUTE TOXICITY	5	Low	
SKIN IRRITATION	3	Mild	
SKIN SENSITIZATION	1	Skin Allergy Possible	
EYE IRRITATION	2B	Promptly Reversible	
TARGET ORGAN SYSTEMIC TOXICIT	Y 3	Transient Respiratory Irritation Possible	

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:

- CALL A POISON CENTER / PHYSICIAN IF UNWELL
- IF ON SKIN, WASH WITH PLENTY OF SOAP AND WATER
- IF SKIN IRRITATION OCCURS, GET MEDICAL ADVICE
- WEAR PROTECTIVE GLOVES
- CONTAMINATED CLOTHING SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED OUT OF THE WORKPLACE
- WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE
- 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

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#### **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CHEMICAL IDENTITY	<u>SYNONYM</u>	CAS NUMBER	<b>CONCENTRATION (%)</b>
Pelletized gypsum	Nutrasoft	Mixture	49.5
Potassium sulfate	Sulfate of potash	7778-80-5	21.1
Potassium magnesium sulfate	Sulpomag	14977-37-8	18.7
Calcium lignosulfonate		8061-52-7	5.0
Manganese sulfate		7785-87-7	4.8

#### **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. Do not store above 120° F.

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#### **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **EXPOSURE LIMITS:**

**HAZARDOUS COMPONENT OSHA PEL ACGIH TLV** 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (total) 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (inhalable) Pelletized gypsum 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable) 3 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable) 15 mg/m³ (total) 5 mg/m³ (respirable) 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (inhalable) Potassium sulfate 3 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable) 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (total) 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (inhalable) Potassium magnesium sulfate 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable) 3 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (respirable)

Manganese sulfate 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (ceiling)

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, chemical-resistant gloves recommended

VENTILATION: Local exhaust ventilation recommended

#### **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: Tan colored granules, with slight odor

Not available pH: **MELTING POINT:** Not available **BOILING POINT:** Not applicable Not flammable FLASH POINT: **EVAPORATION RATE:** Not applicable FLAMMABLE LIMITS: Not applicable **VAPOR PRESSURE:** Not applicable VAPOR DENSITY: Not applicable SPECIFIC GRAVITY: Not applicable Partially soluble SOLUBILITY (IN WATER): PARTITION COEFFICIENT: Not applicable **AUTOIGNITION TEMP:** Not applicable **DECOMPOSITION TEMP:** Not applicable

#### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

STABILITY: Product is stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Excessive heat

INCOMPATIBILITY: Strong oxidizers, acids, hypochlorites, caustics, alkalis

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: CaO, COx, SOx, MnOx

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#### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

HEALTH EFFECTS: May be irritating to the nose, throat, and respiratory tract, and may cause sore throat,

coughing, and shortness of breath. Skin irritation may result. May also be irritating to the eyes, causing redness and watering. Ingestion may result in sore throat, abdominal

pain, nausea, and diarrhea.

CARCINOGENICITY: None of the ingredients are known / listed carcinogens. However, product may contain

trace amounts of crystalline silica and titanium dioxide. Crystalline silica is listed by IARC as a suspected carcinogen. Inhaled titanium dioxide dust has been classified by

IARC as possibly carcinogenic to humans.

## **INGREDIENT TOXICITY RANGES:**

ORAL: > 2,000 mg/kg (monoammonium phosphate) – 6,600 mg/kg (sulfate of potash)

DERMAL: > 5,000 mg/kg (monoammonium phosphate)

INHALATION: Not available

#### **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 HAZARD CATEGORY: IMMEDIATE HAZARD

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA RATINGS: HEALTH

FLAMMABILITY 0 INSTABILITY 0

HMIS RATINGS: HEALTH 1

FLAMMABILITY 0 PHYSICAL HAZARD 0

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