

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

MONTEREY HI-LO ZINC SULFATE 35.5%

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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Chemical Product

MONTEREY HI-LO ZINC SULFATE 35.5%

Chemical Description: Zinc Sulfate Monohydrate

TSCA/CAS No.: 7446-19-7

Manufactured For

Monterey AgResources

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Fresno, CA 93745-5000

Emergency Phone Numbers

Emergency Telephone: DAYS: (559) 499-2100 EVES: (559) 994-9144

CHEMTREC (24-Hour Emergency Number): (800) 424-9300

EPA National Response Center: (800) 424-8802

SECTION 2. HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL	CAS NO.	%	TLV OR PEL	RQ (lbs)
Zinc Sulfate	7446-19-7	99%	*N.A.	1,000

* N.A. - Not Available.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY/HAZARDS OVERVIEW

White powder or granules. May cause eye and skin irritation. Not a fire hazard. D.O.T. regulated in containers \geq 1000 lbs.

HEALTH: 1 REACTIVITY: 0 FLAMMABILITY: 0 ENVIRONMENT: 1

(0=Insignificant 1=Slight 2=Moderate 3=High 4=Extreme)

SECTION 4. FIRST AID

Eyes: Flush immediately with water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if eye irritation persists.

Skin: Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. See a physician if skin becomes irritated.

Ingestion: Induce vomiting if conscious. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, call a physician.

SECTION 5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Flash Point:	Not applicable.
Test Method:	Not pertinent.
LEL Flammable Limits:	Not pertinent.
UEL Flammable Limits:	Not pertinent.
Autoignition Temperature:	Not pertinent.
Flammability Classification:	Nonflammable.
Known Hazardous Products of Combustion:	None.
Properties that Initiate/Contribute to Intensity of Fire:	None.
Potential For Dust Explosion:	None.
Reactions that Release Flammable Gases or Vapors:	Not known.
Potential For Release of Flammable Vapors:	None.
Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards:	May release toxic oxides of zinc and sulfur.
Extinguishing Media:	Dry chemical, CO ₂ , or foam. Water may be ineffective, but water spray or fog may be used as a cooling agent.
Special Firefighting Procedures:	Wear positive pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus and goggles. Avoid smoke inhalation. Contain any liquid runoff.

SECTION 6. SPILLS AND LEAKS

Containment:	Prevent product spillage from entering drinking water supplies or streams.
Clean Up:	Sweep up and use according to labeling or package for disposal.
Evacuation:	Not necessary.

SECTION 7. STORAGE AND HANDLING

Storage:	Store in a cool, dry place away from children and other food and feed products. Do not contaminate other stored products or the storage area by handling or storage of this product.
Transfer Equipment:	Transfer solutions of product using chemical-resistant plastic or stainless steel tanks, pumps, valves, etc.
Work/Hygienic Practices:	Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid inhalation of spray mists. Wash thoroughly with water after handling.

SECTION 8. PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Eyes:	Chemical dust/splash goggles or full-face shield to prevent eye contact. As a general rule, do not wear contact lenses when handling.
Skin:	Impervious gloves and clothes.
Respiratory:	Not normally needed. If use generates an aerosol mist or respiratory irritation, use NIOSH-approved dust/mist respirator (such as 3M #8710).
Ventilation:	Recommended but no TLV established.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL DATA

Appearance:	White powder or granules.
Odor:	None.
pH:	Not available.
Vapor Pressure:	Not available.
Vapor Density (Air=1):	Not available.
Boiling Point:	Not available.
Freezing Point:	Not available.
Water Solubility:	30% at 70°F.
Specific Gravity:	3.28
Evaporation Rate:	Not available.
Viscosity:	Not available.
% Volatile:	Not available.
Octanol/Water Partition Coefficient:	Not available.
Saturated Vapor Concentration:	Not available.

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:	Stable.
Conditions To Avoid:	May burn but does not ignite readily. Avoid contact with strong oxidizers and/or excessive heat.
Incompatibility:	Oxidizers.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	May release toxic and hazardous oxides of zinc and sulfur in a fire.
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will not occur.

SECTION 11. POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTSAcute Effects:

Eyes:	Mild irritant. May cause redness.
Skin:	Mild irritant, especially from prolonged exposure. May cause redness.
Ingestion:	May cause stomach cramps and/or nausea.
Inhalation:	None expected but may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

Subchronic Effects: None known.Chronic Effects: None known.**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Algal/Lemna Growth Inhibition:	Not known.
Toxicity to Fish and Invertebrates:	Not known.
Toxicity to Plants:	Not known.
Toxicity in Birds:	Not known.

