Alga 600™

Section 1: Identification of the Substance or Mixture and of the Supplier

Product name: Alga 600™

Recommended use: Plant growth stimulant

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Section 2: Hazards Identification

Hazard classification (Transport): Not classed as dangerous goods for transport

Hazardous substances (HSNO): Non-hazardous under the HSNO Act (1996)

Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

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<th>Classification &amp; type:</th>
<th>Material</th>
<th>CAS No.</th>
<th>Proportion (%w)</th>
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<td>Seaweed powder</td>
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Section 4: First Aid Measures

Symptoms of exposure:
- If Swallowed: May cause minor irritation of the mouth.
- If in Eyes: May cause minor eye irritation.
- If on Skin: Contact with skin may result in minor irritation.
- If Inhaled: Dust may cause minor irritation of nose and throat.

First aid actions:
- If exposed, concerned or if symptoms persist: Get medical attention/advice. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
  - If Swallowed: Rinse mouth. Give water to drink. Call a POISON CENTRE or Doctor if you feel unwell. Do NOT induce vomiting but if vomiting occurs give additional water to drink.
  - If in Eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
  - If on Skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
  - If Inhaled: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Workplace facilities: No particular requirements but an eyewash and general hygiene facilities are recommended.

Notes for medical personnel: Treat symptomatically.

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Type of Hazard: Not a fire hazard.

HAZCHEM code: N/A

Combustion products: Not known.

Extinguishing media & methods: Use methods appropriate to combustible material involved. Waste water should be contained or diluted with large excess.

Recommended protective clothing: Fire-fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal protection: See Section 8.3 for appropriate PPE.

Containment and clean up: Collect spillage and use or dispose of collected material at an approved landfill. Product can be slippery and the area should be washed down if appropriate.

Special requirements: See Section 13 for instructions for the disposal of waste/contaminated material.
Section 7: Handling and Storage

Subsection 1: Handling
Handling practices
Wear appropriate PPE as detailed in Section 8.3.

Subsection 2: Storage
Store in a cool dry place away from foodstuffs.

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Subsection 1: Workplace Exposure Guidelines (may also be considered in section 2)
Workplace exposure standards
No exposure standards have been set for this substance.

Subsection 2: Engineering Controls
Exposure control measures
Use in a well ventilated area. Wear appropriate PPE and avoid contact.

Subsection 3: Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
Detail specifications for equipment
Wear gloves and dust mask if required.
General Hygiene
Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

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<td>Odour</td>
<td>Seaweed</td>
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<td>Specific gravity (kg/L)</td>
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<td>Solubility</td>
<td>Dissolves in water (pH dependant)</td>
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<td>pH (1% Soln)</td>
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<td>Freezing point (degC)</td>
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Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability of substance:
Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to avoid:
None known.

Material to avoid:
None known.

Hazardous decomposition products:
Unknown.

Hazardous polymerization:
Will not occur.

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Data and interpretation:
Specifics unknown but not expected to be significant. See section 2 for general hazard information.
### Section 12: Ecological Information

**Potential environmental interactions:** Non Hazardous.

### Section 13: Disposal Considerations

**Product disposal:** Use as directed on the label or dispose of at an approved facility.

**Container disposal:** Triple rinse empty container into spray tank. Dispose of at an approved recycling depot (e.g. Agrecovery).

### Section 14: Transport Information

**UN Number:** N/A

**DG Class and Subsidiary Group:** N/A

**Proper shipping name:** N/A

**Packing group:** N/A

**HAZCHEM code:** N/A

**Special precautions:** None.

### Section 15: Regulatory Information

**Regulatory status:** Does not require approvals. Non-hazardous.

**HSNO Controls:** N/A

### Section 16: Other Information

**Revision due:** 05 April 2022.

**Additional information:** Directions for use are found on the product label.

**Glossary:**

- **CAS:** Chemical Abstract Services Number, used to uniquely identify chemical compounds
- **HSNO:** Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (legislation 1996)
- **LD50:** Lethal Dose fatal to 50% of test animals/organisms
- **PPE:** Personal Protective Equipment

This SDS summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information available for this product and how to safely handle and use it. Since the use of this information and the conditions of the use of this product are not under the control of GroChem, it is the user’s responsibility to determine conditions of safe use of the product.