

Boost-it Plus™

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

Product name:	Boost-it Plus™
Recommended use:	Foliar fertilisers for general purpose use
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Section 2: Hazards Identification

Hazard classification (Transport):	Not classed as dangerous goods for transport.
Hazardous substances (HSNO):	6.1D (WARNING: Harmful if swallowed or inhaled) 6.3B (WARNING: Causes mild skin irritation) 6.4A (WARNING: Causes serious eye irritation) 6.5B (WARNING: May cause an allergic skin reaction) 6.8B (WARNING: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child) 9.1C (Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects) 9.3C (Harmful to terrestrial vertebrates)



Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Classification & type: Mixture

Material	CAS No.	Proportion (%w)
Boric Acid	10043-35-3	0.14
Copper EDTA	14025-15-1	0.45
Urea	57-13-6	40-45
Other components		to 100%

Section 4: First Aid Measures

Symptoms of exposure:

If Swallowed	Swallowing can result in nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea and abdominal pain.
If in Eyes	Causes serious eye irritation.
If on Skin	Causes mild skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.
If Inhaled	Inhalation of dust may result in respiratory irritation.

First aid actions:

	If exposed or concerned, get medical advice/attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
If Swallowed	Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
If in Eyes	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.
If on Skin	Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs, get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
If Inhaled	Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Workplace facilities:

Eyewash.

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. Fertiliser is soluble in water. Waste water should be contained and collected.
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:	Contain and collect spillage. Dispose of contaminated material at an approved landfill or use as prescribed on the label.
Special requirements:	See Section 13 for instructions for the disposal of waste/contaminated material.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Subsection 1:

Handling practices

Handling

Wear appropriate PPE as detailed in Section 8.3.
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
Avoid breathing dust or spray.
Keep out of reach of children.
Read label before use.

Subsection 2:

Store site requirements

Storage

Store locked up 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 product.
Subsection 2:	Engineering Controls
Exposure control measures	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid generating and inhaling dust. Use with local exhaust ventilation or while wearing dust respirator.
Subsection 3:	Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
Detail specifications for equipment	Wear eye/face protection, gloves and protective clothing.
General Hygiene	Do not eat, drink or smoke while using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Off White Powder	pH	Typical ~4.5 in solution
Odour	Distinctive	Boiling point (degC)	N/A
Specific gravity (kg/L)	Not available	Freezing point (degC)	N/A
Solubility	Soluble in water	Flammability information	Not flammable

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability of substance:	Generally stable.
Conditions to avoid:	No specific conditions to be noted.
Material to avoid:	No specific materials noted.
Hazardous decomposition products:	Not known.
Hazardous polymerization:	Will not occur.

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Data and interpretation:	Calculated Oral LD50 1148mg/kg. See section 2 for general hazard information.
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Section 12: Ecological Information

Potential environmental interactions:	Class 9.1C Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Class 9.3C Harmful to terrestrial vertebrates. Designed as a fertiliser to aid plant growth. Concentrated or excessive release is likely to have a detrimental effect on the environment.
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Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Product disposal:	Dispose of only by using in accordance with the label instructions or at an approved landfill.
Container disposal:	Render packaging incapable of holding product and dispose of at an approved landfill.

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:	Do not carry more than 10kg on a passenger service vehicle.

Section 15: Regulatory Information

Regulatory status:	This substance is approved Pursuant to the HSNO Act 1996, under the Fertilisers (Subsidiary Hazard) group standard. HSR002571. See www.epa.govt.nz for approval conditions.
Trigger quantities	Locations holding more than these quantities must adhere to the relevant requirements:
SDS must be available for	Any quantity
Signage	1000kg
Emergency response plan	1000kg

Section 16: Other Information

Revision due:	29 October 2022.
Additional information:	Directions for use are found on the product label.

Glossary:

ACVM	Agricultural Compounds and Veterinary Medicines (in relation to Group or Act 1997)
CAS	Chemical Abstract Services Number, used to uniquely identify chemical compounds
HSNO	Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (legislation 1996)
LD50	Lethal Dose to kill 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.