

## **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# POWERFEED POTS AND PLANTERS CONTROLLED RELEASE GRANULES

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## Section 1 - Identification

#### **Product Identifier**

POWERFEED POTS AND PLANTERS CONTROLLED RELEASE GRANULES

#### **Product Code**

10754

## **Company Name**

SEASOL INTERNATIONAL PTY LTD

#### Address

1027 Mountain Highway Bayswater Vic 3153 AUSTRALIA

## Telephone/Fax Number

Tel: 0397214100

## **Emergency Phone Number**

1800 335 508 (8.30am-5pm)

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Fertiliser for use in gardens and commercial growing applications.

## **Other Names**

Name	Product Code
POWERFEED CRF INDOOR POTS AND PLANTERS - 500 mg	10754

## Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification

## GHS classification of the substance/mixture

Not classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety regulations, Australia.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)

## Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients

## Ingredients

Name	CAS	Proportion
Ammonium nitrate	6484-52-2	1-<10 %
Ingredients determined not to be hazardous		100 %

#### **Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

#### **Inhalation**

If inhaled, remove affected person from contaminated area. Keep at rest until recovered. If symptoms develop and/or persist seek medical attention.

#### Ingestion

Do not induce vomiting. Wash out mouth thoroughly with water. Seek medical attention.

#### Skin

Wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water. If symptoms develop seek medical attention.

#### Eve

If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eyes continuously with running water. Remove contact lenses. Continue flushing for several minutes until all contaminants are washed out completely. If symptoms develop and/or persist seek medical attention.

#### **First Aid Facilities**

Eyewash and normal washroom facilities.

#### **Advice to Doctor**

Treat symptomatically.

#### Other Information

For advice in an emergency, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor at once. (131 126)

## **Section 5 - Firefighting Measures**

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use appropriate fire extinguisher for surrounding environment.

#### **Hazards from Combustion Products**

Under fire conditions this product may emit toxic and/or irritating fumes and gases including oxides of nitrogen, phosphorous and sulfur.

## Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Not combustible

#### **Decomposition Temperature**

Not available

## **Precautions in connection with Fire**

Fire fighters should wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) operated in positive pressure mode. Fight fire from safe location.

## **Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

## **Emergency Procedures**

Increase ventilation. Evacuate all unprotected personnel. Wear sufficient respiratory protection and full protective clothing to prevent exposure. Sweep up material avoiding dust generation or dampen spilled material with water to avoid airborne dust, then transfer material to a suitable container. Wash surfaces well with soap and water. Seal all wastes in labelled containers for subsequent recycling or disposal. Dispose of waste according to the applicable local and national regulations. If contamination of sewers or waterways occurs inform the local water and waste management authorities in accordance with local regulations.

## **Section 7 - Handling and Storage**

## **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Avoid inhalation of dust, and skin or eye contact. Use only in a well ventilated area. Keep containers sealed when not in use. Prevent the build up of dust in the work atmosphere. Maintain high standards of personal hygiene i.e. Washing hands prior to eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet facilities.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight and moisture. Store in suitable, labelled containers. Keep containers tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials. Ensure that storage conditions comply with applicable local and national regulations.

## **Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection**

## Occupational exposure limit values

General use: Not required.

Industrial use: No exposure standards have been established for this material, however, the TWA exposure standards for dust not otherwise specified is 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>. As with all chemicals, exposure should be kept to the lowest possible levels.

TWA (Time Weighted Average): The average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal eighthour working day, for a five-day week.

Source: Safe Work Australia

## **Biological Monitoring**

General use: Not required.

Industrial use: No biological limits allocated.

## **Control Banding**

General use: Not required.

Industrial use: No biological limits allocated.

#### **Engineering Controls**

General use: Use with good general ventilation. If dusts are produced, local exhaust ventilation should be used. Industrial use: Use with good general ventilation. If dusts are produced, local exhaust ventilation should be used.

#### **Respiratory Protection**

General use: Not required

Industrial use: If engineering controls are not effective in controlling airborne exposure then an approved respirator with a replaceable dust/particulate filter should be used. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning respiratory protective requirements.

Reference should be made to Australian Standards AS/NZS 1715, Selection, Use and Maintenance of Respiratory Protective Devices; and AS/NZS 1716, Respiratory Protective Devices, in order to make any necessary changes for individual circumstances.

## **Eye and Face Protection**

General use: Not required if used as intended. However avoid product contacting eyes.

Industrial use: Safety glasses with side shields, chemical goggles or full-face shield as appropriate should be used. Final choice of appropriate eye/face protection will vary according to individual circumstances. Eye protection devices should conform to relevant regulations.

Eye protection should conform with Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 (series) - Eye Protectors for Industrial Applications.

## **Hand Protection**

General use: Not required if used as intended. However avoid product contacting skin.

Industrial use: Wear gloves of impervious material. Final choice of appropriate gloves will vary according to individual circumstances. i.e. methods of handling or according to risk assessments undertaken. Occupational protective gloves should conform to relevant regulations.

Reference should be made to AS/NZS 2161.1: Occupational protective gloves - Selection, use and maintenance.

#### **Thermal Hazards**

General use: No further relevant information available. Industrial use: No further relevant information available.

## **Body Protection**

General use: Not required if used as intended.

Industrial use: Suitable protective workwear, e.g. cotton overalls buttoned at neck and wrist is recommended. Chemical resistant apron is recommended where large quantities are handled.

**Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties** 

Properties	Description	Properties	Description
Form	Solid - Granules	Appearance	Brownish granules
Colour	Brownish	Odour	Slightly earthy smell.
Melting Point	Not available	Boiling Point	Not available
Decomposition Temperature	Not available	Solubility in Water	Slightly soluble
Specific Gravity	Not available	рН	Not available
Vapour Pressure	Negligible at normal ambient temperatures.	Relative Vapour Density (Air=1)	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable	Odour Threshold	Not available
Viscosity	Not available	Volatile Component	Expected to be low at 100°C.  Negligible at normal ambient temperatures.
Partition Coefficient: n- octanol/water (log value)	Not available	Density	Not available
Flash Point	Not applicable	Flammability	Does not burn.
Auto-Ignition Temperature	Not applicable	Explosion Limit - Upper	Not applicable
Explosion Limit - Lower	Not applicable	<b>Explosion Properties</b>	Not available
Particle Characteristics	Not available		

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

## Reactivity

Reacts with incompatible materials.

## **Chemical Stability**

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

## Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not available

#### **Conditions to Avoid**

Extremes of temperature, direct sunlight and dusty conditions.

## **Incompatible Materials**

Not available

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Thermal decomposition may result in the release of toxic and/or irritating fumes including oxides of nitrogen, phosphorous and sulfur.

## **Hazardous Polymerization**

Not available

## **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

#### **Toxicology Information**

No toxicity data available for this material.

#### Ingestion

Ingestion of this product may irritate the gastric tract causing nausea and vomiting.

#### **Inhalation**

Inhalation of dusts may irritate the respiratory system. Chronic exposure to this material may aggravate existing respiratory disorders and lung disorders such as bronchitis, emphysaema and asthma. Onset and progression are related to dust concentrations and duration of exposure.

#### Skin

Skin contact may cause mechanical irritation resulting in redness and itching.

#### Eve

Eye contact may cause mechanical irritation. May result in mild abrasion.

#### **Respiratory Sensitisation**

Not expected to be a respiratory sensitiser.

## **Skin Sensitisation**

Not expected to be a skin sensitiser.

#### **Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

Not considered to be a mutagenic hazard.

#### Carcinogenicity

Not considered to be a carcinogenic hazard.

Ammonium nitrate (ingested) under conditions that result in endogenous nitrosation is listed as a Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans according to International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC).

## **Reproductive Toxicity**

Not considered to be toxic to reproduction.

#### **STOT - Single Exposure**

Not expected to cause toxicity to a specific target organ.

#### **STOT - Repeated Exposure**

Not expected to cause toxicity to a specific target organ.

#### **Aspiration Hazard**

Not expected to be an aspiration hazard.

## **Section 12 - Ecological Information**

## **Ecotoxicity**

No ecological data available for this material.

### Persistence and degradability

Product is biodegradable, however no data available.

#### Mobility

Not available

## **Bioaccumulative Potential**

Not available

## **Other Adverse Effects**

Not available

## **Environmental Protection**

Prevent this material entering waterways, drains and sewers.

## **Hazardous to the Ozone Layer**

This product is not expected to deplete the ozone layer.

#### **Other Information**

This product is eco efficient, environment friendly and unlikely to negatively affect the environment. Soluble salts of nitrogenous compounds, phosphorous and potash in this product are released in small quantities in a slow release or controlled release manner to be able to be taken up by plants when released to the environment. This product is not expected to be an environmental hazard as long as precaution is taken to not allow the product to enter the environment uncontrolled. Excess of nitrogen and phosphorus can stimulate weed and algal growth. High nitrate concentrations due to untimely or heavy application of excess nitrogen and can contaminate surface and ground water which may render the water unsuitable for human and livestock.

## **Section 13 - Disposal Considerations**

#### **Disposal Considerations**

The disposal of the spilled or waste material must be done in accordance with applicable local and national regulations. To minimise personal exposure to the chemical, refer to Section 8—Exposure controls and personal protection.

## **Section 14 - Transport Information**

#### **Transport Information**

Road and Rail Transport (ADG Code):

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG Code) (7th edition).

Marine Transport (IMO/IMDG):

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea.

Air Transport (ICAO/IATA):

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air.

#### ADG U.N. Number

None Allocated

## **ADG Proper Shipping Name**

None Allocated

#### **ADG Transport Hazard Class**

None Allocated

#### **Special Precautions for User**

Not available

## **IMDG Marine pollutant**

No

## **Transport in Bulk**

Not available

## **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

## **Regulatory Information**

Not classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) including Work, Health and Safety Regulations, Australia.

Not classified as a Scheduled Poison according to the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP).

#### **Poisons Schedule**

Not Scheduled

#### **Montreal Protocol**

Not listed

#### **Stockholm Convention**

Not listed

#### **Rotterdam Convention**

Not listed

## International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL)

Not available

## **Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Act 1994**

Not available

## **Basel Convention**

Not available

## **Section 16 - Any Other Relevant Information**

## **Date of Preparation**

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3.0

#### **Literature References**

Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail.

Work Health and Safety Regulations, Schedule 10: Prohibited carcinogens, restricted carcinogens and restricted hazardous chemicals.

Code of Practice for Supply Diversion into Illicit Drug Manufacture.

National Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern.

Agricultural Compounds and Veterinary Chemicals Act.

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) Monographs.

Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer.

Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs).

Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade.

Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal.

International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations.

International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) Code.

Workplace exposure standards for airborne contaminants.

Adopted biological exposure determinants, American Conference of Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH).

Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (7th revised edition).

Code of Practice: Managing Noise and Preventing Hearing Loss at Work.

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