

VOLUNTARY PURCHASING GROUPS, INC.

Safety Data Sheet Hi-Yield® Iron Plus Soil Acidifier Fertilizer 11-0-0

SECTION 1: Identification

Product identifier	
Product name	Hi-Yield® Iron Plus Soil Acidifier Fertilizer 11-0-0
Supplier's details	
Name Address	Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc. 230 FM 87 Bonham, TX 75418 USA
Telephone	855-270-4776
Emergency phone number(s)	
	In the event or a medical or chemical emergency contact ChemTel, Inc. North American 1-800-255-3924 or worldwide Intl. + 01-813-248-0585

SECTION 2: Hazard identification

Classification of the substance or mixture Not classified

GHS label elements, including precautionary statements No labeling applicable

Other hazards which do not result in classification No additional information available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Hazardous components

Component	
Component Concentration	
Ammonium Sulfate (CAS no.: 7783-20-2)	
CLASSIFICATIONS: No data available. HAZARDS: No data available.	
VPG Iron 50% (Index no.: 800299)	
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Description of necessary first-aid measures

General advice	Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Have the Safety Data Sheet, and if available, the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. Never give fluids or induce vomiting if a patient is unconscious or convulsing regardless of cause of injury. If breathing difficulties occur, seek medical attention immediately.
If inhaled	Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
In case of skin contact	Wash skin with soap and plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
In case of eye contact	Hold eyes open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eyes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If swallowed	Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
Personal protective equipment for firs	Respiratory Protection: NIOSH/MSHA approved for protection against toxic dusts containing quartz. Ventilation: General or local exhaust to maintain employee exposure below the TLV/PEL. Protective Gloves: PVC or Neoprene. Eye Protection: Safety glasses or goggles (ANSI Z87.1 1979) Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: Apron, boots, long sleeved shirt and full-length pants may be worn when necessary to prevent skin contact.
	Eye wash and shower facilities should be available.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Dry Chemical, Carbon Dioxide, Water Spray, or Regular Foam

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No acute hazard.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Avoid breathing vapors or dust. Keep upwind.

Wear pressure-demand, self-contained breathing apparatus, (MSHA/NIOSH) approved or equivalent, and full protective gear.

Further information

Melts and decomposes at 445°F with emission of ammonia and sulfur trioxide.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Respiratory Protection: NIOSH/MSHA approved for protection against toxic dusts containing quartz. Ventilation: General or local exhaust to maintain employee exposure below the TLV/PEL. Protective Gloves: PVC or Neoprene. Eye Protection: Safety glasses or goggles (ANSI Z87.1 1979) Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: Apron, boots, long sleeved shirt and full-length pants may be worn when necessary to prevent skin contact.

Environmental precautions

Avoid the generation of dusts. Prevent release to sewers or waterways in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up, vacuum the material and transfer to the original container, or to a sealed, labeled container. Residue may be washed away with water. Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State, and local regulations

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Store material in a dry area.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Separate from strong oxidizers.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Appropriate engineering controls

Ventilation: General or local exhaust to maintain employee exposure below the TLV/PEL.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses or goggles (ANSI Z87.1 1979)

Skin protection

PVC or Neoprene gloves

Body protection

Apron, boots, long sleeved shirt and full-length pants may be worn when necessary to prevent skin contact. Eye wash and shower facilities should be available.

Respiratory protection

NIOSH/MSHA approved for protection against toxic dusts.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance/form Odor Odor threshold	Reddish colored granules odorless
pH Melting point/freezing point	>455°F
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not applicable
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable
Upper/lower flammability limits	
Upper/lower explosive limits	
Vapor pressure	Not applicable
Vapor density	Not applicable
Relative density	
Solubility(ies)	Yes
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	None
Auto-ignition temperature	
Decomposition temperature	
Viscosity	
Explosive properties	
Oxidizing properties	

Other safety information

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

Yes

Chemical stability

Yes

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to avoid N/A

Incompatible materials

Ammonium Nitrate, Potassium or Sodium-Potassium Alloy, Potassium Chlorate, Potassium Nitrite, Strong Oxidizers.

Hazardous decomposition products

Melts and decomposes at 445°F with emission of ammonia and sulfur trioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure: Disorders of respiratory system, dermatitis or other skin disorders.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin contact may result in local irritation.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Eye contact may result in local irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Inhalation of high concentrations may result in upper respiratory tract irritation.

Inhalation of dust may permanently damage the lungs and result in the development of pneumoconiosis, silicosis, or other respiratory disorders.

Ingestion of large quantities may cause symptoms of non-specific irritation of the gastrointestinal tract; nausea, vomiting, cramps, and diarrhea.

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available.

Carcinogenicity

No data available.

Reproductive toxicity No data available.

STOT-single exposure

No data available.

STOT-repeated exposure

No data available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Toxicity None Expected

Persistence and degradability No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment No data available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Disposal of the product

If wastes and/or containers cannot be disposed of according to the product label directions, disposal of this material must be in accordance with your local or area regulatory authorities. This information presented below only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. If the material as supplied becomes a waste, follow all applicable regional, national and local laws.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US) Not regulated:

IMDG Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

HMIS Rating

Hi-Yield® Iron Plus Soil Acidifier Fertilizer		
11-0-0		
HEALTH	1	
FLAMMABILITY	0	
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0	
PERSONAL PROTECTION		

NFPA Rating



SECTION 16: Other information

No data available.

Further information/disclaimer

Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc. urges each customer or recipient of this (M)SDS to study it carefully and consult appropriate expertise, as necessary or appropriate, to become aware of and understand the data contained in this (M)SDS and any hazards associated with the product. The information herein is provided in good faith and believed to be accurate as of the effective date shown above. However, no warranty, express or implied, is given. Regulatory requirements are subject to change and may differ between various locations. It is the buyer's/user's responsibility to ensure that his activities comply with all federal, state, provincial or local laws. The information presented here pertains only to the product as shipped. Since conditions for use of the product are not under the control of the manufacturer, it is the buyer's/user's duty to determine the conditions necessary for the safe use of this product. Due to the proliferation of sources for information such as manufacturer-specific (M)SDSs, we are not and cannot be responsible for (M)SDSs obtained from any source other than ourselves. If you have obtained an (M)SDS from another source or if you are not sure that the (M)SDS you have is current, please contact us for the most current version.