

American Plant Food Corp

903 MAYO SHELL ROAD / PO Box 584

GALENA PARK, TEXAS 77547

Safety Data Sheet Custom Blend 15-0-15 4.2% PolyCoated Urea

PHONE NUMBER 800-634-2861

# 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name:	Custom Blend 15-0-15			
	4.2% Poly Coated Urea			
<b>Chemical Name:</b>	Mixture of Inorganic Salts			
<b>Guaranteed Analysis</b>	15% N, 0% P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> , 15% K <sub>2</sub> O, 1% Fe , 0.4% Mn			
CAS Registry Number:	Not Applicable			
Product Use:	Dry Fertilizer For Soil Application to Improve Plant Growth			
Supplier:	American Plant Food Corp. 903 Mayo Shell Rd, Galena Park, TX 77802			
	Telephone: 800-634-2861			
<b>Emergency Phone #s:</b>	FOR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY			
	(Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure or Accident) (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC			
	FOR MEDICAL/HANDLING EMERGENCIES			
	INFOTRAC USA: (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC			

# 2. SIGNAL WORD:

WARNING



**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW** (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC. Not flammable or explosive, but will decompose in extreme heat to produce toxic fumes of oxides of nitrogen ammonia, oxides of phosphorous, and oxides of potassium.

#### MAY CAUSE EYE, SKIN, AND RESPIRATORY IRRITATION.

- Avoid contact with skin and clothing. Wash after handling.
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. (See Section 8 for additional information)

Appearance and odor: Mixture of white, grey and red granules

#### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS (See Section 11 for additional information)

Primary Route (s) of Exposure: Dermal Contact, Eye Contact, Inhalation, Ingestion Acute Exposure:

- Inhalation Irritating to lungs
- Eye Contact Irritating to eyes
- Skin Contact
   Irritating to skin
- Ingestion Do not swallow
- Carcinogenicity: Not classified or listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA, EU and ACGIH.



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Chronic Effect/Developmental Repeated skin exposure can produce local skin destruction or dermatitis. Repeated exposure to the eyes to a low level of dust can produce eye irritation.

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Medical Conditions Aggravated: Skin conditions, Eye conditions, Gastrointestinal condition <u>POTENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS</u> (See Section 12 for additional information)

This material is a water pollutant. Do Not let spilled or leaking material enter waterways.

# **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

		CAS Number
Ingredients (See Section 8 for Exposure	%	
Limits)	(w/w)	
Urea	15%	57-13-6
Potassium Chloride	25%	7447-40-7
Ammonium Sulfate	21%	7783-20-2
Polymer Coated Urea	9%	57-13-6
Manganese Sulfate	2%	10034-96-5
Limestone	27%	1317-65-3
Iron Oxide	>3%	1309-37-1
Manganese Oxide	>1%	1317-35-7
Iron Sulfate	>1%	7720-78-7
Zinc Sulfate	>1%	7733-02-0
Zinc Oxide	>1%	1314-13-2
Calcium Oxide	>1%	1305-78-8
Gypsum	>1%	13397-24-5
Silica Dioxide	>1%	7631-86-9

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES Inhalation: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. Get

	medical attention.
Eye Contact:	Check for and remove any contact lenses. Rinse immediately with plenty of water.
	Get medical attention.
Skin Contact:	Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Ingestion:	Do Not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
	Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

# **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

<b>Conditions of Flammability:</b>	Non Flammable
Flash Point (Method):	N/A
<b>Auto-Ignition Temperature:</b>	N/A
Extinguishing Media:	This product is not flammable or combustible. If involved in a
	fire, use water fog or spray, dry chemical, foam or carbon
	dioxide extinguishing agents.
Fire Fighting Procedures:	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus, approved by NIOSH.
	Do not wash material into any streams, waterways, drainage



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ditches, or storm sewers, etc. Impound liquids used in firefighting to prevent entry into streams, ditches, sewers, etc. Not flammable or explosive.

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Fire & Explosion Hazards:		Not flammable or explosive.			
Hazardous Combustion Products:		Oxides of nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium. Ammonia			
	Health:	Fire:	Reactivity:	Other:	

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# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill/Leak:

**Cleanup:** 

NFPA Hazard Rating

Safely stop source of spill. Restrict non-essential personnel from area. All personnel involved in spill clean up should avoid skin and eye contact by wearing appropriate personal protective equipment.
Sweep up spilled solid material, being careful not to create dust. Return sweepings to stock or, if contaminated, place into a chemical waste container for disposal according to local, state, and/or federal regulations.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Protect from physical damage. Avoid generating dust and the release of dust into the workplace. Refrain from eating, drinking, or smoking in work areas.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Applicable Exposure Limits:**

Chemical Name	OSHA – PELS (mg / m <sup>3</sup> )		ACGIH – TLVs (mg / m <sup>3</sup> )		NIOSH – RELS (mg / m <sup>3</sup> )	
	TWA	STEL/CEIL (C)	TWA	STEL/CEIL (C)	TWA	STEL/CEIL (C)
Urea	15 Total 5 Respirable	N/D	N/D	N/D	N/D	N/D
Potassium Chloride	15 Total 5 Respirable	N/D	N/D	N/D	N/D	N/D
Ammonium Sulfate	15 Total 5 Respirable	N/D	N/D	N/D	N/D	N/D
Manganese Sulfate	5 Total	N/D	2	N/D	1	3
Limestone	15 Total 5 Respirable	N/D	N/D	N/D	10 Total 5 Respirable	N/D
Iron Oxide	10	N/D	5	N/D	5	N/D
Iron Salts	N/D	N/D	1	N/D	1	N/D
Manganese compounds	N/D	N/D	2	N/D	1	3
Zinc compounds	15 Total 5 Respirable	N/D	2	N/D	5	15
Calcium Oxide	5	N/D	2	N/D	2	N/D
Gypsum	15 Total 5 Respirable	N/D	N/D	N/D	10 Total 5 Respirable	N/D
Silicon Dioxide	15 Total 5 Respirable	N/D	N/D	N/D	10 Total 5 Respirable	N/D

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CEIL:	Ceiling Exposure Limit	PEL:	Permissible Exposure Limit
STEL:	Short Term Exposure Limit	REL:	Recommended Exposure Limit
N/D	Not Determined	TLV:	Threshold Limit Value
ACGIH:	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	TWA:	Time-Weighted Average
NIOSH:	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health	WEEL:	Workplace Environmental Exposure Level
OSHA:	Occupational Safety and Health Administration		
Persona	al Protective Equipment (PPE)		

- Protective Clothing: The hazard potential of this material is low. Where there is large-scale use of this material and significant potential for worker contact, gloves and long sleeved work clothes or disposable coveralls may be necessary. Eye protection should be worn where dust is generated and there is a potential that eye contact may occur.
- Ventilation: Use adequate local or general ventilation where necessary to maintain the concentrations of dust well below the recommended occupational exposure limits for general particulates. Not Otherwise Specified (NOS).
- Respirators: Where dust is generated and cannot be controlled to within acceptable levels by engineering means, use appropriate NIOSH-approved respiratory protection equipment a 42CFR84 Class N, R or P-95 particulate filter cartridge.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMIC	LAL PROPERTIES	
Physical State/Appearance/Odor:	Solid, mixture of white, brown, red granules, odorless	
Boiling Point:	N/A	
Bulk Density:	57-65 lbs./cubic foot	
Cloud Point:	N/A	
Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate=1):	N/A	
Melting Point:	N/A	
Odor Threshold:	N/A	
pH:	5.5-7.5	
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water):	N/A	
Pour Point:	N/A	
Solubility in water:	85-95%	
Solubility in other solvents:	N/A	
Specific Gravity ( $H_2O = 1$ ):	N/A	
Vapor Density (Air = 1):	N/A	
Viscosity:	N/A	
Volatiles (% by weight):	N/A	
Other-Decomposition temperature	N/A	
Conditions of Flammability:	Non-Flammable	
Flash Point (Method):	N/A	
Upper Flammable Limit (% by volume)	N/A	
Lower Flammable Limit (% by volume):	N/A	
Auto-Ignition Temperature	N/A	
<: less than	>: greater than =	= : approximately

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### Stability:

This product is stable at ambient temperatures and atmospheric pressures. Avoid contact with strong alkaline or acid compounds.

Incompatibilities/Conditions to avoid: Decomposition Products:

Ammonia. Oxides of Nitrogen, Phosphorous, and Potassium.



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# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

TOXICITY DATA				
Ingredient Name	TEST	RESULT	ROUTE	SPECIES
Urea	LD50	8471 mg/kg	ORAL	RAT
Potassium Chloride	LD50	1500 mg/kg	ORAL	MOUSE
	LD50	3750 mg/kg	ORAL	RAT
Ammonium Sulfate	LD50	3000 mg/kg	ORAL	RAT
Iron Sulfate	LD50	1520 mg/kg	ORAL	MUS
	LD50	245 mg/kg	IPR	MUS
	LD50	51 mg/kg	IVN	MUS
Manganese Sulfate	LD50	120 mg/kg	IPR	MUS
Zinc Oxide	LD50	630 mg/kg	ORAL	RAT
Zinc Sulfate	LD50	221 mg/kg	UNR	MAN
	LD50	1260 mg/kg	ORAL	RAT
	LD50	2200 mg/kg	ORAL	MUS
	LD50	200 mg/kg	IPR	RAT
Silica Dioxide	LD50	50 mg/kg	IPN	RAT
	LD50	15 mg/kg	IVN	RAT
Sodium tetraborate	LD50	>2000 mg/kg	SKIN	
pentahydrate	LC50	2.0 mg/L	INHALATION	
1 7	LD50	3200 mg/kg	ORAL	RAT

<b>GENERAL:</b>	The form in which this material is sold is considered to be relatively non-toxic.
SKIN/EYE:	Direct contact may cause local irritation, but is not expected to cause significant
	tissue damage.
<b>INHALATION:</b>	Acute inhalation may result in irritation, but is not expected to cause significant
	harmful effects. Symptoms may include discomfort, coughing, sneezing, and
	shortness of breath.
<b>INGESTION:</b>	Ingestion of large doses can irritate the stomach, resulting in abdominal pain, nausea,
	diarrhea, and vomiting.
12. ECOLOGIC	CAL INFORMATION

# Ecotoxicity: No data available on the mixture. Components within the mixture can be damaging to aquatic organisms. Environmental Fate: Product is not expected to bio accumulate. Release of components in this mixture to the aquatic environment can cause algae growth which may increase turbidity and displace oxygen resulting in a hazard to fish or other marine organisms. Will disperse with the current. Release to watercourses may cause effects down stream from the point of release. Avoid spills or release to watercourse.

# **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**



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Waste &<br/>ContainerDo not wash down drain. Put uncontaminated material back into process if at all<br/>possible. Place contaminated material in suitable, labeled containers for disposal.Disposal:Dispose of waste material consistent with the requirements of waste disposal<br/>authorities.

# **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping Information:	Not regulated for transport
Required Labels:	N/A
Environmentally Hazardous Substances	N/A
[49 CFR 172.101, Appendix A]:	

# **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**Regulatory Lists:** 

Ingredients listed on TSCA inventory	Yes	
Hazardous work hazard communication standard	No	
CERCLA Section 103 Hazardous Substances	No	
EPCRA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance	No	
EPCRA Section 311/312 Hazard Categories	No	
EPCRA Section 313 Toxic Release Inventory	No	

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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