SAFETY DATA SHEET T-Methyl G-Pro Granular



SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION		
Product Name:	T-Methyl G-Pro Granular	
EPA Registration No.:	53883-183	
Recommended Use:	Fungicide; See product label for a complete list of uses and use sites.	
Restrictions on Use:	See product label for any restrictions on the use of this product.	
Chemical Family:	Not determined	
Chemical Name of Active Ingredient(s):	Th iopha nate-methyl	
Manufactured for:	Bonus Crop Fertilizer, Inc. Post Office Box 1062 Greenville, TX 75403	

FOR FIRE, SPILL, AND/OR LEAK EMERGENCIES CONTACT: <u>CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300</u> FOR MEDICAL EMERGENCIES AND HEALTH AND SAFETY INQUIRIES CONTACT: <u>Safety Call 1-866-897-8050</u>

SECTION 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: Off white granules with faint sulfur odor.

OSHA HCS CLASSIFICATION (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Specific Target Organ Toxicity- Repeated Exposure	Category 1
Carcinogenicity	Category IA

Signal Word:	DANGER
Hazard Statement(s):	Causes damage to organs (lung/respiratory system) through prolonged or repeated exposure (inhalation). May cause cancer (inhalation).
Precautionary Statement(s):	
Prevention:	Obtain special instructions before use.
	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Do not breathe dust. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Response:	IF EXPOSED OR CONCERNED: Get medical advice/attention.
	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
Storage:	Store locked up.
Disposal:	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with Federal, state and local laws and regulations.

SECTION 3: COMPOSTION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS		
Chemical Name	CAS Number	Weight%
Thiophanate-methyl	23564-05-8	2.08%
Dolomite Limestone (contains)	16389-88-1	0-99.0%
Crystalline silica	14808-60-7	0-15.0%

*Ingredients not listed or listed with a weight% range are considered a trade secret and are withheld under 29 CFR 1910.1200(i).

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES		
IF IN EVES:	Hold eye 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 eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.	
IF ON SKIN:	Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 1 5 to 20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.	
IF INHALED:	Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance; then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.	
IF INGESTED:	Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.	

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed: Mild mechanical eye irritation. Repeated inhalation may cause silicosis or cancer.

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASUR	ES
Suitable Extinguishing Media:	Use appropriate extinguishing media for surrounding fire.
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:	Heavy water stream
Hazardous Combustion Products:	Thermal decomposition may produce oxides of carbon, nitrogen, calcium and magnesium.
Special Protective Equipment &	Evacuate area and fight fire upwind from a safe distance to avoid
Precautions:	hazardous vapors and decomposition products. Foam and/or dry chemical are preferred to minimize environmental contamination. If water is used, dike and collect water to prevent run-off. Wear self- contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turn-out gear (Bunker gear).
Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards:	None known

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES			
Personal Precautions:	See Section 8 for personal protection equipment.		
Environmental Precautions:	 Keep spilled material and any rinsate from contaminating soil or from enterin sewage and drainage systems and bodies of water. 		
Methods for Containment:	Isolate the spill area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Avoid inhalation of dust. Avoid actions that cause dust to become airborne.		
Methods for Clean-up:	Uncontaminated product may be placed in a container for use according to label directions. Do not put spilled material back in the original container. Avoid actions that cause dust to become airborne during dry clean-up such as sweeping or using compressed air. Use HEPA vacuum or thoroughly wet with water to clean-up dust. Pick up wash liquid with additional absorbent and place in a disposable container.		
Other Information:	None known		

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:	RECOMMENDATIONS	ARE INTENDED FOR MANUFACTURING, PACKAGING AND COMMERCIAL
	BLENDING WORKERS	. PESTICIDE APPLICATORS AND WORKERS must refer to the product label
	and Directions for Us	e attached to the product for Agricultural Use Requirements in
	accordance with the	EPA Worker Protection Standard 40 CFR part 170. Handle and open
	container in a manne	r as to prevent spillage. Do not eat, drink or smoke while handling this
	product. Immediatel	y wash off accidental splashes of the concentrate or spray mixture from
	skin, clothing and out	of eyes.
Storage:	See pesticide label for full information on product storage. Do not contaminate water, food	
	or feed by storage of	this product. Store away from sources of heat, out of direct sunlight and
	away from incompati	ble materials. Pesticides should be stored in secured areas away from
	children and animals.	
Storage Temperature (Min/Max): Not determined		Not determined
Product Incom	Product Incompatibilities: Hydrofluoric acid. Strong oxidizers.	

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Users of a pesticide product must refer to the product label for personal protective equipment requirements.

Exposure Guidelines:

COMPONENT	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL
Crystalline silica	250 mppcf/%SiO2+5 (STEL) 10 mg/m ³ /%SiO2+2 (STEL)	0.025 mg/m ³ (TWA)	0.05 mg/m ³ (TWA)

Engineering Controls: Provide general or local exhaust ventilation systems to maintain airborne concentrations below OSHA PELs or other specified exposure limits. Local exhaust ventilation is preferred.

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Respiratory Protection:	h areas of poor ventilation or where exposure limits are exceeded, use a NIOSH approved respirator with cartridges/canisters approved for pesticides and silica dust.
Eye Protection:	Chemical goggles or safety glasses and full-face shield.
Protective Gloves:	Chemical-resistant gloves such as barrier laminate, butyl rubber, nitrile, neoprene rubber, polyvinyl chloride (PVC) or Viton.
Other Protective Clothing:	Long-sleeved shirt, long pants and shoes plus socks.
General Safety Measures:	Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove clothing immediately after handling this product. Wash outside of gloves before removing. Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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Appearance:	Off-white granule (solid)	Upper/Lower Flammability Limits:	Not determined
Odor:	Faint sulfur	Vapor Pressure:	Not applicable
Odor Threshold:	Not determined	Vapor Density:	Not applicable
pH (1% dispersion):	5.0-5.5	Bulk Density:	0.469 g/ml
Melting /Freezing Point:	Not determined	Solubility:	Not determined
Boiling Point/Range:	Not determined	Partition Coefficient:	Not determined
Flash Point:	Not applicable	Auto-ignition Temperature:	Not determined
Evaporation Rate:	Not determined	Decomposition Temperature:	Not determined
Flammability:	Not determined	Viscosity:	Not applicable

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity:	Dolomitic limestone dissolves in hydrofluoric acid, producing
	corrosive silicon tetrafluoride gas. Silicates react with powerful
	oxidizers such as fluorine, boron trifluoride, chlorine trifluoride,
	manganese trifluoride and oxygen trifluoride.
Chemical Stability:	Stable under normal storage and handling conditions.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:	No potential for hazardous reactions known unless mixed with
	incompatible substances.
Conditions to Avoid:	Excessive heat.
Incompatible Materials:	Hydrofluoric acid. Strong oxidizers.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Thermal decomposition may produce oxides of carbon, nitrogen,
	calcium and magnesium.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure:	Eye contact, Skin contact, Inhalation, Ingestion		
Symptoms of Exposure:	Mild mechanical eye irritation.		
Oral LDso:	>5,000 mg/kg (rat)(Based upon similar product)		
Dermal LDso:	>5,000 mg/kg (rabbit)(Based upon similar product)		
Inhalation LCso:	>5.0 mg/L (4-hour)(rat)(Based upon similar product)		
Eye Irritation/Damage:	Not anticipated to cause eye irritation. Based upon similar product.		

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Skin Corrosion/Irritation:	Not anticipated to cause skin irritation. Based upon similar product.			
Skin Sensitization:	Not anticipated to cause skin sensitization. Based upon similar product.			
Chronic/Subchronic Toxicity:	Crystalline silica is known to cause silicosis after repeated inhalation. There are three types of silicosis: 1) simple chronic silicosis - results from long-term exposure (more than 20 years) to low amounts of respirable crystalline silica; 2) Accelerated silicosis - occurs after exposure to larger amounts of respirable crystalline silica over a shorter period of time (5-15 years); 3) Acute silicosis - results from short-term exposure to very large amounts of respirable crystalline silica.			
Mutagenicity:	No data available			
Reproductive Toxicity:	No data available			
Neurotoxicity:	No data available			
Target Organs:	Lungs, respiratory system			
Aspiration Hazard:	Not anticipated to be an aspiration hazard.			
Carcinogenicity:	See below.			
Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Crystalline silica		Group 1	Known Human Carcinogens	

I SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental Hazards Statement from FIFRA Regulated Pesticide Label:

Do not apply directly to water, or areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

ECOTOXICITY DATA:

Fish Toxicity:	No data available
Aquatic Invertebrate Toxicity:	No data available
Aquatic Plant Toxicity:	No data available
Avian Toxicity:	No data available
Honeybee Toxicity:	No data available

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS:

Persistence and Degradability:	No data available
Bioaccumulation:	No data available
Mobility:	No data available
Other Adverse Effects:	No data available

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL	CONSIDERATIONS
Waste Disposal:	Refer to the pesticide label for full information on disposal. Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of unused pesticide, spray mixture, or rinse water is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be used according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance in proper disposal methods.
Container Disposal:	Refer to the pesticide label for full information on disposal. When possible, triple rinse the container and offer for recycling if available.
RCRA Characteristics:	It is the responsibility of the individual disposing of this product to determine the RCRA classification and hazard status of the waste.

SECTION 14	: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION
DOT	Not regulated in packages less than 480.8 lbs. For packages of 480.8 lbs or greater:
(Ground):	UN3077, Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, N.O.S. (thiophanate-methyl), 9, PGIII, RQ
IMDG (Sea):	Not determined
IATA (Air):	Not determined

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Labeling Requirements Under FIFRA: This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

CAUTION

Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco.

TSCA Inventory: This product is exempt from TSCA inventory listing requirements as it is solely for FIFRA regulated use.

SARA Title III Information:		
Section 302 - Extremely hazardous substances:	None	
Section 311/312 - Hazard Categories:	Chronic (Delayed)	
Section 313 - This product contains a chemical o	r chemicals which are subject to th	ne reporting
requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code	of Federal Regulations, Part 372:	
Chemical Name	CAS Number	Weight%
Thiophanate-methyl	23564-05-8	2.08%

CERCLA- This product contains the following chemicals which have a reportable quantity (RQ) under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA):

Chemical Name	CAS Number	RQ	Quantity of
			Finished Product
Thiophanate-methyl	23564-05-8	10 lbs	480.8 lbs

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Prop 65 Category(ies)
Crystalline silica	14808-60-7	Cancer
Th iopha nate-methyl	23564-05-8	Reproductive

U.S. STATE RIGHT-TO-KNOW REGULATIONS:

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Thiophanate-methyl	X	Х	Х
Crystalline silica	Х	Х	Х

SECTION 16	: OTHER INFORMATIC	ON				
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NFPA	Health Hazards	2 Flamr	nability 1	Instability O	Special Hazards - None	

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