

## **SECTION 1: Identification**

## 1.1 Product identifier

Product name	24-5-11
Product number	R802978A
Brand	Nutrite

## **1.2 Other means of identification** Granular fertilizer

**1.3 Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use** For turf fertilizer applications. See product label for application instructions.

## 1.4 Supplier's details

Name Address	Ferti Technologies 155 East Street Wallingford CT 06492 USA
Telephone	203-265-0500

## 1.5 Emergency phone number(s)

USA National Capital Poison Center: 1 800 222 1222

## **SECTION 2: Hazard identification**

## General hazard statement

Avoid creating dust when handling, using or storing. Use outdoors or in well ventilated area to avoid exposure to dust.

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

## GHS classification in accordance with: OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200)

- Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Cat. 2B
- Skin corrosion/irritation, Cat. 2
- Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure), Cat. 3
- Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure), Cat. 2

## 2.2 GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

Signal word	Warning
Hazard statement(s)	
H315	Causes skin irritation
H320	Causes eye irritation
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H373	May cause damage to organs [lungs] through prolonged or repeated exposure [inhalation]
Precautionary statement(s)	
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor// if you feel unwell.
P321	Specific treatment (see First Aid section).
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/container according to local regulations
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P314	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

2.3 Other hazards which do not result in classification No data available

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

## 3.2 Mixtures

This Safety Data Sheet is not a guarantee of product specification or NPK value(s).

## Hazardous components

Component	Concentration
Urea (CAS no.: 57-13-6)	45.2 - 45.3 % (weight)
Potassium chloride (CAS no.: 7447-40-7; EC no.: 231-211-8)	18.3 - 18.5 % (weight)
Ammonium Sulfate (CAS no.: 7783-20-2)	10.52 - 10.93 % (weight)
Calcium Sulfate dihydrate (CAS no.: 10101-41-4)	9.5 - 10 % (weight)
Monoammonium phosphate (CAS no.: 7722-76-1)	8.88 - 9.26 % (weight)
Feldspar	3.185 - 3.25 % (weight)
Iron Sucrate - Complex mixture of Iron oxide and Sugar	2.2 - 2.3 % (weight)
Quartz (CAS no.: 14808-60-7; EC no.: 238-878-4)	1.75 - 1.75 % (weight)

## Trade secret statement (OSHA 1910.1200(i))

\*The specific chemical identities and/or actual concentrations or actual concentration ranges for one or more listed components are being withheld as trade secrets under the US regulation 29 CFR 1910.1200(i).

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Note: The balance of the ingredients are not classified as hazardous or are below the concentration limit to be classified as hazardous, under the criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29CFR 1910.1200.

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

#### Description of necessary first-aid measures 4.1

General advice	Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
If inhaled	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Use oxygen as required, provided by a qualified operator. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists
In case of skin contact	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
In case of eye contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
If swallowed	Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward to reduce the risk of aspiration. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person

#### Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed 4.2

INHALATION: May cause respiratory irritation if inhaled SKIN: May cause skin irritation EYES: Dust particles may irritate eyes by mechanical abrasion. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision INGESTION: May cause discomfort if swallowed. May be harmful if swallowed in large quantities.

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary Notes to physician: Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1 Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire. Avoid excessive water to minimize runoff. Prevent firefighter water from entering the environment. Small fires: Water spray, foam, dry chemical or CO2 Large fires: Water spray, fog or foam.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical 5.2

Container may rupture on heating. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. Do not allow run-off from firefighting to enter drains or water courses. Explosive reactions with oxidizing agents such as potassium chlorate and/or peroxides. In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as: Ammonia Carbon monoxide

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Potassium chloride: Hydrogen chloride gas, Potassium oxides

## 5.3 Special protective actions for fire-fighters

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. In the case of respirable dust and/or fumes, use self-contained breathing apparatus and dust impervious protective suit.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear personal protective equipment. Unprotected persons must be kept away. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Fertilizers will dissolve and disperse in water and promote algae growth, Notify downstream water users of any release that may affect water quality

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Use a suitable vacuum cleaner.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Containers should be protected against falling down. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store away from incompatible substances. Avoid generation and spreading of dust.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Containers should be protected against falling down. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Store away from incompatible substances. Avoid generation and spreading of dust.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## 8.1 Control parameters

## CAS: 14808-60-7 (EC: 238-878-4)

Silica, crystalline

ACGIH: 0.025 mg/m3 (resp.) for  $\alpha$ -quartz and cristobalite TLV® inhalation; Cal/OSHA: 0.05 mg/m3 PEL inhalation; NIOSH: 0.05 mg/m3 REL inhalation; OSHA: 10 mg/m3 respirable 30 mg/m3 total PEL-TWA inhalation

## 8.2 Appropriate engineering controls

Use adequate general or local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below the permissible exposure limits.

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

### Eye/face protection

Wear as appropriate: Safety glasses with side-shields

### **Skin protection**

Gloves: Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Replace when worn Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## **Body protection**

Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash working clothes separately.

## **Respiratory protection**

When product is used outdoors and as intended respirators are not expected to be required. A NIOSH approved air purifying respirator with a type 95 (R or P) particulate filter may be used under conditions where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits or respiratory irritation is experienced. Protection provided by air purifying respirators is limited (see manufacturer's respirator selection guide). A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed if workplace conditions warrant a respirator use.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance/form (physical state, color, etc.) Odor Odor threshold pH Melting point/freezing point Initial boiling point and boiling range Flash point Evaporation rate Flammability (solid, gas) Upper/lower flammability limits Upper/lower flammability limits Upper/lower explosive limits Vapor pressure Vapor density Relative density Solubility(ies) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water Auto-ignition temperature Decomposition temperature Viscosity Explosive properties	Multi-color granules No data available. No data available.
Viscosity Explosive properties Oxidizing properties	No data available. No data available. No data available.

**Other safety information** Bulk Density: 60.6

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

## 10.1 Reactivity

Stable under recommended storage and use conditions. Some components may react if exposed to incompatible materials.

## 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

## **10.4** Conditions to avoid

Contact with incompatible materials. Contact with open flames, heat, or sparks

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

Contact with powerful oxidizing agents such as fluorine, boron trifluoride, chlorine trifluoride, manganese trifluoride, and oxygen difluoride may cause fire and/or explosions.

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Ammonium Sulfate: Oxidizing substances, Zinc, copper

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Potassium chloride: Strong acids, Strong oxidizing agents

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Silica, crystalline : Hydrogen fluoride

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

The decomposition of fertilizer products may result in the generation of some or all of the following: ammonia, formaldehyde, biuret, chlorine, cyanic acid, and cyanide, and oxides of carbon, nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, sulfur, and chlorine, and oxides of alkaline earth metals, and certain heavier metals used as nutrients in fertilizer products, such as copper, iron, manganese, and zinc, and other irritating and toxic fumes and gases.

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Ammonium Sulfate: Sulfur oxides, Ammonia, Carbon Dioxide, Carbon Monoxide

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

## Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Ammonium Sulfate LD50 Oral - Rat - 2,000 mg/kg

Ammonium Sulfate LD50 Skin - Rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

Monoammonium phosphate LC50 Oral - Rat - > 2000 mg/kg

Monoammonium phosphate LD50 Skin - Rat - > 5000 mg/kg

Potassium chloride LD50 Oral - Rat - 2600 mg/kg Citation: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) https://www.cdc.gov/niosh-rtecs/TS7AD550.html

UREA LD50 Oral - Rat - > 8471 mg/kg

Calcium Sulfate dihydrate LD50 Oral - Rat - > 2000 mg/kg

## Skin corrosion/irritation Irritating to skin. Signs/symptoms may include localized redness, swelling, and itching.

### Serious eye damage/irritation

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Causes eye irritation by mechanical abrasion of dust. Signs/symptoms may include redness, swelling, pain, tearing, and blurred or hazy vision.

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

May cause respiratory irritation. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled

## Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

## Carcinogenicity

Silica, crystalline

Result: IARC: 1 - Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans (Quartz) NTP: Known to be human carcinogen (Quartz)

### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

## STOT-single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation if dust is inhaled

## STOT-repeated exposure

Dust inhalation may cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Dust exposure has been related to silicosis.

## Aspiration hazard

No data available.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

## Toxicity

Ammonium Sulfate LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 5.2 - 8.2 mg/l - 96 hr (static)

Ammonium Sulfate LC50 - Daphnia magna (water flea) - 423 mg/l - 24 hr

Monoammonium phosphate LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - >86mg/L - 96 hr

Potassium chloride LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 880 mg/l - 96 h

Potassium chloride EC50 - Daphnia magna (water flea) - >440 mg/l - 48 h Remarks: (OECD Test Guideline 202)

UREA EC50 - Daphnia magna (water flea) - > 10000 mg/l - 96 hr

UREA LC50 - Leuciscus idus (golden orfe) - >6810 mg/l - 96 hr

## Persistence and degradability

No data available

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## **Bioaccumulative potential**

Not expected to bioconcentrate or bioaccumulate.

### Mobility in soil

This product is water soluble and may disperse in soil

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available.

#### Other adverse effects

In sufficient quantity may deplete oxygen required by aquatic life. May cause eutrophication of ponds and lakes.

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Monoammonium phosphate: May release phosphates which will result in algae growth, increased turbidity, and depleted oxygen. At extremely high concentrations, this may be hazardous to fish or other marine organisms.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### Disposal of the product

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Recover or recycle if possible. Properly characterize all waste materials.

## **Disposal of contaminated packaging**

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

#### Waste treatment

Consult federal, state/provincial and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of this material.

### Sewage disposal

Prevent material from entering sewers, storm drains, other unauthorized treatment drainage systems, and natural waterways.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

14.1	UN Number	None	
14.2	UN Proper Shipping Name	None	
14.3	Transport hazard class(es)	None	
14.4	Packing group	None	
14.5	Environmental hazards	None	
14.6	Special precautions for user	None	
14.7	Transport in bulk according to Annex II of M	ARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	None

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

### California Prop. 65 Components

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer. Quartz (crystalline silica) CAS-No. 14808-60-7

# **CERCLA**

Not listed

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## Massachusetts Right To Know Components

Ammonium sulfate CAS Number 7783-20-2

Chemical name: Quartz CAS number: 14808-60-7

New Jersey Right To Know Components

Common name: SILICA, QUARTZ CAS number: 14808-60-7

## Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Chemical name: Sulfuric acid diammonium salt CAS number: 7783-20-2

Chemical name: Quartz CAS number: 14808-60-7

### SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

Immediate (acute) health hazard

## SARA 313 Components

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

## **Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory**

**Components Listed** 

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

This safety data sheet was developed from safety data sheets of suppliers of the constituent materials identified herein and does not relate to the use of such materials in combination with any other material or beyond its intended use. This information is based on our present knowledge and is provided according to the relevant national regulations.

## 16.1 Further information/disclaimer

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## 16.2 Preparation information

The classification of the mixture was set based on the regulation (US) HazCom 1910.1200 [HCS 2012].