

Safety Data Sheet

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier:
Product Name: Romeo 15-0-15 Soluble Fertilizer

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restrictions on Use:
Description: Water Soluble Fertilizer

Company:
Romeo Packing Co.
106 Princeton Ave.
Half Moon Bay, CA
94019

24-HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS:
Infotrac: 800-535-5053

Non-Emergency Calls: 650-728-3393

2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

OSHA Regulatory Status: This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Serious Eye Damage or Eye Irritation	Category 1

Label Elements:

Emergency Overview

Danger

Hazard Statements:
Harmful if swallowed
Causes serious eye damage



Appearance: Prills, Crystals, flakes

Physical State: Solid

Odor:

Fertilizer

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response

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IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention
IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
Rinse mouth

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC):

Other Information:

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	CAS-No	Weight %	Trade Secret
Potassium Nitrate; KNO ₃	7757-79-1	30-40	*
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate	15245-12-2	20-30	*
Magnesium nitrate hexahydrate; Mg(NO ₃) ₂ ·6H ₂ O	13446-18-9	20-30	*
Ammonium Nitrate; NH ₄ NO ₃	6484-52-2	10-15	*
Citric acid; C ₆ H ₈ O ₇	77-92-9	1-5	*
Copper-EDTA; Cu-EDTA	14025-15-1	0.1-0.5	*
Boric Acid; H ₃ BO ₃	10043-35-3	0.1-0.5	*

* The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

First Aid Measures:

- Eye Contact:** If in eyes, hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Skin Contact:** If on skin or clothing, take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Inhalation:** 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.
- Ingestion:** Call a physician or Poison Control Centre immediately. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed:

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Water.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Dry powder. Sand. Foam.

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Specific hazards: Contact with combustible material may cause fire. Decomposes on heating. Dust at sufficient concentrations may form explosive mixtures with air.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours.

Explosion Data:

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact:

no data available.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge:

no data available.

Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters: In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

Personal Precautions: Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wear personal protective equipment.

Environmental Precautions: Prevent product from entering drains. Avoid subsoil penetration.

Methods and Material for Containment and Cleanup:

Methods for containment: Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a disposal container.

Methods for Cleanup: If material is uncontaminated, collect and reuse as recommended for product. If material is contaminated, put in appropriate container and dispose.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling:

Handling: Avoid container breakage. Avoid inhalation or contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Do not contaminate water sources when disposing of equipment wash waters. Keep out of lakes, streams or ponds.

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities:

Storage: Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters:

Exposure Guidelines:

Ingredients	CAS-No	ACGIH:	OSHA:	IDLH:
Potassium Nitrate; KNO ₃	7757-79-1	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate	15245-12-2	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Magnesium nitrate hexahydrate; Mg(NO ₃) ₂ ·6H ₂ O	13446-18-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Ammonium Nitrate; NH ₄ NO ₃	6484-52-2	N.A.	N.A.	Not Listed

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Citric acid; C6H8O7	77-92-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Copper-EDTA; Cu-EDTA	14025-15-1	1 mg/m ³ TWA	Not Listed	100 mg/m ³ IDLH Cu
Boric Acid; H3BO3	10043-35-3	2 mg/m ³ TWA	Not Listed	Not Listed

Appropriate Engineering Controls:

Engineering Measures to Reduce Exposure: Use adequate ventilation to keep the airborne concentrations of this material below the recommended exposure standard.

Individual Protection Measures, Such as Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye/Face Protection: Safety glasses with side shields or goggles.

Skin and Body Protection: Wear suitable protective clothing. impervious gloves. Impervious clothing.

Respiratory Protection: If airborne levels are high or product does not remain intact, use a combination of engineering controls (e.g. ventilation) and personal protection, e.g., NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator for dusts, mists, and fumes.

General hygiene considerations: Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical and Chemical Properties:

Physical State:	Solid	Appearance:	Prills, Crystals, flakes
Color:	blue	Odor	No information available
Odor:	Fertilizer	Threshold:	

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks: • Method</u>
pH:	No information available	
Melting Point/Freezing Point:	No information available	
Boiling Point/Range:	No information available	
Flash Point:	No information available	
Evaporation Rate:	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas):	No information available	
Flammability Limits in Air:		
Upper Flammability Limit:	No information available	
Lower Flammability Limit:	No information available	
Vapor Pressure:	No information available	
Vapor Density:	No information available	
Specific Gravity:	No information available	
Solubility:	Highly soluble (>80%)	
Solubility in other Solvents:	No information available	
Partition Coefficient:	No information available	
Autoignition Temperature:	No information available	
Decomposition Temperature:	No information available	
Kinematic Viscosity:	No information available	
Dynamic Viscosity:	No information available	
Explosive Properties:	No information available	
Oxidizing Properties:	Not considered an oxidizer	

Other Information:

Softening Point:	No information available
Molecular Weight:	No information available
VOC Content (%):	No information available

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Density: No information available
Bulk density: 55-65 lbs./cu.ft.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Stable under normal conditions

Chemically Stable: yes.

Conditions to Avoid: Extreme heat. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Strong oxidizing agents. Contact with strong alkalis, oxidizers, and reducing agents. Contact with fuels and other organic or combustible materials. Active metals such as aluminum, magnesium, and chlorine compounds.

Materials to avoid Strong acids, bases, oxidizers, and reducing agents. Avoid contact with other chemicals. Fuels. Heavy metal salts.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas. Toxic metal oxides may be produced.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Poses little or no immediate hazard.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on the Likely Routes of Exposure (inhalation, ingestion, skin and eye contact):

General information: Chronic exposure to nitrates may cause weakness, depression, headache, blood changes (anemia and methemoglobinemia), and kidney injury (nephritis)

Eye effects: Causes serious eye damage

Skin effects: May cause skin irritation

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Inhalation: May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

Component Information:

Ingredients	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Potassium Nitrate; KNO3 7757-79-1	= 3015 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg	> 527 mg/m ³
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate 15245-12-2	= 500 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3 6484-52-2	= 2217 mg/kg (Rat)	-	> 88.8 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Boric Acid; H3BO3 10043-35-3	= 2660 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 0.16 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Information on Toxicological Effects:

Delayed and Immediate Effects as well as Chronic Effects from Short and Long-Term Exposure:

Sensitization: May cause sensitization of susceptible persons

Mutagenic effects No information available.

Carcinogenicity: The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Ingredients	ACGIH - Carcinogens	IARC:	NTP Report on Carcinogens List -	OSHA
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Boric Acid; H3BO3 10043-35-3	A4	-	-	-
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Reproductive Toxicity No information available.
STOT - Single Exposure No information available.
STOT - Repeated Exposure No information available.
Aspiration Hazard No information available.

Numerical Measures of Toxicity - Product Information:

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document: .

ATEmix (oral): 24286 mg/kg

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:

Unknown Aquatic Toxicity: 0.347% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Ecotoxicity effects: May be toxic to aquatic organisms.

Persistence and degradability: Degrades slowly.

Ingredients	LOGPOW
Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3 6484-52-2	-3.1
Citric acid; C6H8O7 77-92-9	-1.72
Boric Acid; H3BO3 10043-35-3	-0.757

Mobility: Water contaminating.

Additional ecological information: Contains Molybdenum (Mo). The application of materials containing Molybdenum (Mo) may result in forage crops containing levels of Molybdenum (Mo) which are toxic to ruminant animals. Do not contaminate water sources when disposing of equipment washwaters.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Treatment Methods:

Disposal of Wastes: Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated Packaging: Do not reuse container.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The description shown may not apply to all situations. Consult 49 CFR, or appropriate dangerous goods regulations for additional description requirements (e.g. technical name) and mode-specific or quantity-specific shipping requirements.

DOT (Land) Not regulated

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IATA (Air) Not regulated
IMO/IMDG (Vessel) Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Federal Regulations:

SARA 313:

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories:

Acute health hazard No
Chronic Health Hazard No
Fire hazard No
Sudden release of pressure hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

CWA (Clean Water Act):

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA:

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

Table with 4 columns: Ingredients, CERCLA/SARA 313, CERCLA/SARA RQ, Reportable Quantity (RQ). Row 1: Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3 6484-52-2, Not listed, -, --

State Regulations (RTK):

California Proposition 65:

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations:

U.S. EPA Label information:

EPA Pesticide Registration Number:

not applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA: Health: 3 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1

HMIS: Health: 3 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1

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