# **MAG2000 (Magnesium Carbonate)**



# 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and supplier

Product name: MAG2000

Other names: Magnesium Carbonate, Preemox MC45 and Mag Carbonate

**Recommended Uses: Agricultural Applications** 

Supplier Dickie Direct Limited
Street address 25 Railway Road, Whakatu

Hastings 4172

Telephone Number 0800 4 DICKIE (4 34254)
Website 0800 4 DICKIE (4 34254)
www.dickiedirect.co.nz

Emergency Telephone 0800 CHEMCALL (24 hours)

0800 243 622

#### 2. Hazards Identification

GHS Classifications: Not classified as hazardous

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Contents	CAS Number	Proportion
Magnesium Carbonate	546 - 93 - 0	>90%
Calcium Carbonate	471 - 34 - 1	<1%

# 4. First Aid Measures

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. For advice, contact National Poisons Information Centre (Phone 0800 764 766) or a doctor. Have product container or label at

hand.

**Swallowed** Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. Give

water to drink to achieve dilution. Call a POISON CENTRE or

doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

**Eye Contact** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If

eye irritation persists get medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Remove/take off immediately all contaminated clothing and

wash before reuse. Rinse skin with water. If skin irritation

occurs get medical attention.

**Inhaled** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable

for breathing. Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if

you feel unwell.

Advice to Doctor Treat symptomatically. Refer to National Poisons and

Hazardous Chemicals Information Centre 0800 764 766

#### 5. Fire-fighting Measures

Flash Point: N/A

Hazardous Combustion Decomposes at 800oC liberating carbon dioxide vielding a reactive alkaline powder (Calcium Oxide

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and notify those downwind of hazard.

**Extinguishing Media:** Based on surrounding materials.

**Protective Equipment:**Breathing apparatus goggles and protective gloves.

HAZCHEM Code: None allocated.

# 6. Accidental Release Measures

Spills and Disposal: Protect yourself and others from injury. Wear

appropriate protective clothing. Contain spill and sweep up. Collect and place in sealable containers. Avoid generating dust. Reuse or recycle where

possible.

Small spills: Wash down drain with plenty of water.
Large spills: Sweep up majority of spill, remainder

do as above.

**Protective Clothing:** For appropriate personal protective equipment see

section 8.

**Environmental** Avoid unintended release of excessive amounts into

waterways or sewers. If spill does enter waterway

contact local authority.

#### 7. Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Avoid generating dusts, do not breathe dusts. Keep

away from oxidizing agents, acid. Use only outdoors

or in a well-ventilated area.

**Approved Handler:** Not required

Tracking: Not required

Record Keeping: Not required

Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Ensure

containers/packages are adequately labelled,

protected from physical damage and sealed when not

in use.

Other Information: Avoid unintended release into the environment.

# 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Exposure Limits: Time Weighted Average (TWA): 10mg.m3

Respirable dust as dolomite

0.2mg.m3 as quartz.

**Tolerable Exposure Limit (TEL)**: Not assigned Overalls, safety glasses and gloves. If dust is

present wear dust mask and dust proof goggles.
Where a dust inhalation risk exists wear a class P!
(Particulate) respirator. Eye wash facilities should be

available

**Engineering Controls:** Handle in well-ventilation area. If dust generated use

local extraction to control. Avoid inhalation of dust.

Remove protective clothing and wash hands and

face after working with substance.

# 9. Physical and Chemical properties

Appearance: White

**Hygiene Precautions:** 

Format: Powder or chip

Odour:

**Specific Gravity:** 2.7 g/cm3 **Bulk Density:** Not available

pH:

Solubility in Water: Insoluble in hot or cold

water

Boiling Point:Not availableMelting Point:1500°CDecomposition8000C

Temperature:

Vapour Pressure N/A

Vapour Density: Not available

Auto-Ignition N/A

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability:Product is stable.Hazardous Polymerisation:Will not occur.

Hazardous Decomposition Decomposes at 800oC liberating carbon dioxide

**Products:** yielding a reactive alkaline powder

(Calcium Oxide) that reacts exothermally with water. Remain upwind and notify those downwind of

hazard.

Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials.

# 11. Toxicological information

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Hazard Classifications:** 

Ingestion: Low Irritant.

Low Irritant. Over exposure may result in mucous Inhalation:

membrane irritation of nose and throat with

coughing.

Skin: Low Irritant Low Irritant Eye:

No adverse health effects expected under normal Other Information:

conditions.

**Toxicological Data:** Not available

#### 12. **Ecotoxicological information**

**Hazard Classifications:** Not assigned

**Ecotoxicity:** Avoid unintended release into streams and

waterways. Always use recommendations as outlined in the NZ Fertiliser Manufacturers' Research Association "Code of Practice for Fertiliser Use"

13. Disposal

Observe any local authority restrictions that may **Product Disposal:** 

apply. Collection into sealable containers and dispose of in an approved land fill. If practicable apply excess fertiliser at recommended rates to appropriate land. Rinse containers thoroughly prior to reuse. Otherwise

**Container Disposal:** 

render unusable and dispose of as waste.

#### 14. **Transport information**

Transport of Dangerous Goods Pictograms: Not applicable for the UN RTDG Model Regulations

#### **Road and Rail Transport**

Not Classified as a Dangerous Good according to NZS 5433:1999 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land.

# **Marine Transport**

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea.

#### **Air Transport**

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air.

# 15. Regulatory Information

Not classified as Hazardous according to the New Zealand Hazardous Substances (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) regulations 2001.

# 16. Other information

Date of preparation or last revision of SDS: SDS revised: September 2021

#### References:

- Workplace Exposure Standards and Biological Exposures Indices
- Transport of Dangerous goods on land NZS 5433
- Preparation of Safety Data Sheets Approved Code of Practices Under the HSNO Act 1996
- Assigning a hazardous substance to a group standard.

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