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1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name : EPSO Combitop®

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the Substance/Mixture : Fertilizer

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Serious eye damage, Category H

H318: Causes serious eye damage.

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Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Category 2

H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or

repeated exposure.

Chronic aquatic toxicity,

H411: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Category 2

Classification(67/548/EEC,1999/45/EC)

Irritant R41: Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Harmful R48/20/22: Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by

prolonged exposure through inhalation and if swallowed.

Dangerous for the environment R51/53: Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term

adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling(REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Hazard pictograms







Signal word : Danger



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Hazard statements : H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H373 May cause damage to organs through

prolonged or repeated exposure.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting

effects.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**

P260 Do not breathe dust or mist.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/

eye protection/ face protection.

Response:

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with

water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue

rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or

doctor/ physician.

P391 Collect spillage.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an

approved waste disposal plant.

Labelling according to EC Directives (1999/45/EC)

Hazard pictograms





Harmful

Dangerous for the environment

R-phrase(s) : R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.

R48/20/22 Harmful: danger of serious damage to

health by prolonged exposure through

inhalation and if swallowed.

R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause

long-term adverse effects in the aquatic

environment.

S-phrase(s) : S22 Do not breathe dust.

S39 Wear eye/face protection.

S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse

immediately with plenty of water and seek

medical advice.

S46 If swallowed, seek medical advice

immediately and show this container or

label.

S60 This material and its container must be

disposed of as hazardous waste.

Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

7785-87-7 manganese sulphate

7446-19-7 zinc sulphate (hydrous) (mono-, hexa- and hepta hydrate)

2.3 Other hazards



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This mixture contains no substance considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT). This mixture contains no substance considered to be very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

3. Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Chemical nature : Mixture of micro-nutrients

Hazardous components

| Chemical Name | CAS-No. EC-No. Registration number | Classification (67/548/EEC) | Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008) | Concentration [%] |
|--|---|--|--|----------------------|
| manganese sulphate | 7785-87-7 232-089-9 01- 2119456624- 35-XXXX | Xn; R48/20/22 N; R51-R53 Xi; R41 | Eye Dam. 1; H318 STOT RE 2; H373 Aquatic Chronic 2; H411 | 11,2 |
| zinc sulphate (hydrous) (mono-, hexa- and hepta hydrate) | 7446-19-7 231-793-3 01- 2119474684- XXXX | Xn; R22 Xi; R41 N; R50-R53 | Acute Tox. 4; H302 Eye Dam. 1; H318 Aquatic Acute 1; H400 Aquatic Chronic 1; H410 | 2,4 |

For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16. For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice : Call a physician if symptoms occur.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

If inhaled : If breathed in, move person into fresh air.

In case of skin contact : Rinse with water.

In case of eye contact : Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids.

Remove contact lenses. Obtain medical attention.

If swallowed : Rinse mouth with water.

Obtain medical attention.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms : Ingestion may provoke the following symptoms:

Diarrhoea

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment : For specialist advice physicians should contact the Poisons



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Information Service.

5. Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : The product is not flammable.

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : none

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards during

firefighting

: Heating or fire can release toxic gas.

Sulphur oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

: Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if

necessary.

Further information : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This

must not be discharged into drains.

6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions : Avoid breathing dust.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions : Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Use mechanical handling equipment.

Use a suitable vacuum cleaner.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8.

7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling : Avoid dust formation.

Advice on protection against

fire and explosion

: The product is not flammable. No special precautions required.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas : Store in original container.



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and containers Keep in a dry place.

Advice on common storage : Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

German storage class : 13 Non Combustible Solids

Other data : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

: Not relevant

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

| Components | CAS-No. | Value | Control parameters | Update | Basis |
|--------------------------------|-----------|---|--------------------|------------|-------------|
| manganese sulphate (1:1) | 7785-87-7 | AGW | 0,5 mg/m3 | 2009-02-16 | DE TRGS 900 |
| Further information | | DFG: Senate commission for the review of compounds at the work place dangerous for the health (MAK-commission). The threshold value is based on the element content of the corresponding metal. | | | |

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering measures

Local exhaust

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Effective dust mask.

Hand protection : Protective gloves

Eye protection : Tightly fitting safety goggles

Skin and body protection : Protective suit

Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Protective measures : Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Provide adequate ventilation.

Do not breathe dust.

Environmental exposure controls

General advice : Do not let product enter drains.

9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties



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Appearance : crystalline

Colour : white

Odour : odourless

pH : ca. 4, at 25 °C, Aqueous solution

Melting point/range : > 48 °C, Elimination of water of crystallisation

Boiling point/boiling range : Not applicable
Flash point : Not applicable
Lower explosion limit : Not applicable
Upper explosion limit : Not applicable
Vapour pressure : Not applicable
Density : Not applicable

Water solubility : soluble

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: no data available

Auto-ignition temperature : Not applicable
Ignition temperature : Not applicable

Thermal decomposition : > 700 °C

Explosive properties : Not applicable
Oxidizing properties : Not applicable

9.2 Other information

Burning number : 1

Bulk density : ca. 1.050 kg/m³

10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Stable

10.2 Chemical stability

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : None known.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid : None known.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : None known.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition : Heating or fire can release toxic gas.

products Sulphur oxides



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11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Product

Acute oral toxicity : The substance or mixture has no acute oral toxicity,

Calculation method, REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute inhalation toxicity : The substance or mixture has no acute inhalation toxicity,

Calculation method, REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute dermal toxicity : The substance or mixture has no acute dermal toxicity,

Calculation method, REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Skin corrosion/irritation : Result: No skin irritation, Calculation method, REGULATION

(EC) No 1272/2008

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Result: Serious eye damage, Calculation method,

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Respiratory or skin

sensitization

: Result: Does not cause respiratory sensitization., Calculation

method, REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

: Result: Does not cause skin sensitization., Calculation

method, REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Carcinogenicity : Contains no ingredient listed as a carcinogen

Reproductive toxicity : Contains no ingredient listed as toxic to reproduction

STOT - single exposure : Assessment: The substance or mixture is not classified as

specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Remarks: Calculation method, REGULATION (EC) No

1272/2008

STOT - repeated exposure

: Assessment: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or

repeated exposure.

Remarks: Calculation method, REGULATION (EC) No

1272/2008

Components:

manganese sulphate :

Acute oral toxicity : LD50: 2.150 mg/kg, rat, anhydrous substance

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50: 4,45 mg/l, 4 h, rat, OECD Test Guideline 403,

anhydrous substance

Acute dermal toxicity : no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation : rabbit, Result: No skin irritation, OECD Test Guideline 404

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

rabbit, Result: Serious eye damage, OECD Test Guideline

405

Respiratory or skin

sensitization

: Result: Does not cause skin sensitization., Information derived

from practical experience.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vitro : Result: negative, OECD Test Guideline 471

Genotoxicity in vivo : mouse, Mutagenicity (micronucleus test), Result: negative



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Assessment : Did not show mutagenic effects in animal experiments.

STOT - repeated exposure : rat(male), Oral, NOAEL: 200 mg/kg, anhydrous substance STOT - repeated exposure : rat(female), Oral, NOAEL: 230 mg/kg, anhydrous substance

zinc sulphate (hydrous) (mono-, hexa- and hepta hydrate) :

Acute oral toxicity : LD50: 926 mg/kg, mouse, OECD Test Guideline 401,

anhydrous substance

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50: > 2.000 mg/kg, rabbit, OECD Test Guideline 402,

anhydrous substance

Skin corrosion/irritation : rabbit, Result: No skin irritation, OECD Test Guideline 404

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

rabbit, Result: Risk of serious damage to eyes., OECD Test

Guideline 405

Respiratory or skin

sensitization

: mouse, Result: Does not cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vitro : Result: negative, Genetic Toxicology: Saccharomyces

cerevisiae Mitotic Recombination Assay.

Genotoxicity in vivo : Genetic Toxicology: Micronucleus Test., Result: negative

Assessment : Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.

STOT - repeated exposure : rat, NOAEL: 234 mg/kg, OECD Guideline 408

12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Product:

Toxicity to fish

no data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

no data available

Toxicity to algae

no data available

Toxicity to bacteria

no data available

Components:

manganese sulphate:

Toxicity to fish : LC50: 137,2 mg/l, 96 h, Sea Trout, Brown Trout,

anhydrous substance

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

: LC50: 8,2 - 37,7 mg/l, 96 h, Other,

anhydrous substance

Toxicity to algae : EC50: 167,7 mg/l, 72 h, Desmodesmus subspicatus (green

algae), OECD Test Guideline 201,

anhydrous substance

Toxicity to bacteria : > 2.749 mg/l, 3 h, activated sludge, OECD Guideline 209,

anhydrous substance



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Toxicity to fish (Chronic

NOEC: 1,6 mg/l, 120 d, Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout),

toxicity)

anhydrous substance

zinc sulphate (hydrous) (mono-, hexa- and hepta hydrate) :

Toxicity to fish : LC50: 0,78 mg/l, 96 h, Pimephales promelas (fathead

minnow)

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

: EC50: 1,4 mg/l, 48 h, Daphnia magna (Water flea), OECD

Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae : IC50: 0,136 mg/l, 72 h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata

(green algae), OECD Test Guideline 201,

Zinc

Toxicity to bacteria : EC50: 5,2 mg/l, 3 h, activated sludge, Activated Sludge,

Respiration Inhibition Test.

Toxicity to fish (Chronic

toxicity)

: NOEC: 0,25 mg/l, 16 d, freshwater trout

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Product:

Biodegradability

Not applicable

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Product:

Bioaccumulation

Not applicable

12.4 Mobility in soil

Product:

Physico-chemical

: Not applicable

removability

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Product:

Assessment : This mixture contains no substance considered to be

persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT).

This mixture contains no substance considered to be very

persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

12.6 Other adverse effects

Product:

Adsorbed organic bound

halogens (AOX)

: Not applicable

13. Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product : Dispose of as special waste in compliance with local and

national regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Dispose of as special waste in compliance with local and

national regulations.



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14. Transport information

14.1 Land transport

ADR

Class : 9
Packaging group : III
UN number : 3077

Description of the goods : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (manganese

sulphate, zinc sulphate)

ADR/RID-Labels : 90

Tunnel restriction code : Not relevant

<u>RID</u>

Class : 9
Packaging group : III
UN number : 3077

Description of the goods : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (manganese

sulphate, zinc sulphate)

ADR/RID-Labels : 90

14.2 Sea transport

<u>IMDG</u>

Class : 9
Packaging group : III
UN number : 3077
Marine Pollutant : yes

Description of the goods : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (manganese

sulphate, zinc sulphate)

Sheet : Water Contaminating Substances

14.3 Air transport

IATA-DGR

Packaging group : III

Description of the goods : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (manganese

sulphate, zinc sulphate)

Sheet : Water Contaminating Substances

14.4 Special precautions for user

Not relevant

14.5 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

15. Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Major Accident Hazard : Falls under the German StörfallV.

Legislation 9

Quantity 1: 200.000 kg Quantity 2: 500.000 kg



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Water contaminating class

(Germany)

: WGK 2 water endangering

Notification status

REACH : This mixture contains only ingredients which have been

registered, or are exempt from registration, according to

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH).

This mixture contains no ingredient which is subject to an authorisation according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

(REACH).

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

Not relevant

16. Other information

Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3

R22 Harmful if swallowed.

R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.

R48/20/22 Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure

through inhalation and if swallowed.

R50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms. **R51** Toxic to aquatic organisms.

R51/53 Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the

aquatic environment.

R53 May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

| H302 | Harmful if swallowed. |
|------|--|
| H318 | Causes serious eye damage. |
| H373 | May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. |
| H400 | Very toxic to aquatic life. |
| H410 | Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. |
| H411 | Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. |

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