



Bonemeal 3.5-18-0

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Name of Product

Bonemeal 3.5-18-0

1.2 Use of the Substance/Preparation

Fertiliser

1.3 Manufacturer/Distributor

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification

Classification according to Directive EC 1272/2008 Classification, Labelling and Packaging.
This mixture is not classified as dangerous to humans or the environment.

2.2 Label elements

There are no statutory labelling requirements under regulation 1272/2008 and regulation 453/2012.

2.3 Other hazards

Mixture not classed as PBT or vPvB.
Category 3 Animal by-product - this organic fertiliser/soil improver is not intended for use for use in animal/human feed. A local risk assessment should be conducted to ensure the suitability for use where food or animal feeding stuffs could become contaminated.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.2 Mixtures

There are no components at concentrations classified as hazardous according to Directive EC 1272/2008 Classification, Labelling and Packaging.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of First Aid Measures

Eye contact – Immediately rinse with clean water for 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist or develop.

Skin contact – Wash exposed areas of skin with soap and water following use. Wash all contaminated clothing before re-use.

Ingestion – wash out mouth with water and seek medical advice.

Inhalation – remove to fresh air.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None

Additional medical guidance is available to doctors from the National Poisons Information Service.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Non flammable

5.1 Extinguishing Media

Use foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder, sand. The mixture is not classified as flammable. As such extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials should be chosen.

5.2 Special hazards arising from substance or mixture

Possible irritant fumes arising from product decomposition.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Contain spread of extinguishing fluids. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus in confined spaces.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal Precautions

Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear protective gloves and eye protection. Wash hands and exposed skin after handling.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter drains or sewers.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Sweep up and shovel product or use other means and place in container for reuse (preferred) or disposal.

7. HANDLING & STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for Safe Handling

Ensure good ventilation at workplace. Ensure good hygiene practices are observed. Do not eat, drink or smoke when handling this product. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Ensure workplace exposure limits are observed. Do not block stack pallets.

7.2 Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in original containers, tightly closed in a secure, well ventilated, cool but frost-free, dry area. Store clear of foodstuffs and in a separate stack from herbicides.

7.3 Specific end use

Fertiliser

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

Dust (total inhalable) Long-term exposure limit (LTEL)	10	mg/m ³ (8hr TWA)
Dust (respirable) Long-term exposure limit (LTEL)	4	mg/m ³ (8hr TWA)

8.2 Exposure Controls:

The following precautions are considered to be good practice when using any chemicals irrespective of their classification unless otherwise specified. Primary Hazard considered as handling of concentrate.

Gloves: to BS EN374 of gauntlet type in Natural Rubber or PVC (not Nitrile) recommended for acid resistance.

Clothing: Coveralls/apron to BS EN465/466/4679.

9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties:

Appearance	Buff brown powder
Odour	Faint organic
pH	n/a
Boiling point	n/a
Melting point	n/a
Flash point	n/a
Flammability	n/a
Autoflammability	n/a
Explosivity	n/a
Oxidising properties	n/a
Vapour Pressure	n/a
Relative density	n/a
Solubility	n/a
Decomposition temperature	n/a

9.2 Other Information:

None

10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of storage and use

10.2 Stability

Stable under normal conditions

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Information not available

10.4 Conditions to Avoid

Extremes of temperature

10.5 Incompatible materials

None known

10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products

Decomposes at high temperatures producing toxic nitrogen and sulphur oxide fumes.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on Toxicological Effects

Not classified as harmful by inhalation, ingestion or in contact with skin. Ingestion of large quantities may cause gastric disturbance.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Not classified as hazardous. Provides nutrients essential to plant growth.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB

Not classified

12.6 Other adverse data

No data

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal route should not permit contamination of groundwater.

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Dispose of waste through a reputable waste disposal contractor in accordance with the Environmental Protection Act 1990.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN-Number

ADR, IMDG, IATA Not applicable

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR, IMDG, IATA Not applicable

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR, IMDG, IATA Not applicable

14.4 Packaging Group

ADR, IMDG, IATA Not applicable

14.5 Environmental hazards

Not a marine pollutant

14.6 Special precautions for user

None

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific to this substance:

This substance is classified and labelled in accordance with regulation 1999/45/EC, 1272/2008, the statutory instrument No.716 2009 Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) regulations and the EC Fertiliser Regulations 2003, Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments.

This organic fertiliser/soil improver is produced in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009 laying down health rules for animal by products not intended for human consumption and The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011.

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

Not undertaken for this material

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Reason for revision

MSDS re-formatted in-line with regulation 453/2010 all sections affected.

Liability

The product label provides information on the use of the product: do not use otherwise, unless you have assessed any potential hazard involved and the safety measures required. Prepared by Thomas Elliott (Fertilisers), for Health and Safety purposes from the best knowledge available at the time of printing.