# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**



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# Section 1: Identification

Product identifier

Product Name Macrosol NPK plus Zinc

**Product Code(s)** 000000063164

Other means of identification

UN number or ID number 1805

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use**Nutritional additive. Fertiliser.

Uses advised against No information available.

### Details of manufacturer or importer

#### Supplier

Sipcam Pacific Australia Pty. Ltd. ABN: 94 073 176 888 Street Address: Level 1, 191 Malop Street Geelong, Victoria, 3220 Australia

Telephone Number: +61 (0) 3 5223 3746 (business hours)

Facsimile: +61 (0) 3 5223 3756 Website: www.sipcam.com.au

# Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number 1 800 033 111 (ALL HOURS)

Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

# Section 2: Hazard identification

Classified as a hazardous substance in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS). Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

#### **GHS Classification**

<u>OTTO GIACOTTICATION</u>	
Corrosive to metals	Category 1
Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category B
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 3

#### Label elements

Corrosion



#### Signal word DANGER

#### **Hazard statements**

H290 - May be corrosive to metals

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Keep only in original packaging.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection.

Avoid release to the environment.

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific treatment (see First aid on this SDS).

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

# **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

Store in corrosion resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

# **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable.

# Other hazards which do not result in classification

# Section 3: Composition and information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Phosphoric acid	7664-38-2	30 - 60%
Zinc sulfate	7733-02-0	< 5%
Non-hazardous ingredients	Proprietary	Balance

# Section 4: First aid measures

### **Description of first aid measures**

General advice

For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New

Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Immediate medical attention is required.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. If

breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

Eye contact Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and

continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Do not rub affected area. Immediate medical

attention is required.

**Skin contact**Take off contaminated clothing. Wash off immediately with plenty of water. For severe

burns, immediate medical attention is required. Take off contaminated clothing and wash

before reuse.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water.

Get immediate medical attention. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of

water.

### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Irritation/Corrosion. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Erythema (skin redness).

Burning.

Effects of Exposure No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians**Treat symptomatically. Can cause corneal burns.

# Section 5: Firefighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media

**Suitable extinguishing media** Dry chemical, CO2, water spray or regular foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media High volume water jet.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Corrosive hazard. Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection. Contact with

metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

Hazardous combustion products

Phosphorus oxides. Zinc oxides. Oxides of sulfur. Nitrogen oxides.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Use personal protection equipment.

Hazchem code 2R

### Section 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wash

thoroughly after handling.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal. Stop leak if you can do it without risk.

**Methods for cleaning up**Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

# Section 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not eat, drink or smoke

when using this product. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protection equipment.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container

closed when not in use.

**Incompatible materials** Phosphoric acid is incompatible with strong oxidising agents, reducing agents, sulphides,

phosphides, cyanides, acetylides, fluorides, silicides, carbides, strong caustic material,

alloys, glass, leather, natural rubber, fluorine gas, arsenic trioxide.

# Section 8: Exposure controls and personal protection

Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia. However, Workplace

Exposure Standard(s) for constituent(s):

Chemical name	Australia	New Zealand	ACGIH TLV
Phosphoric acid	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
7664-38-2	STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	-	STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Chemical name	European Union	United Kingdom	Germany DFG
Phosphoric acid	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
7664-38-2	STEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Peak: 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Zinc sulfate	-	-	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
7733-02-0			TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			Peak: 0.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			Peak: 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

As published by Safe Work Australia Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week.

STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) - the airborne concentration of a particular substance calculated as a time-weighted average over 15 minutes, which should not be exceeded at any time during a normal eight hour work day. According to current knowledge this concentration should neither impair the health of, nor cause undue discomfort to, nearly all workers.

Peak Limitation - a maximum or peak airborne concentration of a particular substance determined over the shortest analytically practicable period of time which does not exceed 15 minutes.

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

#### Appropriate engineering controls

#### **Engineering controls**

Apply technical measures to comply with occupational exposure limits. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to determine the minimum PPE requirements.

# Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, CHEMICAL GOGGLES, FACE SHIELD, GLOVES (Long), APRON, RUBBER BOOTS.



Eye/face protection Tight sealing safety goggles. If splashes are likely to occur:. Face protection shield.

**Skin and body protection** Boots. Apron. Overalls.

**Hand protection** Elbow-length impervious gloves.

**Respiratory protection**No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required. If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a suitable mist respirator

meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

Thermal hazards No information available.

# Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical stateLiquidAppearanceTransparentColorColourless

Odor No information available
Odor threshold No information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

**pH** 0.5 - 1.5

pH (as aqueous solution)No data availableNone knownMelting point / freezing pointNo data availableNone knownBoiling point / boiling rangeNo data availableNone known

Flash point Not applicable
Evaporation rate No data available

Evaporation rateNo data availableNone knownFlammability (solid, gas)No data availableNone knownFlammability Limit in AirNone known

Upper flammability or explosive Not applicable

limits

Lower flammability or explosive Not applicable

limits

Vapor pressureNo data availableNone knownVapor densityNo data availableNone known

Relative density

Relative density

Miscible in water

Solubility(ies)

No data available

Solubility(ies)No data availableNone knownPartition coefficientNo data availableNone knownAutoignition temperatureNot applicable

Decomposition temperatureNo data availableNone knownKinematic viscosityNo data availableNone knownDynamic viscosityNo data availableNone known

Other information

No information available

# Section 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

**Reactivity** Corrosive to metals.

Chemical stability

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None. Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions Phosphoric acid on contact with most metals causes the formation of flammable and

explosive hydrogen gas; exothermic reaction with strong caustic material; corrosive to ferrous metals and alloys. Phosphoric acid forms a potential explosive on addition to

nitromethane.

**Hazardous polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid**Do not contaminate food or feed stuffs. Contact with foodstuffs.

Incompatible materials

Phosphoric acid is incompatible with strong oxidising agents, reducing agents, sulphides, Incompatible materials

phosphides, cyanides, acetylides, fluorides, silicides, carbides, strong caustic material,

alloys, glass, leather, natural rubber, fluorine gas, arsenic trioxide.

#### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Phosphorus oxides. Ammonia. Potassium oxides. Zinc oxides.

# Section 11: Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this Safety **Product Information** 

Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the chemical is

mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

Inhalation Inhalation of vapors in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system.

Eye contact Causes serious eye damage.

Skin contact Contact causes severe skin irritation and possible burns.

Ingestion Can burn mouth, throat, and stomach.

**Symptoms** Irritation/Corrosion. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Erythema (skin redness).

Burning.

### Acute toxicity .

### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

No information available

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Phosphoric acid	= 1530 mg/kg (Rat)	= 2740 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 850 mg/m³ (Rat) 1 h
Zinc sulfate	= 1710 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	-

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation Causes burns. Classification is based on mixture calculation methods based on component

data.

Causes serious eye irritation. Causes burns. Classification is based on mixture calculation Serious eye damage/eye irritation

methods based on component data.

No information available. Respiratory or skin sensitization

No information available. Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available. Carcinogenicity

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

# Section 12: Ecological information

# **Ecotoxicity**

Aquatic ecotoxicity Keep out of waterways.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Zinc sulfate	EC50: =0.056mg/L (72h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata)	LC50: =0.162mg/L (96h, Oncorhynchus mykiss) LC50: 0.03 - 0.05mg/L (96h, Oncorhynchus mykiss) LC50: 0.34 - 0.93mg/L (96h, Oncorhynchus mykiss) LC50: 0.34 - 0.93mg/L (96h, Oncorhynchus mykiss) LC50: 0.218 - 0.42mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: =0.06mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: 0.23 - 0.48mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: 0.168 - 0.25mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: =0.15mg/L (96h, Cyprinus carpio) LC50: =0.15mg/L (96h, Cyprinus carpio) LC50: 16.85 - 27.18mg/L (96h, Cyprinus carpio) LC50: 3 - 4.6mg/L (96h, Cyprinus carpio) LC50: 3 - 4.6mg/L (96h, Poecilia reticulata) LC50: =0.63mg/L (96h, Poecilia reticulata) LC50: 0.48 - 1.72mg/L (96h, Poecilia reticulata)		EC50: =0.75mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna) EC50: 0.538 - 0.908mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna)

Terrestrial ecotoxicity

There is no data for this product.

Chemical name	Earthworm	Avian	Honeybees
Zinc sulfate	Acute Toxicity: LC50 = 733	-	-
	mg/kg (Eisenia foetida 2 Days		
	soil dry weight)		
	Source: IUCLID		

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** There is no data for this product.

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Phosphoric acid	-0.9

Mobility

**Mobility** Likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects No information available.

# Section 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations. Contaminated

packaging must be treated in accordance with the local environmental regulations

concerning Hazardous Waste Management.

See section 8 for more information

# Section 14: Transport information

ADG Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code

(ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number or ID number 1805

Proper shipping name PHOSPHORIC ACID, SOLUTION

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III
Hazchem code 2R

IATA Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association

(IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 1805

UN proper shipping name PHOSPHORIC ACID, SOLUTION

Transport hazard class(es) 8
Packing group III

IMDG Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous

Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 1805

UN proper shipping name PHOSPHORIC ACID SOLUTION

 Transport hazard class(es)
 8

 Packing group
 III

 IMDG EMS Fire
 F-A

 IMDG EMS Spill
 S-B

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

No information available

# Section 15: Regulatory information

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

### National regulations

#### Australia

Classified as a hazardous substance in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS). Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

### Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Classified as a scheduled poison according to the Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Poison Schedule Number 6

### **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

	Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	Additional information
Phosphoric acid - 7664-38-2	Present	-
Zinc sulfate - 7733-02-0	Present	-

### **Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents**

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

#### National pollutant inventory

Subject to reporting requirement

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Chemical name	National pollutant inventory
Phosphoric acid - 7664-38-2	10 tonne/yr Threshold category 1
Zinc sulfate - 7733-02-0	10 tonne/yr Threshold category 1

**International Inventories** 

All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Industrial

Chemicals.

**NZIoC** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **TSCA DSL/NDSL** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **EINECS/ELINCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **ENCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **IECSC KECL** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status. **PICCS** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

Legend:

**AIIC- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals** 

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
 IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
 KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

International Regulations

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

## Section 16: Other information

Reason(s) For Issue: First Issue Primary SDS

Prepared By

This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by Ixom Operations Pty Ltd (Toxicology and

SDS Services).

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**Revision Note:** 

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorization:
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Substances
vPvB: Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) Substances

STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate LC50: 50% Lethal Concentration

LD50: 50% Lethal Dose

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

## C Carcinogen

### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

**Environmental Protection Agency** 

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

#### **Disclaimer**

This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Sipcam Pacific Australia Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact their Sipcam representative or Sipcam Pacific Australia Pty Ltd at the contact details on page 1.

Sipcam Pacific Australia Pty Ltd's responsibility for the material as sold is subject to the terms and conditions of sale, a copy of which is available upon request.

**End of Safety Data Sheet** 

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