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Section 1: Product and Company Information

Product Name: Miracle-Gro® Orchid Plant Food Mist 0.02-0.02-0.02

Product Use: Water soluble fertilizer

Supplier: Scotts Canada Ltd.

2000 Argentia Road, Plaza 5, Suite #101

Mississauga, Ontario

L5N 2R7 1-800-645-8166 www.miracle-gro.ca

Emergency Telephone: Medical Emergencies: 1-888-779-7919

Accident and Spill Emergencies: Canutec 1-613-996-6666

Section 2: Hazards Identification

Personal Protective Equipment	WHMIS	Transport Symbol
Not required for normal domestic uses.	Not Controlled by WHMIS	Not regulated

Emergency Overview: Appearance, Colour and Odour: Clear solution.

While this product is not controlled under WHMIS, this SDS contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of the product. This SDS should be retained and

available for employees and other users of this product.

Potential Health Effects ACUTE (short term):

Relevant Route(s) of Exposure: Eye, Skin.

Inhalation: Not an applicable route of exposure.

Ingestion: Adverse health effects are not known or expected with normal use of this product. Ingestion of

large amounts may cause gastro-intestinal discomfort.

Skin: Prolonged contact may cause mild skin irritation.

Eye: May cause mild, temporary eye irritation and watering of the eyes.

CHRONIC (long term): see Section 11 for additional toxicological data

None known.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by

Exposure:

Skin contact may aggravate pre-existing dermatitis or sores.

Interactions With Other Chemicals: Not available

Potential Environmental Effects: No ecotoxicity effects are expected. Prevent release of this product into natural waterways.

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Section 3: Composition and Ingredient Information

Guaranteed Minimum analysis (according to label)

Total Nitrogen (N) 0.02% Available Phosphate (P205) 0.02% Soluble Potash (K2O) 0.02%

Section 4: First Aid Measures

Inhalation: If symptoms develop move victim to fresh air. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.

Eye Contact: If in eyes, flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists get medical

attention or contact a Poison Control Centre.

Skin Contact: If on skin, brush away excess material and wash with soap and water.

Ingestion: If swallowed, get medical attention or contact a Poison Control Centre.

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Flammable Properties: Not flammable or combustible.

Suitable extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding fire. Dry chemical, water spray,

chemical foam, carbon dioxide, water fog

Unsuitable extinguishing Media: Not applicable

Explosion Data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: Not applicable Sensitivity to Static Discharge: Not applicable

Specific Hazards arising from the

Chemical:

Closed containers may rupture if involved in a fire. If involved in a fire may generate

ammonia and toxic oxides of nitrogen, potassium and phosphorus.

Protective Equipment and precautions

for firefighters:

Firefighters should wear full protective gear including self-contained breathing apparatus.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Not applicable

Environmental Precautions: Prevent large spills from entering sewers or waterways.

Methods for Containment: Stop further release.

Methods for Clean-up: Use an inert absorbent material (i.e. paper towel, kitty litter) to clean up liquid spills.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Handling: Read the label before using. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash hands thoroughly after handling

and before smoking or eating. Keep out of reach of children.

Storage: Store in the original container. Protect from freezing.

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Section 8: Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: General ventilation normally adequate.

Personal Protection

Eye/Face Protection: Not required for normal domestic uses. Wear safety glasses with side shields or goggles in

workplaces where airborne mist causes eye irritation and where splashing into the eyes is possible.

Skin Protection: Not normally required when used as directed.

Respiratory Protection: Not normally required when used as directed.

Work/Hygienic Practices: Wash hands after handling the product and before eating or smoking.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State:	Liquid	Flash Point & method:	Not applicable
Appearance, Colour and Odour:	Clear, odourless	Autoignition Temperature:	Not applicable
Odour Threshold:	Not available	Flammability Limits in Air:	Not applicable
pH:	7	Vapour Pressure:	Not applicable
Density:	1.0 g/mL	Vapour Density:	Not applicable
Partition coefficient:	Not applicable	Evaporation Rate:	Not applicable
Solubility in water:	Completely soluble.	Boiling Point/Range:	Similar to water
Viscosity:	Not applicable	Freezing Point:	Similar to water

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: None known.

Incompatible Materials: None known.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Not applicable. Decomposition is not expected under normal conditions of storage and use.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Not applicable

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Acute Toxicity Data

Product	<u>LD₅₀ Oral</u>	LD ₅₀ Dermal	<u>LC₅₀ Inhalation</u>
	(mg/kg)	(mg/kg)	(mg/m³ 4 hrs.)
Product	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable

Irritation: Not irritating to skin. May cause mild, temporary eye irritation.

Corrosivity: Not applicable
Sensitization: Not applicable
Neurological Effects: Not applicable
Genetic Effects: Not applicable
Reproductive Effects: Not applicable
Developmental Effects: Not applicable
Target Organ Effects: Not applicable

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Carcinogenicity: This mixture does not contain any component that is considered a human carcinogen by IARC

> (International Agency for Research on Cancer), ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists), OSHA or NTP (National Toxicology Program).

Section 12: **Ecological Information**

Ecotoxicity: No ecotoxicity effects are expected. Prevent release of this product into natural waterways.

Product may promote growth of aquatic plants and algae.

Persistence/Degradability: Inherently bio-degradable.

Bioaccumulation/Accumulation: Not applicable Mobility: Not available

Section 13: **Disposal Considerations**

Waste Disposal Method: Apply as fertilizer to field. Discard the empty container in household recycling (if available) or

garbage. If product is contaminated, dispose of in an approved landfill disposal facility, in accordance with municipal or provincial regulations where they apply. Contact local

authorities for disposal of large quantities of product.

Section 14: **Transport Information**

Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG): Not regulated U.S. Hazardous Materials Regulation (DOT 49CFR): Not regulated **IMO Classification:** Not regulated **Marine Pollutants:** Not applicable ICAO/IATA Classification: Not regulated

Section 15: **Regulatory Information**

NSNR Status (Canada: New Substance

Notification Regulations):

All component substances are listed, as required, on the Domestic Substances List

(DSL) or are not subject to the regulations.

WHMIS (Canada: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System)

WHMIS Classifications: Not controlled

TSCA Status (U.S. Toxic Substances

Control Act):

All component substances are listed on the TSCA inventory or are exempt – naturally

occurring substance.

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Section 16: Other Information

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