

# THE ANDERSONS SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### **SECTION 1: PRODUCT / SUPPLIER IDENTIFICATION**

PRODUCT CODE: 10002483, 10001359

PRODUCT NAME: 6-24-6 GOLDSTART® LIQUID FERTILIZER

PRODUCT USE: Fertilizer

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#### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# **HAZARD SYMBOLS / STATEMENTS:**



WARNING HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED

MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION

MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION

HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS:CATEGORYINTERPRETATIONACUTE TOXICITY4Low to ModerateEYE IRRITATION2BEye Irritation Possible

SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY

- SINGLE EXPOSURE 3 Causes irritation to respiratory tract

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:

- CALL A POISON CENTER / PHYSICIAN IF UNWELL
- IF SKIN IRRITATION OCCURS, GET MEDICAL ADVICE
- IF IN EYES, RINSE CAUTIOUSLY WITH WATER FOR SEVERAL MINUTES REMOVE CONTACT LENSES
- IF EYE IRRITATION PERSISTS, GET MEDICAL ADVICE
- DO NOT EAT, DRINK, OR SMOKE WHEN USING PRODUCT
- WASH HANDS AFTER HANDLING
- USE ONLY OUTDOORS OR IN WELL VENTILATED AREAS
- AVOID BREATHING MIST / SPRAY
- IF INHALED, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR AND KEEP AT REST IN A POSITION COMFORTABLE FOR BREATHING
- STORE CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED, LOCKED UP
- DISPOSE OF CONTENTS / CONTAINER IN ACCORDANCE WITH NATIONAL / REGIONAL / LOCAL REGULATIONS

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#### **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CHEMICAL IDENTITY SYNONYM CAS NUMBER CONCENTRATION (%)

Liquid fertilizer blend 6-24-6 Mixture 100.0

The specific chemical identity and exact percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret and complies with requirements set forth in 29CFR 1910.1200(i) Trade Secrets.

#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

IF INHALED: Move victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

IF ON SKIN: Wash affected areas with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation

persists. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

IF IN THE EYES: Immediately flush with water for at least 20 minutes. Seek medical attention if

irritation persists.

IF SWALLOWED: If victim is alert and not convulsing, give one glass of water to dilute material,

but DO NOT induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention.

SPECIAL TREATMENT: None known

HEALTH HAZARDS: See Section 11

#### **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Use media suitable for surrounding fire. No special media

required.

SPECIFIC FIRE HAZARDS: Decomposition products may be toxic.

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear full protective clothing and positive-pressure self-

contained breathing apparatus.

# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

SPILL / RELEASE PROCEDURES: Collect spilled product and store to re-use. Contaminated product

and/or environmental media should be recovered and disposed of

properly.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS: Prevent spilled material from entering storm drains or water bodies.

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: See Section 8

# **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area.

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# **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

# **EXPOSURE LIMITS:**

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

<u>HAZARDOUS COMPONENT</u> <u>OSHA PEL</u> <u>ACGIH TLV</u>

Ammonia 50 ppm 25 ppm

35 ppm (STEL)

Potassium hydroxide 2 mg/m³ (CEILING)

Phosphoric acid 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

3 mg/m³ (STEL) 3 mg/m³ (STEL)

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT / PROTECTION MEASURES / CONTROLS:

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: NIOSH approved particulate / mist respirator, if required

EYE PROTECTION: Safety glasses with sideshields, goggles, or faceshield recommended

SKIN PROTECTION: Long sleeves, protective gloves recommended

VENTILATION: Local exhaust ventilation recommended

#### **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: Clear gold or green liquid with slight ammonia odor

pH: 6.2 - 6.8MELTING POINT: Not applicable Not available **BOILING POINT:** FLASH POINT: Not flammable **EVAPORATION RATE:** Not available Not applicable FLAMMABLE LIMITS: VAPOR PRESSURE: Not available Not available VAPOR DENSITY: 1.33-1.36 SPECIFIC GRAVITY: Soluble SOLUBILITY (IN WATER): Not available PARTITION COEFFICIENT: Not applicable **AUTOIGNITION TEMP:** Not applicable **DECOMPOSITION TEMP:** Not available ODOR THRESHOLD: Not available VISCOSITY:

# **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

STABILITY: Product is stable.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Contact with strong acids

INCOMPATIBILITY: Aluminum, copper, and their alloys; galvanized metal

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: HCN, NOx, POx, COx, NH3

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# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

HEALTH EFFECTS: May cause irritation of the eyes, skin, respiratory tract, mucous membranes, and

gastrointestinal tract. Inhalation may result in coughing and difficult breathing.

Significant overexposure could potentially result in tearing of the eyes, increased pulse rates, increased blood pressure, skin blisters, vomiting, corneal ulcers, and blindness.

CARCINOGENICITY: None of the ingredients are known / listed carcinogens.

#### **INGREDIENT TOXICITY RANGES:**

ORAL: 214 mg/kg (potassium hydroxide) -- 14,300 mg/kg (urea)

DERMAL: 2,730 mg/kg (phosphoric acid)

INHALATION: > 850 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (1 hr) (phosphoric acid)

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

This product is not known to be ecotoxic, persistent, or have the potential to bioaccumulate.

#### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Dispose of in accordance with all national, regional / state, and local regulations. Reuse recovered product where possible.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

This product is not regulated as a transportation hazard.

#### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

SARA SECTION 311 / 312: ACUTE HAZARD

#### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA RATINGS: HEALTH 2

FLAMMABILITY 0
INSTABILITY 0

HMIS RATINGS: HEALTH 2

FLAMMABILITY 0 PHYSICAL HAZARD 0

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