# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

# $BioNutrients^{tm}$ soluble (8-0-9) & (8-1-9)

# Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Company: Growth Products, Ltd.

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White Plains, NY 10603

Phone Number: 800-648-7626 Chemical Name / Common Name: Bacillus subtilus

Product Use: Microbial Inoculant/Soil Amendment

## Section 2 – HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

**% ACTIVE INGREDIENT:** Bacillus subtilis, 0.07% (Megaterium, Licheniformis) CAS#: 9013-01-8

% OTHER INGREDIENTS: Plant Nutrients, 79.9% CAS# NA

Potassium Humate 20% CAS# 68514-28-3

N/A

# Section 3 – PHYSICAL DATA

Physical State: Powder **Evaporation Rate:** Not Applicable Color: Brown **Boiling Point:** Not Applicable Odor: Organic Sweet Odor Freezing Point: Not Applicable **Bulk Density:** 41.82 / cu ft. Viscosity: Not Applicable Storage Life at 70F: >2 Years Flash Point/Method: Not Applicable

pH – 21C: Vapor Pressure:

Solubility In Water: 99%

# Section 4 – FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD

Explosion properties Noncombustible

Flammable Limit N/A

Extinguishing Media Foam, CO<sub>2</sub>, Dry Chemical, Water Spray

Special Fire Fighting Procedures None Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards None

## Section 5 - HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION

#### EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE ACUTE (SHORT TERM EXPOSURE):

Repeated contact may cause moderate irritation and dermal and respiratory sensitization for hypersensitive individuals.

# CHRONIC (LONG TERM EXPOSURE):

None known

# **Section 6 – Emergency and First Aid Procedures**

**INHALATION:** Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth to mouth.

Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists

**SKIN CONTACT:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

#### Section 7: TOXICITY INFORMATION

ACUTE TOXICITY (LETHAL DOSES)

**DERMAL LD** 50: 0.5 ml dose level for rabbits

**ORAL LD** 50: 5000 mg/kg dosage level for rats

**ACUTE TOXICITY (IRRITATION, SENSITIZATION)** 

**EFFECTS TO EYES:** No corneal or iridal effects were noted at a dose of 0.1 ml for rabbits

**EFFECTS TO INGESTION:** Non toxic or pathogenic

**EFFECTS TO SKIN:** Moderate irritation, reversible within 7 days

**CARCINOGENICITY DATE:** N/E

**Section 8: REACTIVITY DATA** 

STABILITY: Stable CONDITIONS TO AVOID: N/E

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS OF DRY MATERIAL: CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, NH<sub>3</sub>

HAZARDOUS POLMERIZATION: Will not occur

**Section 9: SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION** 

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Gloves
EYE PROTECTION: None

**OTHER PROTECTION:** Dust mask in case of dust occurrence

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION OR REQUIRED VENTILATION:

Wear NIOSH approved dust respirator

# Section 10 - SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES

#### STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:

Prevent product from entering drinking water supplies. Collect powder material and package for disposal according to local, state, and federal regulations.

## WASTE DISPOSAL PRECEDURES:

This product is likely to have a pH less than 8.5 and would not be considered a federal hazardous waste according to EPA regulation 40CFR 261. Dispose in accordance with state and local regulation.

## REPORTABLE QUANTITY UNDER CERCLA: N/A

#### Section 11 – STORAGE AND HANDLING INFORMATION

## STORAGE TEMPERATURE:

MAX  $100^{\circ}$  F MIN  $32^{\circ}$  F INDOOR  $\checkmark$  OUTDOOR  $\bigstar$  REFRIG.  $\bigstar$ 

## PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Store in a dry place out of direct sunlight and away from heat sources. Keep from overheating or freezing.

## Section 12 – TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**DOT UN STATUS:** This material is not regulated hazardous material for transportation

## **OTHER PRECAUTIONS:**

Read entire label before using

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ABBREVIATIONS: N/E – NOT ESTABLISHED N/A – NOT APPLICABLE