

## Plant-Prod 15-15-30

### SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

<b>Product Identifier</b>	Plant-Prod 15-15-30
<b>Other Means of Identification</b>	10497
<b>Product Family</b>	Plant-Prod
<b>Recommended Use</b>	Water Soluble Fertilizer for Plants.
<b>Restrictions on Use</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Manufacturer/Supplier Identifier</b>	Master Plant-Prod Inc., 314 Orenda Rd. , Brampton, Ontario, Canada, L6T 1G1
<b>Emergency Phone No.</b>	CANUTEC, 1-613-996-6666, 24 Hours
<b>Date of Preparation</b>	February 26, 2016

### SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classified according to Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015).

#### Classification

Oxidizing solid - Category 3

#### Label Elements



Signal Word:

Warning

Hazard Statement(s):

H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer.

Precautionary Statement(s):

Prevention:

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P220 Keep or store away from clothing and other combustible materials.

P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response:

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use water spray or fog to extinguish.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

#### Other Hazards

None known.

### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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Mixture:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers
Potassium nitrate	7757-79-1	67	

## SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

### First-aid Measures

#### Inhalation

Move to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, trained personnel should begin rescue breathing. Call a Poison Centre or doctor. If ammonia gas is inhaled from heated fertilizer and breathing has stopped, begin artificial respiration.

#### Skin Contact

Immediately wash gently and thoroughly with lukewarm, gently flowing water and mild soap for 15-20 minutes. Take off contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands, belts). Call a Poison Centre or doctor if you feel unwell. Thermal burns require immediate medical attention.

#### Eye Contact

Immediately rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for at least 30 minutes, while holding the eyelid(s) open. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor.

#### Ingestion

For large amounts immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor. Rinse mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth if person is rapidly losing consciousness, or is unconscious or convulsing. Do not induce vomiting.

### Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

May cause mild irritation. If heated, may cause thermal burns.

### Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment

#### Special Instructions

Not applicable.

#### Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure

None known.

## SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing Media

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use flooding quantities of water or other suitable extinguishing agent.

#### Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

DO NOT use water jet.

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

Mild oxidizer. May intensify fire.

Corrosive, flammable ammonia; very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide; corrosive, oxidizing nitrogen oxides; extremely hazardous hydrogen cyanide.

### Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters

Wear SCBA and full protective clothing. Oxidizer. Prevent contact with flammable and combustible materials. Fire-fighters may enter the area if positive pressure SCBA and full Bunker Gear is worn.

## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Remove or isolate incompatible materials as well as other hazardous materials. Eliminate all ignition sources. Use grounded, explosion-proof equipment.

### Environmental Precautions

Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any waterway.

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## Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Contain the spill. Avoid contact with combustibles, organics and ignition sources. Sweep up spilled material and use or dispose of in approved manner.

## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Avoid repeated or prolonged skin contact. Do not get in eyes. Only use where there is adequate ventilation.

### Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in an area that is: cool, dry, well-ventilated. Keep out of reach of children. Store in a closed container. Keep separate from acids, alkalis, reducing agents and combustibles.

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control Parameters

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA
Potassium nitrate	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>					

### Appropriate Engineering Controls

General ventilation is usually adequate. Use local exhaust ventilation and enclosure, if necessary, to control amount in the air.

### Individual Protection Measures

#### Eye/Face Protection

Wear chemical safety goggles.

#### Skin Protection

Wear chemical protective clothing e.g. gloves, aprons, boots.

#### Respiratory Protection

Use an appropriate respirator or dust mask.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Blue fine powder. Particle Size: Not available
Odour	Slight ammonia odour
Odour Threshold	Not applicable
pH	Not available
Melting Point/Freezing Point	Not available (melting); Not available (freezing)
Initial Boiling Point/Range	Not applicable
Flash Point	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Will not burn.
Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limit	Not available (upper); Not available (lower)
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Vapour Density (air = 1)	Not available
Relative Density (water = 1)	Not available
Solubility	Not available in water
Partition Coefficient, n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)	Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not available

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<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not available
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)
<b>Other Information</b>	
<b>Physical State</b>	Solid
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	Not applicable
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	Not available
<b>Bulk Density</b>	1.06 kg/L

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions of use. May intensify fire.

### Chemical Stability

Normally stable.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None expected under normal conditions of storage and use.

### Conditions to Avoid

Heat. Water, moisture or humidity. Open flames, sparks, static discharge, heat and other ignition sources.

### Incompatible Materials

Strong acids, strong alkaloids, oxidizers, organics.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Corrosive, flammable ammonia; very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide; corrosive, oxidizing nitrogen oxides; extremely hazardous hydrogen cyanide.

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation; skin contact; eye contact; ingestion.

### Acute Toxicity

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
Potassium nitrate		3750 mg/kg (rat)	

### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Irritation could occur with prolonged exposure to dry fertilizer or fertilizer solution.

### Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Irritation or burn could occur if fertilizer solution is splashed in eyes or dry product contacted.

### STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

#### Inhalation

May cause nose and throat irritation, lung injury. If heated could release ammonia gas.

#### Skin Absorption

Not absorbed through skin.

#### Ingestion

If large amounts are swallowed symptoms may include nausea, vomiting, stomach cramps and diarrhea. May cause burns to mouth, throat and stomach.

### Aspiration Hazard

No information was located.

### STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Repeated Exposure

No information was located.

### Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

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Skin sensitizer.

**Carcinogenicity**

Not known to cause cancer.

**Reproductive Toxicity**

**Development of Offspring**

Boric acid may cause birth defects, based on animal data.

**Sexual Function and Fertility**

Boric acid may impair male fertility, based on animal data.

**Effects on or via Lactation**

No information was located.

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

No information was located.

**Interactive Effects**

No information was located.

**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Environmental information was not located.

**Ecotoxicity**

**Acute Aquatic Toxicity**

Chemical Name	LC50 Fish	EC50 Crustacea	ErC50 Aquatic Plants	ErC50 Algae
Potassium nitrate		490 mg/L (Daphnia magna (water flea); 24-hour)		

**Chronic Aquatic Toxicity**

Chemical Name	NOEC Fish	EC50 Fish	NOEC Crustacea	EC50 Crustacea
Potassium nitrate				900 mg/L (Daphnia magna (water flea); 4.2 days)

**Persistence and Degradability**

No information was located.

**Bioaccumulative Potential**

No information was located.

**Mobility in Soil**

No information was located.

**Other Adverse Effects**

There is no information available.

**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal Methods**

Contact local environmental authorities for approved disposal or recycling methods in your jurisdiction.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Regulation	UN No.	Proper Shipping Name	Transport Hazard Class(es)	Packing Group
Canadian TDG	1486	POTASSIUM NITRATE MIXTURE	5.1	III

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US DOT	1486	POTASSIUM NITRATE MIXTURE	5.1	III
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**Special Precautions** Not applicable

**Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable

## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

#### Canada

##### Domestic Substances List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)

All ingredients are listed on the DSL.

## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**References** CHEMINFO database. Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS). Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS®) database. Dassault Systèmes/BIOVIA ("BIOVIA"). Available from Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS).

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