



## COLIN CAMPBELL (CHEMICALS) PTY. LTD.

### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### 1) IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

**Product Name:** CAMPBELL ORCHID SPECIAL FERTILISER "A"  
**Other Names:** None  
**Chemical Group:** Salts  
**Recommended Use:** Fertiliser for use on orchids.  
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#### 2) HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

##### HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE - NON DANGEROUS GOOD

**Hazardous classification:** Hazardous according to the criteria of the National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC)

**Risk phrases:** R37 - Irritating to respiratory system.  
R43 - May cause sensitisation by skin contact.

**Safety phrases:** See sections 4,5,6,7,8,10,12,13

**ADG Classification** Not a Dangerous good for transport by road or rail according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

**SUSDP classification:** Not scheduled (Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs & Poisons)

#### 3) COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	CAS Number	Concentration
Inert ingredients	Non hazardous	100%

#### 4) FIRST AID MEASURES

**If poisoning occurs, immediately contact a doctor or Poison Information Centre (Ph: 13 11 26) and follow the advice given. Show this Material Safety Data Sheet to the doctor.**

**Inhalation:** If inhaled remove to fresh air and keep at rest. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

**Skin Contact:** A small amount of skin contact is not normally harmful. Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with soap and water.



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#### 4) FIRST AID MEASURES continued

<b>Eye contact:</b>	Check and remove any contact lenses. Rinse eyes immediately with clean water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical aid.
<b>Ingestion:</b>	May be harmful if swallowed. May cause irritation to the gastrointestinal tract. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. If victim is fully conscious, immediately give large quantities of water to drink and get medical help. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
<b>First Aid facilities</b>	Ensure eye wash and safety shower are available.
<b>Medical Attention:</b>	There is no specific antidote. Treat symptomatically. The effect of inhalation of nitrogen oxide fumes only becomes apparent over a couple of hours or days and can cause oedema.

#### 5) FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

<b>Extinguishing media</b>	Water spray, foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ).
<b>Hazard from combustion products</b>	Burning may release phosphorus and nitrogen oxides.
<b>Precautions for fighting fires</b>	Fire fighters should wear full protective gear, including self-contained breathing apparatus (AS/NZS 1715/1716). Keep unnecessary people away. If it can be done safely remove intact containers from the fire. Bund area with sand or earth to prevent contamination of drains or waterways. Dispose of extinguishing agent and spillage safely later.
<b>Hazchem Code</b>	Not applicable.

#### 6) ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Avoid contact with spilled material or contaminated surfaces. Do not smoke, eat or drink during the clean up process. Wear personal protective clothing and equipment as detailed in Section 8 PERSONAL PROTECTION. Keep people and animals away. Contain spill and absorb with earth, sand, clay or other absorbent material. Prevent spilled material from entering drains or watercourses. Collect and store in properly labelled drums for safe disposal. Clean floor with a damp cloth and place it in the drum. Seal drums and label ready for safe disposal. Deal with all spillages immediately. If contamination of drains, streams, watercourses etc is unavoidable warn the local water authority.

#### 7) HANDLING AND STORAGE

<b>Handling</b>	Keep out of reach of children. Will irritate eyes and skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Do not inhale spray mist. After use and before eating, drinking or smoking wash hands, arms and face thoroughly with soap and water. After each day's use wash gloves and contaminated clothing.
<b>Storage</b>	Store in the closed original container in a cool well ventilated area at <40°C. Do not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Store in a locked room away from children, animals, food, animal feed, seed and pesticides.
<b>Flammability</b>	Not flammable.



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#### 8) EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

<b>Exposure Standards</b>	No exposure standards have been assigned to the product.	
<b>Biological Limit Values</b>	None allocated	
<b>Engineering Controls</b>	Use in a well ventilated area only.	
<b>Personal Protective Equipment</b>	Eyes:	Face shield
	Clothing:	Cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrists and a washable hat.
	Gloves:	Gloves
	Respiratory:	Approved dust or pesticide respirator with a dust filter.

#### 9) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICALS PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance:</b>	Yellow crystalline powder.
<b>Odour:</b>	No odour.
<b>Vapour pressure:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Vapour density:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Melting point:</b>	190°C
<b>Freezing/Melting point:</b>	Not applicable
<b>pH:</b>	No data
<b>Solubility:</b>	400g/L
<b>Specific gravity:</b>	No data
<b>Flash point:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flammability (explosive) limit:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Auto ignition temperature:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Partition coefficient (octanol/water):</b>	Not applicable

#### 10) STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Chemical stability:</b>	Stable under normal conditions of use.
<b>Conditions to avoid:</b>	None known
<b>Incompatible materials :</b>	Avoid contact with strong bases or magnesium - releases TOXIC ammonia. Contact with methanamine causes slow evolution of formaldehyde. May be mildly corrosive to aluminium and steel.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products:</b>	See above.
<b>Hazardous reactions:</b>	None. Hazardous polymerisation is not possible.



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#### 11) TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Inhalation:</b>	Inhalation of dust and aqueous dilution may result in respiratory irritation (including mucous membranes, throat and lungs).
<b>Skin contact:</b>	Mildly irritating. Frequent and prolonged contact can cause dermatitis.
<b>Eye contact:</b>	Mildly irritating.
<b>Ingestion:</b>	Ingestion of very large amounts may cause dizziness, weakness, bloody diarrhoea, nausea, vomiting, abdominal cramps, convulsions and collapse.

#### ANIMAL TOXICITY DATA – PRODUCT

<b><u>Acute:</u></b>	
<b>Oral toxicity</b>	No data.
<b>Dermal toxicity:</b>	No data.
<b>Inhalation toxicity:</b>	No data.
<b>Skin irritation:</b>	Slightly irritating.
<b>Irritation of mucous membranes:</b>	May cause irritation
<b>Sensitisation:</b>	No data

**Chronic:**  
No information available.

#### 12) ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Ecotoxicity:</b>	Nitrogen and phosphate may promote algae and may degrade water quality.
<b>Environmental fate, persistence and degradability, mobility</b>	Not available.

#### 12) DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Rinse containers well and dispose of using the normal waste method. Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

#### 13) TRANSPORT INFORMATION



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<b>UN Number:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Proper Shipping name:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Class and subsidiary risk:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Packing Group:</b>	Not applicable
<b>EPG:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Hazchem code:</b>	Not applicable

**14) REGULATORY INFORMATION**

No regulatory information necessary.

**15) OTHER INFORMATION**

This MSDS summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product and how to safely handle and use the product in the workplace. Each user should read this MSDS and consider the information in the context of the how the product will be handled and used in the workplace including in conjunction with other products.

If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate risk assessment can be made the user should contact this company.

**END OF MSDS**