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# **1** Identification

Product Name: Elements Grow A

Other Means of Identification: Mixture

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use: Fertiliser

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# 2 Hazard(s) Identification

#### Hazardous Nature:

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)

Not classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

The product is not classified, according to the Globally Harmonised System (GHS).

#### Signal Word None

#### Hazard Statements None

## **3** Composition and Information on Ingredients

#### Chemical Characterization: Mixtures

Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

# Hazardous Components:

CAS: 7757-79-1	Nitric acid, potassium salt	1-10%
	Oxidising Solids 2, H272; O Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2, H315; Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 2, H319; STOT SE 3, H335	
CAS: 10043-35-3	Boric acid	<0.1%
	🚯 Toxic To Reproduction 1B, H360	
CAS: 1312-76-1	Silicic acid, potassium salt	<0.1%
	♦ Skin Corrosion/Irritation 1A, H314; () STOT SE 3, H335	
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#### 4 First Aid Measures

Inhalation: Inhalation is not considered a potential route of exposure.

Skin Contact: In case of skin contact wash affected areas. Seek medical attention if symptoms occur.

#### **Eye Contact:**

In case of eye contact, rinse with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

#### Ingestion:

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth with water. Give 2-3 glasses of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek medical attention.

#### Symptoms Caused by Exposure:

Inhalation: No adverse health effects expected.

Skin Contact: May cause mild skin irritation.

Eye Contact: May cause eye irritation.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea, headache and vomiting.

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# **5 Fire Fighting Measures**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:

No hazardous decomposition products known.

Product is not flammable. However, in case of evaporation of solvent it may intesify fire. Containers close to fire should be removed only if safe to do so. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers.

Minimise run-off from fire fighting entering drains or water courses.

#### **Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:**

When fighting a major fire wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective equipment.

### 6 Accidental Release Measures

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

Wear appropriate personal protective equipment.

#### **Environmental Precautions:**

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses.

## Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up:

Wipe up small spills with a paper towel or dry rag. Clean up all spills immediately, since spilled materials, even in small quantities, may present a slip hazard. Absorb large spills with sand, earth, vermiculite or some other absorbent material. Collect the spilled material and place into a suitable container for disposal.

## 7 Handling and Storage

#### Precautions for Safe Handling:

Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact.

Food, beverages and tobacco products should not be stored or consumed where this material is in use. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage:

Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Keep away from reducing agents.

# 8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### **Exposure Standards:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

Engineering Controls: Natural ventilation should be adequate under normal use conditions.

Respiratory Protection: Respiratory protection is not required under normal use conditions.

#### Skin Protection:

Chemically resistant gloves. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2161 for more information. When selecting gloves for use against certain chemicals, the degradation resistance, permeation rate and permeation breakthrough time should be considered.

Occupational protective clothing (depending on conditions in which it has to be used, in particular as regards the period for which it is worn, which shall be determined on the basis of the seriousness of the risk, the frequency of exposure to the risk, the characteristics of the workstation of each worker and the performance of the protective clothing). See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4501 for more information.

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#### Eye and Face Protection:

Safety glasses with top and side shields or goggles. See Australian/New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 1336 and 1337 for more information.

## 9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:	
Form:	Liquid
Colour:	Light green
Odour:	Neutral
Odour Threshold:	No information available
pH-Value:	4.27
Melting point/freezing point:	No information available
Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range:	No information available
Flash Point:	No information available
Flammability:	Product is not flammable. However, in case of evaporation of solvent
-	it may intesify fire.
Auto-ignition Temperature:	No information available
Decomposition Temperature:	No information available
Explosion Limits:	
Lower:	No information available
Upper:	No information available
Vapour Pressure:	No information available
Relative Density:	1.09
Vapour Density:	No information available
Evaporation Rate:	No information available
Solubility in Water:	Completely soluble
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water	: No information available

# 10 Stability and Reactivity

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: No dangerous reactions known under conditions of normal use.

Chemical Stability: Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of storage and use.

Conditions to Avoid: No further relevant information available.

Incompatible Materials: Keep away from reducing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: No hazardous decomposition products known.

## 11 Toxicological Information

Toxicity		alues Relevant for Classification:
CAS: 7	757-79	-1 Nitric acid, potassium salt
Oral	LD50	3,750 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	>5,000 mg/kg (rat)
Acute H		Effects

Inhalation: No adverse health effects expected. Skin: May cause mild skin irritation.

Eye: May cause eye irritation.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea, headache and vomiting.

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Skin Corrosion / Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious Eye Damage / Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity: This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.

Reproductive Toxicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Repeated Exposure:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration Hazard: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Chronic Health Effects: No data associated with long term health effects.

Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: No data available.

# 12 Ecological Information

### Ecotoxicity:

#### Aquatic toxicity:

This product has no known eco-toxicological effects.

CAS: 7757-79-1 Nitric acid, potassium salt

EC50/48 h 490 mg/l (daphnia) LC50/96 h 1,378 mg/l (guppy)

Persistence and Degradability: No data available on finished product.

Bioaccumulative Potential: No data available on finished product.

Mobility in Soil: No data available on finished product.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

# 13 Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods and Containers: Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.

**Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:** 

Please consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information.

# 14 Transport Information

UN Number Not regulated

Proper Shipping Name Not regulated

Dangerous Goods Class Not regulated

Packing Group: Not regulated

## 15 Regulatory Information

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals:

All ingredients are listed.

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Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule: Not a scheduled poison.

### 16 Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society) LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit TWA: Time Weighted Average NES: National Exposure Standard (Safe Work Australia - Workplace Exposure Standards For Airborne Contaminants) Oxidising Solids 2: Oxidising solids, Hazard Category 2 Skin Corrosion/Irritation 1A: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1A Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2 Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2 Toxic To Reproduction 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

#### Disclaimer

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