



SAFETY DATA SHEET NOVATEC 15-3-20

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name NOVATEC 15-3-20
Product number CTR004/25

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Fertiliser for use on managed amenity turf

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Not Classified

Environmental hazards Not Classified

2.2. Label elements

Hazard statements NC Not Classified

2.3. Other hazards

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

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AMMONIUM NITRATE		10-45%
CAS number: 6484-52-2	EC number: 229-347-8	REACH registration number: 01-2119490981-27-XXXX
Classification Ox. Liq. 2 - H272 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319	Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC) Xi;R36. O;R8.	
DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE		<0.2%
CAS number: 12179-04-3	EC number: 215-540-4	REACH registration number: 01-2119490790-32-XXXX
Classification Eye Irrit. 2 - H319 Repr. 1B - H360FD	Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC) Xi; R36. Repr. Cat. 1 R60, R61	

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

Composition comments The data shown are in accordance with the latest EC Directives.

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures**

Inhalation	Move affected person to fresh air at once. Rinse nose and mouth with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.
Ingestion	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Get medical attention.
Skin contact	Remove affected person from source of contamination. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.
Eye contact	Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation	May cause respiratory system irritation.
Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Skin contact	Prolonged skin contact may cause redness and irritation.
Eye contact	May cause temporary eye irritation.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor No specific recommendations. If in doubt, get medical attention promptly.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1. Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing media	Water. The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding environment.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Foam. Dry chemicals. Carbon dioxide (CO ₂). Sand.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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Hazardous combustion products Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Nitrous gases (NO_x). Ammonia.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting No specific firefighting precautions known. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Avoid the spillage or runoff entering drains, sewers or watercourses.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Stop leak if safe to do so. Scoop/sweep/shovel spill into closing containers. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Avoid the spillage or runoff entering drains, sewers or watercourses.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections Collect and dispose of spillage as indicated in Section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Open container with care to avoid generating dust. Avoid spilling. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Keep away from direct sunlight. Keep away from heat. Protect from moisture.

Advice on general occupational hygiene Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Store in tightly closed original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat sources, combustible materials. Keep away from acids, oxidising agents. Protect from moisture. Keep away from direct sunlight.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

AMMONIUM NITRATE (CAS: 6484-52-2)

DNEL	Workers - Inhalation; local effects: 37.3 mg/m ³ Workers - Dermal; local effects: 21.3 mg/kg Consumer - Oral; local effects: 12.8 mg/kg Consumer - Inhalation; local effects: 11.1 mg/m ³
PNEC	- Fresh water; 0.45 mg/l - Marine water; 0.045 mg/l

8.2. Exposure controls

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Protective equipment



Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation.

Eye/face protection

Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is possible. The following protection should be worn: Chemical splash goggles or face shield. Provide eyewash station.

Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible.

Other skin and body protection

Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.

Hygiene measures

Do not smoke in work area. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated. Use appropriate skin cream to prevent drying of skin. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Respiratory protection

No specific recommendations. Respiratory protection may be required if excessive airborne contamination occurs.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Granules.
Colour	Various.
Odour	Mild.
Odour threshold	No information available.
pH	pH (diluted solution): ~ 5 (10000 g/l @ 20oC)
Melting point	No information available.
Initial boiling point and range	No information available.
Flash point	Mixture not classed as flammable
Evaporation rate	No information available.
Evaporation factor	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable.
Vapour pressure	No information available.
Vapour density	No information available.
Relative density	No information available.
Bulk density	~ 1.150 kg/m ³
Solubility(ies)	Soluble in water.
Partition coefficient	No information available.

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Auto-ignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition Temperature	> 130°C
Viscosity	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not considered to be explosive.
Oxidising properties	Does not meet the criteria for classification as oxidising.

9.2. Other information

Other information	No information required.
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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity	There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product. Stable under normal conditions.
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10.2. Chemical stability

Stability	Stable at normal ambient temperatures. Stable under normal conditions.
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10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions	Evolution of ammonia under influence of alkalies.
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10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid	Avoid frost. Heat and direct sunlight. Avoid moisture.
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10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid	Sulphur. Chlorites. Chloride. Chlorates. Hypochlorites. Acid or alkaline reacting substances. Flammable oxidizable substances. Nitrites. Metallic salts. Metallic powder. Herbicide. Chlorinated hydrocarbons. Organic compounds.
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10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products	Thermal decomposition will produce nitrogen monoxide, nitrogen dioxide, dinitrogenoxide ammonia.
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SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Toxicological effects	No information available.
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Skin corrosion/irritation

Animal data	Rabbit. Result: non-irritant, OECD Test Guideline 404.
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Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation	Rabbit: Result: Irritant, OECD Test Guideline 405.
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Inhalation	May cause irritation.
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Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
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Skin contact	May cause skin irritation.
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Eye contact	May cause eye irritation.
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SECTION 12: Ecological Information

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Ecotoxicity Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.

12.1. Toxicity

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential Bioaccumulation is unlikely.

Partition coefficient No information available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility No information available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Disposal via sewage water treatment plants may cause impairment of the nitrification activity of the activated sludge. There is a high probability that the product is acute not harmful to aquatic organisms. Additional ecological information - the product has not been tested. The information is derived from the properties of the individual components. At higher pH values, which can be found in natural surface waters, an increase of toxic effects on aquatic organisms may be expected.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal methods Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

SECTION 14: Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

No transport warning sign required.

14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant
No.

14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

NOVATEC 15-3-20**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code**

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

EU legislation Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as amended).

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Revision comments	This is first issue.
Revision date	03/09/2015
Revision	1
SDS number	20410
Hazard statements in full	H272 May intensify fire; oxidiser. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H360FD May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.

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