



Material Safety Data Sheet

NORTICA™

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SECTION 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Product name NORTICA™
MSDS Number 102000023882
EPA Registration No. 432-1512

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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

NOTE: Please refer to Section 11 for detailed toxicological information.

Emergency Overview Caution! Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing dust.

Physical State powder
Appearance light brown
Exposure routes Eye contact, Skin contact, Inhalation
Immediate Effects
Eye Avoid contact with eyes.
Skin Avoid contact with skin and clothing.
Ingestion Do not take internally.
Inhalation Avoid breathing dust.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Hazardous Component Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Average % by Weight</u>
Bacillus firmus (Strain I-1582)		5.00

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General When possible, have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.



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Eye	Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Skin	Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Ingestion	Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse out mouth and give water in small sips to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not leave victim unattended.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Notes to physician Treatment	Treat symptomatically. There is no specific antidote.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point	no data available
Autoignition temperature	no data available
Suitable extinguishing media	Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
Fire Fighting Instructions	Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Fight fire from upwind position. Keep out of smoke. Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses. Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions	Keep unauthorized people away. Isolate hazard area. Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces.
Methods for cleaning up	Avoid dust formation. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Collect and transfer the product into a properly labelled and tightly closed container. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly, observing environmental regulations.



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Additional advice Do not allow to enter soil, waterways or waste water canal. Do not allow product to contact vegetation.

Information regarding safe handling, see section 7. Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8. Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling procedures Handle and open container in a manner as to prevent spillage. Avoid dust formation. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

Storing Procedures Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area. Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other crop protection products, fertilizers, food, and feed. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Work/Hygienic Procedures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, using the toilet or applying cosmetics.

Remove soiled clothing immediately and clean thoroughly before using again. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General Protection Follow all label instructions. Train employees in safe use of the product.

Eye/Face Protection Safety glasses with side-shields

Hand protection Chemical resistant nitrile rubber gloves

Body Protection Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants and shoes plus socks.

Respiratory protection When respirators are required, select NIOSH approved equipment based on actual or potential airborne concentrations and in accordance with the appropriate regulatory standards and/or industry recommendations.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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pH 7.4 (1 %)

Bulk density 56.8 lb/ft³

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Hazardous reactions No hazardous reactions known.

Chemical Stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute dermal toxicity rat: LD50: > 5,050 mg/kg

Assessment Carcinogenicity

ACGIH

None.

NTP

None.

IARC

None.

OSHA

None.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental precautions Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Apply this product as specified on the label. Do not allow to get into surface water, drains and ground water. Do not apply when weather conditions favor runoff or drift.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General Disposal Guidance Follow container label instructions for disposal of wastes generated during use in compliance with the product label. Dispose in accordance with all local, state/provincial and federal regulations.

Container Disposal Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet. Do not re-use empty containers. Triple rinse containers. Consult state and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of container.

RCRA Information Characterization and proper disposal of this material as a special or hazardous waste is dependent upon Federal, State and local laws and are the user's responsibility. RCRA classification may apply.



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SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

According to national and international transport regulations this material is not classified as dangerous goods / hazardous material.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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US Federal Regulations

TSCA list

None.

US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt D)

None.

SARA Title III - Section 302 - Notification and Information

None.

SARA Title III - Section 313 - Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

None.

US States Regulatory Reporting

CA Prop65

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause cancer.

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause reproductive harm.

US State Right-To-Know Ingredients

None.

Canadian Regulations

Canadian Domestic Substance List

None.

Environmental

CERCLA

None.

Clean Water Section 307 Priority Pollutants

None.

Safe Drinking Water Act Maximum Contaminant Levels

None.



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SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA 704 (National Fire Protection Association):

Health - 1 Flammability - 0 Reactivity - 0 Others - none

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard

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