SAFETY DATA SHEET



1. Identification

Product identifier Urea

Other means of identification

MSDS Number KAS_Urea_SI_EN

Synonyms Carbamide, Carbamidic Acid, KBU urea premium

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Fertilizer

Recommended restrictions None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer/Supplier Koch Agronomic Services, LLC

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Emergency telephone

number

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USA/Canada - 1.800.424.9300

Outside USA/Canada -1.703.527.3887 (collect calls accepted)

2. Hazards identification

GHS classification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Not classified.

Environmental hazards Not classified.

GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictograms None.
Signal word None.

Hazard statements The substance does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary statements

Prevention Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Response Wash hands after handling.

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

Disposal Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Other hazards which do not

result in classification

None known.

Supplemental information None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance or mixture Substance

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS Number	Concentration (%)
Urea*	Carbamide, Carbamidic Acid, KBU urée premium	57-13-6	95 - 100

Composition comments *Treated with a non-hazardous anti-caking agent, less than 1% by weight.

All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume. This Safety Data Sheet is not a guarantee of product specification or NPK value(s). NPK content is on specified sales orders, customer invoices, or product specification sheets obtained from supplier.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Skin contact Wash contact areas with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Dust in the eyes: Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If Eye contact

easy to do, remove contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

Eye contact: Symptoms can include irritation, redness, scratching of the cornea, and tearing.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth thoroughly. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

Skin contact: Mild skin irritation.

Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

General information Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

Fire will produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire fighting

equipment/instructions

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk. Use water spray to prevent dust

formation, absorb heat, keep containers cool and protect fire-exposed material.

Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in

case of fire.

Urea is non-combustible under most conditions. However, during a fire, irritating/toxic gases may General fire hazards be generated. The dust can be ignited at very high temperatures, but not expected to explode

(minimum ignition temperature (cloud) = 900 deg C.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear suitable protective clothing. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water. Do not allow to enter

drains, sewers or watercourses.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Avoid dust formation. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. If sweeping of a contaminated area is necessary use a dust suppressant agent which does not react with the product. After removal flush contaminated area thoroughly with water.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid generation and spreading of dust. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use only with adequate ventilation. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Use work methods which minimize dust production. Keep the workplace clean.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store in a cool, dry place. Store away from incompatible materials.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

parameters/Occupational exposure limits

Exposure guidelines

No specific recommendation made, but protection against nuisance dust must be used when the

general level exceeds 10 mg/m3.

Appropriate engineering control measures

Provide adequate ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimize the risk of inhalation of dust.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eve/face protection

Use tight fitting goggles if dust is generated.

Skin protection

Hand protection Risk of contact: Wear protective gloves. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove

supplier.

Other Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts and long pants) is recommended. Risk of contact: Wear

appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.

Respiratory protection Seek advice from local supervisor. Wear air supplied respiratory protection if exposure

concentrations are unknown. No specific recommendation made, but protection against nuisance dust must be used when the general level exceeds 10 mg/m3. In case of inadequate ventilation or

risk of inhalation of dust, use suitable respiratory equipment with particle filter.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective

equipment to remove contaminants. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance White granules with faint ammonia odor.

Physical state Solid.

Form Granular. Pellets. Prilled.

Color White.

Odor Ammonia-like. Faint, characteristic.

Odor threshold Not available.

pH 8 - 8.5 10% solution

Melting point/freezing point 270.86 °F (132.7 °C)

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

Not available.

Not applicable. Flash point **Evaporation rate** Not applicable. Flammability (solid, gas) Not available. Flammability limit - lower (%) Not available. Flammability limit - upper (%) Not available. Vapor pressure Not applicable. Not applicable. Vapor density Relative density 1.335 (water=1)

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Soluble.

Partition coefficient

(n-octanol/water)

Not available.

Auto-ignition temperature Not available.

Viscosity Not applicable.

Other data

Bulk density 48 - 52 lb/ft³ (Packed)

Explosive properties Not explosive.

Molecular weight 60.06 g/mol

Oxidizing properties Not oxidizing.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity Reacts violently with strong oxidants, nitrites, inorganic chlorides, chlorites and perchlorates

causing fire and explosion hazard.

Chemical stability Normally stable. May gradually give off ammonia. The product is hygroscopic and will absorb water

by contact with the moisture in the air.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to avoid Moisture. High temperatures. Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials Reacts violently with strong oxidants, nitrites, inorganic chlorides, chlorites and perchlorates

causing fire and explosion hazard. Strong oxidizing agents. Nitric acid. Nitrites.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Ammonia. Biuret.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Inhalation of dusts may cause respiratory irritation.

Skin contact Dust may irritate skin.

Eye contact Dust may irritate the eyes.

Ingestion May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Acute toxicity Dust in the eyes will cause irritation. Dust may irritate skin. High concentrations of dust may

irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing. May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Product Species Test Results

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Acute Oral

LD50 Rat 14300 mg/kg

Symptoms Eye contact: Symptoms can include irritation, redness, scratching of the cornea, and tearing.

Skin contact: Mild skin irritation. Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause

coughing.

Skin corrosion/irritation May cause skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Skin sensitization Not a skin sensitizer.

Germ cell mutagenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA. Not

classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

Reproductive toxicityBased on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects Frequent inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing lung

diseases.

Other information No other specific acute or chronic health impact noted.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Product Species Test Results Urea* (CAS 57-13-6) Aquatic Algae EC10 Algae 47 mg/l, 192 hours Water flea (Daphnia magna) LC50 > 10000 mg/l, 24 hours Crustacea LC50 Fish Leuciscus idus > 6810 mg/l, 96 hours

Persistence and degradability No data available.

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Mobility in soil This product is water soluble and may disperse in soil.

Other adverse effects No data available.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal methods/information Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies.

Special precautionsDispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

14. Transport information

ADR

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

RID

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

ADN

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to
Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and
the IBC Code

Not applicable. However, the product is covered under Appendix I of the IMSBC Code.

the IBC Code

15. Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

Controlled Narcotic Drugs (Misuse of Drugs Act, First Schedule, Part I, II & III)

Not regulated.

Controlled Specified Drugs (Misuse of Drugs Act, Fourth Schedule)

Not regulated.

Prior Informed Consent (PIC) Substances (Environment Protection and Management Act, 2nd Schedule, Part 1, Jul. 1, 2013)

Not regulated.

Chemical Weapons Prohibition (Act)

Not applicable.

Environmental Protection and Management (Hazardous Substances) Regulations

Not applicable.

Environmental Public Health Act

Not applicable.

International regulations

Montreal Protocol

Not applicable.

Stockholm Convention

Not applicable.

Rotterdam Convention

Not applicable.

Kyoto protocol

Not applicable.

Basel Convention

Not applicable.

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

^{*}A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information

References EPA: AQUIRE database

HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank

RTECS ECHA CHEM

Issued by Not available.

Prepared by Not available.

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

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Key/legend

Not applicable.