

VITAX SAFETY INFORMATION SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Name of Product: SLUG-GONE

Use of the Substance/Preparation: Slug Deterrent

Manufacturer/Distributor: Vitax Limited
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification: Not classified as dangerous.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formulation Type: Compressed natural sheep wool pellets

Hazardous Ingredients: Contains no hazardous ingredients - Category 3 Animal By-product

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Considered to be essentially non-toxic. Like any generally inert dusty or gritty material, eye contact may cause discomfort.

Skin Contact: Wash hands and exposed skin after handling.

Ingestion: Seek medical advice.

Eye Contact: Irrigate with water thoroughly.

Additional medical guidance is available to doctors from the National Poisons Information Service.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media: Fires may be extinguished with water spray, foam or dry powder.

Additional Information: Non flammable but can burn in a fire and may release hazardous fumes.

Special Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus in confined spaces.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions: Wash hands and exposed skin after handling.

Environmental precautions: Do not allow to enter drains or sewers.

Spillages: Sweep up carefully to avoid raising dust and transfer to suitable marked container keep safe before disposal.

7. HANDLING & STORAGE

Handling: Do not block stack pallets.

Storage: Store in original containers, preferably in a secure, well ventilated, cool but frost-free, dry area. Store in a separate stack from herbicides.

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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION	No specific exposure standards established. Normal good hygiene standards should be observed.
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9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES	Appearance	Brown fibrous pellets
	Odour	Organic odour
	pH	Solid
	Boiling point	Not applicable
	Melting point	Not applicable
	Flash point	None
	Flammability	Not flammable
	Auto flammability	None
	Explosivity	None
	Oxidising properties	None
	Vapour Pressure	None
	Relative density	Not available
	Solubility	Insoluble
	Other data	None

10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY

Stability:	Stable
Conditions to Avoid:	None
Materials to Avoid:	None
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Under intense heat may release hazardous nitrogen oxide fumes.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL

No specific adverse effects from exposure known.

To the best of our knowledge physical, chemical and toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Natural material with soil conditioning properties.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

May be treated as non hazardous household/industrial waste.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified as dangerous for carriage.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Not classified as dangerous for supply. Occupational Exposure Standards: not established. For nuisance dusts: total inhalable 10 mg/m³ (8 hr), total respirable 5 mg/m³ (8 hr).

This product is produced in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 834/2007. Certified to Soil Association Standards and approved for use in organic systems (AL22251).

Other Regulations:
Health and Safety at Work Act 1974
Animal By-Product Regulations 2009

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

The product label provides information on the use of the product: do not use otherwise, unless you have assessed any potential hazard involved and the safety measures required.

This organic product is produced in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009 laying down health rules for animal by products not intended for human consumption and The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011.

As such this organic product is not intended for use for use in animal/human feed.

A local risk assessment should be conducted to ensure the suitability for use where food or animal feedingstuffs could become contaminated.

Prepared by VITAX LTD, for Health and Safety purposes from the best knowledge available at the time of printing.

The classification of this preparation was carried out in accordance with directive 1999/45/EC and subsequent amendments modified by directive 2006/08/EC, taking account the directive 67/548/EC (Dangerous substances) modified by directive 2004/73/EC and Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 (REACH).