

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRECISION LABORATORIES, LLC

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: **0-0-20 CASCADE™ PLUS FERTILIZER**  
Supplier: Precision Laboratories, LLC  
1429 S. Shields Drive  
Waukegan, IL 60085  
Product Use: Wetting Agent & Fertilizer  
Emergency telephone number: (Chemtrec Information 24 hours) (800) 424-9300  
Customer Service, call: (847) 596-3001

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### GHS Classification:

Eye Irritation, Category 2B, H320

**Signal Word:** Warning

### Hazard Statements:

H320: Causes eye irritation.

### Precautionary Statements:

#### Prevention

P101: If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102: Keep out of reach of children.

P103: Read label before use.

P264: Wash protective equipment and work clothes thoroughly after handling.

#### Response

P305+P351+P338: If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention or advice.

## 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Component</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>OSHA PEL</u>	<u>ACGIH TLV</u>	<u>Weight %</u>
Sulfate of Potash	7778-80-5	N/A	N/A	Varies
Gypsum	Mixture	N/A	N/A	Varies
Polyethylene – Propylene Glycols	N/A	N/A	N/A	Varies

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

IF SWALLOWED: Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do NOT induce vomiting, unless told to by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything to an unconscious person.

IF ON SKIN: Wash affected area with plenty of soap and water. Use tepid water if available. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice or attention.

IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is having difficulty breathing, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice or attention.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Overexposure: Repeated or prolonged exposure may irritate open sores and wounds.

Other Effects: This product is not a carcinogen by NTP, OSHA and ACGIH.

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## 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

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Suitable Extinguishing media: Water spray, foam, CO<sub>2</sub>, or dry chemicals may be used in areas where this product is stored.

Specific Hazards: In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst. Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

PPE and Precautions: Firefighters should wear NIOSH/MSHA approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. Water spray may be ineffective on fire but can protect fire-fighters & cool closed containers. Use fog nozzles if water is used. Do not enter confined fire-space without full bunker gear. (helmet with face shield, bunker coats, gloves & rubber boots).

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## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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In Case of Spill: No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air). Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Approach release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

Disposal: Dispose of collected waste in accordance with federal, state and local regulations. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product. Note: see section 1 for emergency contact information and section 13 for waste disposal.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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Avoid breathing of dust or spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. Wear OSHA Standard goggles or face shield. Consult Safety Equipment Supplier. Wear goggles, gloves, apron & footwear impervious to material. Wash clothing before reuse. Avoid free fall of liquid. Ground containers when transferring. Do not flame cut, braze, or weld. Empty containers are very hazardous! Keep container tightly closed & upright when not in use to prevent leakage.

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

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Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

Engineering measures: If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.

Eye/Face Protections: Wear protective eyewear. Contact lenses should not be worn when working with chemicals.

Skin Protection: Wear chemically impervious gloves, long-sleeved shirt, pants, socks and shoes to minimize skin contact. As precautions, wash hands and face with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, smoking or using restroom. After each shift, clean all protective equipment, wash work clothes, and shower.

Respiratory Protection: In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

General Protection: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors. Wash thoroughly after handling product.

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Note: When selecting personal protective equipment and clothing, follow all of the manufacturer specifications and recommendations that apply to your specific operation and processing conditions. Take into consideration all working conditions and all chemicals to be handled or processed. Eye wash fountains and drench showers should be located within a 10 second walk from the work area per ANSI Z358.1-2009.

Personal Protection in Case of Large Spill: Splash goggles, full suit, boots and gloves.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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Appearance:	Liquid	UEL:	N/A
Odor:	Slight earthy odor	LEL:	N/A
Odor Threshold:	N/D	Vapor Pressure:	N/D
pH:	6.5 (neat)	Vapor Density:	N/D
Melting Point:	Pour point, 0°C	Relative Density:	1.03
Freezing Point:	N/D	Solubility:	Water soluble
Boiling Point:	N/D	Partition Coefficient:	N/D
Flash Point:	>155°C	Autoignition Temperature:	N/D
Evaporation Rate:	N/A	Decomposition Temperature:	N/D
Flammability:	Non flammable	VOC:	N/D

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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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Stability:	Stable
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:	Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
Condition to Avoid:	None known
Incompatible Materials:	Strong acids/oxidizers.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Burning may produce ammonia, hydrogen chlorides, ethyl sulfide, diethyl sulfide, and nitrogen oxides.

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## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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No toxicological information is available for this product.

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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No ecological information is available for this product.

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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Component Waste Numbers:	No EPA Waste Numbers are applicable for this product's components.
Disposal Instructions:	The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Significant quantities of waste product residues should not be disposed of via the sewer but processed in a suitable effluent treatment plant. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

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Container Reuse: An empty container can contain product residue, and should not be reused. If not professionally cleaned and reconditioned, crushing or other means is recommended to prevent unauthorized reuse.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Status (Highway and rail): Not Regulated  
IATA Status (Air): Not Regulated  
Marine Pollutant: No

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA 8(b) inventory Exempt

SARA 313

	<u>Product Name</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Concentration</u>
Supplier Notification	None Identified		

SARA 313 notifications must not be detached from the MSDS and any copying and redistribution of the MSDS shall include copying and redistribution of the notice attached to copies of the MSDS subsequently redistributed.

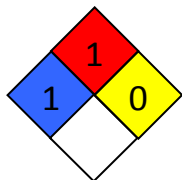
**International lists**  
Canada Inventory: All components are listed or exempted.  
Australia Inventory (AICS): All components are listed or exempted.  
Europe Inventory: Please contact your supplier to get the information.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Hazard Rating

HEALTH	1
FLAMMABILITY	1
REACTIVITY	0
PERSONAL PROTECTION	X

NFPA Rating



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N/R—Not Rated

N/D—Not Determined

N/A—Not Applicable

N/E—Not Established

EPA = Environmental Protection Agency; TSCA = Toxic Substance Control Act; ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer; NIOSH = National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; NTP = National Toxicology Program; OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration., NJTSR = New Jersey Trade Secret Registry.