



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

Product Name: **Emerald Isle Solutions Nutri-Rational TrueFoliar Ca 8-0-4**

Recommended use

This product is a concentrated aqueous liquid fertilizer for landscape use.

**Supplier/Manufacturer**

Lebanon Seaboard Corporation  
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Lebanon PA 17042  
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(717-273-0685)

Supplier Email: customerservice@lebsea.com

Emergency telephone numbers

Chemtrec (Spill) 1-800-424-9300

Prosar (Health) 888-208-1368

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Acute Oral Toxicity - Category 4  
Skin corrosion/irritation - Category 3  
Eye Irritation - Category 2A

**Signal Word:** Warning

**Hazard Statements:**

H319 Category 2A: Causes serious eye irritation (Calcium nitrate solution)  
H302 Category 4: Harmful if swallowed.  
H361 Category 2: Suspected of damaging fertility or unborn child by ingestion at high doses. (disodium octaborate)  
May irritate the digestive tract if ingested.  
Obtain special instructions before use.  
Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, and face protection.

Pictograms:



**Precautionary Statements for handling:** See also Section 7.

- P201: Obtain special instructions before use.
  - P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
  - P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
  - P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
  - P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
  - P281: Use personal protective equipment as required.
  - P301, P310, P330: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth and immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
  - P308: If exposed or concerned, seek medical advice.
  - P337, P351: In case of eye contact, Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. If eye irritation persists: seek medical attention.
  - P405: Store locked up.
- Keep out of reach of children.

**Precautionary Statements for disposal** - Dispose in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations.

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC):** None

Unknown acute toxicity                      0% of the mixture consists of ingredients of unknown toxicity

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight %
Calcium nitrate (in solution)	15842-29-2	27
EDTA tetrapotassium salt	5964-35-2	4.05
Potassium nitrate (in solution)	7757-79-1	3.9
Fulvic Acid	479-66-3	2.3
Glycine (amino acid)	56-40-6	2.03
Urea	57-13-6	1.69
Disodium octaborate tetrahydrate	12008-41-2	0.61
Sodium metasilicate	6834-92-0	0.5
Potassium sorbate	24634-61-5	0.1
Water	7732-18-5	Balance

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact	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/attention.
Skin Contact	Wash with soap and water. If injury occurs, or if discomfort or irritation occurs, contact a physician.
Inhalation	If inhaled and discomfort occurs, move to fresh air, and keep person at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If difficulty in breathing occurs and/or persists, administer oxygen and get medical attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label on hand.
Ingestion	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Drink Plenty of water. If discomfort occurs, seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting of an unconscious person.

Self-protection of the first aider: When spraying, use dust/mist mask or any appropriate personal protective equipment as required.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Symptoms: Ingestion of significant amounts of nitrate containing compounds can lead to methemoglobinemia, which is characterized by chocolate-brown colored blood, headache, weakness, dizziness, breath shortness, cyanosis (bluish skin due to deficient oxygenation of blood), rapid heart rate, unconsciousness and possible death. Mist inhalation can result in irritation with nasal discomfort; skin irritation possible, but not likely with normal use dilutions.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: Treat Symptoms. Large oral doses of nitrates may cause dizziness, abdominal pain, vomiting, bloody diarrhea, weakness, convulsions, and collapse. May interfere with blood's capability to carry oxygen (methemoglobinemia), as evidenced by bluish color to skin and lips.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Liquid product is not a fire hazard, and will not burn. Use extinguishing media suitable to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Options in this case include water, CO<sub>2</sub>, ABC Dry Chemical extinguisher, or foam.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors. In the event of fire, do not breathe fumes.

#### Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact: None  
Sensitivity to static discharge: None

#### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and standard protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions	Use reasonable personal protective equipment as required to prevent contact with eyes or skin, and to avoid breathing mist. Goggles or face shield recommended.
Environmental precautions	Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.
Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage, if safe to do so.
Methods for clean-up	Use reasonable personal protective equipment as required. Soak up excess with inert absorbent material, or take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Avoid creating mist. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Safe Handling	Obtain special instructions before use. Use personal protective equipment during use as required to prevent contact with eyes or skin, and to avoid breathing mist. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Storage Conditions	Store locked up. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children.
Incompatible materials	Avoid strong acids or alkali, or other reactive substances.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH*
Calcium nitrate	None established	None established	-
Potassium nitrate	None established	None established	-
Disodium octaborate tetrahydrate	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	15 mg/ m <sup>3</sup> total dust 5 mg/ m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust	None established

\*IDLH refers to amounts that are "Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health"

Engineering controls: Avoid creating fine, inhalable mists during application.

### Individual protection measures

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, and face protection.

Eye protection	Safety glasses, or goggles if eye contact with concentrated product or diluted mist is likely.
Skin and Body Protection	Gloves and normal work coveralls recommended.
Respiratory Protection	Dust/mist mask recommended for misty conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

## General Hygiene

When using product, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Solution
Color	Mixed, various
Odor	Slight
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH	6.4
Melting point/freezing point	No information available
Boiling point / boiling range	No information available
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	No information available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Will not burn
Flammability Limit in Air	
Upper flammability limit:	Will not burn
Lower flammability limit:	Will not burn
Vapor pressure	Similar to water
Vapor density	No information available
Specific Gravity	1.398
Water solubility	Fully soluble in water
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	Will not burn
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

No data available

#### Chemical stability

Stable.

#### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

May release heat and fumes when mixed in solution with incompatible reactive materials.

#### Hazardous polymerization

Will not occur.

#### Conditions to avoid

None known

#### Incompatible materials

Strong acids or alkali, or other reactive substances.

#### Hazardous Decomposition Products

May emit toxic fumes under fire conditions, such as Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Ammonia, Oxides of sulfur, Hydrogen chloride and Carbon monoxide.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Routes of exposure: Ingestion, eyes (contact), skin (contact), mist inhalation

Symptoms	May irritate the digestive tract if ingested in quantity, causing nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Large oral doses of nitrates may cause dizziness, abdominal pain, vomiting, bloody diarrhea, weakness, convulsions, and collapse. May interfere with blood's capability to carry oxygen (methemoglobinemia), as evidenced by bluish color to skin and lips.
Sensitization	May cause skin sensitization with repeated exposure (potassium sorbate).
Germ cell mutagenicity	Potassium Sorbate induced chromosome aberrations in cultured Chinese hamster cells. Cytogenetic Analysis (Hamster-Lung) 10 gm/L; Cytogenetic Analysis (Hamster-Fibroblast) 4 gm/L/48 hours; Sister Chromatid Exchange (Hamster Lung) 10 gm/L. Note, however, that potassium sorbate is often used as an approved food preservative.
Carcinogenicity	Not carcinogenic.
Reproductive toxicity	No information available
STOT - single exposure	No information available
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available
Chronic toxicity	No information available
Target Organ Effects	No information available
Aspiration hazard	No information available

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Fertilizers may be harmful to aquatic life with short term effects, causing algal bloom and increased BOD, depending on the amount released.

This product contains boron. Although boron is an essential micronutrient for healthy growth of boron-sensitive plants, it can be harmful to plants in higher quantities. This product is a concentrated plant food intended for dilution before use.

Persistence and degradability	No information available
Bioaccumulation	No information available
Other adverse effects	No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

This material, as supplied is not a hazardous waste according to federal regulations (40 CFR 261).

### Disposal of wastes:

- This product is a non-hazardous waste material suitable for approved solid waste landfills.
- No EPA Waste Numbers are applicable for this product's components.
- Dispose of in accordance with Local, State, and Federal regulations.

### Contaminated packaging

No US Federal special packaging considerations at the date of this document. Follow local regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Description: None

This product is not a hazardous material and is not regulated by the United States Department of Transportation (D.O.T).

**IMDG:** Not a dangerous good.

**ICAO/IATA:** Not a dangerous good.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**A: General Product Information** This product is not federally regulated as a hazardous material.

All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

**B: Component Analysis**

This material contains one or more of the following chemicals required to be identified under SARA Section 302 (40 CFR 355 Appendix A), SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65) and/or CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4):

**Calcium nitrate (15842-29-2)** SARA 313:

- 1 % *de minimis* concentration (Chemical Category N511) (related to Water Dissociable Nitrate Compounds)

**Potassium nitrate (7757-79-1)** SARA 313:

- 1% *de minimis* concentration (Chemical Category N511) (related to Water Dissociable Nitrate Compounds)

**Clean Air Act:** No information is available.

**Clean Water Act:** No information is available.

**State Regulations – General:** This product is not regulated by any State as a hazardous material.

**Component Analysis – State** The following components appear on one or more of the following state hazardous substances lists:

Component	CAS#	CA	MA	MN	NJ	PA	RI
Calcium Nitrate	15842-29-2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Potassium Nitrate	7757-79-1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Other state regulations may apply. Check individual state requirements.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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