

Safety data sheet

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1. Substance/preparation and manufacturer/supplier identification

Product name:
Lutavit® E 50

Use: feed additive(s)

Manufacturer/supplier:
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NEW ZEALAND
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Emergency information:
National Poisons Centre: 0800 764 766
BASF Emergency Advice Number: 0800 944 955 (24 hour advice in an emergency only)
BASF Emergency Advice Number: +61 3 8855 6666 (If calling from outside New Zealand)

2. Hazard identification

Classification of the substance and mixture:
No need for classification according to GHS criteria for this product.

Label elements and precautionary statement:

The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with GHS criteria.

Other hazards which do not result in classification:
| The product is under certain conditions capable of dust explosion.

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3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical nature

Substance nature: mixture

Preparation based on:
Vitamin E Acetate (Content (W/W): ≥ 50 %), Silica

No particular hazards known.

4. First-Aid Measures

General advice:
Remove contaminated clothing.

If inhaled:
Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air.

On skin contact:
Wash thoroughly with soap and water

On contact with eyes:
Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open.

On ingestion:
Rinse mouth and then drink 200-300 ml of water.

Note to physician:
Symptoms: (Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far
Treatment: Symptomatic treatment (decontamination, vital functions).

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media:
water spray, foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:
water jet

Additional information:
Avoid whirling up the material/product because of the danger of dust explosion.

Specific hazards:
harmful vapours, carbon oxides
Evolution of fumes/fog. The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire. Dust explosion hazard.

Special protective equipment:
Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.

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Further information:

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.
Cool endangered containers with water-spray.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions:

Use personal protective clothing. Information regarding personal protective measures, see section 8. Avoid dust formation.

Environmental precautions:

Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Methods for cleaning up or taking up:

For small amounts: Contain with dust binding material and dispose of.

For large amounts: Sweep/shovel up.

Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations. Avoid raising dust.

Additional information: Dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Avoid dust formation. Avoid whirling up the material/product because of the danger of dust explosion. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame.

Storage

Suitable materials for containers: High density polyethylene (HDPE), Low density polyethylene (LDPE), Polypropylene (PP)

Further information on storage conditions: Keep container tightly closed and dry; store in a cool place.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Components with occupational exposure limits

| Silicon dioxide, 7631-86-9;

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TWA value 10 mg/m³ (OEL (NZ))
 TWA value 10 mg/m³ (ACGIHTLV), Inhalable particles
 TWA value 3 mg/m³ (ACGIHTLV), Respirable particles
 TWA value 10 mg/m³ (OEL (NZ)), Inhalable dust
 TWA value 3 mg/m³ (OEL (NZ)), Respirable dust

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Breathing protection if dusts are formed. Particle filter with low efficiency for solid particles (e.g. EN 143 or 149, Type P1 or FFP1)

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves (EN ISO 374-1)

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields (frame goggles) (e.g. EN 166)

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen based on level of activity and exposure.

General safety and hygiene measures:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. No eating, drinking, smoking or tobacco use at the place of work. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. Store work clothing separately.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: powder
 Colour: white to off-white
 Odour: almost odourless
 Odour threshold: not determined

pH value:
 insoluble

Melting point:
 not relevant

Boiling point:
 not applicable

Flash point:
 not applicable, the product is a solid

Evaporation rate:
 negligible

Flammability (solid/gas): not highly flammable (Directive 92/69/EEC, A.10)

Lower explosion limit:
 For solids not relevant for
 classification and labelling.

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Upper explosion limit:	For solids not relevant for classification and labelling.	
Thermal decomposition:	$\geq 175\text{ °C}$	(DSC (DIN 51007))
Self heating ability:	It is not a substance capable of spontaneous heating according to UN transport regulations class 4.2.	(UN Test N.4 (self heating substances))
SADT:	$> 75\text{ °C}$	
Minimum ignition energy:	Heat accumulation / Dewar 500 ml (SADT, UN-Test H.4, 28.4.4) 1 - 3 mJ (20 °C) Inductivity: 1 mH Grain size distribution: $< 63\text{ }\mu\text{m}$ The product is capable of dust explosion.	(VDI 2263, sheet 1, 2.5)
Explosion hazard:	Product is not explosive, however a dust explosion could result from an air / dust mixture.	
Fire promoting properties:	Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.	
Vapour pressure:	not applicable	
Density:	No information is available for the absolute density. Instead the bulk density was determined as a more relevant value.	
Bulk density:	approx. 450 - 600 kg/m ³	
Relative vapour density (air):	The product is a non-volatile solid.	
Solubility in water:	insoluble	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	not applicable for mixtures	
Viscosity, dynamic:	not applicable, the product is a solid	
Viscosity, kinematic:	not applicable, the product is a solid	

10. Stability and Reactivity

Conditions to avoid:
Avoid dust formation. Avoid electro-static charge. See SDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

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Substances to avoid:
Alkalines, atmospheric moisture

Corrosion to metals: Corrosive effects to metal are not anticipated.

Hazardous reactions:
Dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

Hazardous decomposition products:
No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Chemical stability:
The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Reactivity:
No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

11. Toxicological Information

Routes of exposure

Assessment of acute toxicity

Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Acute oral toxicity

Experimental/calculated data:
LD50 rat (oral): > 10,000 mg/kg (BASF-Test)

Information on: Silicon dioxide

Acute oral toxicity

Experimental/calculated data:
LD50 rat (oral): > 5,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 401)

Symptoms

(Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far

Irritation

Assessment of irritating effects:
Not irritating to the eyes. Not irritating to the skin. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate
Experimental/calculated data:
Skin corrosion/irritation rabbit: non-irritant (OECD Guideline 404)

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Experimental/calculated data:
Serious eye damage/irritation rabbit: non-irritant (OECD Guideline 405)

Respiratory/Skin sensitization

Assessment of sensitization:
Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate
Assessment of sensitization:
Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Information on: Silicon dioxide
Assessment of sensitization:
Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment of mutagenicity:
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate
Assessment of mutagenicity:
No mutagenic effect was found in various tests with bacteria and mammals.

Information on: Silicon dioxide
Assessment of mutagenicity:
The substance was not mutagenic in bacteria. The substance was not mutagenic in a test with mammals.

Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity:
In long-term animal studies in which the substance was given in high doses by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate
Assessment of carcinogenicity:
In long-term animal studies in which the substance was given in high doses by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed.

Information on: Silicon dioxide
Assessment of carcinogenicity:
Not classified, due to lack of data.

Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity:
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate
Assessment of reproduction toxicity:
The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

Information on: Silicon dioxide
Assessment of reproduction toxicity:
Not classified, due to lack of data.

Developmental toxicity

Assessment of teratogenicity:
Based on the ingredients, there is no suspicion of a teratogenic effect.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate
Assessment of teratogenicity:
No indications of a developmental toxic / teratogenic effect were seen in animal studies.

Information on: Silicon dioxide
Assessment of teratogenicity:
Not classified, due to lack of data.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Repeated dose toxicity and Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate
Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:
Repeated oral uptake of the substance did not cause substance-related effects.

Information on: Silicon dioxide
Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:
Not classified, due to lack of data.

Aspiration hazard

No aspiration hazard expected.

Other relevant toxicity information

The product has not been tested. The statements on toxicology have been derived from the properties of the individual components.

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Toxicity to fish:

LC50 (96 h) > 11 mg/l, *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (OECD Guideline 203, static)

The statement of the toxic effect relates to the analytically determined concentration. No toxic effects occur within the range of solubility.

Information on: Silicon dioxide

Toxicity to fish:

LC50 (96 h) > 10,000 mg/l, *Brachydanio rerio* (OECD 203; ISO 7346; 84/449/EEC, C.1)

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Aquatic invertebrates:

EC50 (48 h) > 20.6 mg/l, *Daphnia magna* (OECD Guideline 202, part 1, static)

The statement of the toxic effect relates to the analytically determined concentration. No toxic effects occur within the range of solubility.

Information on: Silicon dioxide

Aquatic invertebrates:

EC50 (24 h) > 1,000 mg/l, *Daphnia magna* (OECD Guideline 202, part 1)

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Microorganisms/Effect on activated sludge:

EC20 (30 min) > 927 mg/l, activated sludge, domestic (DIN EN ISO 8192, aquatic)

The details of the toxic effect relate to the nominal concentration.

Information on: Silicon dioxide

Microorganisms/Effect on activated sludge:

EC50 (3 h) > 2,500 mg/l (OECD Guideline 209)

Mobility

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

Adsorption to solid soil phase is expected.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

The substance will slowly evaporate into the atmosphere from the water surface.

Adsorption to solid soil phase is expected.

Information on: Silicon dioxide

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

Study scientifically not justified.

Persistence and degradability

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H₂O):

The product is not very soluble in water and can thus be removed from water mechanically in suitable effluent treatment plants.

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Information on: Silicon dioxide

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H₂O):

Inorganic product which cannot be eliminated from water by biological purification processes.

Bioaccumulation potential

Information on: Vitamin E Acetate

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

Accumulation in organisms is not to be expected.

Information on: Silicon dioxide

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

The product will not be readily bioavailable due to its consistency and insolubility in water.

Additional information

Add. remarks environm. fate & pathway:

The product has not been tested. The statements on environmental fate and pathway have been derived from the properties of the individual components.

13. Disposal Considerations

Observe national and local legal requirements.

Contaminated packaging:

Uncontaminated packaging can be re-used.

Packs that cannot be cleaned should be disposed of in the same manner as the contents.

14. Transport Information

Domestic transport:

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number or ID number	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	None known

Sea transport

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IMDG

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UN number or ID number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	None known

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number or ID number	Not applicable
Proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	None known

15. Regulatory Information**Other regulations**

If other regulatory information applies that is not already provided elsewhere in this safety data sheet, then it is described in this subsection.

A certified handler is not required for the handling of this substance.
Tracking requirements do not apply to this substance.

16. Other Information

Any other intended applications should be discussed with the manufacturer. Corresponding occupational protection measurements must be followed.

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