

Earnest Agriculture, Inc.

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Earnest Earth Compost

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SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name: Earnest Earth Compost

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses: Compost.

Uses advised against: All other uses.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

This product is classified as non-hazardous according to OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

2.2 Label elements

This product does not require specific labelling according to OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

2.3 Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product does not contain hazardous chemicals according to the OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Ingredients:

Name	CAS No.	GHS classification	% (w/v)
Compost	-	Not classified.	100

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Following inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Following skin contact: Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur

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Following eye contact: Thorough rinsing for 15-20 minutes of the affected eye with water is recommended. If discomfort or irritation persists, contact a physician.

Following ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Protection of first aider: No data available.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects

Symptoms: The known symptoms and effects are described in section 2.2 of this SDS.

Risks: Untreated symptoms may result in additional health risks.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical and special treatment

The physician may contact the national poison center for advice.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Dry chemical, CO₂, water spray or alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: No data available.

5.2 Specific hazards arising from mixture

No specific data.

5.3 Advice for fire fighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

5.4 Other information

No other information available.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

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. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment. If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

6.2 Environmental precautions

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).

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Move containers from spill area. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a designated, labelled waste container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions: Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabelled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

Incompatible materials: See section 10.

7.3 Specific end uses

See section 1.2.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

None.

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering controls:

Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.

Personal Protective equipment:

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<u>Hand:</u>	Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.
<u>Body protection:</u>	Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.
<u>Eye:</u>	Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: safety glasses with side-shields.
<u>Respiratory:</u>	Use a properly fitted, particulate filter respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. 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.
<u>Other measures:</u>	No statement available.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Solid
Color:	Dark brown
Odor:	Earthy odor
Odor threshold:	No data available
pH:	6.0 – 6.5
Melting point/range:	No data available
Boiling point/range:	No data available
Flash point:	No data available
Evaporation rate:	No data available
Flammability:	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	No data available
Vapor pressure:	No data available
Vapor density:	No data available
Relative Density:	No data available
Solubility(ies):	No data available
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	No data available
Viscosity:	No data available
Explosive properties:	No data available
Oxidizing properties:	No data available

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.

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10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available.

10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In case of fire: see section 5.2

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION
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General information:

This product does not contain known human carcinogens.

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Serious eye damage/irritation:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Respiratory or skin sensitization:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Germ cell mutagenicity:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Carcinogenicity:

This product does not contain known human carcinogens.

Reproductive toxicity:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

STOT – single exposure:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

STOT – repeated exposure:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Aspiration hazard:

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No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Likely route(s) of exposure:

Skin exposure and eye exposure are the most likely to occur. Accidental ingestion is also possible.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General information:

No statements available for any of the ingredients

12.1 Toxicity

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Physical- and photochemical elimination:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Biodegradation:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Known/Predicted environmental distribution:

No statements available for any of the ingredients

Surface tension:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Adsorption/Desorption:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product does not contain components which are considered to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product:

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts

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261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

Waste material:

Dispose according to Federal, State, Provincial and Local regulations.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipping description(s) stated herein were prepared in accordance with certain assumptions at the time the SDS was authored and can vary based on a number of variables that may or may not have been known at the time the SDS was issued.

14.1. In Accordance with DOT Not regulated as a dangerous material

14.2. In Accordance with IMDG Not regulated as a hazardous good

14.3. In Accordance with IATA Not regulated as a hazardous good

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA: Complies

DSL: No components are listed either on the DSL or NDSL.

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List.

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313: Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard: No

Chronic Health Hazard: No

Fire hazard: No

Sudden release of pressure hazard: No

Reactive Hazard: No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

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WHMIS Hazard Class

Not determined.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

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