# **Safety Data Sheet**



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1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier:** 

Product Name: Peters Professional® 17-3-17 Peat-Lite® Neutral Cal-Mag

Product Number(s): G99230 Formula No.: S12895

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restrictions on Use:

Description: Water Soluble Fertilizer

Company: 24-HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

 Everris NA Inc.
 CHEMTREC (U.S.): 1-800-424-9300

 P.O. Box 3310
 CHEMTREC (International): 1-703-527-3887

 Dublin, OH 43016
 Non-Emergency Calls: 1-800-492-8255

2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

OSHA Regulatory Status: This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication

Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Serious Eye Damage or Eye Irritation Category 1

**Label Elements:** 

**Emergency Overview** 

### Danger

#### Hazard Statements:

Causes serious eye damage



Appearance: Prills, Crystals Physical State: Solid Odor: Fertilizer

## **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

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#### Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC):

## Other Information:

• MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	CAS-No	Weight %	Trade Secret
Potassium Nitrate; KNO3	7757-79-1	30-60	*
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate	15245-12-2	20-30	*
Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3	6484-52-2	10-20	*
Magnesium nitrate hexahydrate; Mg(NO3)2+6H2O	13446-18-9	10-15	*
Citric acid; C6H8O7	77-92-9	1-5	*
Copper-EDTA; Cu-EDTA	14025-15-1	0.1-0.5	*
Boric Acid; H3BO3	10043-35-3	0.1-0.5	*

<sup>\*</sup> The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

## 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

**First Aid Measures:** 

Eye Contact: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact

lenses, if present after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control

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center or doctor for treatment advice.

**Skin Contact:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20

minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

**Inhalation:** Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give

artificial respiration, preferabley by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center

or doctor for further treatment advice.

**Ingestion:** Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a

glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so be a poison

control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed:

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Water.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media:** Dry powder. Sand. Foam.

**Specific hazards:** Dust at sufficient concentrations may form explosive mixtures with air.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapours.

**Explosion Data:** 

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact:** 

no data available.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge:

no data available.

**Special Protective Equipment for** 

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

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Firefighters:

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

**Personal Precautions:** Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wear personal protective

equipment.

**Environmental Precautions:** Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and Material for Containment and Cleanup:

Methods for containment: **Methods for Cleanup:** 

Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a disposal container.

Take up mechanically and collect in suitable container for disposal.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling:**

Handling: Avoid inhalation or contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid container breakage.

# Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities:

Storage: Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control Parameters:**

**Exposure Guidelines:** 

Ingredients	CAS-No	ACGIH:	OSHA:	IDLH:
Potassium Nitrate; KNO3	7757-79-1	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate	15245-12-2	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3	6484-52-2	N.A.	N.A.	Not Listed
Magnesium nitrate hexahydrate; Mg(NO3)2+6H2O	13446-18-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Citric acid; C6H8O7	77-92-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Copper-EDTA; Cu-EDTA	14025-15-1	1 mg/m³ TWA	Not Listed	100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> IDLH Cu
Boric Acid; H3BO3	10043-35-3	2 mg/m³ TWA	Not Listed	Not Listed

## **Appropriate Engineering Controls:**

**Engineering Measures to Reduce Exposure:** 

Use adequate ventilation to keep the airborne concentrations of this material below the

recommended exposure standard.

Individual Protection Measures, Such as Personal Protective Equipment:

Safety glasses with side shields or goggles. **Eye/Face Protection:** 

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**Skin and Body Protection:** Wear suitable protective clothing. If skin irritation occurs, use natural rubber gloves, durable

cloth or impervious rubber gloves if contact with product is possible.

**Appearance:** Prills, Crystals

Remarks: • Method

Odor Threshold: No information available

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Respiratory Protection: When airborne exposure guidelines and/or comfort levels may be exceeded, use an

approved air-purifying respirator.

General hygiene considerations: Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## **Physical and Chemical Properties:**

Physical State: Solid Color: blue

Odor: Fertilizer

Property Values

PH:

Mo information available
No information available
Plash Point:
No information available
No information available
No information available

Flammability Limits in Air:

**Upper Flammability Limit:** No information available **Lower Flammability Limit:** No information available Vapor Pressure: No information available Vapor Density: No information available Specific Gravity: No information available Solubility: Highly soluble (>80%) Solubility in other Solvents: No information available **Partition Coefficient:** No information available **Autoignition Temperature:** No information available **Decomposition Temperature:** No information available **Kinematic Viscosity:** No information available **Dynamic Viscosity:** No information available **Explosive Properties:** No information available Not considered an oxidizer **Oxidizing Properties:** 

Other Information:

Softening Point:

Molecular Weight:

VOC Content (%):

Density:

No information available
No information available
No information available

Bulk density: 55-75 lbs/cu.ft.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Stable under normal conditions

Chemically Stable: yes.

<u>Conditions to Avoid:</u> Extreme heat. Dust may form explosive mixture in air. Contact with strong alkalies,

oxidizers, and reducing agents. Contact with fuels and other organic or combustible materials. Active metals such as aluminum, magnesium, and chlorine compounds.

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Materials to avoid Strong acids, bases, oxidizers, and reducing agents. Avoid contact with other chemicals.

Fuels. Heavy metal salts.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products:** 

Combustion may produce irritating gases and vapors. Toxic metal oxides may be produced.

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Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Poses little or no immediate hazard.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on the Likely Routes of Exposure (inhalation, ingestion, skin and eye contact):

**General information:** Chronic exposure to nitrates may cause weakness, depression, headache, blood changes

(anemia and methemoglobinemia), and kidney injury (nephritis)

Eye effects: Causes serious eye damage

**Skin effects:** May cause skin irritation

Ingestion: Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

**Inhalation:** May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

**Component Information:** 

Component information.			
Ingredients	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Potassium Nitrate; KNO3 7757-79-1	= 3015 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg	> 527 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate 15245-12-2	= 500 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3 6484-52-2	= 2217 mg/kg (Rat)	-	> 88.8 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Boric Acid; H3BO3 10043-35-3	= 2660 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	> 0.16 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

#### Information on Toxicological Effects:

### Delayed and Immediate Effects as well as Chronic Effects from Short and Long-Term Exposure:

Sensitization: May cause sensitization of susceptible persons

Mutagenic effects No information available.

<u>Carcinogenicity:</u> The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Ingredients	ACGIH - Carcinogens	IARC:	NTP Report on Carcinogens List -	OSHA
Boric Acid; H3BO3 10043-35-3	A4	-	-	-

Reproductive Toxicity
STOT - Single Exposure
STOT - Repeated Exposure
Aspiration Hazard
No information available.
No information available.
No information available.

#### **Numerical Measures of Toxicity - Product Information:**

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document: .

ATEmix (oral): 29704 mg/kg

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### **Ecotoxicity:**

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**Unknown Aquatic Toxicity:** 5.74% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic

environment

**Ecotoxicity effects:** May be toxic to aquatic organisms.

Persistence and degradability: Degrades slowly.

Ingredients	LOGPOW
Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3 6484-52-2	-3.1
Citric acid; C6H8O7 77-92-9	-1.72
Boric Acid; H3BO3 10043-35-3	-0.757

Mobility: Water contaminating.

Additional ecological information: Contains Molybdenum (Mo). The application of materials containing Molybdenum (Mo)

may result in forage crops containing levels of Molybdenum (Mo) which are toxic to ruminant animals. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of

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wastes. Do not apply directly to lakes, streams, or ponds.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste Treatment Methods:** 

Disposal of Wastes: Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated Packaging: Do not reuse container.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The description shown may not apply to all situations. Consult 49 CFR, or appropriate dangerous goods regulations for additional description requirements (e.g. technical name) and mode-specific or quantity-specific shipping requirements.

DOT (Land)

IATA (Air)

IMO/IMDG (Vessel)

Not regulated

Not regulated

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### 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

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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

Ingredients	CERCLA/SARA 313	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Ammonium Nitrate; NH4NO3 6484-52-2	Not listed	-	

## State Regulations (RTK):

#### California Proposition 65:

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations:

#### **U.S. EPA Label information:**

# **EPA Pesticide Registration Number:**

not applicable

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA: Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1

HMIS: Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1

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**Revision Note:** 

Reason for revision: None

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