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### **SECTION 1 – PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name/Trade Name(s): MICRONA™ Prill - Lime, MICRONA™ Pro – Lime,

MICRONA™ Greens - Lime

Manufacturer or Supplier's Details:

Company name of supplier: Columbia River Carbonates

Address: 300 N. Pekin Road,

Woodland, WA 98674

Telephone: (360) 225-6505

Emergency Phone: (360) 225-6505

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use:

Recommended Use: Agricultural soil amendment

Restrictions on use: For agricultural use only

### **SECTION 2 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### **GHS Classification**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture

#### **GHS Label elements**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture

#### **Potential Health Effects**

Carcinogenicity:

IARC No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC

NTP The NTP's Report on Carcinogens lists crystalline silica (respirable size) as a known human

carcinogen.

### **SECTION 3 – COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance/Mixture: Mixture

# **Hazardous ingredients**

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Typical composition (%)	
Limestone	1317-65-3	88-96%	
Proprietary Binder		2-6%	

Raw materials in this product contain respirable crystalline silica as an impurity. The weight percent of respirable crystalline silica found in this product is < 0.1%. Exposures to respirable crystalline silica during the normal use of this product should be determined by workplace hygiene testing.

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#### **SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES**

**If inhaled:** Dust may irritate the nose, throat, and respiratory tract by mechanical abrasion.

Coughing, sneezing, and shortness of breath may occur following exposures in excess

of appropriate exposure limits.

Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of dust.

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**In case of skin contact:** Direct contact may cause irritation by mechanical abrasion.

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

**In case of eye contact:**Direct contact with dust may cause irritation by mechanical abrasion. Do not rub eye.

Flush eye thoroughly with water. Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

Remove contact lenses.

If irritation occurs, get medical assistance.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth thoroughly with water and drink afterwards plenty of water to dilute material

in stomach.

Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute

and delayed:

None known

## **SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Flash Point: Non-Flammable

Suitable and unsuitable extinguishing

media:

This material is not combustible. Appropriate extinguishing media for

surrounding fire should be used.

**Hazardous combustion products:** No hazardous combustion products are known.

Special protective equipment and precautions

for fire fighters:

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

#### **SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency

procedures:

Measures should be taken to minimize and protect against airborne dust during cleanup operations, including use of respiratory protective equipment

if necessary.

**Environmental precautions:** No special environmental precautions required.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Sweep up and shovel.

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### **SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Advice on protection against

fire and explosion:

Avoid dust formation.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

**Advice on Safe Handling:** For personal protection see section 8.

No special handling advice required.

**Conditions for safe storage:** Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

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Materials to avoid: Do not store near acids.

Further information on storage No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Stability:

## SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients	CAS#	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Ground Calcium Carbonate	1317-65-3	TWA (Total Dust)	15 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (respirable fraction)	5 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
Silica, crystalline (quartz)	14808-60-7	TWA (respirable fraction)	0.05 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (respirable fraction)	0.05 mg/m3	NIOSH REL
		TWA (respirable fraction)	0.025 mg/m3	ACGIH
		TWA (respirable fraction)	0.1 mg/m3	OSHA P0
		TWA (respirable fraction)	10 mg/m3 / %SiO2 + 2	OSHA Z-3
		TWA (respirable fraction)	250 mppcf / %SiO2 + 5	OSHA Z-3

**Appropriate Engineering** 

**Controls:** 

Use with adequate ventilation to reduce dust exposure

**Respiratory Protection:** When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use

appropriate certified respirators.

**Hand protection remarks:** For prolonged or repeated contact, use protective gloves.

**Eye protection:** Safety Glasses

Skin and body protection: Protective suit

**Hygiene measures:** General industrial hygiene practice

## **SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance:PelletsColor:BrownOdor:WoodyOdor Threshold:Not relevant

**pH**: 8-9

Melting Point: Not Applicable

Freezing Point: Not applicable. Product is a solid

Boiling Point: Decomposition: Decomposes below the boiling point

Flash Point:

Plash Point:

Does not flash
Non-flammable

Evaporation Rate:

Vapor Pressure:

Vapor Density:

Does not flash
Non-flammable
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not applicable

Specific Gravity:

(Relative Density):2.6-2.8 g/mlViscosity:Not applicableSolubility in Water:0.014 g/L @ 20°CPartition coefficient: n-Not applicable

octanol/water:

Auto-ignition Temperature: Not applicable

Thermal Decomposition: 825°C
Upper explosion limit: Not explosive

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Lower explosion limit: Not explosive

SECTION 10 – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Chemical Stability:** Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

No decomposition if used as directed.

Reacts with acids and liberates carbon dioxide. This displaces oxygen

in the air in closed spaces (danger of suffocation).

Conditions to Avoid: No data available

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Thermal decomposition can produce calcium oxide and carbon dioxide.

**SECTION 11 – TOXILOGICAL INFORMATION** 

Information on likely routes of exposure:

**Inhalation:** Dust in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system. Frequent

inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing

pneumoconiosis.

**Eye Contact:** May cause irritation due to mechanical abrasion.

**Skin Contact**: Prolonged contact may cause dryness of the skin.

**Ingestion:** May cause irritation. Not an expected route of exposure.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics:

Symptoms: Unknown

Acute toxicity: Not expected to be a hazard under normal conditions of intended use.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short- and long-term exposure:

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Prolonged contact may cause dryness of the skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Slightly irritating due to mechanical abrasion

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Dust in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system. Frequent

inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing

pneumoconiosis.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available

Carcinogenicity No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1%

is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC

Reproductive toxicity: No data available

STOT-repeated exposure: Not classified

**Aspiration hazard:** Due to the physical form of the product it is not an aspiration hazard.

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**Chronic effects:** Pre-existing skin and respiratory conditions including dermatitis, asthma and

chronic lung disease might be aggravated by exposure. Occupational exposure

to respirable dust should be monitored and controlled.

**SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION** 

**Ecotoxicity** The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does

not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on

the environment.

**Toxicity to fish:** LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 10,000 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other: ED50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): >1,000 mg/l

**aquatic invertebrates** Exposure time: 48 h

Toxicity to algae: ED50 (Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae)): >200 mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

Bioaccumulative potential: Bioaccumulation is not expected

Other adverse effects: None expected

**SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS** 

From a waste perspective, this product is not considered hazardous and may be disposed of as solid waste in accordance with applicable federal, state, provincial, and local regulations.

## **SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

International Regulation

Transport in Bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**Domestic regulation** 

Not a DOT hazardous material. Local regulations may apply.

**SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION** 

OSHA Hazards: No OSHA hazards

**EPCRA – Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know** 

**CERCLA Reportable Quantity** 

This material does not contain any components with a CRCLA RQ.

SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ

SARA 311/312 Hazards:

No SARA Hazards

**SARA 302:** 

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302

**SARA 313:** 

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis)

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reporting levels established by SARA Title III< Section 313.

#### Clean Air Act:

This product neither contains, nor was manufactured with a Class I or Class II ODS as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 602 (40 CFR 82, Subpt. A, APP. A+B).

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).

This Product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112(r) for Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130, Subpart F)

This product does not contain any chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 111 SOCMI Intermediate or Final VOC's (40 CFR 60.489)

### **Clean Water Act:**

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act, Section 311, Table 117.3

This Product does not contain any toxic pollutants listed under the U.S. Clean Water Act Section 307

## California Proposition 65:



**WARNING**: This product can expose you to chemicals including crystalline silica, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov">www.P65Warnings.ca.gov</a>.

## TSCA:

This product primarily is natural calcium carbonate from limestone ore which is listed on the U.S. EPA TSCA inventory under Limestone, CAS# 1317-65-3. In addition, all other ingredients and/or processing aids are also on the TSCA inventory.

#### DSL:

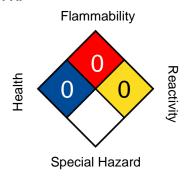
By virtue of its status as a "substance occurring in nature", ground limestone is considered to be on the Canadian Domestic Substances List. In addition, all other ingredients and/or processing aids are also on the DSL.

#### CONEG:

Being derived from limestone ore, this product may contain incidental trace levels of naturally occurring metals. However, no metals are intentionally added and this product complies with the CONEG requirement of <100 ppm of Cd, Cr<sup>+6</sup>, Pb, and Hg.

# **SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION**

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