# Material Safety Data Sheet January 1, 2002

Chemical Name	Silicic acid, Potassium salt

Formula .....: Mixture Potassium Silicate solution

Trade Name/Synonym . . . . : Dyna-Gro Pro-TeKt

## Section 1: Manufacturer or Supplier

Dyna-Gro Nutrition Solutions, 1065 Broadway, San Pablo, CA 94806, (800) 396-2476 or (510) 233-0254

## **Section 2: Hazardous Ingredients**

Contains no hazardous mixtures

# Section 3: Physical Data & Ingredients

Physical State at STP : Liquid	pH : 10.5
Specific Gravity : 1.2	Solubility in Water : Miscible
Melting Point 32.0 F	Evaporation Rate : N/A
Appearance & Odor : Clear Odorless Liquid	

### Section 4: Fire, Explosion & Reactivity Hazard Data

Flash Point	.: Non Flammable	
Extinguishing Media to Use	.: Dry Chemicals, CO <sub>2</sub> , Water or Water Base Foam	
	: Wear protective clothing & breathing unit	
Unusual Fire & Explosion Risk None		
Incompatibility	. : Gels when mixed with acid	
Hazardous Decomposition Products : Hydrogen Gas		
Conditions to Avoid	. : May produce flammable Hydrogen gas on prolonged contact with	
	certain metals (aluminum, tin, lead, and zinc).	

#### Section 5: Health Hazard Data

Effects of Over-Exposure: Prolonged contact with skin may cause itching or burning. Contact with eyes may cause pain, redness and tearing. Inhalation may cause a burning pain in nose and throat. If swallowed, may cause irritation to the esophagus and stomach.

Health Effects or Risks from Exposure:

Acute: Irritation to skin mucus membranes

Chronic: No known chronic hazards. Not listed by OSHA as a carcinogen.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: Asthma and lung diseases, skin diseases.

Emergency First Aid:

If Swallowed: Drink large amounts of water. Call a physician.

Skin Exposure: Flush with plenty of water.

Eye Exposure: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician.

If Inhaled: Remove to fresh air. Call a physician.

Section 6: Spill or Leak Procedures

#### Environmental Hazard:

High pH (alkalinity) of undiluted or unneutralized material is harmful to aquatic life. Not a listed toxic chemical under SARA Title III, Sections 302, 304 or 313.

# Spillage:

Sinks and mixes with water. Not a RCRA Hazardous waste. Neutralize with dilute acid and landfill solids according to local, state and federal regulations. Flush neutral liquid to sewer with plenty of water.

#### Waste Disposal Method:

Neutralize with dilute acid and landfill solids according to local, state and federal regulations. Flush neutral liquid to sewer with plenty of water.

# **Section 7: Special Protection Information**

Respiratory Protection . . . . . . : Self-contained breathing apparatus where concentrate spray occurs

Ventilation ...... Use with adequate ventilation

Eye Protection . . . . . : Safety goggles

Protective Gloves .....: Rubber

Other Protective Equipment . . . : Non-absorbent clothing and rubber boots.

## **Section 8: Special Precautions**

OSHA Permissible Exposure Limits or ACGIH Threshold Limit Values have not been established. Dyna-Gro recommended ceiling limit 15mg/m<sup>3</sup>.

Other Handling & Storage Conditions: Do Not Drink, get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Avoid breathing vapor. Keep in tightly closed container. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Store away from metal powders.

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