

### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture  
 Product name : BEST Nitrex 20-1-5  
 Product code : 96087

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Fertilizer

#### 1.3. Supplier

JR Simplot Company  
 P.O. Box 70013  
 Boise, ID 83707  
 T 1-208-336-2110

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS US classification

Acute toxicity (oral) Category 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed  
 Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation  
 Carcinogenicity Category 1A H350 May cause cancer

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

##### GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) : 

Signal word (GHS US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) : H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
 H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
 H350 - May cause cancer

Precautionary statements (GHS US) : P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.  
 P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
 P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.  
 P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
 P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
 P301+P312 - If swallowed: Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell  
 P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
 P308+P313 - If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
 P330 - Rinse mouth.  
 P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
 P405 - Store locked up.  
 P501 - Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation

#### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

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### SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
ammonium nitrate	(CAS-No.) 6484-52-2	20-50	Eye Irrit. 2B, H320
Iron Sucrate	(CAS-No.) 8047-67-4	.5-8	Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Carc. 2, H351
Calcium Phosphate	(CAS-No.) 7758-23-8	1-5	Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2B, H320 STOT SE 3, H335
quartz	(CAS-No.) 14808-60-7	0-1	Eye Irrit. 2B, H320 Carc. 1A, H350 STOT SE 3, H335 STOT RE 2, H373

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

### SECTION 4: First-aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash skin with plenty of water.  
First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse eyes with water as a precaution.  
First-aid measures after ingestion : Call a poison center/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

#### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

### SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam.

#### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

#### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product.  
Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

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### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wear personal protective equipment.  
Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

<b>BEST Nitrex 20-1-5</b>	
No additional information available	
<b>ammonium nitrate (6484-52-2)</b>	
No additional information available	
<b>Calcium Phosphate (7758-23-8)</b>	
No additional information available	
<b>quartz (14808-60-7)</b>	
<b>USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
Local name	Silica crystalline - quartz
ACGIH TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.025 R
Remark (ACGIH)	TLV@ Basis: Pulm fibrosis; lung cancer. Notations: A2 (Suspected Human Carcinogen)
Regulatory reference	ACGIH 2019
<b>USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
Local name	Quartz (Respirable) (Silica: Crystalline)
Remark (OSHA)	Table Z-3. For OSHA PEL (TWA): Use formulas: (250 / (%SiO <sub>2</sub> +5)) for mppcf and (10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> / (%SiO <sub>2</sub> +2)) for mg/m <sup>3</sup> . CAS No. source: eCFR Table Z-1.
Regulatory reference (US-OSHA)	OSHA Annotated Table Z-3 Mineral Dusts
<b>Iron Sucrate (8047-67-4)</b>	
No additional information available	

#### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

- Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.  
Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

#### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

##### Hand protection:

Protective gloves

##### Eye protection:

Safety glasses

##### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

##### Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

##### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



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### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Color	: Mixture contains one or more component(s) which have the following colour(s): Colourless or white Colourless-white Unpurified: grey-brown Colourless to white Commercial substance: grey-green White Pure substance: colourless to white Unpurified: grey-blue or red Colorless Black
Odor	: There may be no odour warning properties, odour is subjective and inadequate to warn of overexposure. Mixture contains one or more component(s) which have the following odour: Odourless
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: Not applicable
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: Not applicable
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Non flammable.
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Solubility	: No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: Not applicable
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

#### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Harmful if swallowed.
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified

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Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

ATE US (oral)	1311.563 mg/kg body weight
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### ammonium nitrate (6484-52-2)

LD50 oral rat	4820 mg/kg (Rat)
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LD50 dermal rabbit	> 3000 mg/kg (Rabbit)
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### Calcium Phosphate (7758-23-8)

LD50 oral rat	17500 mg/kg (Rat; Literature)
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LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit; Literature)
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : May cause cancer.

### quartz (14808-60-7)

IARC group	1 - Carcinogenic to humans
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### Iron Sucrate (8047-67-4)

IARC group	3 - Not classifiable
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Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : Not classified

### Calcium Phosphate (7758-23-8)

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure	May cause respiratory irritation.
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### quartz (14808-60-7)

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure	May cause respiratory irritation.
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Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure : Not classified

### quartz (14808-60-7)

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
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Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

### ammonium nitrate (6484-52-2)

LC50 fish 1	74 mg/l (48 h; Cyprinus carpio; Lethal)
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EC50 Daphnia 1	555 mg/l (Daphnia magna)
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LC50 fish 2	800 mg/l (3.9 h; Pisces)
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TLM fish 1	100 - 1000,96 h; Pisces
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TLM other aquatic organisms 1	100 - 1000,96 h
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Threshold limit algae 1	83 mg/l (Scenedesmus quadricauda; Growth rate)
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### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

### ammonium nitrate (6484-52-2)

Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Not established.
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<b>Calcium Phosphate (7758-23-8)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable. Not established.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable
ThOD	Not applicable
BOD (% of ThOD)	Not applicable

  

<b>quartz (14808-60-7)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable. Not established.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable
ThOD	Not applicable
BOD (% of ThOD)	Not applicable

  

<b>Iron Sucrate (8047-67-4)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

<b>ammonium nitrate (6484-52-2)</b>	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-3.1
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation: not applicable. Not established.

  

<b>Calcium Phosphate (7758-23-8)</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available. Not established.

  

<b>quartz (14808-60-7)</b>	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	Not applicable
Bioaccumulative potential	No bioaccumulation data available. Not established.

  

<b>Iron Sucrate (8047-67-4)</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Not applicable

### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Not applicable

### Transport by sea

Not applicable

### Air transport

Not applicable

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

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All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory except for:

Iron Sucrate	CAS-No. 8047-67-4	.5-8%
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#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

##### ammonium nitrate (6484-52-2)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

##### Calcium Phosphate (7758-23-8)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

##### quartz (14808-60-7)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

##### Iron Sucrate (8047-67-4)

Not listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)/NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

##### EU-Regulations

No additional information available

##### National regulations

##### quartz (14808-60-7)

Listed on IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

#### 15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

Component	State or local regulations
ammonium nitrate(6484-52-2)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List; U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List
quartz(14808-60-7)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List; U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

### SECTION 16: Other information

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Full text of H-phrases:

H301	Toxic if swallowed
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H315	Causes skin irritation
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H320	Causes eye irritation
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H350	May cause cancer
H351	Suspected of causing cancer
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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