

**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1. Product identifier**

Product name	GREENFORCE AUTUMN LF
Product number	G60092 (15kg-UK), G60093 (3kg- UK)
REACH registration notes	Exempt from REACH registration according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH)

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

Identified uses	Fertiliser
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**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Supplier	Hygeia Chemicals Limited,  Carrowmoneash, Oranmore, Co. Galway, Tel: +00353 91-794722 Fax: +00353 91-794738 Email: <a href="mailto:Services@hygeia.ie">Services@hygeia.ie</a>
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**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

Emergency telephone	UK - NHS 111  National Poisons Information Centre: (Tel: +00353 1-8379964) (Fax: + 00353 1-8368476)
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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification**

Physical hazards	Signal word
Health hazards	Hazard statements
Environmental hazards	

**2.2. Label elements**

Pictogram





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Not Classified

Eye Irrit. 2 - H319

Not Classified

Warning

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

EUH208 Contains nickel sulfate. May produce an allergic reaction.



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### Precautionary statements

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

### 2.3. Other hazards

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

<b>SSP Single Superphosphate</b>	<b>10-30%</b>		
CAS number: 8011-76-5	EC number: 232-379-5	REACH registration number: 01-2119488967-11-XXXX	
<b>Classification</b> Eye Irrit. 2 - H319	<b>Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC)</b> Xi; R41		
<b>iron (II) sulfate</b>	<b>1-5%</b>		
CAS number: 7720-78-7	EC number: 231-753-5		
<b>Classification</b> Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319			
<b>nickel sulfate</b>	<b>&lt;1%</b>		
CAS number: 7786-81-4	EC number: 232-104-9	M factor (Acute) = 1	M factor (Chronic) = 1
<b>Classification</b> Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Acute Tox. 4 - H332 Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Resp. Sens. 1 - H334 Skin Sens. 1 - H317 Muta. 2 - H341			
<b>Carc. 1A - H350i</b>			
Repr. 1B - H360D			
STOT RE 1 - H372			
Aquatic Acute 1 - H400			
Aquatic Chronic 1 - H410			

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.



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### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Inhalation** Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist.

**Ingestion** Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist.



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<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water or use an approved skin cleanser. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist after washing.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.  Continue rinsing. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist after washing.
<b><u>4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed</u></b>	
<b>Inhalation</b>	Dust in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system.
<b>Ingestion</b>	No harmful effects expected from quantities likely to be ingested by accident.
<b>Skin contact</b>	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause severe irritation. May cause severe eye irritation.



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### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Notes for the doctor** Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Not applicable.

media

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Specific hazards** None known.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

**Protective actions during firefighting** Evacuate area. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk.

**Special protective equipment for firefighters** Use protective equipment appropriate for surrounding materials. Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing. Firefighter's clothing conforming to European standard EN469 (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

**Personal precautions** Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use suitable respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear suitable protective equipment, including gloves, goggles/face shield, respirator, boots, clothing or apron, as appropriate. Take care as floors and other surfaces may become slippery.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** The product is slowly degradable. The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment. Avoid the spillage or runoff entering drains, sewers or watercourses.

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

**Methods for cleaning up** Take care as floors and other surfaces may become slippery. Avoid generation and spreading of dust. Collect spillage with a shovel and broom, or similar and reuse, if possible. Containers with collected spillage must be properly labelled with correct contents and hazard symbol. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national regulations. Do not empty into drains. Collect and dispose of spillage as indicated in Section 13.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

**Reference to other sections** For personal protection, see Section 8. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling



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### Usage precautions

Read label before use. Wear appropriate clothing to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes.

### Advice on general occupational hygiene

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet.



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

#### **Storage precautions**

Store in a dry place. Keep container in a well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10).

### **7.3. Specific end use(s)**

The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.





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### SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

##### Occupational exposure limits

###### Sand (L)

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): Silica Dust (respirable) WEL 0.1Mg/m<sup>3</sup>

###### Ammonium Sulphate

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): LTEL 10Mg/m<sup>3</sup>

##### SSP Single Superphosphate (CAS: 8011-76-5)

**DNEL**  
Workers - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 3.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
Workers - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 17.4 mg/kg/day  
General population - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 0.9 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
General population - Oral; Long term systemic effects: 2.1 mg/kg/day  
General population - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 10.4 mg/kg/day

**PNEC**  
- Fresh water; 1.7 mg/l  
- Marine water; 0.17 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
- Intermittent release; 17 mg/l  
- STP; 10 mg/l

##### Potash (CAS: 7447-40-7)

**DNEL**  
Workers - Dermal; Short term systemic effects: 580 mg/kg/day  
Workers - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 580 mg/kg/day  
Workers - Inhalation; Short term systemic effects: 292 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
Workers - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 292 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

**PNEC**  
Industry - Fresh water; 0,047 mg/l  
- Marine water; 0,047 mg/l

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

##### Protective equipment

**Appropriate engineering controls** All handling should only take place in well-ventilated areas.

**Eye/face protection** Wear eye protection.

**Hand protection** Wear protective gloves.

**Other skin and body** Wear appropriate clothing to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact.

Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

No specific recommendations.

### SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties



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

Appearance	Granules.
Colour	Beige. to Dark brown. or Black.
Odour	Mild.
Odour threshold	Not determined.
pH	Slightly Acidic
Melting point	Not relevant.
Initial boiling point and range	Not relevant.
Flash point	Not relevant.
Evaporation rate	Not relevant.
Flammability (solid, gas)	The product is not flammable.
Vapour pressure	Not relevant.
Vapour density	Not relevant.
Relative density	Not relevant.
Solubility(ies)	Not known.
Partition coefficient	Not known.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not relevant.
Decomposition Temperature	Not relevant.
Viscosity	Not relevant.
Explosive properties	Not relevant.
Oxidising properties	Does not meet the criteria for classification as oxidising.

### 9.2. Other information

Other information No information required.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

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

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable when stored in a dry place.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous Reaction No potentially hazardous reactions known.



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### **10.4. Conditions to avoid**

#### **Conditions to avoid**

There are no known conditions that are likely to result in a hazardous situation.

### **10.5. Incompatible materials**

#### **Materials to avoid**

None known.

### **10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**



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None known.

### Hazardous decomposition

products

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

##### Acute toxicity - oral

ATE oral (mg/kg) 13,262.6

##### Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD<sub>50</sub>) No specific test data are available.

##### Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC<sub>50</sub>) No specific test data are available.

##### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin corrosion/irritation Contains Nickel Sulphate. May produce an allergic reaction.

##### Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Irritation of eyes is assumed. In-vitro testing conducted on products with SSP Content <62%, 2015, Result: Reduced classification to Eye Irritant. Test Guideline OECD 438. This result is less severe than the harmonized classification for Super Phosphates as Eye Damage 1 H318.

##### Respiratory sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation No specific test data are available.

##### Skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation Based on available data the classification criteria are not met. Contains a small amount of a skin sensitising substance. May cause irritation.

##### Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro This substance has no evidence of mutagenic properties.

##### Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity No specific test data are available.

##### Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility Does not contain any substances known to be toxic to reproduction.

##### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

STOT - single exposure Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after a single exposure.

##### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

STOT - repeated exposure Eye contact

##### Aspiration hazard

Aspiration hazard

Skin contact



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Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after repeated exposure.

May cause an allergic skin reaction. The product contains a small amount of sensitising substance.

Not anticipated to present an aspiration hazard, based on chemical structure. May cause eye irritation.

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### Ecotoxicity

The product is not expected to be toxic to aquatic organisms.

#### 12.1. Toxicity

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** The product is slowly degradable.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

**Partition coefficient** Not known.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility** No data available.

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

**Other adverse effects** Not relevant.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**General information** Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

**Disposal methods** The generation of waste should be minimised or avoided wherever possible. Reuse or recycle products wherever possible. Only store in correctly labelled containers. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national regulations. No specific disposal method required. Do not empty into drains.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

**General** The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

#### 14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

#### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

No transport warning sign required.

#### 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards



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**Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant**

No

**Specific end use(s)**





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### **14.6. Special precautions for user**

Not applicable.

### **14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78  
and the IBC Code



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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

##### EU legislation

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16

December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as amended).

~~Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18~~

December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) (as amended).

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate.

ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road.

ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways.

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service.

DNEL: Derived No Effect Level.

GHS: Globally Harmonized System.

IATA: International Air Transport Association.

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods.

ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air.

LC<sub>50</sub>: Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population.

LD<sub>50</sub>: Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose).

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance.

PNEC: Predicted No Effect Concentration.

REACH: Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern.

vPvB: Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative.

cATpE: Converted Acute Toxicity Point Estimate.

LOAEC: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Concentration.

LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level.

EC<sub>50</sub>: 50% of maximal Effective Concentration.

NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level.

NOEC: No Observed Effect Concentration.

LOEC: Lowest Observed Effect Concentration.

DMEL: Derived Minimal Effect Level.

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R20/22 Harmful by inhalation and if swallowed.

### Risk phrases in full

R22 Harmful if swallowed.  
R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.  
R38 Irritating to skin.  
R41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.  
R42/43 May cause sensitisation by inhalation and skin contact.  
R48/23 Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.  
R49 May cause cancer by inhalation.  
R50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.  
R61 May cause harm to the unborn child.  
R68 Possible risk of irreversible effects.

### Hazard statements in full

H302 Harmful if swallowed.  
H315 Causes skin irritation.  
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.  
H332 Harmful if inhaled.  
H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.  
H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.  
H350i May cause cancer by inhalation.  
H360D May damage the unborn child.  
H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
EUH208 Contains nickel sulfate. May produce an allergic reaction.



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