## **Section 1: IDENTIFICATION**

#### 1.1 PRODUCT IDENTIFIER

**Product Name:** Winchester Gardens™ Organic Berry Fertilizer Spikes

Product Code: Not available.

## 1.2 RECOMMENDED USE OF CHEMICAL AND RESTRICTIONS ON USE

**Use:** Organic fertilizer for berry plants.

#### 1.3 DETAILS OF THE SUPPLIER OF THE SAFETY DATA SHEET

Name/Address: Dysart dba Winchester Gardens

60 Elm Street,

Canal Winchester, OH 43110

**Telephone Number:** 1-888-837-0370

## 1.4 EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER

**Emergency Telephone** 

Number: Chemtrek 1-800-424-9300

## Section 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 CLASSIFICATION OF THE CHEMICAL

#### **Hazard class**

This preparation is classified as not hazardous according to OSHA HazCom 2012 Standards.

## 2.2 LABEL ELEMENTS

Hazard Pictogram: Not applicable.

Signal Word:

Hazard Statement:

Not applicable.

Prevention:

Response:

Not applicable.

## 2.3 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Hazards not otherwise

classified: Not applicable.

## Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

## 3.1 MIXTURES

Ingredient	CAS No	Wt. %
None by OSHA criteria.		

The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret in accordance with paragraph (i) of §1910.1200.

## **Section 4: FIRST- AID MEASURES**

## 4.1 DESCRIPTION OF THE FIRST AID MEASURE

Eye: In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water. If

easy to do, remove contact lenses, if worn. If irritation occurs, get

medical advice/attention.

Skin: In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Call a

physician if irritation develops and persists.

**Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical advice/attention.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by

medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious

person. Get medical advice/attention.

## 4.2 MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE AND DELAYED

**Eye:** May cause slight irritation. Symptoms may include discomfort or

pain, excess blinking and tear production, with marked redness and

swelling of the conjunctiva.

**Skin:** May cause slight irritation. Symptoms may include redness, edema,

drying, defatting and cracking of the skin.

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

**Ingestion:** May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.

## 4.3 INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENTS NEEDED

**Note to Physicians:** Symptoms may not appear immediately.

Specific Treatments: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice

immediately (show the label or SDS where possible).

#### **Section 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

## **5.1 FLAMMABILITY**

**Flammability:** This product is not flammable by OSHA.

## **5.2 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Water, carbon dioxide, fine earth, dry chemical or sand.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Not applicable.

5.3 SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE CHEMICAL

**Products of Combustion:** Toxic fumes and gases may be generated. Metal oxides possible.

## 5.4 SPECIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND PRECAUTIONS FOR FIRE FIGHTERS

Keep upwind of fire. Wear full fire fighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear) and respiratory protection (SCBA).

## **Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### 6.1 PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Isolate the hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary and unprotected personnel.

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## 6.2 METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING - UP

**Methods for Containment:** Contain and/or absorb spill with inert material (e.g. sand, vermiculite),

then place in a suitable container. Do not flush to sewer or allow to enter waterways. Use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or

confined areas.

**Methods for Cleaning-Up:** Scoop up material and place in a disposal container. Notify

environmental authorities in the event of any reportable release of

this product to the environment.

#### Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

## 7.1 PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING

Handling: Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Handle in well-ventilated areas. Avoid

breathing vapour or mist. Do not swallow. Handle and open container with care. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. (See section 8)

General Hygiene Advice: Launder contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash hands before

eating, drinking, or smoking

## 7.2 CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES

Storage: Keep out of the reach of children. Keep container tightly closed and

in a well-ventilated place. Store in a cool, dry place. (See section 10)

#### Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **8.1 CONTROL PARAMETERS**

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

Occupational Exposure Limits		
Ingredient	OSHA-PEL	ACGIH-TLV
Not applicable.		

## **8.2 EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

**Engineering Controls:** Use ventilation adequate to keep exposures (airborne levels of dust,

fume, vapor, etc.) below recommended exposure limits.

#### **8.3 INDIVIDUAL PROTECTIVE MEASSURES**

## **Personal Protective Equipment:**

**Eye/Face Protection:** Safety glasses with side shields are recommended.

Skin Protection:

Hand Protection: Chemical-resistant gloves.

**Body Protection:** Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Respiratory Protection:** In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the

selected respirator.

**General Health AND Safety** 

Measures:

Do not eat, smoke or drink where material is handled, processed or stored. Wash hands carefully before eating or smoking. Wash

contaminated clothing before reusing.

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## **Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

## 9.1 INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:Fertilizer spikes.Color:Not available.

Odour: Earthy.

Odour Threshold: Not available.

Physical State: Solid.

Not available. pH: **Melting Point:** Not available. **Boiling Point:** Not applicable. Flash Point: Not available. **Evaporation Rate:** Not available. Flammability: Not Flammable. Lower Flammability/Explosive Limit: Not available. **Upper Flammability/Explosive Limit:** Not available. Vapor Pressure: Not available. Vapor Density: Not available. Relative Density/Specific Gravity: Not available. Solubility: Not available. Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: Not available. **Auto-ignition Temperature:** Not available. **Decomposition Temperature:** Not available. Viscosity: Not available. **Explosive Properties:** Not available.

## **Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Not available.

## **10.1 REACTIVITY**

**Oxidizing Properties:** 

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

## **10.2 CHEMICAL STABILITY**

Stable under normal storage conditions.

## 10.3 POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

## **10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID**

Excessive heat, contact with strong alkalis, fuels and other combustible materials.

#### 10.5 INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS

Active metals such as aluminum and magnesium. Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, strong bases, reducing agents and chlorine compounds.

## 10.6 HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Toxic fumes and gases may be generated. Metal oxides possible.

## **Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## 11.1 INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS

**Likely Routes of Exposure:** Skin contact, eye contact, inhalation, and ingestion.

Symptoms related to physical/chemical/toxicological characteristics:

Eye: May cause slight irritation. Symptoms may include discomfort or pain,

excess blinking and tear production, with marked redness and swelling of

the conjunctiva.

**Skin:** May cause slight irritation. Symptoms may include redness, edema,

drying, defatting and cracking of the skin.

**Ingestion:** May cause stomach distress, nausea or vomiting.

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

**Acute Toxicity:** 

Ingredient	IDLH	LC50	LD50
Not applicable			
Not applicable.			

Calculated overall Chemical Acute Toxicity Values		
LC50 (inhalation) LD50 (oral) LD50 (dermal)		
Not available. 2600 mg/kg, rat Not available.		Not available.

Ingredient	Chemical Listed as Carcinogen or Potential Carcinogen (NTP, IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, CP65)*
	Not applicable.

## 11.2 DELAYED, IMMEDIATE, AND CHRONIC EFFECTS OF SHORT- AND LONG-TERM EXPOSURE

Skin Corrosion/Irritation:
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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Carcinogenicity: This product is not classified as a carcinogen.

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** This product is not classified as a mutagen.

Reproductive Toxicity:

**Developmental:** This product does not contain known reproductive or

developmental toxins.

Fertility: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

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STOT-Repeated Exposure: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration Hazard: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Other Information: Not available.

## **Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## **12.1 ECOTOXICITY**

Acute/Chronic Toxicity: Not available.

## 12.2 PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY

Not available.

#### 12.3 BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL

Bioaccumulation: Not available.

#### **12.4 MOBILITY IN SOIL**

Not available.

## 12.5 OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS

Not available.

## **Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## **13.1 WASTE TREATMENT METHODS**

**Disposal Method:** This material must be disposed of in accordance with all

local, state, provincial, and federal regulations.

Other disposal recommendations: Not available.

# **Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

## **14.1 UN NUMBER**

Not regulated.

## 14.2 UN PROPER SHIPPING NAME

Not applicable.

## 14.3 TRANSPORT HAZARD CLASS(ES)

Not applicable.

## **14.4 PACKING GROUP**

Not applicable.

#### 14.5 ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Not applicable.

## 14.6 TRANSPORT IN BULK ACCORDING TO ANNEX II OF MARPOL 73/78 AND THE IBC CODE

Not applicable.

# 14.7 SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR USER

Not applicable.

## **Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# 15.1 SAFETY, HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS/ LEGISLATIONS SPECIFIC FOR THE CHEMICLA

**US:** MSDS prepared pursuant to the Hazard Communication Standard (CFR29 1910.1200) HazCom 2012

SARA Title III				
Ingredient	Section 302 (EHS) TPQ (lbs.)	Section 304 EHS RQ (lbs.)	CERCLA RQ (lbs.)	Section 313
Not applicable.				

## State Regulations

## **California Proposition 65:**

This product does not contain a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

#### **Global Inventories**

Ingredient	USA TSCA
All ingredients are on TSCA inventories.	

NFPA - National Fire Protection Association:		
Health:	1	
Fire:	0	
Reactivity:	0	

**Hazard Rating:** 0 = minimal, 1 = slight, 2 = moderate, 3 = severe, 4 = extreme

Blue = Health Red = Flammability Yellow = Reactivity White = Special

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## SOURCE AGENCY CARCINOGEN CLASSIFICATIONS:

CP65 California Proposition 65

OSHA (O) Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

ACGIH (G) American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists.

A1 - Confirmed human carcinogen.

A2 - Suspected human carcinogen.

A3 - Animal carcinogen.

A4 - Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

A5 - Not suspected as a human carcinogen.

## IARC (I) International Agency for Research on Cancer.

1 - The agent (mixture) is carcinogenic to humans.

2A - The agent (mixture) is probably carcinogenic to humans; there is limited evidence of carcinogenicity in humans and sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity in experimental animals.

2B - The agent (mixture) is possibly carcinogenic to humans; there is limited evidence of carcinogenicity in humans in the absence of sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity in experimental animals.

3 - The agent (mixture, exposure circumstance) is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.

4 - The agent (mixture, exposure circumstance) is probably not carcinogenic to humans.

## NTP (N) National Toxicology Program.

- 1 Known to be carcinogens.
- 2 Reasonably anticipated to be carcinogens.

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## **Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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