



SAFETY DATA SHEET - OZCAL

SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Product:	Granulated Limestone.
Other Names:	Pelletized Limestone, Prilled Limestone, Granular Limestone
Manufacturer's Product Code:	OZCAL
UN Number:	None allocated.
Dangerous Goods Class & Subsidiary Risk:	None allocated.
Hazchem Code:	None allocated.
Poisons Schedule Number:	Not scheduled.
Uses:	Used as a neutralizing agent, for agricultural purposes, and as source of Calcium.

SECTION 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

Health Effects:	No data available for the mixture. Information presented relates to individual ingredients.
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SHORT TERM HAZARDS (Acute Exposure)

Swallowed:	Ingestion of large quantities can cause irritability, nausea, dehydration and constipation. Lethal dose for an adult is estimated at over 1kg. Considered to be of very low toxicity.
Eyes:	Irritant. May cause damage due to heavy rubbing. May cause tears.
Skin:	Direct, prolonged or repeated contact with skin may cause irritation. Rubbing of product against skin may cause abrasions. Rinse with water until free of material to avoid abrasions, and then wash thoroughly with soap and water.
Inhaled:	Dust will irritate the nose, throat and respiratory system. Symptoms include sneezing and slight nose irritation.



LONG TERM HAZARDS (Chronic)

Regular ingestion of more than 8g per day (Calcium Carbonate) reported to cause blood and kidney disorders.

Prolonged unprotected exposure to airborne dust is not advisable due to the possibility of respiratory illness.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name:	Proportion.
Calcium Carbonate:	(CaCO ₃) 97%.
Magnesium Carbonate:	(MgCO ₃) 1%.
Ferric Oxide:	(Fe ₂ O ₃) 0.1%-1.0%.
Water:	(H ₂ O) 0.1%-1.0%.
Appearance:	White to grey granule.
Boiling Point/Melting Point:	Decomposes about 825°C.
Vapour Pressure:	Not applicable.
Specific Gravity:	2.71 (water = 1).
Flashpoint:	Non-combustible (does not burn).
Flammability Limits:	Not applicable.
Auto-ignition Temperature:	Not applicable.
Odour:	No distinct odour.
Solubility in Liquids:	0.0015% in water.
OTHER PROPERTIES:	May react vigorously with acids resulting in generation of carbon Dioxide, a simple asphyxiant. Incompatible with alum and ammonium salts.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Recommended:	Eyewash. Hand wash basin.
ADVICE TO DOCTOR:	Product is industrial limestone. Contact poisons information centre.



SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD	Not a fire hazard. May react vigorously with acids, generating carbon dioxide, a simple asphyxiant.
Decomposition Products:	In a fire, decomposes into calcium oxide and carbon oxides.
Fire Fighting Recommendations	
In case of small fire/explosion use:	Water.
In case of major emergency:	Dial 000.
Hazchem code:	None assigned.
Type of extinguisher or agent:	Water or as for other chemicals present.
Danger of violent reaction or Explosion?	No.
Protective clothing:	As for other chemicals present.
Appropriate measures:	Dilute.
Evacuate?	No.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spills & Disposal:	For disposal of small spillages, sweep up and remove with ordinary solid waste. For large spillages, contain using sand or earth, then transfer to salvage containers. Residues should be treated as for small spillages.
Caution:	Before dealing with spillage, take necessary protective measures, inform others to keep at a safe distance. Avoid generating dust. Carefully sweep up into container and dispose of with ordinary garbage.



SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Storage & Transport:	Ensure all bags are kept closed to protect against weather, sunlight and moisture. All bulk loads should be covered and protected from the elements.
Storage Temperature:	Room temperature.
UN Class:	None allocated.
Packaging Group:	None allocated.
UN Number:	None assigned.
EPG Number:	None assigned.
Correct Shipping Name:	OZCAL
Storage Advice:	Store in a dry place. Keep container dry. Keep away from acids, alum and ammonium salts. Protect from physical damage. Clean up spills promptly, avoid secondary accidents.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Mechanical Precautions:	Consider local exhaust extraction to keep airborne contamination below TLV, along with sufficient ventilation.
Personal Protection:	<p>Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhaling the dust. Personal protection to be selected from those recommended below, as appropriate to mode of use, quantity handled and degree of hazard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dust mask• Goggles• Gloves, rubber or plastic• Overalls
Flammability:	Not flammable.



SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:	Stable.
Incompatibility:	Acids.
Hazardous polymerization:	Will not occur.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGY INFORMATION

Toxicology data:	Not available on this product but anticipated to be very low with LD50 >5,000 mg/kg.
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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eco-toxicity:	The physical and chemical nature of the product, and toxicological data on ingredients, indicate that this product is a relatively low risk.
Persistence and degradability:	Product is persistent and would have a low degradability.



SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal considerations : Pickup and reuse clean materials. Waste should be placed in containers and disposed of with other construction waste in accordance with local authority guidelines. Measures should be taken to prevent dust generation during disposal and exposure and personal precautions should be observed (see Section 8). Where applicable, dispose of bags in an approved landfill or incinerator.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Hazardous materials description
/proper shipping name: Not hazardous under Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) in Australia.

Hazard Class: Not applicable.

Hazchem Code / Identification Number: Not applicable.

Required Label Text: Not applicable.

Hazardous Substances /
Reportable Quantities (Rq): Not applicable.

Marine Pollutant: No pollutant.

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poisons Schedule: Non-Scheduled.



SECTION 16: ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Contact Point: Nutrifert Australia Pty Limited
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DISCLAIMER:

This product should only be used by qualified personnel. While the information provided in this material safety data sheet is believed to provide a useful summary of the hazards of this product as it is commonly used, the sheet cannot anticipate and provide all of the information that may be needed in every situation. Inexperienced personnel should obtain proper training before using this product.

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Signature Management Representative Date