

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** NITROFORM® fertilizer

**Other means of identification**

**Product code** KAS\_NITROFORM\_US\_EN

**Synonyms** NITROFORM® fertilizer 39-0-0 Mini \* NITROFORM® fertilizer Standard 39-0-0 \* NITROFORM® fertilizer Powder 39-0-0

**Recommended use** Fertilizer.

**Recommended restrictions** Use in accordance with supplier's recommendations.

**Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information**

**Manufacturer/Supplier** Koch Agronomic Services, LLC  
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 Wichita, KS 67220 US  
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**Emergency** For Chemical Emergency  
 Call CHEMTREC day or night  
 USA/Canada - 1.800.424.9300  
 Mexico - 1.800.681.9531  
 Outside USA/Canada - 1.703.527.3887  
 (collect calls accepted)

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

**Physical hazards** Not classified.

**Health hazards** Not classified.

**OSHA defined hazards** Not classified.

**Label elements**

**Hazard symbol** None.

**Signal word** None.

**Hazard statement** The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

**Precautionary statement**

**Prevention** Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

**Response** Wash hands after handling.

**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal** Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

**Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)** None known.

**Supplemental information** None.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

### Mixtures

Chemical name	CAS number	%
Urea formaldehyde polymer	9011-05-6	99 - 100
Dye	Proprietary	< 0.2

**Composition comments** All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

This Safety Data Sheet is not a guarantee of product specification or NPK value(s). NPK content is on specified sales orders, customer invoices, or product specification sheets obtained from supplier.

#### 4. First-aid measures

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Skin contact** Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Eye contact** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed** Eye contact: Symptoms can include irritation, redness, scratching of the cornea, and tearing.  
Skin contact: Mild skin irritation.  
Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** Treat symptomatically.

**General information** Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable extinguishing media** Water fog. Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Foam.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** None known.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** Irritating and toxic gases or fumes may be released during a fire.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters** Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing should be worn when fighting chemical fires. Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace.

**Fire fighting equipment/instructions** Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk. Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

**General fire hazards** Bulk material is non-combustible. Avoid generating dust; fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear suitable protective clothing. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up** Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas. Avoid dust formation. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. If sweeping of a contaminated area is necessary use a dust suppressant agent which does not react with the product. After removal flush contaminated area thoroughly with water.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water. Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.

#### 7. Handling and storage

**Precautions for safe handling** Keep away from all ignition sources including heat, sparks and flame. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces. Dry powders can build static electricity charges when subjected to the friction of transfer and mixing operations. Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding and bonding, or inert atmospheres. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use only with adequate ventilation. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities** Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Occupational exposure limits

#### US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Dust (CAS -)	PEL	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Total dust.

#### US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Dust (CAS -)	TWA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Total dust.
		50 mppcf	Total dust.
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction.

#### US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
Dust (CAS -)	TWA	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable particles.
		10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable particles.

### Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

### Exposure guidelines

Follow standard monitoring procedures.

### Appropriate engineering controls

It is recommended that all dust control equipment such as local exhaust ventilation and material transport systems involved in handling of this product contain explosion relief vents or an explosion suppression system or an oxygen-deficient environment. Ensure that dust-handling systems (such as exhaust ducts, dust collectors, vessels, and processing equipment) are designed in a manner to prevent the escape of dust into the work area (i.e., there is no leakage from the equipment). Use only appropriately classified electrical equipment and powered industrial trucks. Provide adequate ventilation. Observe occupational exposure limits and minimize the risk of exposure. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

#### Eye/face protection

Wear approved chemical safety goggles. Wear a full-face respirator, if needed.

#### Skin protection

##### Hand protection

Wear protective gloves. Be aware that the liquid may penetrate the gloves. Frequent change is advisable. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.

##### Skin protection

##### Other

Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts and long pants) is recommended.

#### Respiratory protection

If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Wear air supplied respiratory protection if exposure concentrations are unknown. In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of dust, use suitable respiratory equipment with particle filter.

#### Thermal hazards

Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

### General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Appearance

Blue powder.

#### Physical state

Solid.

#### Form

Powder and granular.

#### Color

Blue.

### Odor

Not available.

### Odor threshold

Not available.

### pH

Not available.

### Melting point/freezing point

Not available.

### Initial boiling point and boiling range

Not available.

<b>Flash point</b>	Not available.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not available.
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	
<b>Flammability limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor density</b>	Not available.
<b>Relative density</b>	Not available.
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	
<b>Solubility (water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available.
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Chemical family</b>	Modified Urea Polymer

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Stable under normal temperature conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	Hazardous reactions do not occur.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Heat. Extreme temperatures.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Strong oxidizing agents. Acids. Alkalis.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Ammonia. Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Dust may irritate respiratory system.
<b>Skin contact</b>	May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Dust may irritate the eyes.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Ingestion may cause irritation and malaise.

<b>Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics</b>	Eye contact: Symptoms can include irritation, redness, scratching of the cornea, and tearing. Skin contact: Mild skin irritation. Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.
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### Information on toxicological effects

<b>Acute toxicity</b>	Not expected to be acutely toxic.
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

<b>Respiratory sensitization</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Skin sensitization</b>	Not a skin sensitizer.

<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
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<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA. Not classified.
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## **IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity**

Not listed.

## **NTP Report on Carcinogens**

Not listed.

## **OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)**

Not regulated.

<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure</b>	Inhalation of dusts may cause respiratory irritation.
<b>Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Chronic effects</b>	Frequent inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing lung diseases. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects.
<b>Further information</b>	No other specific acute or chronic health impact noted.

## **12. Ecological information**

<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.
<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	No data is available on the degradability of this product.
<b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>	Not expected to bioconcentrate or bioaccumulate.
<b>Mobility in soil</b>	This product is water soluble and may disperse in soil.
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No data available.

## **13. Disposal considerations**

<b>Disposal instructions</b>	Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
<b>Hazardous waste code</b>	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
<b>Waste from residues / unused products</b>	Disposal recommendations are based on material as supplied. Disposal must be in accordance with current applicable laws and regulations, and material characteristics at time of disposal.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

## **14. Transport information**

### **DOT**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

### **IATA**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

### **IMDG**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

## **15. Regulatory information**

**US federal regulations** This product is not hazardous according to OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200. All components are listed on or exempt from the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

### **TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)**

Not regulated.

### **OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)**

Not regulated.

### **CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)**

Not listed.

## Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

**Hazard categories** Immediate Hazard - No  
Delayed Hazard - No  
Fire Hazard - No  
Pressure Hazard - No  
Reactivity Hazard - No

### SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical** No

**SARA 313 (TRI reporting)**  
Not regulated.

## Other federal regulations

### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)** Not regulated.

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

### US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

Not regulated.

### US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Not listed.

### US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law

Not listed.

### US. Rhode Island RTK

Not regulated.

### US. California Proposition 65

Not Listed.

## International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

\*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

## 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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**Version #** 02

**Further information** HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.

**HMIS® ratings** Health: 1  
Flammability: 0  
Physical hazard: 0

### NFPA ratings



### List of abbreviations

LD50: Lethal Dose, 50%.  
LC50: Lethal Concentration, 50%.

**References**

NLM: Hazardous Substances Data Base  
HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank  
IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity  
National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens  
ACGIH Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices

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