

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Compost Accelerator

Prepared to U.S. OSHA, CMA, ANSI, Canadian WHMIS Standards, Australian WorkSafe, Japanese Industrial Standard JIS Z 7250:2000, and European Directives

1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

1.1 TRADE NAME (AS LABELED):	Compost Accelerator
PRODUCT NUMBERS:	CA-2.5-12 (2.5 lb Bottle)
SYNONYMS:	None known
CAS#:	Mixture
1.2 PRODUCT USE:	Compost Accelerator
1.3 MANUFACTURER'S NAME:	Roebic Laboratories, Inc.
ADDRESS:	P.O.Box 927, 25 Connair Road, Orange, CT 06477 USA
BUSINESS PHONE:	1-203-795-1283 (Product Information)
FAX NUMBER:	1-203-795-5227
1.4 EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER:	1-800-424-9300 Chemtrec (TOLL-FREE in USA/Canada)
EMERGENCY PHONE #:	custservice@roebic.com
EMAIL:	
1.5 PREPARATION INFORMATION:	
DATE OF CURRENT REVISION:	October 5, 2015
DATE OF LAST REVISION:	New

2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:

Product Description: This product is a whitish granular solid with no odor.

Health Hazards: Prolonged or repeated skin contact cause irritation to skin. Eye contact may cause irritation. May cause respiratory irritation.

Flammability Hazards: This product is non-flammable.

Reactivity Hazards: None known

Environmental Hazards: The Environmental effects of this product have not been investigated. Release of this product is not expected to have significant adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

US DOT SYMBOLS
Non-Regulated

CANADA (WHMIS) SYMBOLS



EUROPEAN and (GHS) Hazard Symbols



Signal Word: **Danger!**

2.1 CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1200 (OSHA HCS) AND THE EUROPEAN UNION DIRECTIVES:

This product does meet the definition of a hazardous substance or preparation as defined by 29 CFR 1910. 1200 AND the European Union Council Directives 67/548/EEC, 1999/45/EC, 1272/2008/EC and subsequent Directives.

EU HAZARD CLASSIFICATION OF INGREDIENTS PER DIRECTIVE 1272/2008/EC:

Index Number:

EC# 215-279-6 This substance is not classified in the Annex VI of Directive 67/548/EEC

EC# 238-878-4 This substance is not classified in the Annex VI of Directive 67/548/EEC

EC# 200-315-5 This substance is not classified in the Annex VI of Directive 67/548/EEC

Substances not listed either individually or in group entries must be self classified.

Component(s) Contributing to Classification(s)

All Components

2.2 LABEL ELEMENTS:

GHS Hazard Classification(s):

Skin Irritant Category 2

Eye Irritant Category 2B

STOT SE 3 Category 3 (Respiratory Irritant)

Carcinogenicity Category 1



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Hazard Statement(s):

H315: Causes skin irritation
 H320: Causes eye irritation
 H335: May cause respiratory Irritation
 H350: May cause cancer

Precautionary Statement(s):

P264: Wash skin after handling.
 P281: Use personal protective equipment as required.
 P261: Avoid breathing dust.
 P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
 P201: Obtain special instructions before use.
 P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

EU HAZARD CLASSIFICATION OF INGREDIENTS PER DIRECTIVE 1999/45/EC:

[Xn] Harmful, [Xi] Irritant

Risk Phrases:

R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system, and skin.
 R49: May cause cancer by inhalation.

Safety Phrases:

S24/25: Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
 S22: Do not breathe dust.

2.3 HEALTH HAZARDS OR RISKS FROM EXPOSURE:

SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE BY ROUTE OF EXPOSURE: The most significant routes of exposure for this product are by inhalation, skin contact, eye contact or ingestion.

ACUTE:

INHALATION: May cause respiratory irritation through prolonged exposure.
CONTACT WITH SKIN: Repeated or prolonged contact may cause skin irritation.
EYE CONTACT: Contact may irritate the eyes, resulting in redness or watering.
INGESTION: Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation with nausea and diarrhea.

CHRONIC: None known

TARGET ORGANS: Acute: Eyes, Skin, Respiratory System

Chronic: None known

3. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Ingredients:	WT%	CAS#	EINECS #	Hazard Classification	Risk Phrases
Limestone	80-90%	1317-65-3	215-279-6	[Xi] Irritant	R36/37/38
Crystalline Silica	>0.1%	14808-60-7	238-878-4	[Xn] Harmful	R49
Urea	10-20%	57-13-6	200-315-5	[Xi] Irritant	R36/37/38
Balance of other ingredients is less than 1% in concentration (or 0.1% for carcinogens, reproductive toxins, or respiratory sensitizers).					

NOTE: ALL WHMIS required information is included in appropriate sections based on the ANSI Z400.1-2010 format. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the SDS contains all the information required by the CPR, EU Directives and the Japanese Industrial Standard JIS Z 7250: 2000.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

4.1 DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES:

EYE CONTACT: If product enters the eyes, open eyes while under gentle running water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

SKIN CONTACT: If product contacts skin, wash skin thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Seek medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

INHALATION: If breathing becomes difficult, remove victim to fresh air. If necessary, use artificial respiration to support vital functions. Seek medical attention.

INGESTION: If product is swallowed, call physician or poison control center for most current information. If professional advice is not available, do not induce vomiting. Never induce vomiting or give diluents (milk or water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsions, or who cannot swallow. Seek medical advice. Take a copy of the label and/or SDS with the victim to the health professional.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE: None known

4.2 SYMPTOMS AND EFFECTS, BOTH ACUTE AND DELAYED:

Exposure to this product may cause irritation to skin, eyes, and respiratory system. Ingestion may cause nausea or diarrhea.

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4.3 RECOMMENDATIONS TO PHYSICIANS: Treat symptoms and eliminate overexposure.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 FIRE EXTINGUISHING MATERIALS:

Use fire extinguishing methods below:

Water Spray: Yes Carbon Dioxide: Yes
 Foam: Yes Dry Chemical: Yes
 Halon: Yes Other: Any "C" Class

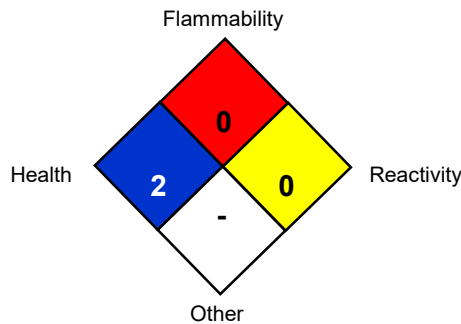
5.2 UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:

None known
 Explosion Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: No
 Explosion Sensitivity to Static Discharge: No



5.3 SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES:

Incipient fire responders should wear eye protection. Structural firefighters must wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus and full protective equipment. Isolate materials not yet involved in the fire and protect personnel. Move containers from fire area if this can be done without risk; otherwise, cool with carefully applied water spray. If possible, prevent runoff water from entering storm drains, bodies of water, or other environmentally sensitive areas.

NFPA RATING SYSTEM



HMIS RATING SYSTEM

HAZARDOUS MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM			
HEALTH HAZARD (BLUE)			2
FLAMMABILITY HAZARD (RED)			0
PHYSICAL HAZARD (YELLOW)			0
PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT			
EYES	RESPIRATORY	HANDS	BODY
	See Sect 8		See Sect 8
For Routine Industrial Use and Handling Applications			

Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe * = Chronic hazard

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES:

See section 8.2 for Exposure Controls.

6.2 ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:

For large volumes keep away from storm drains, surface waters, and soils.

6.3 SPILL AND LEAK RESPONSE:

Sweep or vacuum up and place in an appropriate closed container. Dispose of in accordance with U.S. Federal, State, and local hazardous waste disposal regulations and those of Canada and its Provinces, those of Australia, Japan and EU Member States (see Section 13, Disposal Considerations).

7. HANDLING and STORAGE

7.1 PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:

To prevent skin and eye contact under the foreseeable conditions of use, wear appropriate protective clothing and safety eyewear. When handling do not eat, drink, or smoke. Wash thoroughly after handling.

7.2 STORAGE AND HANDLING PRACTICES:

Keep in cool, dry, well-ventilated area in closed containers. Protect containers from physical damage.

7.3 SPECIFIC USES:

Compost Accelerator.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS - PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 EXPOSURE PARAMETERS:

Chemical Name	CAS#	ACGIH TLV	OSHA TWA
Limestone	1317-65-3	5 mg/m ³	5 mg/m ³
Crystalline Silica	14808-60-7	0.025 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³ / %SiO ₂ +2
Urea	57-13-6	Not Listed	Not Listed

8.2 EXPOSURE CONTROLS:

VENTILATION AND ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Use with adequate ventilation to ensure exposure levels are maintained below the limits provided above.

The following information on appropriate Personal Protective Equipment is provided to assist employers in complying with OSHA regulations found in 29 CFR Subpart I (beginning at 1910.132) or equivalent standard of Canada, or standards of EU member states (including EN 149 for respiratory PPE, and EN 166 for face/eye protection), and those of Japan. Please reference applicable regulations and standards for relevant details.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Not normally required when using this product. If necessary, use only respiratory protection authorized in the U.S. Federal OSHA Respiratory Protection Standard (29 CFR 1910.134), equivalent U.S. State standards, Canadian CSA Standard Z94.4-93, the European Standard EN149, or EU member states.

EYE PROTECTION Safety glasses or goggles are required where splashing is possible. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133, Canadian Standards, and the European Standard EN166, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards.

HAND PROTECTION: Use chemical resistant gloves to prevent skin contact. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.138, the European Standard DIN EN 374, the appropriate Standards of Canada, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards.

BODY PROTECTION: Use body protection appropriate to task being performed. If necessary, refer to appropriate Standards of Canada, or appropriate Standards of the EU, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards. If a hazard of injury to the feet exists due to falling objects, rolling objects, where objects may pierce the soles of the feet or where employee's feet may be exposed to electrical hazards, use foot protection, as described in U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.136.

9. PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

APPEARANCE (Physical State) and COLOR: This product is a white granular solid.

ODOR: No odor

ODOR THRESHOLD: Not Available

pH: 7-9

MELTING/FREEZING POINT: Not Applicable

BOILING POINT: Not Applicable

FLASH POINT: Not Applicable

EVAPORATION RATE (n-BuAc=1): Not Available

FLAMMABILITY (SOLID, GAS): Not Available

UPPER/LOWER FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSION LIMITS: Not Available

VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg @ 20°C (68°F): Not Available

VAPOR DENSITY: Not Available

RELATIVE DENSITY: Not Available

DENSITY: Not Available

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: Not Available

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble

WEIGHT PER GALLON: Not Available

PARTITION COEFFICIENT (n-octanol/water): Not Applicable

AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE: Not Applicable

DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE: Not Available

VISCOSITY: Not Applicable

VOC g/l / Lb/gal: Not Available

9.2 OTHER INFORMATION:

No additional information available.

10. STABILITY and REACTIVITY

10.1 REACTIVITY:

This product is not reactive.

10.2 STABILITY:

Stable under conditions of normal storage and use.

10.3 POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:

Will not occur

10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

No data available.

10.5 MATERIALS WITH WHICH SUBSTANCE IS INCOMPATIBLE:

Strong acids.

10.6 HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

No data available.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS:

TOXICITY DATA:

No LD50 Data Available

SUSPECTED CANCER AGENT: Ingredients within this product are found on the following lists: FEDERAL OSHA Z LIST, NTP, IARC, or CAL/OSHA and therefore are considered to be, or suspected to be, cancer-causing agents by these agencies.

Crystalline Silica CAS# 14808-60-7

IARC: Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans

NTP: Known to be human carcinogen

IRRITANCY OF PRODUCT: This product may be irritating to skin, eyes and respiratory system.

SENSITIZATION TO THE PRODUCT: This product does not contain an ingredient that is considered a skin sensitizer.

REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY INFORMATION: No information concerning the effects of this product or its components greater than 0.1% on the human reproductive system are available.

SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY – SINGLE EXPOSURE: Eyes, Respiratory System, and Skin irritation.

SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY – REPEATED EXPOSURE: None known

ASPIRATION HAZARD: None

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 TOXICITY:

No toxicity data available.

12.2 PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY:

No specific data available on this product.

12.3 BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL:

No specific data available on this product.

12.4 MOBILITY IN SOIL:

No specific data available on this product.

12.5 RESULTS OF PBT AND vPvB ASSESSMENT:

No specific data available on this product.

12.6 OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS:

No specific data available on this product.

ALL WORK PRACTICES MUST BE AIMED AT ELIMINATING ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION.

12.7 WATER ENDANGERMENT CLASS:

Water endangering in accordance with EU Guideline 91/155-EWG. Not determined

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 WASTE TREATMENT METHODS:

Waste disposal must be in accordance with appropriate U.S. Federal, State, and local regulations, those of Canada, Australia, EU Member States and Japan.

13.2 EU Waste Code:

Not determined

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT, IATA, IMO, ADR:

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) SHIPPING REGULATIONS: This product is classified (per 49 CFR 172.101) by the U.S. Department of Transportation, as follows.

14.1 PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Non-regulated Material

14.2 HAZARD CLASS NUMBER and DESCRIPTION: None

14.3 UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: None

14.4 PACKING GROUP: None

14.5 DOT LABEL(S) REQUIRED: None

NORTH AMERICAN EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK NUMBER: None

RQ QUANTITY: None

14.6 MARINE POLLUTANT: None of the components of this product are designated by the Department of Transportation to be Marine Pollutants (49 CFR 172.101, Appendix B).

14.7 SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR USER:

None

14.8 INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTION:

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION SHIPPING INFORMATION (IATA): This product is not considered as dangerous goods.

INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION SHIPPING INFORMATION (IMO): This product is not considered as dangerous goods.

14.9 TRANSPORT IN BULK ACCORDING TO ANNEX II OF MARPOL 73/78 AND IBC CODE:

EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (ADR): This product is not considered by the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe to be dangerous goods.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 UNITED STATES REGULATIONS:

U.S. SARA REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: The components of this product are not subject to the reporting requirements of Sections 302, 304, and 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act.

U.S. SARA THRESHOLD PLANNING QUANTITY: There are no specific Threshold Planning Quantities for the components of this product. The default Federal SDS submission and inventory requirement filing threshold of 10,000 lbs (4,540 kg) therefore applies, per 40 CFR 370.20.

U.S. CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ): None

U.S. TSCA INVENTORY STATUS: The components of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory or are exempted from listing.

OTHER U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS: None

CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65): Ingredients within this product are on the Proposition 65 Lists: Crystalline Silica CAS# 14808-60-7

15.2 CANADIAN REGULATIONS:

CANADIAN DSL/NDL INVENTORY STATUS: The components of this product are on the DSL Inventory, or are exempted from listing.

OTHER CANADIAN REGULATIONS: Not applicable.

CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (CEPA) PRIORITIES SUBSTANCES LISTS:

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

CANADIAN WHMIS CLASSIFICATION and SYMBOLS: This product is Class D Division 2B, Materials causing other toxic effects, per WHMIS Controlled Product Regulations.

15.3 EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION:

This product does meet the definition of a hazardous substance or preparation as defined by the European Union Council Directives 67/548/EEC, 1999/45/EC, 1272/2008/EC and subsequent Directives.
See Section 2 for full Details.

15.4 AUSTRALIAN INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

The components of this product are listed on the International Chemical Inventory list.

15.5 JAPANESE INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

JAPANESE MINISTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY (MITI) STATUS:

The components of this product are not listed as Class I Specified Chemical Substances, Class II Specified Chemical Substances, or Designated Chemical Substances by the Japanese MITI.

JAPANESE ENCS INVENTORY:

The components of this product are on the ENCS Inventory as indicated in the section on International Chemical Inventories, below.

POISONOUS AND DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES CONTROL LAW:

No component of this product is a listed Specified Poisonous Substance under the Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law.

15.6 INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL INVENTORIES:

Listing of the components on individual country Chemical Inventories is as follows:

Asia-Pac: Listed or Exempt from listing

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS): Listed or Exempt from listing

Korean Existing Chemicals List (ECL): Listed or Exempt from listing

Japanese Existing National Inventory of Chemical Substances (ENCS): Listed or Exempt from listing

Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS): Listed or Exempt from listing

Swiss Giftliste List of Toxic Substances: Listed or Exempt from listing

U.S. TSCA: Listed or Exempt from listing

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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