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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

YaraVera Granular Urea 46-0-0

## **Section 1. Identification**

GHS product identifier : YaraVera Granular Urea 46-0-0

Product type : Solid (granulates)

Product code : PA3854

<u>Uses</u>

Area of application : Professional applications

Material uses : Fertilizers.

<u>Supplier</u>

Supplier's details : Yara North America, Inc.

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responsible for this SDS Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number : US: Chemtrec 24-hours Emergency Response: 1-800-424-

(with hours of operation) 9

Canada: 24 Hour Emergency Service, CHEMTREC 1-800-

424-9300

National advisory body/Poison Center

Name : The National Poisons Emergency number

**Telephone number** : 1 800 222 1222

# Section 2. Hazards identification

OSHA/HCS status : This material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA

Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Classification of the substance or mixture.

Not classified.

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**GHS label elements** 

Signal word : No signal word.

**Hazard statements** : Not applicable.

**Precautionary statements** : Not applicable.

Hazards not otherwise

classified

None known.

Additional information

Product forms slippery surface when combined with water.

# Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance/mixture : Substance

**CAS** number/other identifiers

Other means of identification : Urea CAS number : 57-13-6

Ingredient name	%	CAS number
Urea	99.8	57-13-6

Any concentration shown as a range is to protect confidentiality or is due to batch variation.

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified and hence require reporting in this section. Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

## Section 4. First aid measures

#### Description of necessary first aid measures

Eye contact : Rinse with plenty of running water. Check for and remove any

contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Inhalation : If inhaled, remove to fresh air. In case of inhalation of

decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. Get medical attention if you feel unwell. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.

Skin contact : Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation

develops.

Ingestion : Wash out mouth with water. If material has been swallowed

and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention if adverse health

effects persist or are severe.

## Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

## Potential acute health effects

**Eye contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Inhalation : Exposure to decomposition products may cause a health

hazard. Serious effects may be delayed following exposure.

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**Skin contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Ingestion** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Over-exposure signs/symptoms

Eye contact: No specific data.Inhalation: No specific data.Skin contact: No specific data.Ingestion: No specific data.

#### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

Notes to physician : Trea

Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled. In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.

**Specific treatments** : No specific treatment.

Protection of first-aiders : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without

suitable training.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

# **Section 5. Fire-fighting measures**

#### **Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

Hazardous thermal decomposition products

Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

None identified.

No specific fire or explosion hazard.

: Decomposition products may include the following materials: nitrogen oxides, ammonia, Avoid breathing dusts, vapors or fumes from burning materials., In case of inhalation of decomposition products in a fire, symptoms may be delayed.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters

Remark Remark Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken

involving any personal risk or without suitable training.
Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment

and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

Non-flammable.Non-explosive.

# Section 6. Accidental release measures

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

For non-emergency personnel

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).

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For emergency responders

If specialized clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

**Environmental precautions** 

Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

#### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Small spill

Move containers from spill area. Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a designated, labeled waste container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

Large spill

Move containers from spill area. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a designated, labeled waste container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

# Section 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Not for human or animal consumption.

Protective measures

Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

# Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Control parameters**

#### Occupational exposure limits

Ingredient name	Exposure limits

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Urea	<b>OARS WEEL (1999-01-01).</b> TWA 10 mg/m3
Appropriate engineering controls Environmental exposure controls	<ul> <li>Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.</li> <li>Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.</li> </ul>
Individual protection measures	
Hygiene measures	: A washing facility or water for eye and skin cleaning purposes should be present. Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing.
Eye/face protection	: Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts.
Skin protection	
Hand protection	: Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. For general applications, we recommend gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm. It should be emphasized that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material.
Body protection	: Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected
Other skin protection	<ul> <li>based on the task being performed and the risks involved.</li> <li>Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.</li> </ul>
Respiratory protection	: In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.
Personal protective equipment (Pictograms)	

# Section 9. Physical and chemical properties and safety characteristics

The conditions of measurement of all properties are at standard temperature and pressure unless otherwise indicated.

## **Appearance**

Physical state : Solid [granulates]

Color : White.,

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Odor: Odorless. slight, ammoniacalpH: 9.5 [Conc. (% w/w): 100 g/l ]

Melting point/freezing point : 134 °C (273 °F)

Boiling point, initial boiling : Not applicable.

point, and boiling range

Flash point : Not applicable.

Flammability : Non-flammable.

Lower and upper explosion : Lower: Not applicable. Upper: Not applicable.

**Vapor pressure** : 0.000016 hPa @ 20 °C (68 °F)

**Relative vapor density** : Not applicable.

**Bulk density** : 740 - 780 kg/m3

**Density** : 1.33 g/cm3

**Solubility(ies)** : Easily soluble in the following materials:

cold water

Solubility in water : > 100 g/l

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Not applicable.

**Auto-ignition temperature** : Not applicable. **Decomposition temperature** : Not applicable.

Viscosity : Kinematic: Not applicable.

**Explosive properties** : Non-explosive.

Oxidizing properties : None

Particle characteristics

Median particle size : 3.2 mm

# Section 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity**: No specific test data related to reactivity available for this

product or its ingredients.

**Chemical stability**: The product is stable.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous

reactions will not occur.

Conditions to avoid : Avoid contamination by any source including metals, dust and

organic materials.

Incompatible materials : Urea reacts with calcium hypochlorite or sodium hypochlorite

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to form the explosive nitrogen trichloride.

**Remark** : Reactive or incompatible with the following materials:

Oxidizing agents

acids alkalis

Nitrites and nitrates

Hazardous decomposition

products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous

decomposition products should not be produced.

# **Section 11. Toxicological information**

#### Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

Product/ingredient name	Method	Species	Result	Exposure
Urea				
	OECD 401 LD50 Oral	Rat	14,300 mg/kg	Not applicable.

**Conclusion/Summary**: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Irritation/Corrosion

**Conclusion/Summary** 

**Skin** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Eyes** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Respiratory**: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Sensitization** 

**Conclusion/Summary** 

**Skin** : No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Respiratory** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Mutagenicity** 

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Carcinogenicity

Product/ingredient name	Method	Species	Result	Exposure
Urea				
	Oral	Rat	Negative NOAEL 2,250 mg/kg	Not applicable.

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Reproductive toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Method	Species	Result	Exposure
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Urea				
	Oral	Rat	Developmental-	7 days per
			Negative	week
			1000 mg/kg bw/day	

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Information on the likely

routes of exposure

Not available.

#### Potential acute health effects

**Eye contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Inhalation** : Exposure to decomposition products may cause a health

hazard. Serious effects may be delayed following exposure.

**Skin contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards. **Ingestion** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Eye contact: No specific data.Inhalation: No specific data.Skin contact: No specific data.Ingestion: No specific data.

#### Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

## Short term exposure

Potential immediate effects : Not available.
Potential delayed effects : Not available.

Long term exposure

Potential immediate effects : Not available.

Potential delayed effects : Not available.

## Potential chronic health effects

Product/ingredient name Method		Species	Result	Exposure
Urea				
	Chronic NOAEL	Rat	2,250 mg/kg	12 months 7
	Oral			days per week

Carcinogenicity
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 Mutagenicity
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 Reproductive toxicity
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 Effects on or via lactation
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.

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Other effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Over-exposure signs/symptoms

Eye contact:No specific data.Inhalation:No specific data.Skin contact:No specific data.Ingestion:No specific data.

## **Numerical measures of toxicity**

## Acute toxicity estimates

Product/ingredient name	Oral	Dermal	Inhalation (gases)	Inhalation (vapors)	Inhalation (dusts and mists)
Urea	14300 mg/kg	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

# Section 12. Ecological information

#### **Toxicity**

TOXICITY				
Product/ingredien	Method	Species	Result	Exposure
t name				
Urea				
	Acute LC50	Fish	21,060 mg/l	96 h
	Fresh water			
	Acute EC50	Daphnia	10,000 mg/l	24 h
	Fresh water			
	OECD 201	Algae	24,541.9 mg/l	72 h
	Acute EC50			
	Fresh water			
	OECD 201	Algae	6,895.8 mg/l	72 h
	Chronic EC10			
	Fresh water			
	215 Fish,	Fish	7,247 mg/l	28 d
	Juvenile Growth			
	Test			
	Chronic EC10			
	Fresh water			
	OECD 211	Daphnia	140.7 mg/l	21 d
	Chronic EC10			
	Fresh water			

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Persistence and degradability

Product/ingredient name	Test	Result	Dose	Inoculum
Urea	302B Inherent Biodegradability: Zahn-	96 % - Inherently biodegradable - 16 d	Not applicable.	Activated sludge

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Wellens/EMPA		
Test		

**Conclusion/Summary**: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Bioaccumulative potential

Product/ingredient name	LogPow	BCF	Potential
Urea	1.73-1.73	Not applicable.	low

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Mobility in soil** 

Soil/water partition coefficient (KOC) Mobility

: Not available.

: This product may move with surface or groundwater flows

because its water solubility is: high

Other adverse effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

# Section 13. Disposal considerations

#### **Product**

Methods of disposal

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

# **Section 14. Transport information**

	TDG Classification	DOT Classification	IMDG	IATA
UN number	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.
UN proper shipping name	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Transport hazard class(es)	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Packing group	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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Environmental	No.	No.	No.	No.
hazards				

#### **Additional information**

14.6 Special precautions for

<u>user</u>: Transport within user's premises: Ensure that persons

transporting the product know what to do in the event of

: UREA

an accident or spillage.

Transport in bulk according to

**IMO** instruments

Proper shipping

name

Remarks : Solid bulk cargoes

Harmful to the marine environment with regard to MARPOL Annex V: No Material is hazardous only in bulk according to the IMSBC:

No

IMSBC shipping group: C

# **Section 15. Regulatory information**

**United States** 

U.S. Federal regulations : TSCA 8(a) CDR Exempt/Partial exemption: Not

determined

Clean Air Act Section 112(b)

**Hazardous Air Pollutants** 

(HAPs)

Clean Air Act Section 602

Class I Substances Clean Air Act Section 602

Class II Substances

DEA List I Chemicals

(Precursor Chemicals)

**DEA List II Chemicals** 

(Essential Chemicals)

Not listed

Not listed

Not listed

Not listed

Not listed

#### SARA 302/304

#### **Composition/information on ingredients**

No products were found.

SARA 304 RQ : Not applicable.

**SARA 311/312** 

Classification : Not applicable.

#### **Composition/information on ingredients**

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No products were found.

#### State regulations

Massachusetts:None of the components are listed.New York:None of the components are listed.New Jersey:None of the components are listed.Pennsylvania:None of the components are listed.

#### California Prop. 65

**⚠ WARNING:** Cancer and Reproductive Harm - www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

#### **Inventory list**

Philippines inventory (PICCS): All components are listed or exempted.

New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC): All components are listed or exempted.

**Korea inventory:** All components are listed or exempted.

Japan inventory (CSCL): All components are listed or exempted. China inventory (IECSC): All components are listed or exempted. Australia inventory (AIIC): All components are listed or exempted.

**Taiwan Chemical Substances Inventory (TCSI):** All components are listed or exempted. **Taiwan Chemical Substances Inventory (TCSI):** All components are listed or exempted.

**United States inventory (TSCA 8b):** All components are active or exempted. **EC INVENTORY (EINECS/ELINCS):** All components are listed or exempted.

Canada: All components are listed or exempted.
Thailand: All components are listed or exempted.
Viet Nam: All components are listed or exempted.

## **Section 16. Other information**

## **Hazardous Material Information System (U.S.A.)**

Health	/	0
Flammability		0
Physical hazards		0

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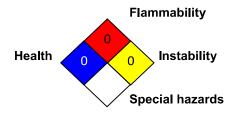
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#### **Chronic toxicity:**

- : No data available.
- \*: Carcinogen, Target organs, Reproductive effects, Sensitizer to lungs

#### National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

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#### Procedure used to derive the classification

Not classified.

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**Key to abbreviations** : ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate

BCF = Bioconcentration Factor

GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and

Labelling of Chemicals

IATA = International Air Transport Association

IBC = Intermediate Bulk Container

IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods

LogPow = logarithm of the octanol/water partition coefficient MARPOL = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of

1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)

N/A = Not available SGG = Segregation Group UN = United Nations

Key data sources : EU REACH ECHA/IUCLID5 CSR.

National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, U.S. Dept. of Health, Education, and Welfare, Reports and Memoranda Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical

Substances.

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