


SAFETY DATA SHEET

Big Value Garden Lime

Section 1: Substance Identification and Supplier

Product Name	Big Value Garden Lime
Other Names	Ground limestone, calcium carbonate
Chemical Formula	No chemical formula
Recommended Use	Fertiliser (Consumer Use (SU21))
Company Identification	Daltons Limited
Address	266 Hinuera Road West Matamata, 3440 New Zealand
Customer Centre	Phone 0800 808 150 (New Zealand) Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 7:30am – 5:00pm
National Poisons Information Centre	Phone 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) Phone 0800 CHEMCALL (0800 243 622) 24hr Emergencies Only
Emergency Telephone Number	111 - Tell operator which services are required (fire, ambulance, police)

Section 2: Hazard Identification

HSNO Hazard Classifications	Eye irritation category 2 (H319) Causes serious eye irritation.
Hazard Pictogram	
Signal Word	Warning
Prevention Statements	Keep out of reach of children. Read label before use. Read Safety Data Sheet before use. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not breathe in dusts. Wear protective gloves and clothing.
Response Statements	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Do NOT induce vomiting. <u>IF ON SKIN:</u> Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs seek medical attention. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. <u>IF IN EYES:</u> Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so, then continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Disposal	Dispose of this product in accordance with the product label directions. Do not dispose of this product down drains, waterways, or sewers. Dispose of in an approved landfill or according to local area regulations.

Section 3: Composition Information

Ingredient	Wt %	CAS No.
Lime (calcium carbonate)	>70%	471-34-1
Balance of ingredients deemed to be non-hazardous		

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Section 4: First Aid Measures

First Aid Measures	Consult the National Poisons Centre on 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a doctor immediately in every case of suspected poisoning.
Inhalation	If ill effects occur, remove patient to fresh air and keep at rest in position comfortable for breathing. Seek medical assistance.
Ingestion	If swallowed, seek medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a medical professional.
Skin	If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation persists, seek medical advice. Wash hands thoroughly before eating, drinking, or smoking.
Eye	Immediately flush eyes with gentle stream of water until irritation ceases, holding eyelids open if necessary. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Seek medical attention if eye irritation or infection occurs.
Advice to Physician	Treat symptomatically.

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Combustion Products	Non-flammable. No data available.
Extinguishing Media	Use appropriate extinguishing media for surrounding materials.
Protective Equipment	Use appropriate equipment, including a breathing apparatus, goggles, and protective gloves.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Spills and Disposal	Protect yourself and others from injury and from inhaling any dust that may be present. Wear appropriate protective clothing. Contain and isolate all spills immediately and sweep up. Collect and place in sealable containers. Avoid generating dust. Remove from all ignition sources. For major spills, contact local emergency services.
Protective Clothing	For appropriate personal protective equipment, see section 8.
Environmental	Avoid unintended release of excessive amounts into waterways or sewers. If contamination of sewers or waterways occurs, advise local emergency services.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Handling	Read the packaging information and the safety data sheet prior to opening and using this product. Pay particular attention to the information surrounding safe use and handling. Only use this product as intended. Do not breathe any dusts. Keep away from animals and supervise children when using this product. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid skin, mouth, and eye contact. Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product or in areas that may come in contact with this product. Always wear gloves and wash hands immediately after use and particularly before eating, drinking, or smoking.
Storage	Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Ensure containers are adequately labelled or in their original packaging, protected from physical damage and sealed when not in use. Store away from children, animals, food, and drink.

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Other Information	Avoid unintended release into the environment.
Approved Handler	Not required.
Tracking	Not required.
Record Keeping	Not required.

Section 8: Exposure Control/Personal Protection

Exposure Limits	Workplace Exposure Standards for particulates not otherwise classified: Inhalable Time Weighted Average (TWA): 10 mg/m ³ Respirable dust Time Weighted Average (TWA): 3 mg/m ³ Total Exposure Limit (TEL): Not assigned.
Engineering Controls	Use only in a well-ventilated area. Avoid generation and inhalation of dust. Keep packaging closed when not in use.
Protective Equipment	Respiratory Protection Always ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. If required, wear a suitable mask or particulate respirator according to AS/NZS 1715/1716. Skin Protection Avoid direct contact with skin. Always wear appropriate gloves such as nitrile gloves or those specified in AS/NZS 2161. Wash hands, arms and any skin which may have encountered the product with soap and water immediately after use and particularly before eating, drinking, or smoking. Wash any contaminated clothing and protective equipment before storing or reusing. Eye Protection Avoid contact with eyes. If there is a risk of dust exposure, wear dust resistant eye protection as specified in AS/NZS 1336 and ensure that the media is damp to reduce generation of dust.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	Fine to gritty white/off-white powder.
Odour	No specific odour.
Odour threshold	No data available.
Bulk density	2700 kg/m ³
pH	No data available.
Solubility in water	Some solubility in water.
Melting/freezing point	Melting point: 825°C
Boiling point	No data available.
Flash point	No data available.
Flammability	No data available.
Upper/lower flammability	No data available.
Vapour pressure	No data available.
Vapour density	No data available.
Relative density	No data available.
Partition coefficient	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Kinematic viscosity	No data available.

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability	Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid contact with foodstuffs, hands, eyes, and face. Avoid inhalation of dust. Avoid contact with other chemicals. Avoid excessive heat, ignition sources and open flames.

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Avoid fluorine, ammonium salts, alum (oxidising agents), Will burn in contact with fluorine, hygroscopic.

Incompatible Materials Heat and strong oxidisers, strong acids, and strong bases. Incompatible with fluorine.

Hazardous Decomposition Products No data available.

Section 11: Toxicological Information

No adverse health effects should occur if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the recommendations made on the packaging.

Ingestion Ingesting large amounts of the product may cause nausea and vomiting and lead to abdominal discomfort and increased risk of gastrointestinal complaints.

Skin Contact with skin may lead to skin irritation and in sensitive people may lead to dermatitis.

Inhalation Inhalation of the product may irritate or aggravate pre-existing respiratory conditions such as hayfever or asthma. Inhalation may also lead to irritation or inflammation of the nose, throat, or lungs.

Eye An irritant. May cause redness or watering and lead to irritation or infection.

Toxicity data No data available.

Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity Contain the media and avoid unintended release into streams, groundwater, and waterways.

Persistence No data available.

Degradability No data available.

Mobility No data available.

Bioaccumulation No data available.

Other adverse effects No data available.

Section 13: Disposal Information

Product disposal Observe any local authority, national and regional restrictions that may apply. Dispose of the product according to these observances. Dispose of the empty packaging by placing into domestic rubbish or according to local authority instructions.

Section 14: Transport Information

Transport Requirements Protect from extreme heat, moisture, and strong acids or bases.

Road and Rail Transport Not classified as a Dangerous Good under NZ5433:2012 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land.

Air Transport Not classified as a Dangerous Good by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulation for transport by air: Non Dangerous Goods.

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Marine Transport

Not Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG) for transport by sea. Non Dangerous Goods.

Section 15: Regulatory Information

EPA New Zealand Approval Code

Based on available information, classified as a Fertiliser (Subsidiary Hazard) Group Standard HSR002571 according to the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996.

Section 16: Other Information

This substance is classified hazardous according to the EPA Hazardous Substances (Classification) Notice 2017. This SDS supersedes all previous versions.

The data in this SDS relates only to the specific material designated herein and does not relate to use in combination with any other material. The information is provided in good faith based on current knowledge and experience. No warranty regarding the product properties is expressed or implied. This product must be used strictly as directed.

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Reason for Issue

To provide information and data on health and safety hazards of the product and to give guidance on how to safely handle in the workplace.

This Safety Data Sheet is provided in good faith based on current knowledge and experience and summarises the chemical, health, and safety hazards of this product. It also covers guidance on how to safely handle the product in the workplace.

Daltons Ltd cannot control the conditions or environment where the product is used, and each user must prior to usage assess and control the risks arising from the use of this product.

Contact Daltons Ltd if further information is required. Contact details are on Page 1.

ALWAYS READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT