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Nonionic Surfactant Compatibility Agent for Liquid Fertilizer-Pesticide Mixtures

#### **Principal Functioning Agents**

Alkyl polyglycoside, 2-ethylhexyl sulfate sodium salt	45.3%
Constituents ineffective as spray adjuvant	54.7%
Total	

All ingredients are exempt from the requirements of a tolerance as specified in 40 CFR 180.



# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

#### **Hazard Statements**

- · Causes skin irritation.
- · Causes serious eye damage.
- · May be harmful if swallowed.
- May be harmful in contact with skin.

#### **Precautionary Statements**

- · Wash thoroughly after handling.
- Wear protective gloves/clothing, chemical goggles and face shield.
- If in Eyes: Rinse continuously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do; continue rinsing.
- Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.
- If On Skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
- · If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.
- Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

#### First Aid

Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.

If Swallowed: Have the person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If Inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.

If In Eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.

If On Skin Or Clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes.

#### **General Information**

Compex Extra is a compatibility agent for direct addition to liquid fertilizers. It should be used where simultaneous application of liquid fertilizer and a pesticide is desired and improved stability of the mixture is required. Compatibility of liquid fertilizer-pesticide mixtures is essential to insure trouble-free, accurate and uniform application.

Crop protection chemicals do not always mix evenly with liquid fertilizers or the components may separate too quickly to make their combined use of practical value. Incompatibility may be due to pH, concentration and type of certain salts and percentage of water content of the liquid fertilizer.

Compex Extra is effective in improving compatibility and stability of most liquid fertilizer-pesticide mixtures. Compex Extra is completely soluble in liquid fertilizers such as 28-0-0, 10-34-0, 4-10-10 and 6-18-6.

#### Storage and Disposal

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

**Storage:** Store above 32° F. Store away from heat or open flame and oxidizing materials. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Store in a tightly closed container.

**Disposal:** Wastes resulting from this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. Triple rinse (or equivalent) during mixing and loading. Recycling decontaminated containers is the best option of container disposal. The Agricultural Container Recycling Council (ACRC) operates the national recycling program. To contact your state and local ACRC recycler visit www.acrecycle.org. Decontaminated containers may also be disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulations.

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#### **Directions For Use**

Add Compex Extra to the fertilizer solution at the rate suggested below and thoroughly mix prior to the addition of the pesticide. Add required amount of pesticide with agitation and allow to mix several minutes before application.

#### LIQUID NITROGEN FERTILIZERS -

1 to 2 pints/100 gallons of fertilizer (or 0.5 to 1.0 liters/400 liters)

#### LIQUID MIXED FERTILIZERS -

2 to 3 pints/100 gallons of fertilizer (or 1.0 to 1.5 liters/400 liters)

Although liquid fertilizer-pesticide mixtures prepared as suggested above may be stable from a few hours to overnight, it is advisable to apply the mixture as soon after preparation as is practical. Agitation during application is recommended if available. Always agitate before using if mixture has been allowed to stand.

#### Jar Test for Compatibility Prior to Use

Because of the wide variety of pesticide and liquid fertilizer combinations possible, the beneficial effects of Compex Extra on compatibility may be tested before using full scale mixing by following these steps:

- 1. Add one pint of liquid fertilizer into a jar.
- 2. Add 1/4 teaspoonful (or 1.25 ml) of Compex Extra. Shake gently for five to ten seconds to mix. 1/4 teaspoonful is the equivalent of two pints Compex Extra per 100 gallons of liquid fertilizer.
- 3. Add the appropriate crop protection chemicals per the table below. If more than one is used, add them separately with the wettable powders added first, flowables second and liquid last. Shake gently five to ten seconds after each addition.
- 4. After five minutes observe for the formation of flakes, sludge, gels or other precipitates. If incompatibility in any form described above occurs with Compex Extra added, the liquid fertilizer and the pesticide should not be used together in the same spray tank.
- 5. Allow to stand and observe periodically for 1/2 hour. If separate layers of liquid fertilizer and pesticide form, but can be resuspended by shaking, commercial application of the mixture is possible.

Use This Pesticide Chart to Test One Pint (16 fl. oz.) Liquid Fertilizer		If Your Pesticide Use Rate Is:	Tsp. to Use per Acre:
	Wettable Powders:	1.0 lb/acre	1.4 tsp.
		2.0 lb/acre	2.9 tsp.
		5.0 lb/acre	7.2 tsp.
	Emulsifiable Concentrates,	0.5 qt/acre	0.5 tsp.
		1.0 qt/acre	0.9 tsp.
	Flowable, or Liquds	3.0 qt/acre	2.9 tsp.

#### **Environmental Hazards**

Not for aquatic use. Do not contaminate water sources by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastewaters.

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