

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### **K&A Decide**

# 1. Company & Product Identification

**Company Identifier:** 

Manufacturer: BioAtlantis Ltd.

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**Product Identifier:** 

**Product Name:** Decide **Product Code:** A031

**Description:** Ascophyllum nodosum extract.

**EC number:** 283-907-6 **CAS number:** 84775-78-0

**Intended Use:** Plant growth biostimulant/organic fertilizer/foliar spray for use in agriculture and horticulture.

## 2. Hazard Identification

Classification: Non-hazardous Signal word: No signal word

**Precautionary statements:** If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Avoid breathing spray

Use personal protective equipment as required

Keep out of the reach of children

Other hazards: This product will stain skin upon prolonged exposure

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

**Substance Name:** Ascophyllum nodosum, extract.

**Substance Description:** 50% w/v soluble seaweed extract from *Ascophyllum nodosum*.

**Note:** Confidential business information has been omitted

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### 4. First-Aid Measures

**General:** Non-hazardous material. If irritation occurs, seek medical advice.

**Inhalation**: Remove the exposed individual from the area to fresh air is recommended.

Skin: Remove contaminated clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Seek medical

attention if irritation occurs.

Eyes: In case of contact, irrigate with clean water for >15 minutes. Seek medical attention if

irritation or redness persists.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed drink plenty of water or milk. Seek medical advice. Do not induce vomiting.

**First Aid Responders:** Wear rubber or nitrile gloves to prevent staining of skin.

## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

**General:** Non-flammable and non-explosive.

**Protective action:** In the event of a fire, keep containers cool with water spray.

Unusual fire/explosion hazards: Unknown.

Special protective equipment: Fire fighters should wear personal protective equipment to prevent contamination of

skin, eyes and personal clothing.

**Caution:** Slippery in liquid form or when mixed with water.

### **6. Accidental Release Measures**

**Safety Precautions:** Use personal protective equipment to prevent contamination of skin, eyes and clothing.

**Small spills:** May be washed to drain.

Large spills: Contain spill with sand, sawdust, absorbent clay or similar material. Sweep up and transfer

material into labelled containers for transfer to a safe place for disposal. Flush the area with plenty of water when all the spillage has been removed. This product will stain concrete.

**Drainage:** Prevent the spillage from entering watercourses, sewers or drains if possible. Inform the

authorities if gross contamination of water is threatened or occurs.

## 7. Handling and Storage

#### Precautions for safe handling:

- Eating, drinking and smoking in work areas is prohibited
- Use personal protective equipment to prevent contamination of skin, eyes and personal clothing.
- Avoid breathing mist/spray.
- If irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Avoid excessive handling which may cause staining of skin.
- Wash your hands after use.

#### Precautions for safe storage:

- Keep in original container, tightly closed.
- Store in a suitable cool, dry location, out of direct sunlight, away from direct sources of heat.
- Protect from frost.
- Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

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## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Advisable to spray product in a well-ventilated area. Do not intentionally breathe spray.

Respiratory Protection: No respirator is required.

**Hand Protection: Skin Protection:**Wear rubber or nitrile gloves to prevent staining of skin.
Wear a water impermeable bodysuit to prevent staining of skin. **Eye Protection:**Wear chemical goggles. Eyewash facilities should be available.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Black/brown liquid

Odour: Marine

Odour Threshold:Not determinedpH:7.5 – 9.0Melting Point/Freezing Point:Not determinedInitial Boiling Point/Boiling Range:Data lacking

Flash Point: N/A

Evaporation Rate:

Flammability:

Upper/lower flammability or exposure limits:

Vapour Pressure:

Vapour Density:

Relative Density:

Solubility:

Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water:

Not determined
Not determined
1.22 − 1.24 Kg/L
≥99% water soluble
Not determined
Not determined

Auto-ignition Temperature: 550 °C

**Decomposition Temperature:**Not determined
Viscosity:
<a href="mailto:square:"><300 cP</a>

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

**General**: Stable under recommend storage conditions. It can be stored for 2 years in unopened containers. **Incompatible Materials**: Do not mix with highly acidic chemicals. Oxidants and acids may cause degradation.

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid direct sunlight, protect against excessive heat and freezing.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products: N/A** 

## 11. Toxicological Information

**Acute oral toxicity:** Ingestion of large amounts may induce nausea. **Skin corrosion/irritation:** No sensitisation effects have been observed.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data lacking Respiratory of skin sensitisation: Data lacking Germ cell mutagenicity: Data lacking Carcinogenicity: Data lacking Reproductive toxicity: Data lacking STOT – single exposure: Data lacking STOT – repeated exposure: Data lacking

**Aspiration hazard:** No sensitisation effects have been observed.

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## 12. Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** High concentrations may cause scorching in plants. Not toxic to vertebrates,

invertebrates or marine algae.

Persistence and Degradability: Components are readily biodegradable.

**Bioaccumulative Potential:** 

Biodegradable. Product presents minimal environmental impact. Spillages:

Prevent the spillage from entering watercourses, sewers or drains if possible. Inform the authorities if gross contamination of water is threatened or occurs.

# 13. Disposal Considerations

Consult the local authorities for advice on disposal of unwanted or waste product. **Product Disposal:** 

Packaging Disposal: Dispose of containers as local regulations allow. **Personal Protection:** Person carrying out disposal should wear PVC gloves.

Caution: Do not contaminate surface waters or ditches with product or used containers.

## 14. Transport Information

General: Non-hazardous material. No special precautions required.

**Road Transport:** Not hazardous **UN Number:** No UN Number

**Proper Shipping Name:** BioAtlantis Liquid Seaweed Extract Concentrate

IMDG Class: Not applicable **CPL Packing Group:** Not applicable

# 15. Regulatory Information

Composition: Ascophyllum nodosum, extract.

**H-Statements:** None

P-Statements: P102: Keep out of reach of children.

P261: Avoid breathing spray.

P281: Use personal protective equipment as required.

P332/313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

R-Phrases: None

S-Phrases: S2: Keep out of the reach of children.

S23: Do not breathe spray.

S36/37/39: Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

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# 16. Other information

The above information is intended to give health and safety guidance on the storage and transport of the substance or product to which it relates. It is not intended to apply to the use of the product, for which purpose the product label and any appropriate technical usage literature available should be consulted and any relevant licences, consents or approvals complied with. The requirements or recommendations of any relevant site or working procedure, system or policy in force or arising from any risk assessment involving the substance or product should take precedence over any of the guidance contained in this safety data sheet where there is a difference in the information given. The information provided in this safety data sheet is accurate to the best of the issuer's available knowledge at the date of publication, and will be updated as and when appropriate. No liability will be accepted for any loss or damage resulting from any failure to take account of information or advice contained in this safety data sheet.

Certified by the following:

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date: 20/01/2012

Mark Davis Quality Coordinator, BioAtlantis Ltd.

**End of Material Safety Data Sheet** 

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### **Certification of OGM-free Products**

Date: 28 Journey 2012

BioAtlantis Ltd confirms that it does	not use any g	genetically modi	fied organisms in the
production of the following product:			

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Signed:

John T. O'Sullivan,

CEO BioAtlantis Ltd.



## Certification of Amino Alcohol-free Products

BioAtlantis Ltd confirms that the following product is free of amino alcohols including but not limited to morpholine, monoethanolamine, diethanolamine, triethanolamine, propanolamines and butanolamines:

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Signed:

John T. O'Sullivan,

CEO BioAtlantis Ltd.



#### CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

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DATE:

22/04/2011

**BATCH NO:** 

A031E112

**DESCRIPTION:** 

A natural plant growth stimulant obtained by alkaline hydrolysis of *Ascophyllum nodosum* harvested off the

West Coast of Ireland.

PHYSICAL ANALYSIS:

Appearance:

Black liquid

Odour:

Marine

pH:

8.4

Concentration:

497.9 g/L dry matter/L (49.79% w/v)

Specific Gravity:

1.23g/ml

**CHEMICAL ANALYSIS:** 

Dry matter

40.48% w/w

Inorganic Matter

18.05% w/w

Organic Matter

22.43% w/w

Signed:

Mark Davis

Quality Coordinator, BioAtlantis Ltd.



#### TO WHOM IT CONCERNS,

**PRODUCT NAME: K&A Decide** 

**MANUFACTURER: BIOATLANTIS LTD** 

**COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: REPUBLIC OF IRELAND** 

We certify that the product above is manufactured in the Republic of Ireland by BioAtlantis Ltd.

Date: 20/0//2012

Yours Faithfully,

John T. O'Sullivan

**CEO BIOATLANTIS**