

## Epsom Salt

chemically pure, FCC

Magnesium Sulphate Heptahydrate ( $\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$ )

Purity and properties correspond to the requirements of the a.m. regulation (see enclosed table for values/limits)

**Nature of Product:** white crystals

### Chemical Analysis:

	w	typical
• Magnesium Sulphate ( $\text{MgSO}_4$ )	%	49.2
• Water ( $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ )	%	50.7
• Na	mg/kg	35
• K	mg/kg	700
• Ca	mg/kg	10
• Cl	mg/kg	60

### Granulometry:

	typical
• < 1 mm	70 %
• $d_{50}$	0.75 mm

### Physical Properties:

- Bulk Density ca. 980 kg/m<sup>3</sup>
- Molecular Weight 246.48 g/mol
- Solubility in water w ( $\text{MgSO}_4$ ) = 26.3 % at 20 °C (68 °F)  
readily soluble, practically without residues; always vigorously stir the salt into water or solution

### Special characteristics:

Depending on ambient temperature and prevailing relative humidity the product is prone to absorption of water and dehydration, which can result in caking.

### Packaging:

- 25 kg bags, palletised and shrink-wrapped
- Big Bags

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### Limits for Epsom Salt according to FCC

Parameter	FCC
Assay	$\geq 99.5$ % on the ignited basis
Characters	colorless crystal or a granular crystalline powder
Solubility	readily soluble in water, slowly soluble in glycerine, and sparingly soluble in alcohol
Identification	a 1:20 aqueous solution gives positive tests for Magnesium and for Sulfate
Lead	$\leq 4$ mg/kg
Loss on ignition	40.0 – 52.0 %
Selenium	$\leq 30$ mg/kg

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