

# Ferrous Sulfate Heptahydrate, Dried



## GENERAL

Diamond Brand® Dried Ferrous Sulfate Heptahydrate (FeSO<sub>4</sub>·7H<sub>2</sub>O) is also called iron sulfate, green vitriol, or copperas. Ferrous Sulfate Heptahydrate is derived from the processing of ilmenite ore in the manufacture of the paint pigment Titanium Dioxide, or as a co-product from the pickling of steel. At QC Corporation, we evaporate all exterior moisture from each crystal, via rotary dryers, to produce a free-flowing Dried Ferrous Sulfate Heptahydrate, containing no exterior free water.

## APPLICATIONS

Diamond Brand® Ferrous Sulfate products are used as a reducing agent in the treatment of hazardous wastes and as a coagulant and flocculent in the treatment of sewage waste, industrial effluents, raw drinking water and other wastewater sources. In addition, it is used as a reducing agent in the removal of phosphates and odor causing hydrogen sulfide from various waste sources.

The Agricultural, Lawn and Garden, and Turf Management industries use Diamond Brand® Ferrous Sulfate to correct iron chlorosis or deficiencies in plants and soils, to eliminate moss, to reduce alkalinity, and as a trace element or micronutrient in fertilizers. In addition, it is used in the diets of swine, poultry and other animals as a feed supplement, to prevent anemia caused by iron deficiencies.

## PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Dried Ferrous Sulfate Heptahydrate is free-flowing, has consistent iron, sulfur, water and oxygen contents, and goes into solution rapidly. Dried Ferrous Sulfate Heptahydrate has the tendency to compact and/or cake (becomes hard) under various shipping and storage conditions, particularly in extremely hot environments that exceed 75° F. QC Corporation can add up to 2% Calcium Carbonate as an anti-caking agent.

<b>Appearance</b>	<b>Blue-Green Monoclinic Crystalline Water-Soluble Salt</b>
<b>Bulk Density</b>	<b>65 Lbs./Cu. Ft.</b>
<b>Sieve Analysis</b>	<b>95% -16/+100</b>
<i>Please note that up to 2% of Calcium Carbonate can be added to this product as an anti-caking agent upon request. Calcium Carbonate is insoluble in water and can potentially clog filters or pumps.</i>	

Information regarding the contents and levels of metals in this product is available on the Internet at <http://www.wa.gov/agr/> or <http://www.qccorporation.com>

## CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Iron	20% ± 0.5%
Sulfur	12%
Oxygen	22%
Water	45%

## PACKAGING AND TRANSPORT MODES

- ◆ 50 Lb. Bags Via Truck Or Rail
- ◆ 2,000 Lb. Super-Sacks Via Truck Or Rail
- ◆ Bulk Via Truck Or Rail
- ◆ Custom Valve Pack Bags Are Available Upon Request

## TRACE MATERIALS (MAXIMUM PPM)

Shipping Point:	Cape Girardeau, MO	Cape Girardeau, MO	North Lima, OH
Raw Material Source:	Steel Mill	Titanium Dioxide	Steel Mill
<b>Arsenic</b>	1	1	1
<b>Cadmium</b>	2	2	5
<b>Chromium</b>	50	11	30
<b>Copper</b>	6	11	15
<b>Lead</b>	12	11	17
<b>Magnesium</b>	500	6,400	127
<b>Manganese</b>	950	1,350	2,200
<b>Nickel</b>	123	55	121
<b>Zinc</b>	160	500	900

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