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Product Name SYNERGY Insecticide Synergist

Classified as hazardous

### 1. Identification

**GHS Product** 

SYNERGY Insecticide Synergist

**Identifier** 

3318 **Product Code** 

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number

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the chemical and restrictions on use

Other Information

Recommended use of For use as a synergist when applying synthetic pyrethroid insecticides in cotton, and in a tank mixture with Astral 250EC Insecticide/Miticide for the control of silverleaf whitefly, sweet potato whitefly and corn earworm in cucurbits and tomatoes. See the Directions for Use table on the label. This Safety Data Sheet describes the properties of the concentrated product.

The physical properties and the assessments may not apply to the properties of

the product once it has been diluted for application.

### 2. Hazard Identification

GHS classification of

SS-1 Sensitization - Skin: Category 1 ED2A Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 2A

substance/mixture

FL4 Flammable Liquids: Category 4 AC1 Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (Chronic): Category

Chronic 1

Signal Word (s)

WARNING

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. **Hazard Statement (s)** 

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

AUH066 Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking

H227 Combustible liquid

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**Precautionary** statement - General P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P103 Read label before use.

Pictogram (s)

Exclamation mark, Environment





**Precautionary** 

P261 Avoid breathing vapours and spray.

statement -Prevention

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

P280 Wear protective gloves, clothing, eye and face protection.

P264 Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

**Precautionary** 

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. statement – Response

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P391 Collect spillage.

Other Information Poisons Schedule: Not Scheduled

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

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Ingredients	Name	CAS	Proportion
	Piperonyl butoxide Other ingredients (considered non-hazardous)	51-03-6	800 g/L 0-10 %
	Octabenzone	1843-05-6	0-10 %

### 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Not a likely route of exposure.

Remove affected person to fresh air until recovered.

Ingestion Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.

Give a glass of water.

If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting; seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label or contact the Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Aust). Make every effort to prevent vomit from entering the lungs by

careful placement of the patient.

Skin Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-use.

Wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water.

If irritation persists, seek medical advice.

Eye contact If in eyes, hold eyelids open and wash with copious amounts of water for at

least 15 minutes.

Seek medical advice if irritation develops or persists.

(Australia) on 13 11 26.

Advice to Doctor Treat symptomatically.

If vomiting occurs, solvent and surfactants present may cause pulmonary

pneumonitis.

If large amounts of material have been swallowed, remove by gastric lavage.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Water fog, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical.

extinguishing media

Hazards from

Although material is not flammable, the concentrate is combustible.

Combustion Products

**Special Protective Equipment for fire** 

Breathable air apparatus must be worn if material is involved in fires

especially in confined spaces.

fighters

Hazchem Code 3Z

Other Information STOP FIRE WATER FROM ENTERING DRAINS OR WATER BODIES.

## 6. Accidental release measures

Spills & Disposal Contain spill and absorb with clay, sand, soil or proprietary absorbent (such

as vermiculite).

Collect spilled material and waste in sealable open-top type containers for

disposal.

Dispose of at a landfill in accordance with local regulations.

Clean-up Methods -Large Spillages Place damaged containers in recovery bins (if available) and return to

manufacturer.

Environmental Prevent from entering drains, waterways or sewers.

Precautions

### 7. Handling and storage

Conditions for safe storage, including

Store in the closed, original container in a cool, well ventilated area.

Do not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight.

any incompatibilities

Other Information Always read the label and any attached leaflet before use.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

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Occupational exposure limit values No biological exposure limit allocated.

No exposure standards have been set for this product.

The manufacturer of the solvent has recommended an occupational exposure

limit of 100 mg/m3; 17ppm TWA, as total hydrocarbon.

The manufacturer has recommended the following exposure standard for

octabenzone: TLV (TWA) 1 mg/m3, STEL - mg/m3.

**Appropriate** engineering controls Handle in well ventilated areas, generally natural ventilation is adequate.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

**Hygiene Measures** 

It is good practice to wear suitable personal protective equipment (PPE). When opening the container, preparing spray and using the prepared spray wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist and a washable hat,

elbow-length PVC gloves and goggles.

When mixed with insecticide, follow the safety precautions for that product. After use and before eating, drinking or smoking, wash hands, arms and face

thoroughly with soap and water.

After each day's use, wash contaminated clothing and safety equipment.

9. Physical and chemical properties

**Form** Liquid

Amber coloured liquid **Appearance** 

Odour Solvent odour

Forms an emulsion in water. Solubility in Water

1.036 - 1.040 **Specific Gravity** 

7.0 - 8.0 (5% in water)pН

Vapour Pressure 2.0 x 10-2 mPa @ 60°C (gas saturation method)

Partition Coefficient: Kow Log P is 4.75 for piperonyl butoxide

n-octanol/water

**Flash Point** 63°C

Combustible Liquid (GHS). **Flammability** 

10. Stability and reactivity

Possibility of

Keep away from strong oxidising agents, may react violently.

hazardous reactions

Hazardous

Hazardous polymerisation is not possible.

**Polymerization** 

11. Toxicological Information

Toxicology Information No harmful effects are expected if the precautions on the label and this MSDS

are followed.

**Acute Toxicity - Oral** 

The following data is for the active ingredient, piperonyl butoxide. LD50 (rat) 7500~mg/kg

LD50 (rabbit) 7500 mg/kg

Acute Toxicity -

LD50 (rat) >7950 mg/kg for piperonyl butoxide LD50 (rabbit) 1880 mg/kg for piperonyl butoxide

**Dermal** Acute Toxicity -

LC50 (rat) > 5.9 mg/1

Inhalation

Ingestion

The concentrate is of low toxicity if swallowed.

Amounts swallowed incidental to normal handling procedures and use are not

expected to cause injury.

However, swallowing large amounts of concentrate may cause nausea and

Not a likely route of exposure when handling the concentrate. Inhalation

Prolonged contact with the concentrate can cause defatting of the skin and may Skin

result in dermatitis.

Prolonged contact with the concentrate may result in absorption of piperonyl

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butoxide in harmful amounts.

Eye The concentrate may cause irritation of the eyes.

Skin Sensitisation Prolonged and repeated skin contact may result in skin sensitisation due to

the presence of octabenzone.

Carcinogenicity Data indicates no carcinogenic effects.

Reproductive Data indicates no teratogenic effects.

Not a skin irritant.

Reproductive Toxicity

Skin

ductive Data indicates no teratogenic effects.

Chronic Effects Chronic Overexposure: Insufficient data are available to allow satisfactory

documentation of possible effects.

Mutagenicity Data indicates no mutagenic effects.

corrosion/irritation

Other Information

The Australian Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI) for piperonyl butoxide for a human is 0.1 mg/kg/day, set for the public for daily, lifetime exposure. This is based on the NOEL of 16 mg/kg/day, the level determined to show no effects during long term exposure for the most sensitive indicators and the most sensitive species. (Ref: Aust Govt Dept. of APVMA, 'ADI List', February 2021).

12. Ecological information

Persistence and degradability

Loss from soil is principally by oxidation.

 $\textbf{Other Precautions} \qquad \text{Do not contaminate dams, waterways or sewers with this product or the } \\$ 

containers which have held this product.

Acute Toxicity - Fish The following is data for the active ingredient, piperonyl butoxide.

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**Acute Toxicity -**

LC50 (48hr) for piperonyl butoxide is 0.51 mg/l.

Daphnia

Acute Toxicity - EC50 (72hr) for piperonyl butoxide is 0.24 mg/l.

Algae

13. Disposal considerations

Product Disposal On site disposal of the concentrated product is not acceptable.

Ideally, the product should be used for its intended purpose. If there is a need to dispose of the product, approach local authorities who hold periodic collections of unwanted chemicals (ChemClear®).

Container Disposal Do not use this container for any other purpose.

Triple or preferably pressure rinse containers before disposal. Add

rinsings to the spray tank.

If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or

designated collection point.

If not recycling, puncture or shred and bury containers in local authority

landfill.

If no landfill is available, bury the containers below 500mm in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose clear of waterways,

desirable vegetation and tree roots.

Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

14. Transport information

Transport It is good practice not to transport agricultural chemical products with

Information food, food related materials and animal feedstuffs.

Hazchem Code 3Z

Storage and Not a dangerous good in packs not exceeding 500 kg (L) or IBCs not exceeding Transport 3000 kg (L) (Special Provision AU01) by the Australian Code for the Transport

of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

UN Number (Sea

Transport)

3082

IMO Class/Packing

Class 9/PG III

Group

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**IMO Proper** 

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S (piperonyl butoxide)

**Shipping Name** 

**IMDG Marine** Marine pollutant

pollutant

15. Regulatory information

WHS Schedule 11: item 10 - Flammable Liquid category 4 . Regulatory

Information

Not Scheduled **Poisons Schedule** 

Packaging & Labelling

READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

Other Information This product is registered with the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary

Medicines Authority (APVMA). APVMA product number: 58463.

16. Other Information

Date of preparation Revised 17/08/2021

or last revision of **SDS** 

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After Hours: Shift Supervisor Phone: 1800 033 498

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