

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Chemical/Product Name:	Ripcord Plus Ant Killer
Recommended uses:	Insecticidal liquid bait
Restrictions on Use/Supply:	None
Molecular Formula:	Mixture
Supplier:	Kiwicare Corporation Limited
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Emergency Contact Numbers:	0800 764 766 (0800 POISON)
National Poisons Centre:	0800 764 766 (0800 POISON)

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Hazard Classification	Transport of Dangerous Goods Pictogram	GHS Pictogram	Signal word	Hazard statement code	Precautionary statement codes			
					Prevention	Response	Storage	Disposal
Repr.2	Not applicable for the UN RTDG Model Regulations		Warning	H361	P103 P201 P202 P281	P308+P313	P405	P501
STOT RE.2	Not applicable for the UN RTDG Model Regulations		Warning	H373	P103 P260	P314	No storage statements	P501

Signal word:

WARNING

Dangerous Goods:

Not a Dangerous Goods

Packaging Group:

Not applicable: Packaging must comply with Part B, clause 8 – Hazardous Substances (Packaging) Notice 2017.

Hazardous Substance (GHS) Codes:

Reproductive Toxin Cat. 2

Specific Target Organ Toxin – Repeated Exposure Cat. 2

Pictograms:



Hazard Statement:

H361: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Designed for biocidal action

Precautionary Statements:

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.

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P201: Obtain special instructions before use.

P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P260: Do not breathe dust.

P281: Use personal protective equipment as required.

P314: Get medical advice if you feel unwell.

P308+313: If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

P405: Store locked up

P501: Rinse container and dispose to landfill or recycling where allowed. Any appropriate and achievable methods for the disposal of a substance in accordance with the Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Notice 2017. Do NOT burn.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Appearance: Light blue low viscosity liquid

Ingredients

Ingredients	CAS #	Content %
Boric Acid	10043-35-3	4 – 6
Sodium Borate	1330-43-4	5.5 - 8.5
Non specified non-hazardous ingredients	NA (Mixture)	to 100 %

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General information: In case of accident, or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice or call the National POISON Centre on 0800 764 766.

Ingestion: Rinse mouth. Drink one to two glasses of milk or water. Seek medical advice or call NZ Poisons Centre on 0800 764 766. If medical advice is needed have product label at hand.

Eye Contact: Unlikely to cause eye irritancy. Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If irritation

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develops, seek medical advice and have product label at hand.

Skin Contact:

Unlikely to cause skin irritation. Rinse skin with copious amounts of water and wash with soap and water. If skin irritation develops seek medical advice.

Inhalation:

Unlikely to present an inhalation hazard. If breathing problems develop, seek medical advice and have product label at hand.

Advice for Medical Doctors:

Treat symptomatically

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

HAZCHEM code:

See HAZCHEM code determination

Specific Hazards:

Minimise the use of water to prevent environmental contamination.

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Use extinguishing media appropriate to the surrounding conditions.

Fire Fighting Advice:

Fire fighters should wear full protective gear, including self-contained breathing apparatus (AS/NZS 1715/1716). Bund area with sand or earth to prevent contamination of drains or waterways. Dispose of fire control water or other extinguishing agent and spillage safely later.

Hazardous Products of Combustion:

No data for the mixture.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Environmental precautions:

Prevent leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Minor Spills (Up to 20 kg):

Low environmental hazard. Contain spill and collect.

Major Spills (more than 20 kg):

Minimise spread. Contain spill and collect. Do not allow product or washings to enter the waterways or sewer. If spill does enter waterway contact local authority.

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Collect in an appropriate sealable container for disposal in an approved landfill or incinerate at an authorised installation.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling:

Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin and eye. Avoid inhaling dust. When handling product in bulk, safety footwear should be worn, and proper handling equipment should be used. Always use good personal hygiene procedures when handling this product. Wash hands and face before eating, drinking or smoking. Clean equipment after use. Do not contaminate drains, sewers or waterways.

Conditions for safe Storage including incompatibilities:

Keep out of the reach of children. Store locked up in original container in a cool, dry, ventilated place, away from direct heat of sunlight. Store away from foodstuffs, children and animals. Do not allow product to get wet in storage.

Minimum shelf life: 2 years.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Keep away from heat sources although the product has no flammability. The product is not explosive. Keep away from oxidizing agents.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Standards:

No exposure standards apply for this product.

Engineering Controls:

Avoid breathing the substance.

Hand protection:

If repeated or prolonged contact wear chemical resistant gloves.

Eye protection:

No special requirement when used as recommended.

Body protection:

No special requirement when used as recommended.

Respiratory Protection:

No special requirement when used as recommended.

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General safety and hygiene measures:

Handle in accordance with good hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. Minimise contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental Exposure Controls:

Minimise release to the environment.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Light blue low viscosity liquid

Odour: Mild Odour

Odour Threshold: No data

pH Value: 5.5 – 7.5

Melting/freezing point: No data

Boiling point (range): No data

Flash Point: No data

Flammability: Not applicable

Explosive limits: No data

Vapour pressure: No data

Vapour density: No data

Relative density: 1.10 – 1.30 kg/l

Solubility: Soluble

Partition coefficient: No data

Auto-ignition temperature: No data

Decomposition temperature: No data

Viscosity: No data

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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability & Chemical reactivity:	Stable under normal conditions of use. Not explosive or oxidising.
Incompatibility or conditions to be avoid:	None known
Corrosive Properties:	Not corrosive to metals.
Thermal Decomposition:	Hazardous products of combustion; see section 5 for details.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Hazard Class:	Repr.2, STOT RE: 2,
Acute Toxicity:	No data for the mixture
Aspiration hazard:	Unlikely to cause an aspiration hazard
Skin corrosion/irritation:	Unlikely to cause skin corrosion or irritation
Serious eye damage/irritation:	Unlikely to cause serious eye irritation
Respiratory or skin sensitisation:	Unlikely to cause skin sensitisation and/or contact dermatitis
Germ cell mutagenicity:	No data available
Carcinogenicity:	IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible, or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
Reproductive toxicity:	Causes reproductive toxicity
Specific organ toxicity – single exposure:	No data available
Specific organ toxicity – repeated exposure:	May cause human target organ toxicity via prolonged or repeated exposure
Narcotic effects:	No data available.

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To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated

12. ECOTOXICITY INFORMATION

Ecological information of substance:	Do not contaminate waterways, sewers, or drains when using product or packaging.
Bioaccumulation:	Not likely to Bioaccumulate
Soil Toxicity:	No soil toxicity.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment – recommendation:	Any appropriate and achievable methods for the disposal of a substance in accordance with the Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Notice 2017.
Container Disposal:	Empty containers can be recycled or sent to landfill after cleaning if in compliance with local and national regulations. DO NOT reuse containers.
Methods of disposal to avoid	Do not empty down stormwater system

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road, Rail; Marine and Air:

UN Number:	None
Dangerous Goods Class:	Not dangerous goods. Not restricted for transport. (HSNO ADR/RID; IMDG; IATA/ICAO)
Hazchem Code:	None
Packaging Group:	NA
Proper Shipping Name:	None
Segregation:	None

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15. N.Z. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPA HSNO Number:	HSR000818
GHS Classifications:	Repr.2, STOT RE.2
HSNO Controls:	Refer to HSR000818
Additional Controls:	None

16. OTHER INFORMATION

SDS date of preparation: 07 / 08 / 2026

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All Safety Data Sheets are subject to review and should not be left longer than five years before and update is obtained.

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Abbreviations:

ADR:	European agreement concerning the international carriage of Dangerous goods by Road
CLP:	Classification Labelling and Packaging
EC:	European Commission
EU:	European Union
GHS:	Global Harmonized System
H Phrase:	Hazard Phrase

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HSNO:	Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (1996) Act
IATA:	International Air Transport Association
ICAO:	International Civil Aviation Organisation
IMDG:	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
P Phrase:	Precautionary Phrase
RID:	Regulations concerning the International carriage of Dangerous good by rail
STEL:	Short-Term Exposure Limit
TLV:	Threshold Limit Value
TWA:	Time Weighted Average

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