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Product Name RETAIN®

1. Identification

GHS Product

RETAIN®

Identifier

04527 **Product Code**

Product Type Plant Growth Regulator

Company Name Nufarm NZ

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Number

Emergency phone

0800 651 911

number

E-mail Address info@nufarm.com

the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use of A naturally occurring plant growth regulator for apples and stonefruit (except cherries) which can improve harvest management, fruit quality and enhance

storage potential.

Other Information This SDS describes, to the best of our knowledge, the properties of the

concentrated product. The physical properties and some of the assessments do not apply to the properties of the product once it has been diluted for application. Acute health effects of the diluted product are likely to be

much less severe.

2. Hazard Identification

GHS classification of DANGEROUS GOODS.

the

substance/mixture

Other Information 6.9A target organ toxicant, 9.1A aquatic toxicant, 9.3C terrestrial

vertebrate toxicant,

TOXICITY

Harmful - may cause organ damage from repeated oral exposure at high doses.

ECOTOXIC

Very toxic to aquatic organisms. Harmful to terrestrial vertebrates.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredients	Name	CAS	Proportion
	Aminoethoxyvinylglycine (AVG) hydrochloride	55720-26-8	150 g/kg
	Ingredients determined to be non-hazardous	-	Balance

4. First-aid measures

For advice contact the National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a First Aid Measures

doctor immediately. Begin artificial respiration if the victim is not breathing. Use mouth-to-nose rather than mouth-to mouth. Obtain medical

attention.

easy to do.

Remove patient to fresh air. Lay down and keep warm and rested. If breathing Inhalation

is shallow or has stopped ensure airway is clear and apply resuscitation.

Seek medical assistance immediately.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If swallowed do NOT Ingestion

induce vomiting. For advice, contact the National Poisons Centre (0800 764

766). Seek medical assistance immediately.

Immediately flush body and clothes with large amounts of water. Remove Skin

contaminated clothing and footwear. Wash affected areas with soap and water.

If a large area is affected seek medical assistance.

Flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 minutes holding eyelids open if Eye contact

necessary. Seek medical assistance. Remove contact lenses, if present and

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First Aid Facilities Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an

eyewash facility and safety shower.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Choose extinguishing media to suit the burning material.

extinguishing media

Water fog, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical.

Special Protective Equipment for fire

Full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus.

fighters

Specific Methods Keep up wind. Do not allow washings to reach sewage or effluent systems.

Hazchem Code 2X

Other Information Location Certificate: Not applicable

Hazardous Atmosphere Zone: Not applicable Number of Fire Extinguishers: Not applicable

6. Accidental release measures

Spills & Disposal Wear protective clothing. Clear area of unprotected personnel. Sweep up

solids without generating dust (use water to dampen). Contain and absorb liquid spills with inert material and place in waste containers. If spill does enter waterways contact the local authority. Collect in an appropriate

sealable container for disposal in an approved landfill.

 $\textbf{Personal Protection} \quad \text{For appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE), refer Section 8. } \\$

Environmental Precautions

Prevent from entering drains, waterways or sewers.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for Safe Avoid breathing spray mist.

Handling

APPROVED HANDLER: This product must be under the control of an approved

handler when used by a commercial contractor.

TRACKING: Is not required

RECORD KEEPING: Records of use as described in the NZS 8409 Management of

Agrichemicals must be kept.

Do not apply onto or into water.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Keep out of reach of children.

Store in original container tightly closed and in a locked, dry, cool area away from foodstuffs. Storage must be in accordance with NZS 8409 Management of Agrichemicals.

Stores containing 100kg of RETAIN PLANT GROWTH REGULATOR are subject to

signage, and more than 100kg require emergency response plans.

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

Aggregate Storage Volume Thresholds:

When stored with substances of the same hazard classification the aggregate quantity must be considered. For full details refer to the current NZS8409

Management of Agrichemicals and the HSNO Regulations.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limit values

No exposure limits (WES, TEL or EEL's) have been specifically assigned for

this product.

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in well ventilated areas, generally natural ventilation is adequate.

Personal Protective Equipment When opening the container, preparing spray and using the prepared spray wear safety goggles, waterproof gloves, cotton overalls buttoned to the neck

and wrist, and boots.

Hygiene Measures Do not eat, drink or smoke while using.

Remove protective clothing and wash hands and face thoroughly before meals

and after work. Wash protective clothing daily after work.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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Solid Form

Off-white to pale yellow fine powder **Appearance**

Odourless Odour Solubility in Water Soluble

5.6 in 10% aqueous solution pН Bulk density = $0.78g/cm^3$ **Density**

Non flammable. **Flammability**

Auto-Ignition

>400°C

Temperature

(SP) Water Soluble Powder Other Information

10. Stability and reactivity

Stable under normal conditions of handling and storage. **Chemical Stability**

Not known to occur. Hazardous

Polymerization

11. Toxicological Information

Acute Toxicity - Oral LD50 (rat) >7,000mg/kg

Acute Toxicity -

LD50 (rabbit) >5,000mg/kg

Dermal

Acute Toxicity -LC50 (4h) (rat) 5.16mg/L. Nose only exposure at maximum attainable

concentration. Inhalation

Inhalation Available information suggests respiratory changes from prolonged inhalation

and may aggravate pre-existing respiratory ailments.

Produced slight redness in several animals at site of application. Effects Skin

disappeared within 24 hours after treatment. Not classified as a skin

irritant.

Slight, transient conjunctival irritation was observed in all rabbits. Eye

effects disappeared within 72 hours after treatment. Not classified as an eye

irritant.

Not a skin sensitizer in quinea pigs. Skin Sensitisation

No evidence of carcinogenicity or genotoxicity. Carcinogenicity

Target organ - liver, kidney, testes. Subchronic/Chronic

Toxicity

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicological data have not been determined specifically for this product. **Basis for Assessment**

Data below is for the active ingredient unless otherwise stated.

LC50 (96h) trout >139mg/L for aminoethyoxyvinylglycine hydrochloride **Acute Toxicity - Fish**

Acute Toxicity -

EC50 (48h) = >135mg/L for aminoethyoxyvinylglycine hydrochloride

Daphnia

Highly toxic to both algae and duckweed for aminoethyoxyvinylglycine Acute Toxicity -

hydrochloride Algae

Oral LD50 northern bobwhite quail = 121mg/kg for aminoethyoxyvinylglycine Acute Toxicity -

hydrochloride Other Organisms

Dietary LC50 (5 days) northern bobwhite quail 230 ppm for

aminoethyoxyvinylglycine hydrochloride

LD50 (48h) honeybees = >100µg/bee for aminoethyoxyvinylglycine hydrochloride

LC50 earthworm = >1,000ppm

13. Disposal considerations

Dispose of product only by using according to the label, or at an approved **Product Disposal**

landfill.

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Ensure container is completely empty. Burn in an appropriate incinerator if **Container Disposal**

circumstances, such as wind direction, permit. Otherwise crush and bury in an

appropriate landfill.

14. Transport information

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

food, food related materials and animal feedstuffs. Information

U.N. Number

UN proper shipping

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. - (aminoethoxyvinylglycine hydrochloride, 15%)

2 X

III

Transport hazard

class(es)

Hazchem Code

Packaging Method

Packing Group EPG Number

IERG Number 47

IMO Marine

Yes. Environmentally Hazardous Substance mark required.

Pollutant

IMDG EMS F-A, S-F

Segregation: Check the latest Land Transport Rule Dangerous Goods Rule 45001 Other Information

for additional information. Sea transport may require additional segregation.

Refer NZS5433 sea segregation for details.

15. Regulatory information

National and or

Registered pursuant to the ACVM Act 1997, No. P4890 See www.foodsafety.govt.nz for registration conditions International

Regulatory

Approved pursuant to the HSNO Act 1996, Approval Code HSR000763

See www.epa.govt.nz for approval controls. Information

Packaging &

Labelling

NFPA/HMIS: 1-1-0 **Hazard Rating**

ECOTOXIC

Jan 2018

Systems

16. Other Information

Date of preparation

or last revision of

SDS

Contact Person/Point IN AN EMERGENCY, DIAL 111 - FIRE OR POLICE

24Hr Tollfree Emergency No: 0800 651 911

24Hr Emergency No: National Poisons Centre Phone: 0800 764 766

Revisions

5 yearly review carried out.

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