

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Section 1: IDENTIFICATION

Product Name:	AVID
Design Code:	A8612A
Recommended Use:	Insecticide
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National Poisons & Hazchem Information Centre :	0800 POISON (0800 764 766)

Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard classification:	3.1D, 6.1D, 6.3A, 6.4A, 6.8A, 6.9B, 9.1A, 9.2C, 9.3B, 9.4A
Priority Identifier:	WARNING KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
Secondary Identifiers:	3.1D = Combustible liquid 6.1D = May be harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. 6.3A = May cause skin irritation 6.4A = May cause eye irritation 6.8A = May cause reproductive / development damage from repeated oral exposure 6.9B = May cause neurotoxicity and other organ damage from repeated oral exposure at high doses 9.1A = Very toxic to aquatic organisms 9.2C = Harmful to the soil environment 9.3B = Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates 9.4A = Very toxic to terrestrial invertebrates.

Section 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Mixture:		
Chemical Identity of ingredients:		
Ingredient	CAS no.	Content (%)
Abamectin (combination of avermectin B1a and avermectin B1b)	71751-41-2	18
Hexan-1-ol	111-27-3	>=20-<30
n-methyl-2-pyrrolidone	872-50-4	>=20-<30
2,6-di-tert-butyl-p-cresol	128-37-0	>=0.25-<1
other ingredients determined not to be hazardous	-	to 100%

Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of First Aid measures:	
General Advice:	For advice contact the National Poisons Centre on 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a doctor immediately. Begin artificial respiration if the victim is not breathing. Use mouth to nose rather than mouth to mouth. Obtain medical attention.

If inhaled:	Move the victim to fresh air. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration. Keep patient warm and at rest. Call a Doctor or the National Poisons Centre immediately.
In case of skin contact:	Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Wash off immediately with plenty of water. If skin irritation persists, call a doctor. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.
In case of eye contact:	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses (if present). Immediate medical attention is required.
If swallowed:	If swallowed seek medical advice immediately and show the container or label. DO NOT induce vomiting.
Important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:	
Symptoms:	Lack of co-ordination. Tremors Dilation of the pupil
Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:	
Treatment:	This material is believed to enhance GABA activity in animals. It is probably wise to avoid drugs that enhance GABA activity (barbiturates, benzodiazepines, valproic acid) in patients with potentially toxic emamectin benzoate exposure. Toxicity can be minimised by early administration of chemical absorbents (eg activated charcoal). If toxicity from exposure has progressed to cause severe vomiting, the extent of resultant fluid and electrolyte imbalance should be gauged. Appropriate supportive parental fluid replacement therapy should be given, along with other required supportive measures as indicated by clinical signs, symptoms and measurements.

Section 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media:	
Suitable extinguishing media:	Small fires: Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Large Fires: Alcohol resistant foam or water spray.
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:	
Specific hazards during fire-fighting:	AS the product contains combustible organic components, fire will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous products of combustion (see section 10) Exposure to decomposition products may be a hazard to health. Flash back possible over considerable distance.
Advice for firefighters:	
Special protective equipment for firefighters:	Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus.
Further information:	Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Environmental Precautions:

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.
If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (eg, sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

Clean with detergents. Avoid solvents.

Retain and dispose of contaminated water.

Reference to other sections:

Refer to disposal considerations listed in Section 13.
Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe handling:

Advice on safe handling:

No special protective measures against fire required.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

For personal protection see section 8.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Requirements for storage areas and containers:

No special storage conditions required. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of reach of children.

Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

Specific end use(s)

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For proper and safe use of this product, please refer to the approval conditions laid down on the product label.

Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROL / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits:

Components	CAS No	Exposure limit	Type of exposure limit	Source
N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone	872-50-4	25 ppm 103 mg/m ³	TWA	WES
N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone	872-50-4	75 ppm 309 mg/m ³	STEL	WES
White mineral oil (petroleum)	8042-47-5	5 mg/m ³	TWA	CH SUVA
Abamectin (combination of avermectin B1a and avermect B1b)	71751-41-2	0.02 mg/m ³	TWA	Syngenta
2,6-di-tert-butyl-p-cresol	128-37-0	10 mg/m ³	TWA	WES

Exposure controls	
Engineering measures:	<p>Containment and/or segregation is the most reliable technical protection measure if exposure cannot be eliminated.</p> <p>The extent of these protection measures depends on the actual risks in use.</p> <p>Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure standards.</p> <p>Where necessary, seek additional occupational hygiene advice.</p>
Personal Protective Protection:	
Eye protection:	<p>Tightly fitting safety goggles.</p> <p>Always wear eye protection when the potential for inadvertent eye contact with the product cannot be excluded.</p>
Hand protection:	
Material:	Impervious gloves, such as nitrile rubber
Break through time:	>480 min
Glove thickness:	0.5 mm
Remarks:	<p>Wear protective gloves. The choice of an appropriate glove does not only depend on its material but also on other quality features and is different from one producer to the other. Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion and the contact time. The breakthrough time depends amongst other things on the material, the thickness and the type of glove and therefore has to be measured for each case. Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.</p>
Skin and body protection:	<p>Choose body protection in relations to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances and to the specific work-place.</p> <p>Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.</p> <p>Wear as appropriate:</p> <p>Impervious protective suit.</p>
Respiratory protection:	<p>No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.</p> <p>When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.</p>
Protective measures:	<p>The use technical measures should always have priority over the use of personal protective equipment.</p> <p>When selecting personal protective equipment, seek appropriate professional advice.</p> <p>Personal protective equipment should be certified to appropriate standards.</p>

Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties:	
Appearance:	Liquid
Colour:	Yellow to red brown
Odour:	Sweetish
Odour threshold:	No data
pH value	2.6-3.6 (20°C-25°), concentration: 1% w/v
Melting point / freezing point:	No data
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	No data
Flash point:	72.5°C (1,013.25 hPa)
	Method: DIN EN 22719

Flammability:	No data
Upper / lower flammability / explosive limits:	No data
Vapour pressure:	No data
Vapour Density:	No data
Density:	0.96 g/cm ³ (20-25°C)
Solubility:	No data
Partition co-efficient: n-octanol / water:	Log Pow: 4.4 (25°C)
Autoignition temperature	255°C
Decomposition temperature:	No data
Dynamic viscosity:	19.0 mPa.s (20°C) 11.4 mPa.s (40°C)
Explosive properties:	Not explosive
Oxidising properties:	Not oxidising
Surface tension:	37.1 mN/m, 20°C

Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity:	None reasonably foreseeable.
Chemical Stability:	The product is stable when used in normal conditions.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
Conditions to Avoid	No decomposition if used as directed.
Incompatible Materials:	None known
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

HSNO Classifications:	<p>6.1D = May be harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin.</p> <p>6.3A = May cause skin irritation.</p> <p>6.4A = May cause eye irritation.</p> <p>6.8A = May cause reproductive / development damage from repeated oral exposure.</p> <p>6.9B = May cause neurotoxicity and other organ damage from repeated oral exposure at high doses.</p>
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Acute toxicity (similar composition)	
Swallowed:	LD ₅₀ 288 mg/kg (rat, male and female)
Dermal absorption:	LD ₅₀ >2000 mg/kg (rat, male and female)
Inhaled:	LC ₅₀ (4 h) 7.8 mg/L (rat, male and female)
Aspiration hazard:	Not classified
Respiratory irritation:	Not classified
Skin corrosion / irritation:	IRRITANT (rabbit/HSNO Classification)
Eye damage / irritation:	IRRITANT (rabbit)
Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation:	NOT A SENSITISER (skin - guinea pig/HSNO Classification)
Chronic / Long Term Effects (active ingredient)	
Germ cell mutagenicity:	Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.
Carcinogenicity:	No evidence of carcinogenicity in animal studies.
Reproductive toxicity:	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone: Clear evidence of adverse effects on development, based on animal experiments. Abamectin: some evidence of adverse effects on development, based on animal experiments.

Specific Organ toxicity:	<p><i>Single exposure:</i> The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.</p> <p><i>Repeated exposure:</i> The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure, Class 6.9B.</p>
Narcotic Effects:	Not classified

Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

HSNO Classifications:	
9.1A =	Very toxic to aquatic organisms
9.2C =	Harmful to the soil environment
9.3B =	Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates
9.4A =	Very toxic to terrestrial invertebrates.
Ecotoxicity Effects – aquatic (product)	
Acute toxicity to fish:	LC ₅₀ (96 h) = 0.13 mg/L (<i>Onchorhynchus mykiss</i> [rainbow trout])
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:	EC ₅₀ (48h) = 0.029 mg/L (<i>Daphnia magna</i> (water flea))
Toxicity to algae:	EC ₅₀ (96 h) = >82 mg/L (<i>Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata</i> [green algae])
Ecotoxicity Effects – terrestrial (active ingredient unless otherwise specified)	
Toxicity to Birds:	LD ₅₀ = 84.6 mg/kg (mallard duck) LD ₅₀ = >2000 mg/kg (bobwhite quail)
Toxicity to soil dwelling organisms:	Product: LC ₅₀ (14 days) = >1000 mg/kg (earthworms)
Toxicity to Bees:	LD ₅₀ = 0.017-0.54 µg/bee (active ingredient)
Persistence and degradability:	
Biodegradability:	Abamectin: Not readily biodegradable
Stability in water:	Degradation half-life: 1.7 d Not persistent in water.
Bioaccumulative potential:	
Bioaccumulation:	Abamectin: Does not bioaccumulate.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Log Pow: 4.4
Mobility in soil:	
Distribution among environmental compartments:	Abamectin: Slight mobile in soils
Stability in soil:	Dissipation time: 12-52 d Percentage dissipation: 50% (DT ₅₀) Not persistent in soil.
Other adverse effects:	
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment (product):	This substance contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product Disposal:	DO NOT contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used containers. DO NOT dispose of waste into sewer. Dispose of this product only by using according to the label. Otherwise, dispose of waste at an approved landfill or other approved facility that will ensure the substance does not exceed the tolerable exposure limit (TEL) or environmental exposure limit (EEL), where relevant, or will treat the substance so that it is rendered no longer hazardous.
Container Disposal:	Ensure the container is empty. Triple rinse empty container and add rinsate to the spray tank. Recycle empty container through Agrecovery (0800 247 326, www.agrecovery.co.nz). Otherwise crush and bury in a suitable landfill. DO NOT reuse this container for any other purpose.

Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Rail / Road (NZS 5433)	UN-No:	2902
	Class:	6
	Packing Group:	III
	Proper shipping name:	PESTICIDE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (abamectin)
Sea (IMDG-Code)	UN-No:	2902
	Class:	6
	Packing Group:	III
	Proper shipping name:	PESTICIDE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (abamectin)
	EmS Code:	F-A, S-A
	MARINE POLLUTANT:	Yes
Air (IATA)	UN-No:	2902
	Class:	6
	Packing Group:	III
	Proper shipping name:	PESTICIDE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (abamectin)
	Packing instruction:	Y642 (cargo and passenger aircraft)

Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

HSNO Approval Number:	HSR000734
Tolerable Exposure Limit or Environmental Exposure Limit:	None set at this time.
Required Regulatory Controls:	
Certified handler:	No
Tracking:	No
Record Keeping:	Yes, 9.1A and 9.4A substance
ACVM Registration:	P 4648
ACVM Controls:	See www.foodsafety.govt.nz/industry/acvm for registration conditions.
International Agreements related to the substance (eg, Montreal Protocol, Stockholm Convention or Rotterdam Convention):	

Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Date of SDS Preparation / Review:	6 March 2018
Version number of SDS:	5
Key / Legend to abbreviations and acronyms used:	
AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances;	MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships;
ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil;	n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified;
ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials;	Nch - Chilean Norm;
bw - Body weight;	NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration;
CMR -Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant;	NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level;
CPR - Controlled Products Regulations;	NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate;
DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation;	NOM - Official Mexican Norm;
DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada);	NTP - National Toxicology Program;
ECx - Concentration associated with x% response;	NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals;
ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response;	OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and
EmS - Emergency Schedule;	

ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan);
ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response;
ERG - Emergency Response Guide;
GHS - Globally Harmonized System;
GLP - Good Laboratory Practice;
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer;
IATA - International Air Transport Association;
IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk;
IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration;
ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization;
IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China;
IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods;
IMO - International Maritime Organization;
ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan);
ISO - International Organisation for Standardization;
KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory;
LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population;
LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose);

Development;
OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention;
PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance;
PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances;
(Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship;
REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals;
SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature;
SDS - Safety Data Sheet;
TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory;
TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods;
TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States);
UN - United Nations;
UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods;
vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative;
WES - Workplace Exposure Standard (Worksafe NZ)
WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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