

# 1: Identification of the Substance and Supplier

Product Name CHLORBACK 75WG

Recommended Use Herbicide

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## 2: Hazards Identification

**Hazard Pictograms** 



#### Signal Words

### **Hazard Classes:**

6.3B Skin Irritation (Cat. 3)6.4A Eye Irritation (Cat. 2)

6.9B Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Oral Cat. 2)

9.1B Aquatic Ecotoxicity (Cat. 2)

#### **Precautionary Statements:**

Prevention

Response

## Warning

#### **Hazard Statements:**

H316 Causes mild skin irritation H319 Causes serious eye irritation

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling P280 Wear eye protection / face protection

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray

Keep out of reach of children. Read label before use. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Do not breathe in the spray mist. When mixing or applying, wear personal protection as described in section 8. Take all reasonable steps to ensure that this product does not cause any significant adverse effects to the environment beyond the application area. Do

not apply directly into or onto water.

P332+P317 If skin irritation occurs get medical advice

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing

P337+P317 If eye irritation persists: Get medical help

P319 Get medical help if you feel unwell

First aid measures described in section 4. Contain and collect spillage for disposal. In an emergency call 111, Police or Fire Brigade. For specialist advice in an emergency only,

call 0800 CHEMCALL (0800 243 6225) (24 hrs).

Storage Keep out of reach of children.

Disposal P501 Dispose of contents by using it in accordance with this label. Dispose of the

container via AgRecovery after triple rinsing (use the rinsate for spraying).

# 3: Composition/ Information on Ingredients

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Ingredient CAS No Content (% w/w)

Chlorthal-dimethyl (active ingredient) 1861-32-1 75

Other ingredients Proprietary Remainder

#### 4: First Aid Measures

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. For advice call the National Poisons Centre or a Doctor

**Ingestion:** Seek medical advice if feeling unwell

**Skin Contact:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Seek medical advice if irritation occurs.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if easy to do so. Continue rinsing.

Seek medical advice if irritation persists.

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Seek medical advice if feeling

unwell.

Workplace Facilities: Hand wash facility. Eye wash facility

Advice to Doctor: No specific antidote. Treat symptomatically

National Poison Centre 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) (24 hours)

Symptoms of Exposure which could occur if this material is not handled in accordance with instructions:

**Ingestion:** Nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea.

Skin Contact: Irritation
Eye Contact: Irritation

**Inhalation:** May cause irritation

#### 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

Fire/Explosion Hazard Non-flammable. As with many dusts, an explosive air/dust mixture may be formed if rough handling

liberates dust from the granules in enclosed or poorly ventilated areas.

HAZCHEM Code 2Z ERP Guide No 47

**Extinguishing Media** Water spray, foam, dry chemical or C02. Avoid water jet.

Fire Fighting Instructions During a fire, toxic fumes may be emitted. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Contain runoff.

Specific Hazards Arising from Fire No data available

#### 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions Wear protective clothing as described in section 8. Do not inhale dust. Exclude non-essential people from

the area.

**Environmental Precautions** Prevent further spillage or leakage. Prevent material from entering drains, waterways, etc.

**Clean Up**Moisten to prevent dusting and carefully sweep up. Collect and place in a sealable container for disposal.

Wash down affected area with water and detergent. Absorb and collect washings for disposal. Dispose of

safely to a suitable landfill.

# 7: Handling and Storage

**Storage:** Keep out of reach of children. Store in the original tightly closed container in a secure area.

Handling and Use: Keep out of reach of children. Refer to Prevention statements in section 2 above. Keep people and animals

away from the area while spraying and for the duration of the REI.

REI Until spray has dried

#### 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Tolerable Exposure Limit

None established

Workplace Exposure Standards

None established

**Engineering Controls**Select spray application equipment to minimize exposure to operator and bystanders

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Personal Protection

Eye Safety glasses/goggles when mixing or applying

**Skin**Cotton overalls snugly fitting at the neck, wrist and ankle, boots and waterproof gloves when mixing and

applying

**Respiratory**Not required where dust or spray mist is not inhaled. Otherwise, respirator (organic vapour and particulate

matter) is required.

Clean protective equipment after use

# 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

**Appearance** Off White Granule

**Odour** Mild musty

Odour Threshold

PH

6 - 8 (1% dispersion)

Melting Point/Freezing Point

No data available

Boiling PointNo data availableFlash PointNot applicableFlammabilityNot flammable

Upper/Lower Flammability Limits Not available. As with many dusts, an explosive air/dust mixture may be formed if rough handling liberates

dust in enclosed or poorly ventilated areas

No data available **Vapour Pressure** No data available **Vapour Density** No data available **Relative Density** Solubility in Water Dispersible Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water See section 12 **Auto ignition Temperature** Not applicable **Decomposition Temperature** No data available **Kinematic Viscosity** No data available

### 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability Stable under normal conditions

Hazardous ReactionsNone ExpectedIncompatibilityNone KnownHazardous Decomposition ProductsNone Known

# 11: Toxicological Information

This section describes effects which could occur if this material is not handled in accordance with this data sheet and label instructions

Acute Oral ToxicityLD50 > 5000 mg/kgAcute Dermal ToxicityLD50 > 5000 mg/kgAcute Inhalation ToxicityLD50 > 5 mg/L

Skin Irritant/Corrosive Irritation
Eye Irritant/Corrosive Irritation
Sensitisation Effects None
Mutagenic Effects None
Carcinogenic Effects None
Reproductive Effects None

Specific Organ Toxicity In animal feeding studies on chlorthal dimethyl, signs of toxicity included mild to moderate tremors,

wheezing, and nasal discharge. Beginning with the 2nd week, small skin lesions were noted on the face and head. Lesion severity increased and some gradually developed into deep sores. All animals survived the 28-day period. There was insufficient data to compare body weight gains and food consumption.

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Pathological changes included dark and congested livers, congested and pale kidneys and spleens; and kidney and liver weights were higher

#### 12: Ecological Information

This section describes effects which could occur if this material is not handled in accordance with this data sheet and label instructions

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• Acute Oral LD50 (Mammal) >5000 mg/kg

LC50 (48 hr) (Rainbow trout) >4.7 mg/l

• EC50 (48 hr) (Daphnia) >4.6 mg/l

• EC50 (72 hr) (Algae) >10 mg/l

Non-toxic to bees.

Persistence/degradability Biodegradable DT50 (soil) 59 days (typical)

**Bioaccumulative Potential** Octanol-water partition coefficient LogP = 4.28 (high)

**Soil Mobility** Soil organic carbon water partitioning coefficient Koc = 2963 (slightly mobile

Environmental Exposure Limit: None established

#### 13: Disposal Considerations

**Product** Dispose of product by using it in accordance with the label. Waste product should be disposed of to a

suitable landfill. For disposal of large quantities contact Orion AgriScience Ltd.

Container Dispose of to a suitable landfill or via AgRecovery. Do not burn. Do not use packaging for any other

purpose.

### 14: Transport Information

**Dangerous Goods** 

UN Number 3077

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (CHLORTHAL-DIMETHYL 75%)

Class

Subsidiary Class None
Packing Group

Additional Information MARINE POLLUTANT

MTQ (Non-Commercial) 1000 Kg

Passenger Service Vehicle No restriction

### 15 Regulatory Information

**EPA Approval No** HSR000646

ACVM Registration No P8676

Qualified PersonNot requiredCertified HandlerNot required

Workplace Only No

Tracking Not required
Record Keeping Not required

Site Requirements under EPA Notice

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A hazardous substance location compliance certificate is not required

• A hazardous area is not required

• Separation distances for class 3 and class 6 substances to protected places and public places is not applicable

• Fire extinguishers are not required

Signage is required for more than 1000 Kg

An emergency response plan is required for more than 1000 Kg

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• Secondary containment is not required

• Segregation from incompatible substances is not required

**Additional Requirements** 

Refer to NZS 8409:2004 'Management of Agrichemicals', and relevant local and regional council plans

16: Other Ir	nformation
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Glossary

ADE Acceptable Daily Exposure – A daily dose, received via any route, below which no adverse effects are

expected over a lifetime of exposure

ACVM Agricultural Compounds and Veterinary Medicines group of the Ministry of Primary Industries

**Cat.** GHS category

**Ceiling**A concentration that should not be exceeded at any time during any part of the working day

**Certified Handler** A qualification issued by a Compliance Certifier to handle and use particularly toxic substances (6.1A and

6.1B)

**DT50** Time (days) for 50% reduction in concentration

**EC50** Concentration required to produce an effect in 50% of organisms

Environmental Exposure Limit Maximum concentration limit of a substance in an environmental medium, e.g., water, soil.

**EPA Notice** Hazardous Property Controls Notice 2017

**ERP Guide**Dangerous Goods – Initial Emergency Response Guide SNZ HB 76:2008 **GHS**Globally harmonized system of classification and labelling of chemicals

**Hazardous Substance Location** For locations storing hazard substances of certain classes above threshold quantities

**Compliance Certificate** 

**Hazardous Area** A designated area designed for the presence of flammable substances - Refer AS/NZS 60079.10.1:2009

**HAZCHEM Code** Emergency action code for emergency services

**HSWHS Regs** Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017

**LC50** Concentration that will kill 50% of organisms

**LD50** Dose that will kill 50% or organisms

MTQ Maximum Transport Quantity. The maximum amount of dangerous goods that can be transported by road

by the user

**Notification**Advance notice given to neighbours and other affected parties, of details of proposed application, and

other details as described

Octanol-Water Partition Coefficient The partition coefficient of a substance between n-octanol and water, used as the Logarithm base 10

form, as an indicator that a substance may bioaccumulate

PDE Permitted Daily Exposure - A daily dose below which no adverse effects are expected over a lifetime of

exposure

Protected Place Residential properties, schools, hospitals, kindys, factories, shops, warehouses, etc., and other places where

people assemble

Public Place A place frequented by the public, including roads (does not include private property)

**Qualified Person** A requirement for the loader, contractor or person applying the product to hold a qualification such as a

GROWSAFE Certificate, Unit Standard 21563, etc.

**Record Keeping** Includes a spray diary or other record of application

**REI**Restricted Entry Interval – The length of time after application before entry into the treated area is

permitted without the use of protective equipment. For indoor environments, this time period commences

once ventilation after treatment begins.

**Segregation** Certain classes of substances must not be in contact with, and must be stored separately from, certain

other classes as specified in HSWHS Regs

Separation Distances The distances specified in Part 11 and Part 13 of HSWHS Regs between storage and/or use of hazardous

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substances and protected places and/or public places

Signage Positioned at entrances to commercial premises providing information on the hazardous substances

present

Soil Adsorption Coefficient (Kd) The ratio of the concentrations of a substance adsorbed onto a solid sorbent to that dissolved in a liquid

phase. The higher the value the less mobile the chemical is in soil

Soil Organic Carbon-Water The ratio of the mass of a chemical that is adsorbed in the soil per unit mass of organic carbon in the soil.

**Partitioning Coefficient (Koc)** The higher the value the less mobile the chemical is in soil **STEL** Short term exposure level - 15 minute time weighted average

**Tolerable Exposure Limit** Maximum concentration limit of a substance above which persons must not be exposed

**Tracking** 

For some particularly hazardous substances, a record must be kept of the transport, storage, sale and use

of the product

**TWA** Time weighted average calculated over an 8 hour working day

**Workplace Exposure Standard** An occupational health standard limiting concentrations of specified substances to which persons are

exposed

**Workplace Only** A product that is restricted to a workplace only and under the supervision of a certified handler

Users must ensure that the most up to date version of this safety data sheet is used.

This Safety Data Sheet summarises information on this product, and how to safely handle and use the product. Each user should familiarise themselves with the product label and Safety Data Sheet, and consider the information in the context of how the product will be handled and used, including in conjunction with other products. Orion AgriScience Ltd assumes no responsibility for the accuracy, completeness or suitability of this information. The user is responsible for determining the suitability and accuracy of this information for their particular purposes.

If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate risk assessment can be made, the user should contact this company.

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