

Material Safety Data Sheet

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Product Name : **MATADOR with Zeon Technology Insecticide**

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name MATADOR with Zeon Technology Insecticide
Product Code 1082
Product Type Group 3A Insecticide
Company Name Crop Care Australasia Pty Ltd (ABN 53 061 362 347)
Address Unit 15/16 Metroplex Avenue Murarrie
Queensland 4172 Australia
Emergency Tel. 1800 033 498
Telephone/Fax Number Tel: (07) 3909 2000 Fax: (07) 3909 2010
Recommended Use For the control of certain insect pests in cotton, barley, wheat and other field crops, and in oranges, lemons, brassicas, potatoes and tomatoes as per the Directions for Use table on the label.
Other Information This MSDS 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. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard Classification HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.
DANGEROUS GOODS.
Hazard classification according to the criteria of NOHSC.
Dangerous goods classification according to the Australia Dangerous Goods Code.
Risk Phrase(s) R25 Toxic if swallowed.
Safety Phrase(s) S1/2 Keep locked up and out of reach of children.
S13 Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.
S24 Avoid contact with skin.
S37/39 Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.
S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell seek medical advice immediately
Other Information Poisons Schedule S6

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Characterization Liquid

Ingredients	Name	CAS	Proportion
	Lambda-cyhalothrin	91465-08-6	250 g/L
	Other ingredients (considered non-hazardous)		>60%

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation Remove affected person to fresh air until recovered.
If symptoms develop or persist, seek medical advice.

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Ingestion	Rinse mouth and then drink plenty 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. The above first aid instructions are mandated by the Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care via the National Drugs and Poisons Schedule. These instructions are suitable for ingestion of spray solution and small amounts of concentrate; however, if SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNTS of the concentrate have been swallowed (more than about 10ml) AND if medical assistance is more than 30 minutes away, the induction of vomiting should be CONSIDERED, preferably based on MEDICAL ADVICE if a physician can be contacted by phone. All care must be taken to prevent vomit from being inhaled. Do not give anything by mouth to a semi-conscious or unconscious person.
Skin	Wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-use. Obtain medical advice immediately.
Eye	If in eyes, hold eyelids open and wash with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical advice.
Advice to Doctor	Treat symptomatically. In cases of skin contact, application of Vitamin E cream has been found to have very high therapeutic value.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media	If involved in a fire, the product will not burn. Choose extinguishing media to suit the burning material.
Hazards from Combustion Products	If involved in a fire, the dehydrated components may emit oxides of carbon, oxides of nitrogen and minor quantities of hydrogen chloride and hydrogen fluoride.
Speical Protective Equipment for fire fighters	Breathable air apparatus must be worn when fighting a fire in which this product is involved.
Specific Hazards	Considered low risk due to water content, however upon evaporation of water the product is combustible.
Hazchem Code	2X

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.
Personal Protection	For appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE), refer Section 8.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling	Do NOT contaminate dams, rivers or streams, or any other water bodies with chemical or used containers.
Conditions for Safe Storage	Store in the closed, original container in a cool, well ventilated area. Do not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Store in a locked enclosure. Keep container tightly sealed and do not store with seed, fertilisers or foodstuffs.
Other Information	Always read the label and any attached leaflet before use.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

National Exposure Standards	No exposure standard has been established for this product. The manufacturer has recommended the following exposure standard for lambda-cyhalothrin: TLV (TWA) 0.04 mg/m ³ , STEL - mg/m ³ SK. 'SK' notice - absorption through the skin may be a significant source of exposure. The exposure standard is invalidated if such contact should occur.
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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 cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist and a washable hat, elbow-length PVC gloves and face shield or goggles. Re-entry period: Do not enter treated area until spray has dried.
Hygiene Measures	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.
Requirements Concerning Special Training	NSW regulations require that people who use pesticides in their job or business must have training in the application of the materials. By 1st September, 2005 all users must have received such training.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form	Liquid
Appearance	Beige Liquid
Solubility in Water	Disperses in water.
Specific Gravity	1.10
pH Value	5.43 (1% aqueous solution)
Vapour Pressure	2×10^{-4} mPa (lambda-cyhalothrin)
Octanol/Water Partition Coefficient	Kow Log P is 7 (lambda-cyhalothrin)
Flammability	Non combustible material.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions.
Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerisation is not possible.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Inhalation	May cause irritation to the respiratory tract.
Ingestion	Possible symptoms of exposure to the concentrate include: nausea, vomiting and abdominal pains.
Skin	May irritate the skin. Exposure to lambda-cyhalothrin can result in sensations of tingling especially in the face. The effects are transient and generally disappear in one to two days. Topical application of vitamin E cream is effective in reducing discomfort. Prolonged contact with the concentrate may result in absorption of lambda-cyhalothrin in harmful amounts, however possible exposure is reduced by encapsulation of the active ingredient. Allowing the product to dry on the skin, or contact with hot water/vapours used to wash equipment removes the advantage of the microcapsule.
Eye	May irritate the eyes.
Chronic Effects	Based on available data, repeated exposures are not anticipated to cause additional significant adverse effects.
Acute Toxicity - Oral	LD50 (rat) 180 - 245 mg/kg for the formulated product
Acute Toxicity - Dermal	LD50 (rat) >2000 mg/kg for the formulated product
Acute Toxicity - Inhalation	LC50 (rat) (4hr) 3.12 mg/l for a similar formulation LC50 (rat) (4hr) 0.06 mg/l for lambda-cyhalothrin
Eye Irritation	May be slightly irritant.
Skin Irritation	Slight irritant.
Skin Sensitisation	Product is not a skin sensitiser.

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Other Information The Australian Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI) for lambda-cyhalothrin for a human is 0.001 mg/kg/day, set for the public for daily, lifetime exposure. This is based on the NOEL of 0.1 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: Comm. Dept. of Health and Ageing, 'ADI List', TGA, December 2004).

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Known Harmful Effects on the Environment The active ingredient lambda-cyhalothrin is highly toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.

Other Precautions Do not contaminate dams, waterways or sewers with this product or the containers which have held this product. Should not be applied while bees are actively foraging.

Environ. Protection Severe marine pollutant. Spray drift should be avoided, read the label for more information.

Acute Toxicity - Fish The following is data for the active ingredient, lambda-cyhalothrin. Toxic to fish. LC50 (96hr) for rainbow trout is 0.00036 mg/l. LC50 (96 hr) for bluegill sunfish is 0.00021 mg/l.

Acute Toxicity - Daphnia LC50 (48 hr) for daphnia is 0.00036 mg/l.

Acute Toxicity - Other Organisms Birds: Not toxic to birds. LD50 for mallard ducks is >3,950 mg/kg Highly toxic to bees both by direct contact or by ingestion.

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 (ChemCollect).

Container Disposal Do not use this container for any other purpose. Triple rinse containers, add rinsate to the spray tank, then offer the container for recycling/reconditioning, or puncture top, sides and bottom and dispose of in landfill in accordance with local regulations. 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

U.N. Number 3352

Proper Shipping Name PYRETHROID PESTICIDE, LIQUID, TOXIC - (contains Lambda-cyhalothrin)

DG Class 6.1

Hazchem Code 2X

Packaging Method 3.8.6.1

Packing Group III

Storage and Transport Considered dangerous for transport by the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

IERG Number 35

UN Number (Sea Transport) 3352

IMO Class/Packing Group Class 6.1; Packing Group III

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poisons Schedule S6

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Packaging & Labelling POISON
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

Hazard Category Toxic

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Contact Person/Point Normal Hours: Mr Volker Maier Phone: (03) 9282 1000
After Hours: Shift Supervisor Phone: 1800 033 498

Revisions Highlighted The MSDS was reviewed. Minor changes were made to the information.

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