# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

**Product identifier** 

Product Name Gro-Slow Plant Growth Regulator

**Product Code(s)** 000000063020

Other means of identification

UN number 3082

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** Growth regulator.

**Uses advised against**No information available.

**Supplier** 

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### Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number 1 800 033 111 (ALL HOURS)

Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### GHS Classification

Classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Classified as dangerous goods in accordance with the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG).

Environmentally Hazardous Substances meeting the descriptions of UN 3077 or UN 3082 are not subject to the provisions of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail when transported by road or rail in: packagings that do not incorporate a receptacle exceeding 500 kg(L); or IBCs.

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Vapors)	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2

Reproductive toxicity	Category 2
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 1
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 1

#### SIGNAL WORD

Warning

#### Label elements

Exclamation mark Health hazard Environment



#### **Hazard statements**

H302 + H332 - Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

H361 - Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Avoid release to the environment

Obtain special instructions before use

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

Avoid breathing dust / fume / gas / mist / vapours / spray

Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection / face protection

## **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth Collect spillage

## **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container

## **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

## Other hazards which do not result in classification

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Paclobutrazol	76738-62-0	250 g/L
Non-hazardous ingredients	Proprietary	Balance

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **Description of first aid measures**

General advice For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New

Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Medical aid is

necessary if symptoms appear to be an obvious consequence of inhalation. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or

other proper respiratory medical device.

**Eye contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if

irritation develops and persists.

**Skin contact** Wash with soap and water. Call a physician if symptoms occur.

Ingestion Clean mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

## Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians**Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** 

Suitable Extinguishing Media Not combustible, however, if material is involved in a fire use: Dry chemical, CO2, sand,

earth, water spray or regular foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media High volume water jet.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to

produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes. Environmentally hazardous.

Hazardous combustion products Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

Hazchem code 2Z

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective

equipment as required.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Contain and collect spillage with

non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see Section 13).

Dike far ahead of spill to collect runoff water.

Methods for cleaning up Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica

gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Collect in properly labelled containers for disposal. Prevent product and washings from entering drains, sewers or surface water due to high toxicity to aquatic

organisms.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Ensure adequate

ventilation.

**General hygiene considerations** Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Wear suitable gloves.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

**Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, and strong bases.

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP) 5

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Control parameters** 

**Exposure Limits** No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia.

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to

determine the minimum PPE requirements.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, CHEMICAL GOGGLES, GLOVES.







**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Overalls.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required. If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a suitable mist respirator

meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

**Environmental exposure controls** Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water. Local authorities

should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical stateLiquidAppearanceClearColorColourlessOdorMild

Odor threshold No information available.

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

pH5 - 9 (1% solution)None knownpH (as aqueous solution)No data availableNone knownMelting point / freezing pointNo data availableNone knownBoiling point / boiling rangeca 100°CNone known

Flash point >100°C Pensky-Martens Closed Cup (PMCC)

Evaporation rateNo data availableNone knownFlammability (solid, gas)No data availableNone knownFlammability Limit in AirNone known

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressureNo data availableNone knownVapor densityNo data availableNone knownRelative density1.09None known

Water solubility
Miscible in water
None known
Solubility(ies)
No data available
None known
Partition coefficient
log Pow = 3.2
None known
Autoignition temperature
No data available
None known
Decomposition temperature
No data available
None known

Kinematic viscosityNo data availableNone knownDynamic viscosityNo data availableNone known

Other information

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

**Reactivity** Non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability** 

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None.

Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions 
None under normal processing.

**Hazardous polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Conditions to avoid** 

Conditions to avoid None known based on information supplied.

**Incompatible materials** 

**Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, and strong bases.

**Hazardous decomposition products** 

Hazardous decomposition products Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides. Hydrogen chloride. Hydrogen cyanide.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute toxicity**

### Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this

Safety Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the

chemical is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Inhalation** Breathing in vapour, mists or aerosols may produce respiratory irritation.

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Skin contact** May cause irritation.

**Ingestion** Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

**Symptoms** No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

No information available.

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Paclobutrazol	= 1300 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat) > 1 g/kg	= 3.13 mg/L (Rat) 4 h = 369
		(Rat) > 1 g/kg (Rabbit)	g/m³ (Rat) 4 h = 4.79 mg/L (
			Rat ) 4 h

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation** May cause skin irritation. Classification based on data available for ingredients.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Causes serious eye irritation. Classification based on data available for ingredients.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

Reproductive toxicity Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. Classification based on individual

ingredients of the mixture.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Ecotoxicity**Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Avoid contaminating waterways.

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability For the major component: Not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** Expected to have a low bioaccumulation potential.

**Mobility** 

**Mobility in soil** Medium mobility in soil.

Other adverse effects

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Triple or preferably pressure rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to spray tank. Do not dispose of undiluted chemicals on site. If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or designated collection point. If not recycling, break, crush or puncture and deliver empty packaging to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury the empty packaging 500 mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots in compliance with relevant local, state or territory government regulations. Do not burn empty containers or product.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers must

be tripled rinsed prior to disposal.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### ADG

Classified as Dangerous Goods for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

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UN number 3082

Proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (CONTAINS

PACLOBUTRAZOL)

Hazard class 9
Packing group III
Hazchem code 2Z

#### IATA

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 3082

**UN proper shipping name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (CONTAINS

PACLOBUTRAZOL)

Transport hazard class(es) 9
Packing group III

## **IMDG**

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 3082

UN proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (CONTAINS

PACLOBUTRAZOL)

Transport hazard class(es)

Packing group

IMDG EMS Fire

F-A

IMDG EMS Spill

S-F

Marine pollutant

Yes

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**National regulations** 

#### Australia

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See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

## Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Classified as a scheduled poison according to the Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP) 5

#### **International Inventories**

All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Industrial

Chemicals or are Australian Pesticides & Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA)

approved active constituents.

#### Legend:

**AIIC- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals** 

### **International Regulations**

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Alignment to GHS requirements

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by Ixom Operations Pty Ltd (Toxicology and SDS Services).

#### **Revision Note:**

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

## Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

C Carcinogen

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

World Health Organization

#### <u>Disclaimer</u>

This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Sipcam Pacific Australia Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact their Sipcam representative or Sipcam Pacific Australia Pty Ltd at the contact details on page 1.

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**