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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name HARMONIX MONITORING PASTE

Product code (UVP) 84479543

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Use** non-poisonous monitoring bait

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier** Bayer Environmental Science

230 Cambridge Science Park

Milton Road Cambridge

CambridgeshireCB4 0WB

United Kingdom

**Telephone** 00800-1214 9451

Telefax +44(0)1223 426240

Responsible Department Email: ukcropsupport@bayer.com

1.4 Emergency telephone no.

**Emergency telephone no.** 00800 1020 3333 (24 hr)

### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, as amended.

Not classified, the classification criteria are not met.

### 2.2 Label elements

Labelling in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, as amended.

No hazard label for supply/use required.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

No additional hazards known beside those mentioned.

Polyethylene glycol: This mixture contains no substance considered to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT). This mixture contains no substance considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).



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#### **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### 3.2 Mixtures

#### **Chemical nature**

Bait (ready for use) (RB)

10 g red paste in white tea bag paper sachet

### **Hazardous components**

Hazard statements according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

Name	CAS-No. /	Classification	Conc. [%]
	EC-No. / REACH Reg. No.	REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008	
Polyethylene glycol	25322-68-3	Not classified	> 1
	500-038-2		
Sucrose	57-50-1	Not classified	> 1
	200-334-9		
	01-2119491293-35-xxxx		
Oils, palm	8002-75-3	Not classified	> 1
	232-316-1		

### **Further information**

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice Move out of dangerous area. Place and transport victim in stable

position (lying sideways). Remove contaminated clothing immediately

and dispose of safely.

**Skin contact** Wash off thoroughly with plenty of soap and water, if available with

polyethyleneglycol 400, subsequently rinse with water. Get medical

attention if irritation develops and persists.

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

least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Get medical attention if irritation

develops and persists.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center

immediately. Rinse mouth.

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

**Symptoms** No symptoms known or expected.

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

**Treat symptomatically.** Gastric lavage is not normally required.

However, if a significant amount (more than a mouthful) has been ingested, administer activated charcoal and sodium sulphate. There is

no specific antidote.



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#### **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

5.1 Extinguishing media

**Suitable** Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon

dioxide.

5.2 Special hazards arising

from the substance or

mixture

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective

**equipment for firefighters** of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

**Further information** Contain the spread of the fire-fighting media. Do not allow run-off from

fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Dangerous gases are evolved in the event of a fire.

#### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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

**Precautions** Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces. Use

personal protective equipment.

6.2 Environmental

precautions

Do not allow to get into surface water, drains and ground water.

If spillage enters drains leading to sewage works inform local water company immediately. If spillage enters rivers or watercourses, inform

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. In the event

the Environment Agency (emergency telephone number 0800

807060).

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for cleaning up**Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly, observing

environmental regulations. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in

suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other

sections

Information regarding safe handling, see section 7.

Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8.

Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling No specific precautions required when handling unopened

packs/containers; follow relevant manual handling advice. Ensure

adequate ventilation.



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Advice on protection against fire and explosion Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hygiene measures

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep working clothes separately. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Remove soiled clothing immediately and clean thoroughly before using again. Garments that cannot be cleaned must be destroyed (burnt).

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store in original container. Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only. Keep away from direct sunlight. Protect from frost.

Advice on common storage

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Refer to the label and/or leaflet.

### **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### 8.1 Control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Sucrose	57-50-1	10 mg/m3 (TWA)	12 2011	EH40 WEL
Sucrose	57-50-1	20 mg/m3 (STEL)	01 2020	EH40 WEL

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Refer to COSHH assessment (Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (Amendment) Regulations 2004). Engineering controls should be used in preference to personal protective equipment wherever practicable. Refer also to COSHH Essentials.

### Personal protective equipment

In normal use and handling conditions please refer to the label and/or leaflet. In all other cases the following recommendations would apply.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection is not required under anticipated circumstances of exposure.

Respiratory protection should only be used to control residual risk of short duration activities, when all reasonably practicable steps have been taken to reduce exposure at source e.g. containment and/or local extract ventilation. Always follow respirator manufacturer's instructions regarding wearing and maintenance.

Hand protection

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.

Wash gloves when contaminated. Dispose of when contaminated inside, when perforated or when contamination on the outside cannot be removed. Wash hands frequently and always before eating,

drinking, smoking or using the toilet.

Material Nitrile rubber



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> Rate of permeability > 480 min Glove thickness > 0.4 mm

Directive Protective gloves complying with EN

374.

**Eye protection** Wear goggles (conforming to EN166, Field of Use = 5 or equivalent).

**Skin and body protection** Wear standard coveralls and Category 3 Type 6 suit.

If there is a risk of significant exposure, consider a higher protective

type suit.

Wear two layers of clothing wherever possible. Polyester/cotton or cotton overalls should be worn under chemical protection suit and

should be professionally laundered frequently.

### **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form paste Colour red

Odour weak, characteristic **Odour Threshold** No data available No data available pН Melting point/range No data available **Boiling Point** No data available Flash point No data available **Flammability** No data available **Auto-ignition temperature** No data available

Minimum ignition energyNo data availableSelf-accelaratingNo data available

decomposition temperature

(SADT)

Upper explosion limit

Lower explosion limit

Vapour pressure

Evaporation rate

Relative vapour density

Relative density

No data available

Water solubility No data available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

Polyethylene glycol: log Pow: < -1



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Viscosity, dynamic

Viscosity, kinematic

Oxidizing properties

No data available

No data available

Explosivity

No data available

**9.2 Other information** Further safety related physical-chemical data are not known.

### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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**Thermal decomposition** Stable under normal conditions.

**10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to

hazardous reactions prescribed instructions.

**10.4 Conditions to avoid** Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

**10.5 Incompatible materials** Store only in the original container.

10.6 Hazardous

decomposition products

No decomposition products expected under normal conditions of use.

### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity ATE (Mix) > 5,000 mg/kg

Calculation method
Acute toxicity estimate

Acute inhalation toxicity ATE (Mix) > 20 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h
Calculation method
Acute toxicity estimate

Acute dermal toxicity ATE (Mix) 5,000 mg/kg

Calculation method

**Skin corrosion/irritation** No skin irritation (Rabbit)

The information is derived from the properties of the individual

components.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

No eye irritation (Rabbit)

The information is derived from the properties of the individual

components.

Respiratory or skin

sensitisation

Non-sensitizing. (Guinea pig)

The information is derived from the properties of the individual

components.

Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure



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Polyethylene glycol: This information is not available.

Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Polyethylene glycol: This information is not available.

**Assessment mutagenicity** 

Polyethylene glycol was not genotoxic in a battery of in vitro tests.

Assessment carcinogenicity

Polyethylene glycol: This information is not available.

Assessment toxicity to reproduction

Polyethylene glycol: This information is not available.

Assessment developmental toxicity

Polyethylene glycol: This information is not available.

**Aspiration hazard** 

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

12.1 Toxicity

**Toxicity to fish** LC50 (Fish) > 100 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

The information is derived from the properties of the individual

components.

**Toxicity to aquatic** 

LC50 (Daphnia (water flea)) > 100 mg/l

invertebrates

Exposure time: 48 h

The information is derived from the properties of the individual

components.

Toxicity to aquatic plants IC50 (Algae) > 100 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

The information is derived from the properties of the individual

components.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

**Biodegradability** Polyethylene glycol: > 90 %, Exposure time: 10 d

rapidly biodegradable, OECD Test Guideline 302B

**Koc** Polyethylene glycol:No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** Polyethylene glycol:

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil Polyethylene glycol: No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment Polyethylene glycol: This mixture contains no substance considered to



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be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT). This mixture contains no substance considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulative

(vPvB).

12.6 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information

No further ecological information is available.

### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

**Product** Advice may be obtained from the local waste regulation authority (part

of the Environment Agency in the UK).

**Contaminated packaging** Add washings to sprayer at time of filling.

Dispose of empty and cleaned packaging safely.

Return large containers to supplier.

Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.

Waste key for the unused

product

06 13 01\* Inorganic plant protection products, wood-preserving agents

and other biocides

### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# According to ADN/ADR/UK 'Carriage' Regulations/RID/IMDG/IATA not classified as dangerous goods.

This classification is in principle not valid for carriage by tank vessel on inland waterways. Please refer to the manufacturer for further information.

**14.1 – 14.5** Not applicable.

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

See sections 6 to 8 of this Safety Data Sheet.

### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

No transport in bulk according to the IBC Code.

#### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

### **UK and Northern Ireland Regulatory References**

This material may be subject to some or all of the following regulations (and any subsequent amendments). Users must ensure that any uses and restrictions as indicated on the label and/or leaflet are followed.

### **Transport**

Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment Regulations 2009 (SI



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2009 No 1348)

Merchant Shipping (Dangerous Goods and Marine Pollutants) Regulations 1997 (SI 1997 No 2367) Air Navigation Dangerous Goods Regulations 2002 (SI 2002 No 2786)

### **Supply and Use**

Chemical (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No 716) Chemical (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2009

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (SI 2002 No 2677)

EH40 Occupational Exposure Limits - Table 1 List of approved workplace exposure limits

Control of Pesticide Regulations 1986

Dangerous Substances and Explosive Atmospheres Regulations 2002

### **Waste Treatment**

Environmental Protection Act 1990, Part II

Environmental Protection (Duty of Care) Regulations 1991

The Waste Management Licensing Regulations 1994 (as amended)

Hazardous Waste Regulations 2005 (Replacing Special Waste Regulations 1996 as amended)

Landfill Directive

Regulation on Substances That Deplete the Ozone Layer 1994 (EEC/3093/94)

Water Resources Act 1991

Anti-Pollution Works Regulations 1999

#### **Further information**

WHO-classification: U (Unlikely to present acute hazard in normal use)

#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment is not required.

### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

### Text of the hazard statements mentioned in Section 3

### Abbreviations and acronyms

ADN European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Inland Waterways

ADR European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Road

ATE Acute toxicity estimate

CAS-Nr. Chemical Abstracts Service number

Conc. Concentration

EC-No. European community number ECx Effective concentration to x % Worker Exposure Limit

EINECS European inventory of existing commercial substances

ELINCS European list of notified chemical substances

EN European Standard EU European Union

IATA International Air Transport Association

IBC International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships Carrying Dangerous

Chemicals in Bulk (IBC Code)

ICx Inhibition concentration to x %

IMDG International Maritime Dangerous Goods



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LCx Lethal concentration to x %

LDx Lethal dose to x %

LOEC/LOEL Lowest observed effect concentration/level

MARPOL: International Convention for the prevention of marine pollution from ships

N.O.S. Not otherwise specified

NOEC/NOEL No observed effect concentration/level

OECD Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

RID Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

SI Statutory Instrument
TWA Time weighted average

UN United Nations

WHO World health organisation

The above information is intended to give general health and safety guidance on the storage and transport of the product.

It is not intended to apply to the use of the product for which purposes the product label and any appropriate technical usage literature available should be consulted and any relevant licenses, consents or approvals complied with.

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