

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** Sheepguard Long Acting Injection for Sheep (APVMA No. 67740)

### Other means of identification

**Synonyms** Moxidectin injectable solution

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** Veterinary antiparasitic

**Restrictions on use** Not for human use

### Details of manufacturer or importer

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**Police and Fire Brigade** Dial 000

**If ineffective** Dial Poisons Information Centre (13 1126 from anywhere in Australia)

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification of the hazardous chemical

**Physical hazards** Not classified.

**Health hazards** Specific target organ toxicity following repeated exposure Category 2 (central nervous system)

**Environmental hazards** Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute hazard Category 1

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term hazard Category 1

### Label elements, including precautionary statements

#### Hazard symbol(s)



Health hazard Environment

**Signal word** Warning

**Hazard statement(s)** May cause damage to organs (central nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### Precautionary statement(s)

**Prevention** Do not breathe mist or vapour. Avoid release to the environment.

**Response** Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. Collect spillage.

**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**Other hazards which do not result in classification** None known.

**Supplemental information** Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Mixture

Identity of chemical ingredients	CAS number and other unique identifiers	Concentration of ingredients (%)
Benzyl alcohol	100-51-6	3 - 7
Moxidectin	113507-06-5	20 g/L

### 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of necessary first aid measures

<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth. Call a physician or poison control centre immediately. Only induce vomiting at the instruction of medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Personal protection for first-aid responders** For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

**Symptoms caused by exposure** Narcosis. Behavioural changes. Decrease in motor functions. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects. Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

**Medical attention and special treatment** Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

#### Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters** Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

**Fire fighting equipment/instructions** Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

**Hazchem code** None.

**General fire hazards** No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

**Specific methods** Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

### 6. Accidental release measures

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

**For non-emergency personnel** Keep unnecessary personnel away.

**For emergency responders** Use personal protection recommended in Section 8 of the SDS. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ventilate the contaminated area. Do not breathe mist or vapour. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.

**Environmental precautions** Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Avoid release to the environment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**7. Handling and storage****Precautions for safe handling**

Do not handle, store or open near an open flame, sources of heat or sources of ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Use this product with adequate ventilation. Do not breathe mist or vapour. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Avoid accidental injection. Avoid release to the environment. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Protect from sunlight. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Keep out of the reach of children.

**8. Exposure controls and personal protection****Control parameters**

Follow standard monitoring procedures.

**Occupational exposure limits****Zoetis****Components**

Moxidectin (CAS 113507-06-5)

**Type**

TWA

**Value**

70 µg/m3

**Germany. DFG MAK List (advisory OELs). Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area (DFG)****Components**

Benzyl alcohol (CAS 100-51-6)

**Type**

TWA

**Value**

22 mg/m3

**Form**

Vapour and aerosol.

5 ppm

Vapour and aerosol.

**Biological limit values**

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Appropriate engineering controls**

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. General ventilation normally adequate.

**Individual protection measures, for example personal protective equipment (PPE)****Eye/face protection**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin protection****Hand protection**

Wear impervious gloves if skin contact is possible.

**Other**

Wear suitable protective clothing. Use protective clothing (uniforms, lab coats, disposable coveralls, etc.) in both production and laboratory areas.

**Respiratory protection**

No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required. Respiratory protection should be provided in instances where exposure to dust, mists, aerosols or vapors are likely. If the applicable Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) is exceeded, wear an appropriate respirator with a protection factor sufficient to control exposures to below the OEL.

**Thermal hazards**

Not applicable.

**Hygiene measures**

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

**9. Physical and chemical properties****Appearance****Physical state**

Liquid.

<b>Form</b>	Liquid.
<b>Colour</b>	Clear.
<b>Odour</b>	Not available.
<b>Odour threshold</b>	Not available.
<b>pH</b>	Not available.
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	Not available.
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	Not available.
<b>Flash point</b>	96.0 °C (204.8 °F) estimated
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	
<b>Flammability limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	0.17 hPa estimated
<b>Vapour density</b>	Not available.
<b>Relative density</b>	Not available.
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	
<b>Solubility (water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available.
<b>Other physical and chemical parameters</b>	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Not explosive.
<b>Flammability</b>	Does not meet the AS 1940 definition of a flammable liquid.
<b>Oxidising properties</b>	Not oxidising.
<b>Specific gravity</b>	0.93

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Material is stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Exposure to light. Sunlight. Heat, flames and sparks. Contact with incompatible materials.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Strong oxidising agents.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Irritating and/or toxic fumes and gases may be emitted upon the products decomposition. Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on possible routes of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Under normal conditions of intended use, this material is not expected to be an inhalation hazard.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.
Benzyl alcohol	Species: Guinea Pig Severity: Moderate

**Skin contact**

Moxidectin

Species: Rabbit  
Severity: Mild

Benzyl alcohol

Species: Rabbit  
Severity: Minimal**Eye contact**

Moxidectin

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Species: Rabbit  
Severity: Moderate

Benzyl alcohol

Species: Rabbit  
Severity: Severe**Ingestion**

May cause discomfort if swallowed. However, ingestion is not likely to be a primary route of occupational exposure.

**Symptoms related to exposure**

Central nervous system. Narcosis. Behavioural changes. Decrease in motor functions.; clumsy motion of limbs/trunk (ataxia). Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision.

**Acute toxicity**

Not acutely toxic

**Product****Species****Test Results**

Sheepguard Long Acting Injection for Sheep (APVMA No. 67740)

**Acute****Dermal**

&gt; 10000 mg/kg (Calculated ATE)

**Oral**

3846 mg/kg (Calculated ATE)

**Components****Species****Test Results**

Benzyl alcohol (CAS 100-51-6)

**Acute****Dermal**

LD50

Rabbit

2000 mg/kg

**Inhalation**

LC50

Rat

> 4.178 mg/l  
1000 mg/l, 8 Hours**Oral**

LD50

Mouse

1580 mg/kg

Rat

1230 mg/kg

Moxidectin (CAS 113507-06-5)

**Acute****Dermal**

LD50

Rat

&gt; 2000 mg/kg

**Oral**

LD50

Rat

106 mg/kg

**Chronic****Oral**

NOEL

Mouse

30 mg/kg/day, 2 years (Not carcinogenic)

Rat

100 mg/kg/day, 2 years (Not carcinogenic)

**Subacute****Oral**

LOEL

Rat

100 mg/kg/day, 28 days (Central Nervous System)

NOEL

Mouse

75 mg/kg/day, 28 days (Central nervous system)

Components	Species	Test Results
<b>Subchronic</b>		
<b>Oral</b>		
NOEL	Dog	10 mg/kg/day, 90 days (Central Nervous System)
	Rat	50 mg/kg/day, 13 weeks (Central Nervous System)
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.	
<b>Corrosivity</b>		
Moxidectin		Species: Rabbit Severity: Mild
<b>Serious eye damage/irritation</b>	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.	
<b>Eye contact</b>		
Moxidectin		Species: Rabbit Severity: Moderate
Benzyl alcohol		Species: Rabbit Severity: Severe
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>		
<b>Respiratory sensitisation</b>	Not a respiratory sensitizer.	
<b>Skin sensitisation</b>	This product is not expected to cause skin sensitisation.	
<b>Skin Sensitisation</b>		
Moxidectin		Species: Guinea Pig Severity: Negative
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.	
<b>Mutagenicity</b>		
Moxidectin		In Vitro Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames) Result: Negative Species: Salmonella , E. coli
		In Vitro HGPRT Forward Gene Mutation Assay Result: Negative Species: Chinese Hamster Ovary (CHO) cells
		In Vivo Cytogenetics Result: Negative Species: Rat Bone Marrow
		In Vivo Unscheduled DNA Synthesis Result: Negative Species: Rat Hepatocyte
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.	
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.	
<b>Developmental effects</b>		
Moxidectin		1 mg/kg/day Embryo / Fetal Development, (Maternal toxicity, Not teratogenic) Result: NOEL Species: Rabbit Organ: Oral route
		5 mg/kg/day Embryo / Fetal Development, (Negative) Result: NOEL Species: Rat Organ: Oral route

**Developmental effects**

Moxidectin

5 mg/kg/day Embryo / Fetal Development, (Not Teratogenic, Embryotoxicity, Maternal Toxicity)

Result: NOEL

Species: Rat

Organ: Oral route

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure** Not classified.**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure** May cause damage to organs (central nervous system) through prolonged or repeated exposure.**Aspiration hazard** Not an aspiration hazard.**Chronic effects** May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.**12. Ecological information****Ecotoxicity** Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Avoid release to the environment.**Components****Species****Test Results**

Benzyl alcohol (CAS 100-51-6)

**Aquatic**

Algae EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (Green Alga) 500 mg/l, 72 Hours

Crustacea EC50 Daphnia magna (Water Flea) 230 mg/l, 48 Hours

Fish LC50 Pimephales promelas (Fathead Minnow) 460 mg/l, 96 Hours

Fish LC50 Bluegill (Lepomis macrochirus) 10 mg/l, 96 hours

**Acute**

Fish LC50 Bluegill (Lepomis macrochirus) 10 mg/l, 96 hours

Moxidectin (CAS 113507-06-5)

**Aquatic**

Algae ErC50 Green algae (Selenastrum capricornutum) &gt; 87 ppb, 72 Hours

Crustacea EC50 Daphnia magna (Water Flea) 30 ppt, 48 Hours

Fish LC50 Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill Sunfish) 0.62 ppb, 96 Hours

Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) 0.16 ppb, 96 Hours

**Persistence and degradability** No data is available on the degradability of this product.**Biodegradability****Percent Degradation (Aerobic Biodegradation)**Benzyl alcohol 92 - 96 %  
Test Duration: 28 days**Bioaccumulative potential** See below**Partition coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)**

Benzyl alcohol 1.1

Moxidectin 4.77

**Mobility in soil** No data available for this product.**Adsorption****Soil/Sediment Sorption - Log Koc**

Moxidectin 4.3 - 4.6

**Other adverse effects** No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

### 13. Disposal considerations

<b>Disposal methods</b>	Avoid release to the environment. Considering the relevant known environmental and human health hazards of the material, review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure and environmental release. It is recommended that waste minimization be practiced. The best available technology should be utilized to prevent environmental releases. This may include destructive techniques for waste and wastewater. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
<b>Residual waste</b>	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

### 14. Transport information

#### ADG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

#### RID

<b>UN number</b>	UN3082
<b>UN proper shipping name</b>	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Moxidectin, Benzyl alcohol)
<b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
<b>Class</b>	9
<b>Subsidiary risk</b>	-
<b>Label(s)</b>	9
<b>Packing group</b>	III
<b>Environmental hazards</b>	Yes
<b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not available.

#### IATA

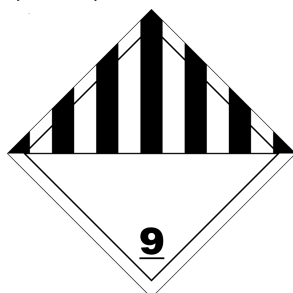
<b>UN number</b>	UN3082
<b>UN proper shipping name</b>	Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Moxidectin, Benzyl Alcohol)
<b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
<b>Class</b>	9
<b>Subsidiary risk</b>	-
<b>Packing group</b>	III
<b>Environmental hazards</b>	Yes
<b>ERG Code</b>	9L
<b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not available.
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Passenger and cargo aircraft</b>	Allowed with restrictions.
<b>Cargo aircraft only</b>	Allowed with restrictions.

#### IMDG

<b>UN number</b>	UN3082
<b>UN proper shipping name</b>	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (Moxidectin, Benzyl Alcohol), MARINE POLLUTANT
<b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
<b>Class</b>	9
<b>Subsidiary risk</b>	-
<b>Packing group</b>	III
<b>Environmental hazards</b>	
<b>Marine pollutant</b>	Yes
<b>EmS</b>	F-A, S-F
<b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not available.
<b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not established.



IATA; IMDG; RID



Marine pollutant



General information

IMDG Regulated Marine Pollutant. As of January 1, 2015, materials offered for transport that are classified for transportation only as Marine Pollutants and which are packaged in single or combination packagings containing a net quantity per single or inner packaging of 5 Liters or less for liquids or having a net mass per single or inner packaging of 5 kilograms or less for solids are NOT subject to ICAO/IATA, IMDG, or ADR transport regulations provided the general packaging requirements of those regulations are met. Refer to ICAO/IATA A197, IMDG 2.10.2.7, ADR SP 375.

## 15. Regulatory information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations

#### National regulations

This Safety Data Sheet was prepared in accordance with Australia Model Code of Practice for the preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals (23/12/2011).

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Poison Schedule (Product) – Schedule 5

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix A**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix B**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix D**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix E**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix F**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix G**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix H**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix I**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix J**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Appendix K**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

#### **Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 10**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 2**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 3**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 4**

Moxidectin (CAS 113507-06-5)

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 5**

Moxidectin (CAS 113507-06-5)

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 6**

Moxidectin (CAS 113507-06-5)

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 7**

Moxidectin (CAS 113507-06-5)

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 8**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

**Australia Medicines & Poisons Schedule 9**

Poisons schedule number not allocated.

**High Volume Industrial Chemicals (HVIC)**

Benzyl alcohol (CAS 100-51-6)

10000 - 99999 TONNES See the regulation for additional information.

**Importation of Ozone Deleting Substances (Customs(Prohibited imports) Regulations 1956, Schedule 10)**

Not listed.

**National Pollutant Inventory (NPI) substance reporting list**

Not listed.

**Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances**

Not regulated.

**Prohibited Substances (National Model Regulation for the control of Workplace Hazardous Substances, Schedule 2 NOHSC:1005 (1994) as amended)**

Not listed.

**Restricted Importation of Organochlorine Chemicals (Customs(Prohibited Imports) Regulations 1956, Schedule 9)**

Not listed.

**Restricted Carcinogenic Substances**

Not regulated.

**International regulations****Stockholm Convention**

Not applicable.

**Rotterdam Convention**

Not applicable.

**Kyoto Protocol**

Not applicable.

**Montreal Protocol**

Not applicable.

**Basel Convention**

Not applicable.

**International Inventories**

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AICIS)	No
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	No
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	No
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	No

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)  
A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

## 16. Other information

<b>Issue date</b>	02-December-2016
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<b>Key abbreviations or acronyms used</b>	ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate according to REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP).
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