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

Product identifier

Trade name MAXFORCE® QUANTUM ANT BAIT
Product code (UVP) 79212690
SDS Number 10200018213
PCP Registration No. 30513

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

Use Insecticide, Ant killer
Restrictions on use See product label for restrictions.

Information on supplier

Supplier Bayer CropScience Inc
#200, 160 Quarry Park Blvd, SE
Calgary, Alberta T2C 3G3
Canada
Responsible Department Email: SDSINFO.BCS-NA@bayer.com
Emergency telephone no.
Emergency Telephone Number (24hr/ 7 days) 1-800-334-7577
Product Information Telephone Number 1-888-283-6847

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classified in accordance with Part 2 of the Hazardous Products Regulations

This material is not hazardous under the criteria of Part 2 of the Hazardous Products Regulation.

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

No physical hazards not otherwise classified.
No health hazards not otherwise classified.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Component Name	CAS-No.	Concentration % by weight
Imidacloprid	138261-41-3	0.03

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SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

- General advice** When possible, have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. The nature of this product, when contained in commercial packs, makes spillage unlikely. However, if significant amounts are spilled nevertheless, the following advice is applicable.
- Skin contact** Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
- Eye contact** Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
- Ingestion** Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse out mouth and give water in small sips to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not leave victim unattended.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms** If large amounts are ingested, the following symptoms may occur:
Dizziness, Abdominal pain, Nausea
- Symptoms and hazards refer to effects observed after intake of significant amounts of the active ingredient(s).
- Due to its low concentration intake of a hazardous amount of active ingredient from this formulation is unlikely.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

- Treatment** There is no specific antidote. Appropriate supportive and symptomatic treatment as indicated by the patient's condition is recommended.
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SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

- Suitable** Water spray, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Foam, Sand
- Unsuitable** High volume water jet

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Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture	Dangerous gases are evolved in the event of a fire.
Advice for firefighters	
Special protective equipment for firefighters	In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.
Further information	Contain the spread of the fire-fighting media. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.
Flash point	> 100 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Lower explosion limit	No data available
Upper explosion limit	No data available
Explosivity	Not explosive 92/69/EEC, A.14 / OECD 113

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Precautions Keep unauthorized people away. Isolate hazard area. Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up The nature of this product, when contained in commercial packs, makes spillage unlikely. However, if significant amounts are spilled nevertheless, the following advice is applicable. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly, observing environmental regulations. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Additional advice Use personal protective equipment. Do not allow to enter soil, waterways or waste water canal.

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

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling No specific precautions required when handling unopened packs/containers; follow relevant manual handling advice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

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Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Do not use this product in or on electrical equipment due to the possibility of shock hazard. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hygiene measures

Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, using the toilet or applying cosmetics.

Remove Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately after handling this product. Remove soiled clothing immediately and clean thoroughly before using again. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

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 and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area.

Advice on common storage

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Imidacloprid	138261-41-3	0.7 mg/m ³ (TWA)		OES BCS*
Sucrose	57-50-1	10 mg/m ³ (TWA)	07 2009	CAD AB OEL
Sucrose (Total dust.)	57-50-1	10 mg/m ³ (TWA)	09 2011	CAD BC OEL
Sucrose (Respirable fraction.)	57-50-1	3 mg/m ³ (TWA)	09 2011	CAD BC OEL
Sucrose	57-50-1	10 mg/m ³ (TWA)	03 2011	CAD MB OEL
Sucrose	57-50-1	10 mg/m ³ (TWAEV)	11 2010	CAD ON OEL
Sucrose	57-50-1	20 mg/m ³ (15 MIN ACL)	05 2009	CAD SK OEL
Sucrose	57-50-1	10 mg/m ³ (8 HR ACL)	05 2009	CAD SK OEL
Sucrose	57-50-1	10 mg/m ³ (TWA)	11 2011	OEL (QUE)

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*OES BCS: Internal Bayer CropScience "Occupational Exposure Standard"

Exposure controls

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	When respirators are required, select NIOSH approved equipment based on actual or potential airborne concentrations and in accordance with the appropriate regulatory standards and/or industry recommendations.
Hand protection	Chemical resistant nitrile rubber gloves
Eye protection	Safety glasses with side-shields
Skin and body protection	Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants and shoes plus socks.
General protective measures	Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and warm/tepid water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	colourless to light yellow
Physical State	gel
Odor	weak characteristic
Odour Threshold	No data available
pH	4.0 - 6.0 at 10 % (23 °C) (deionized water)
Vapor Pressure	No data available
Vapor Density (Air = 1)	No data available
Density	ca. 1.43 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Evaporation rate	No data available
Boiling Point	No data available
Melting / Freezing Point	No data available
Water solubility	soluble
Minimum Ignition Energy	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	Not applicable
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not applicable
Viscosity	>= 5,400 mPaxs at 20 °C Velocity gradient 80 /s
Flash point	> 100 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available

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Lower explosion limit	No data available
Upper explosion limit	No data available
Explosivity	Not explosive 92/69/EEC, A.14 / OECD 113
Other information	Further safety related physical-chemical data are not known.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Thermal decomposition	Not applicable
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to prescribed instructions.
Conditions to avoid	Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
Incompatible materials	No data available
Hazardous decomposition products	No decomposition products expected under normal conditions of use.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Exposure routes	Skin Absorption, Eye contact, Ingestion
Immediate Effects	
Eye	Moderate eye irritation.
Skin	Harmful if absorbed through skin.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed.
Information on toxicological effects	
Acute oral toxicity	LD50 (Rat) > 2,500 mg/kg Test conducted with a similar formulation.
Acute inhalation toxicity	No data available
Acute dermal toxicity	LD50 (Rat) > 2,000 mg/kg Test conducted with a similar formulation.
Skin irritation	No skin irritation (Rabbit) Test conducted with a similar formulation.
Eye irritation	No eye irritation (Rabbit) Test conducted with a similar formulation.

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Sensitisation Non-sensitizing. (Guinea pig)
OECD Test Guideline 406, Magnusson & Kligman test
Test conducted with a similar formulation.

Assessment repeated dose toxicity

Imidacloprid did not cause specific target organ toxicity in experimental animal studies.

Assessment mutagenicity

Imidacloprid was not mutagenic or genotoxic based on the overall weight of evidence in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

Assessment carcinogenicity

Imidacloprid was not carcinogenic in lifetime feeding studies in rats and mice.

ACGIH

None.

NTP

None.

IARC

None.

OSHA

None.

Assessment toxicity to reproduction

Imidacloprid caused reproduction toxicity in a two-generation study in rats only at dose levels also toxic to the parent animals. The reproduction toxicity seen with Imidacloprid is related to parental toxicity.

Assessment developmental toxicity

Imidacloprid caused developmental toxicity only at dose levels toxic to the dams. The developmental effects seen with Imidacloprid are related to maternal toxicity.

Further information

Acute toxicity studies have not been performed on this product as formulated.
Acute toxicity studies have been bridged from a similar formulation(s).
The non-acute information pertains to the active ingredient(s).

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity to fish LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)) 211 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 h
The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) 85 mg/l
Exposure time: 48 h
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	EC50 (Chironomus riparius (non-biting midge)) 0.0552 mg/l Exposure time: 24 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.
Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates	EC10 (Chironomus riparius (non-biting midge)): 0.87 µg/l Exposure time: 28 d The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.
Toxicity to aquatic plants	IC50 (Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae)) > 10 mg/l Growth rate; Exposure time: 72 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.
Biodegradability	Imidacloprid: Not rapidly biodegradable
Koc	Imidacloprid: Koc: 225
Bioaccumulation	Imidacloprid: Does not bioaccumulate.
Mobility in soil	Imidacloprid: Moderately mobile in soils
Additional ecological information	No other effects to be mentioned.
Environmental precautions	Do not allow to get into surface water, drains and ground water.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Product	Dispose in accordance with all local, state/provincial and federal regulations. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain. Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.
Contaminated packaging	Do not re-use empty containers. Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

TDG

UN number	3077
Labels	9
Packaging group	III
Marine pollutant	Marine pollutant
Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (IMIDACLOPRID)

49CFR Not dangerous goods / not hazardous material

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IMDG

UN number	3077
Class	9
Packaging group	III
Marine pollutant	YES
Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (IMIDACLOPRID MIXTURE)

IATA

UN number	3077
Class	9
Packaging group	III
Environm. Hazardous Mark	YES
Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (IMIDACLOPRID MIXTURE)

This transportation information is not intended to convey all specific regulatory information relating to this product. It does not address regulatory variations due to package size or special transportation requirements.

Further Information	Exempt from regulation when transported by road or rail, in accordance with TDG Regulations 1.45.1. This exemption provides that this product does not require dangerous goods shipping documentation or safety marks when transported on land by road or rail.
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SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

PCP Registration No. 30513

US Federal Regulations

TSCA list

None.

US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt D)

None.

SARA Title III - Section 302 - Notification and Information

None.

SARA Title III - Section 313 - Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

None.

US States Regulatory Reporting

CA Prop65

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause cancer.

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause reproductive harm.

US State Right-To-Know Ingredients

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None.

Canadian Regulations Canadian Domestic Substance List

None.

Environmental

CERCLA

None.

Clean Water Section 307 Priority Pollutants

None.

Safe Drinking Water Act Maximum Contaminant Levels

None.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Abbreviations and acronyms

49CFR	Code of Federal Regulations, Title 49
ACGIH	US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values
ATE	Acute toxicity estimate
CAS-Nr.	Chemical Abstracts Service number
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
EINECS	European inventory of existing commercial substances
ELINCS	European list of notified chemical substances
IARC	US. IARC Monographs on Occupational Exposures to Chemical Agents
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
N.O.S.	Not otherwise specified
NTP	US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens
OECD	Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development
TDG	Transportation of Dangerous Goods
TWA	Time weighted average
UN	United Nations
WHO	World health organisation

NFPA 704 (National Fire Protection Association):

Health - 1 Flammability - 1 Instability - 0 Others - none

HMIS (Hazardous Materials Identification System, based on the Third Edition Ratings Guide)

Health - 1 Flammability - 1 Physical Hazard - 0 PPE -

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard

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