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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Product name:

**CHLORMEQUAT CHLORIDE
(CCC) 720 SL****1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY****Identification of the preparation**

Preparation name: CHLORMEQUAT CHLORIDE (CCC) 720 SL

Use of the preparation

Product is used to prevent lodging of winter and spring wheat, prevent lodging of winter rape and simultaneously increase the number of branching and silique, prevent excessive growth and lodging of tomato seedlings.
Apply according to the label – instructions enclosed to container.

Company identification

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Available 24h: +48 71 794 25 55 or +48 71 794 24 41 to PCC Rokita SA or to the local Fire Fighting Services.

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Harmful product (Xn)

Harmful if swallowed. (R22)
Irritating to eyes. (R36)
Harmful to aquatic organisms. (R52)

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	Molecular formula	Content [g/l]	Classification	Index number	CAS number	EC number
(2-Chloroethyl)trimethylammoniumchloride (chlormequat chloride)	C ₅ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N	720	Xn; R21/22	007-003-00-6	999-81-5	213-666-4

4. FIRST AID MEASURES**First Aid Measures**

Make sure that the medical personnel knows the material they are dealing with and has all necessary protection measures available to it.

Inhalation

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately.

Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water with soap.

Eye contact

Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately.



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Ingestion

Do not give anything to drink. Induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.

Indications for physician

The first action of a physician taking care over an intoxicated person is assessing the appropriateness and effectiveness of first-aid. Further procedures depend on the status of the intoxicated patient. There is no specific antidote. Administer symptomatic treatment. Intoxicated persons should remain under medical care for at least 48 hours.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Fire foam and carbon dioxide and dry powder extinguishers, water (dispersed sprays).

Extinguishing media to be avoided for safety reasons

Not known.

Specific hazards

Drums exposed to flames or high temperature must be cooled with dispersed water spray and removed from the affected area if possible.

Special fire protection equipment for fire fighters

The personnel directly participating in fire-fighting operations should wear proper, light clothes, protecting the skin (gas proof) and be provided with equipment isolating the airways because of the toxic burning products, such as: hydrogen chloride, carbon monoxide and phosgene.

Additional Information

None

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Individual protective measures

Do not inhale vapours. Avoid contact with substance.

Environmental protective measures

Prevent large quantities of product from entering into sewage, underground water, surface water and soil. Notify respective authorities in case of environmental contamination.

Cleanup

Stop the leak, if possible (e.g. seal up, place any damaged container inside an emergency container). Use a shovel or a scoop to collect substance to a closed container and handle or dispose of in accordance with respective regulations (see point 13). Rinse contaminated surface thoroughly with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Handle as directed on the label - instruction attached to container. Prepare working solution in volumes necessary for immediate use only.
Handle as directed by the generally accepted rules of industrial safety and hygiene. Keep away from unauthorised persons.



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**CHLORMEQUAT CHLORIDE
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Store in original, air-tight closed containers, in dry and well ventilated warehouses in temperatures from 0°C to 30°C, away from food products, animal foods, food containers, heaters and open flame sources, away from unauthorised persons, especially children. Keep away from unauthorised persons.

The substance stability period is 2 years of the date of manufacturing. After that date, substance can be used upon verification whether its parameters comply with technical requirements. In case of non-compliance, contact the manufacturer.

Special application

Not known.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**Exposure Limits**chlormequat chlorideTWA – 15 mg/m³

STEL – not determined

CEIL – not determined

Personal Protective Equipment**Respiratory tract protection**

Not required in normal conditions of use.

Face and eye protection

Required (air-tight goggles in case of direct contact).

Hand protection

Use protective gloves which comply with EN 374.

Use nitrile gloves or of similar resistance.

Time of material resistance - according to gloves manufacturer.

Skin protection

Protective clothing.

Change contaminated clothing immediately.

Hygiene

Wash hands and face after working with substance. Do not eat or drink in the area where the material is being handled.

Other protective equipment

In normal conditions of use, no protective equipment of the respiratory tract is required. However, it is recommended at risk of product inhalation, e.g., when spraying. After use, decontaminate the equipment with sodium hypochlorite. Use standard protective clothing.

Environmental hazards control

Environmental hazards should be controlled in accordance with the respective national and community environmental law.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**Appearance**

liquid

Colour

light-yellow to dark-yellow

Odour

characteristic for short-chain amines

pH of 1% solution

6.3

Temperature**of crystallisation**

-6°C

boiling point

ca. 100°C

ignition

no data



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self-ignition	no data
Combustibility	non-combustible
Explosiveness	
upper and lower limits of explosiveness	n/a
Oxidizing properties	none
Vapour pressure	ca. 23.3 kPa (195 mm Hg) at 50°C
Absolute density	no data
Density	1.13 ÷ 1.14 g/ml
Kinematic viscosity	no data
Dynamic viscosity	12.957 mPa·s at 20°C 6.542 mPa·s at 40°C
Rate of evaporation	no data
Surface tension	74.04 mN/m at 20°C
Solubility	
in water	unlimited
in organic solvents	no data
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water	$P_{ow} = 0.027 \pm 0.003$ $\log(P_{ow}) = -1.57 \pm 0.05$
Other properties	none

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	Stable in normal conditions
Conditions to be avoided	Temperature above 30°C, sunlight.
Materials to be avoided	Substance may react with strong oxidizing agents.
Dangerous decomposition products	carbon monoxide, HCl, nitric oxides

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION*data for Liquid Anti-Lodging Agent 725 SL*

Oral acute toxicity	LD ₅₀ in rat = 371 mg/kg b.w.
Dermal acute toxicity	LD ₅₀ in rat > 2000 mg/kg b.w.
Toxicity by inhalation	no data
Skin contact	Product not irritating to skin.
Eyes contact	Irritating to eyes.
Sensitization properties	no data
Chronic toxicity	no data
Reproductive toxicity	no data



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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

data for Liquid Anti-Lodging Agent 725 SL

Ecotoxicity

Toxicity for aquatic organisms

Carp (*Cyprinus carpio*)
LC₅₀ = 1000 mg/l (after 96 hrs)
Rainbow trout (*Oncorhynchus mykiss Walb.*)
LC₅₀ > 320 mg/l (after 96 hrs)
Daphnia magna (*Daphnia magna*)
EC₅₀ = 100 mg/l (after 24 hrs)
EC₅₀ = 36.9 mg/l (after 48 hrs)
Algae (*Scenedesmus subspicatus*)
IC₅₀ = 1000 mg/l (after 72 hrs)

Toxicity for bees

Alimentary apitoxicity
LD₅₀ > 100 µg/bee (after 96 hrs)
Dorsal contact apitoxicity
LD₅₀ > 200 µg/bee (after 96 hrs)

Toxicity for earthworms

LC₅₀ > 1000 mg/kg of dry mass of artificial base after 7 and 14 days of experiment

Toxicity for birds

Japanese quail (*Coturnix coturnix japonica*)
LD₅₀ = 415.2 mg/kg b.w.

Movement

no data

Stability and decomposition

no data

Ability to bioaccumulate

logP_{ow} = -1.57 (for chlormequat chloride)

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product

Do not dump into any sewers. Prevent from entering into surface water and underground water. Do not dump into any neutral waste dumping site. Recycling or disposal of waste product must be in compliance with all legal regulations (the Waste Act) and be carried out in installations or devices which comply with the applicable requirements (licensed plants or the manufacturer).
Waste code - 02 01 08*

Packaging

Empty packaging should be treated as a dangerous waste. Re-use is permitted after thorough washing with water or other equivalent cleanup procedure. Preferably, packaging should be washed immediately after emptying. Recycling or disposal of such a packaging must be in compliance with all legal regulations (Packaging and Packaging Waste Act).
Waste code - 15 01 10*



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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land Transport ADR/RID

Not subject to regulations concerning transportation of dangerous goods ADR and RID.

Sea transport IMDG

Not subject to regulations concerning transportation of dangerous goods IMDG.

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR

no information

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Packaging marking

acc. to the Regulation of the Minister of Health of 5 March 2009 on marking packaging for dangerous substances, dangerous preparations and some chemical preparations (Journal of Laws of 2009, No. 53 item 439, as amended).



Harmful product (Xn)
contains chlormequat chloride

Risk phrases – indicating risks

R22	Harmful if swallowed.
R36	Irritating to eyes.
R52	Harmful to aquatic organisms.

Safety phrases – indicating conditions for safe use

S2	Keep out of the reach of children.
S7	Keep container tightly closed.
S13	Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.
S15	Keep away from heat.
S20/21	When using do not eat, drink or smoke.
S23	Do not breathe sprayed liquid.
S24/25	Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
S26	In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
S28	After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.
S36/37/39	Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
S45	In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).
S46	If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

This Material Safety Data Sheet was drafted and filled out according to the following legal regulations:
Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) of 18 December 2006;
Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC and amending Regulation (EC) 1907/2006;



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Act on chemical substances and preparations of 11 January 2001 (Journal of Laws of 2001, No. 11, item 84, as amended);
Regulation of the Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development of June 8, 2004 on the requirements for the content of the label-instruction of plant pesticide applications. Journal of Laws of 2004, no. 141, item 1498, as amended);
Regulation of the Minister of Health of 4 September 2007 amending the regulation on criteria and chemical substances and preparations classification (Journal of Laws of 2007 no 174, item 1222, as amended);
Act on packaging and waste packaging of 11 May 2001 (Journal of Laws of 2001, No. 63, item 638, as amended);
Regulation of the Minister of Labour and Welfare concerning permissible exposure limit and occupational exposure limits of 29 November 2002 (Journal of Laws of 2002, No. 217, item 1833, as amended);
Wastes Management Act of 27 April 2001 (Journal of Laws No. 62, item 628, as amended);
Dangerous Goods Road Transport Act of 28 October 2002. (Journal of Laws of 2002, No. 199, item 1671, as amended);
Act of 31 March 2004 on Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail. (Journal of Laws of 2004, No. 97, item 962, as amended);
Statement of the Government as of 26 July 2005 concerning coming into force amendments to the Appendices A and B to the European Agreement concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR), concluded in Geneva on 30 September 1957 (Journal of Laws of 2005 no. 178, item 1481, as amended);
Regulation of the Minister of Health of 5 March 2009 on marking packaging for dangerous substances, dangerous preparations and some chemical preparations (Journal of Laws of 2009, No. 53, item 439, as amended).

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Risk phrases

R21/22	Harmful in contact with skin and if swallowed.
R22	Harmful if swallowed.
R36	Irritating to eyes.
R52	Harmful to aquatic organisms.

Required training

Contractors handling this substance should read the label on product container.

Recommended limits of application

For agricultural use only.

Further information

Manufacturer or distributor

Sources of key data

Own studies and available literature data

Changes in the MSDS

Changes in point 1, 3, MSDS layout changes.

Additional Information

All the information and data contained in this Material Safety Data Sheet refer solely to a specific technical product and cannot be referred to after its processing.
In the case of combined use with other substances/mixtures, take into account all notes and remarks on their labels and in MSDSs.

The above information has been prepared following our most recent and up-to-date knowledge and it describes the product from the point of view of health and natural environment protection requirements and with regards to safe use principles. This information should not, however, be interpreted as any guarantee of specific product properties.