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### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name Hombre® Ultra Cereal Seed Treatment

**Product code (UVP)** 79631979

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

**Use** Seed treatment, Insecticide, Fungicide

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier** Bayer Cropscience Pty Ltd

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Hawthorn 3122

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**Telephone** (03) 9248 6888 **Telefax** (03) 9248 6800

Responsible Department 1800 804 479 Technical Information Service

Website www.crop.bayer.com.au

1.4 Emergency telephone no.

**Emergency telephone no.** 1800 033 111 IXOM Operations Pty Ltd

## **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

### Classification in accordance with Australian GHS Regulation

Acute toxicity: Category 4

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin sensitisation: Category 1

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Acute aquatic toxicity: Category 1 H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Chronic aquatic toxicity: Category 1

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### 2.2 Label elements

## Labelling according to specific Australian legislation

Hazard label for supply/use required.

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### Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

Imidacloprid Tebuconazole

Signal word: Warning

### **Hazard statements**

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

### **Precautionary statements**

P261 Avoid breathing spray.

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P330 Rinse mouth.

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/ soap.

P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention. P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

No additional hazards known beside those mentioned.

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

#### **Chemical nature**

Imidacloprid 360g/L, Tebuconazole 12.5 g/L Flowable concentrate for seed treatment (FS)

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration [%]
Imidacloprid	138261-41-3, 105827-	30.77
·	78-9	
Tebuconazole	107534-96-3	1.07
1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one	2634-33-5	> 0.005 - < 0.05
reaction mass of 5-chloro-2- methyl-2H-	55965-84-9	> 0.0002 - < 0.0015
isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-		
3- one (3:1)		
Other ingredients (non-hazardous) to 100%		

## **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

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If poisoning occurs, immediately contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (telephone 13 11 26), and follow the advice given. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the doctor.

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**General advice** Move out of dangerous area. Remove contaminated clothing

immediately and dispose of safely. Place and transport victim in stable

position (lying sideways).

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. Keep patient warm and at rest. Call a physician or

poison control center immediately.

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

polyethyleneglycol 400, subsequently rinse with water. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. If symptoms persist, call

a physician.

**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** 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).

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Treat symptomatically.** Monitor: respiratory and cardiac functions. In

case of ingestion gastric lavage should be considered in cases of significant ingestions only within the first 2 hours. However, the application of activated charcoal and sodium sulphate is always

advisable. There is no specific antidote.

#### **SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Water spray, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Foam, Sand

**Unsuitable** High volume water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or

from the substance or mixture

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In the event of fire the following may be released: Hydrogen chloride (HCl), Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid), Carbon monoxide (CO),

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

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective

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

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

fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

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### **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.

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

Methods for cleaning up 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.

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** Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

**Hygiene measures** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep working clothes

separately. Wash hands immediately after work, if necessary take a shower. 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

Store in original container. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store in a place accessible by authorized

persons only. Keep away from direct sunlight.

**Advice on common storage** Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Imidacloprid	138261-41-3	0.7 mg/m3 (TWA)		OES BCS*
Tebuconazole	107534-96-3	0.2 mg/m3		OES BCS*

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\*OES BCS: Internal Bayer AG, Crop Science Division "Occupational Exposure Standard"

8.2 Exposure controls

**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
Break through time > 480 min
Glove thickness > 0.4 mm
Protective index Class 6

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 4 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.

If chemical protection suit is splashed, sprayed or significantly contaminated, decontaminate as far as possible, then carefully

remove and dispose of as advised by manufacturer.

**General protective measures** In normal use and handling conditions please refer to the label

and/or leaflet. In all other cases the above mentioned

recommendations would apply.

**Engineering Controls** 

**Advice on safe handling** Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

#### SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form suspension

**Colour** red

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Odour No data available **Odour Threshold** No data available

pН 6.0 - 8.0 (100 %) (23 °C)

Melting point/range No data available **Boiling Point** No data available

Flash point > 100 °C

**Flammability** No data available **Auto-ignition temperature** No data available Thermal decomposition No data available

Minimum ignition energy No data available **Self-accelarating** No data available

decomposition temperature

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**Upper explosion limit** No data available Lower explosion limit No data available Vapour pressure No data available No data available **Evaporation rate** Relative vapour density No data available Relative density No data available

**Density** ca. 1.17 g/cm3 (20 °C)

Water solubility miscible

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Imidacloprid: log Pow: 0.57

Tebuconazole: log Pow: 3.7

Viscosity, dynamic No data available Viscosity, kinematic No data available No data available **Oxidizing properties Explosivity** No data available

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

## **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1 Reactivity Stable under normal conditions.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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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 Oxidizing agents

Store only in the original container.

10.6 Hazardous No decomposition products expected under normal conditions of use.

decomposition products

#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity LD50 (Rat) 800 - 1,600 mg/kg

LC50 (Rat) > 0.917 mg/l Acute inhalation toxicity

Exposure time: 4 h

Highest attainable concentration.

Determined in the form of a respirable aerosol.

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 (Rat) > 5,000 mg/kg Skin corrosion/irritation No skin irritation (Rabbit) Serious eye damage/eye No eye irritation (Rabbit)

irritation

Respiratory or skin

Skin: Sensitising (Guinea pig)

sensitisation OECD Test Guideline 406, Buehler test

#### 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.

Tebuconazole was not mutagenic or genotoxic in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

#### Assessment carcinogenicity

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

Tebuconazole caused at high dose levels an increased incidence of tumours in mice in the following organ(s): Liver. The mechanism of tumour formation is not considered to be relevant to man.

## 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. Tebuconazole 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 Tebuconazole 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.

Tebuconazole caused developmental toxicity only at dose levels toxic to the dams. Tebuconazole caused an increased incidence of post implantation losses, an increased incidence of non-specific

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#### Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

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

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

#### Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

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

#### **Aspiration hazard**

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

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Harmful if inhaled.

May cause skin irritation. May cause sensitisation by skin contact.

May cause eye irritation.

Harmful if swallowed.

#### Early onset symptoms related to exposure

Refer to Section 4

## Delayed health effects from exposure

Refer to Section 11

#### Exposure levels and health effects

Refer to Section 4

## Interactive effects

Not known

#### When specific chemical data is not available

Not applicable

#### Mixture of chemicals

Refer to Section 2.1

#### **Further information**

Acute toxicity studies have been bridged from a similar formulation(s).

No data is available on the product itself.

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

**Toxicity to fish** LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)) 211 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

LC50 0.0552 mg/l Exposure time: 24 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

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LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)) 4.4 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient tebuconazole.

Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

LC50 (Daphnia (water flea)) 85 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid. EC50 (Chironomus riparius (non-biting midge)) 0.0552 mg/l

Exposure time: 24 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

LC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) 2.79 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient tebuconazole.

EC50 (Cloeon dipterum (Mayfly)) 0.00102 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

Chronic toxicity to aquatic

invertebrates

NOEC (Daphnia (water flea)): 0.01 mg/l

Exposure time: 21 d

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient tebuconazole.

EC10 (Caenis horaria (Mayfly)): 0.000024 mg/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.

EC50 (Raphidocelis subcapitata (freshwater green alga)) 3.8 mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient tebuconazole.

(Lemna gibba (gibbous duckweed)) 0.237 mg/l

Growth rate; Exposure time: 7 d

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient tebuconazole.

Toxicity to bacteria EC

EC50 (activated sludge) > 10,000 mg/l

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

Toxicity to other organisms

LD50 (Coturnix japonica (Japanese quail)) 31 mg/kg

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

LD50 (Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail)) 152 mg/kg

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

LD50 (Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail)) 1,988 mg/kg

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient tebuconazole.

LD50 (Coturnix japonica (Japanese quail)) 2,912 mg/kg

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient tebuconazole.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Imidacloprid:

Not rapidly biodegradable

Tebuconazole:

Not rapidly biodegradable

**Koc** Imidacloprid: Koc: 225

Tebuconazole: Koc: 769

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12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** Imidacloprid:

Does not bioaccumulate.

Tebuconazole: Bioconcentration factor (BCF) 35 - 59

Does not bioaccumulate.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil

Imidacloprid: Moderately mobile in soils

Tebuconazole: Slightly mobile in soils

12.5 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological

information

No other effects to be mentioned.

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Triple-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.

Do not reuse container for any other purpose.

Refillable containers:

If tamper evident seals are broken prior to initial use then the integrity of the contents cannot be assured. Empty container by pumping through dry-break connection system. Do not attempt to breach the valve system or the filling point, or contaminate the container with water or other products. Ensure that the coupler, pump, meter and hoses are disconnected, triple rinsed and drained after each use. When empty, or contents no longer required, return the container to the point of purchase. This container remains the property of Bayer CropScience Pty Ltd.

## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**ADG** 

UN number 3082
Transport hazard class(es) 9
Subsidiary Risk None
Packaging group III

Description of the goods ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S.

(IMIDACLOPRID SOLUTION)

Hazchem Code •3Z

AU01: Environmentally Hazardous Substances meeting the descriptions of UN 3077 or UN 3082 are not subject to this Code when transported by road or rail in;

a) packagings that do not incorporate a receptacle exceeding 500 kg(L); or

b) IBCs

**IMDG** 

UN number 3082

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Transport hazard class(es) 9
Subsidiary Risk None
Packaging group III
Marine pollutant YES

Description of the goods ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S.

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**IATA** 

UN number 3082
Transport hazard class(es) 9
Subsidiary Risk None
Packaging group III
Environm, Hazardous Mark YES

Description of the goods ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S.

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### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Registered according to the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Act 1994 Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority approval number: 65040

#### **SUSMP** classification (Poison Schedule)

Schedule 6 (Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons)

#### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**Trademark information** Hombre® is a Registered Trademark of the Bayer Group.

## 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

AU OEL Australia. OELs. (Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric

Contaminants in the Occupational Environment)

CAS-Nr. Chemical Abstracts Service number

CEILING Ceiling Limit Value Conc. Concentration

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

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)

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ICx Inhibition concentration to x %

IMDG International Maritime Dangerous Goods

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

OES BCS OES BCS: Internal Bayer AG, Crop Science Division "Occupational Exposure

Standard"

PEAK: Exposure Standard - Peak means a maximum or peak airborne concentration

of a particular substance determined over the shortest analytically practicable period of

time which does not exceed 15 minutes.

RID Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

SK-SEN Skin sensitiser

SKIN\_DES: Skin notation: Absorption through the skin may be a significant source of

exposure.

STEL: Exposure standard - short term exposure limit (STEL): A 15 minute TWA

exposure which should not be exceeded at any time during a working day even if the eight-hour TWA average is within the TWA exposure standard. Exposures at the STEL should not be longer than 15 minutes and should not be repeated more than four times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the

STEL.

TWA: Exposure standard - time-weighted average (TWA): The average airborne

concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal eight-hour

working day, for a five-day working week.

TWA Time weighted average

UN United Nations

WHO World health organisation

This SDS summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product and how to safely handle and use the product in the workplace. Each user should read this SDS and consider the information in the context of how the product will be handled and used in the workplace including in conjunction with other products.

**Reason for Revision:** The following sections have been revised: Section 3: Composition /

Information on Ingredients. Section 12. Ecological information.

Changes since the last version are highlighted in the margin. This version replaces all previous versions.