

# SAFETY DATA SHEET VERTOX CONTACT GEL

According to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, Annex II, as amended. Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830 of 28 May 2015.

#### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name VERTOX CONTACT GEL

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

**Identified uses** Ready for use Rodenticide containing 50ppm Brodifacoum.

Uses advised against No specific uses advised against are identified.

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier PelGar International Ltd

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### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone +44(0)1420 80744 (Monday - Friday 9.00am - 5pm)

#### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Repr. 1A - H360D STOT RE 2 - H373

Environmental hazards Not Classified

## 2.2. Label elements

#### **Pictogram**



Signal word Danger

**Hazard statements** H360D May damage the unborn child.

H373 May cause damage to organs (Blood) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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**Precautionary statements** P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P280 Wear protective gloves.

P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

## 3.2. Mixtures

2,2'-Iminodiethanol		1 - 10%
CAS number: 111-42-2	EC number: 203-868-0	
Classification Acute Tox. 4 - H302		
Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Dam. 1 - H318		
STOT RE 2 - H373		

BRODIFACOUM (EU)		0.01%
CAS number: 56073-10-0	EC number: 259-980-5	
M factor (Acute) = 10	M factor (Chronic) = 10	
Classification		
Acute Tox. 1 - H300		
Acute Tox. 1 - H310		
Acute Tox. 1 - H330		
Repr. 1A - H360D		
STOT RE 1 - H372		
Aquatic Acute 1 - H400		
Aguatic Chronic 1 - H410		

Denatonium Benzoate	0.09	%
CAS number: 3734-33-6	EC number: 223-095-2	
Classification		
Acute Tox. 4 - H332 Skin Irrit. 2 - H315		
Eye Dam. 1 - H318		
Aquatic Chronic 3 - H412		

The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

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General information In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label

where possible). Advice for Medical Doctors: Brodifacoum is an indirect anti-coagulant. Phytomenadione, Vitamin K, is antidotal. Determin prothrombin time not less than 18 hours after consumption. If elevated, administer Vitamin K1 until prothrombin time normalises. Continue determination of prothrombin time for two weeks after withdrawal of antidote and

resume treatment if elevation occurs in that time.

**Inhalation** Due to the physical nature of this product, exposure by this route is unlikely. IF INHALED:

Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for

breathing. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention

immediately.

Skin contact May cause irritation to susceptible persons. Immediately take off all contaminated clothing.

Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or

persist after washing.

Eye contact May cause eye irritation to susceptible persons. Rinse immediately with plenty of water and

seek medical advice.

**Protection of first aiders** First aid personnel should wear appropriate protective equipment during any rescue.

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

General information The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the

length of exposure.

**Inhalation** Unlikely to present an inhalation hazard. If symptoms develop move the exposed person to

fresh air. Immediately obtain medical advice.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a doctor immediately.

**Skin contact** May cause irritation.

**Eye contact** May be slightly irritating to eyes.

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

#### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media The product is not flammable. Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry

powder or water fog. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards None known.

Hazardous combustion

products

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances:

Harmful gases or vapours.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during

firefighting

Avoid breathing fire gases or vapours. Evacuate area. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers

exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out.

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Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing. Firefighter's clothing conforming to European standard EN469 (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Personal precautions Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Avoid discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Clear up spills

immediately and dispose of waste safely. Collect spillage with a shovel and broom, or similar and reuse, if possible. Collect and place in suitable waste disposal containers and seal securely. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a

spillage. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

**Reference to other sections** For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health

hazards. See Section 12 for additional information on ecological hazards. For waste disposal,

see Section 13.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

**Usage precautions**Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Wear protective clothing as described in

Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

Keep container tightly sealed when not in use.

Advice on general

occupational hygiene

Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Take off contaminated clothing. Wash

contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash after use and before eating, smoking and using the

toilet.

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

Storage precautions Keep out of the reach of children. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Keep

only in the original container. Keep container tightly closed, in a cool, well ventilated place. Protect containers from damage. Keep away from oxidising materials, heat and flames.

Storage class Unspecified storage.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

**Usage description** Ready to use rodenticide containing 50 ppm Brodifacoum.

## SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

Glycerine WEL 8Hr limit mg/m3: 10

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering

controls

Provide adequate ventilation.

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**Personal protection** Keep away from food stuffs.

**Eye/face protection** Avoid contact with eyes.

Hand protection Suitable chemical resistant gloves are recommended for professional users.

Other skin and body

protection

Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being

performed and the risks involved.

**Hygiene measures**Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Respiratory protection** Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental exposure

controls

Keep container tightly sealed when not in use. Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

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

Appearance Gel.

Colour Red or Blue

Odour Slight.

Odour threshold No information available.

**pH** No information available.

Melting point Not relevant.

**Initial boiling point and range** No information available.

Flash point No information available.

**Evaporation rate** No information available.

**Evaporation factor** No information available.

Flammability (solid, gas) combustible

Upper/lower flammability or

explosive limits

No information available.

Other flammability No information available.

Vapour pressure Not relevant.

Vapour density Not relevant.

**Relative density** No information available.

Bulk density No information available.

Solubility(ies) No information available.

Partition coefficient Not relevant.

**Auto-ignition temperature** No information available.

**Decomposition Temperature** No information available.

Viscosity No information available.

**Explosive properties** Not considered to be explosive.

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**Explosive under the influence** Not considered to be explosive.

of a flame

Oxidising properties Not oxidising.

9.2. Other information

#### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended. Stable under the

prescribed storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

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reactions

No potentially hazardous reactions known.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid There are no known conditions that are likely to result in a hazardous situation.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Keep away from oxidising materials, heat and flames.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition

products

Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended. Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Harmful gases or vapours.

#### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity - oral

Notes (oral LD50) >2000 mg/kg

Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD50) >2000 mg/kg

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC50) >5 mg/l (Dust)

Skin corrosion/irritation

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

Serious eye damage/irritation

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met. Serious eye damage/irritation

Respiratory sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

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**Carcinogenicity** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

**IARC carcinogenicity**None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity -

May damage the unborn child.

development

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

**STOT - single exposure**Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after a single exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

**STOT - repeated exposure** STOT RE 2 - H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Aspiration hazard** 

Aspiration hazard Not relevant. Solid.

General information Avoid contact during pregnancy/while nursing. The severity of the symptoms described will

vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.

**Inhalation** No specific symptoms known.

**Ingestion** See section 4 - First Aid

**Skin contact** Prolonged contact may cause dryness of the skin.

Eye contact No specific symptoms known.

Route of exposure Ingestion Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact

**Toxicity of ingredients** Denatonium Benzoate Oral (Rat) LD50 = 584 mg/kg Brodifacoum Acute Oral ≤5mg/kg

Acute Dermal ≤50mg/kg Acute Inhalation ≤0.05mg/kg (Commission Regulation 2016/1179)

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity** Not regarded as dangerous for the environment. However, large or frequent spills may have

hazardous effects on the environment.

12.1. Toxicity

**Toxicity** Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability The degradability of the product is not known.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential No data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition coefficient Not relevant.

12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility** No data available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Toxic to mammals, including domesticated animals and birds if ingested. Exposure of non-

target animals should be prevented.

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**Toxicity of ingredients** Brodifacoum Daphnia EC50/48Hr = 0.25 mg/l Rainbow trout LC50/96Hr = 0.042 mg/l

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**General information** This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.

**Disposal methods**Dispose of in accordance with applicable regional, national, and local laws and regulations.

Dispose of Contaminated packaging as unused product unless fully cleaned.

Waste class Waste disposal key number from EWC is 20 01 19 (Pesticides)

#### SECTION 14: Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods

(IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

#### 14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

#### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

No transport warning sign required.

#### 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

#### Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

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

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78

and the IBC Code

#### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

National regulations Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (as amended).

The Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment

Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No. 1348) (as amended) ["CDG 2009"].

EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits.

**EU legislation** Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18

December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of

Chemicals (REACH) (as amended).

Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830 of 28 May 2015.

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 (as

amended).

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#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

#### Inventories

#### **EU - EINECS/ELINCS**

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

#### SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Road.

ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Inland Waterways.

RID: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Rail.

IATA: International Air Transport Association.

ICAO: Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air.

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods.

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service.

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate.

 $LC_{50}\colon$  Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population.

LD₅o: Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose).

EC₅o: 50% of maximal Effective Concentration.

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance.

vPvB: Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative.

Classification abbreviations

and acronyms

Repr. = Reproductive toxicity

STOT RE = Specific target organ toxicity-repeated exposure

Classification procedures according to Regulation (EC)

1272/2008

STOT RE 2 - H373: Commission Regulation (EU) 2016/1179 Repr. 1A - H360D: Commission

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Hazard statements in full H300 Fatal if swallowed.

H302 Harmful if swallowed. H310 Fatal in contact with skin. H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H330 Fatal if inhaled. H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H360D May damage the unborn child.

H372 Causes damage to organs (Blood) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H373 May cause damage to organs (Blood) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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