

# SAFETY DATA SHEET ProGibb SG PGR Soluble Granule

According to Preparation of Safety Data Sheets for Hazardous Chemicals Code of Practice, February 2016

#### SECTION 1: Identification: Product identifier and chemical identity

**Product identifier** 

Product name ProGibb SG PGR Soluble Granule

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

**Application** Plant Growth Regulator

**Uses advised against**No specific uses advised against are identified.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

# Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Not Classified
Health hazards Not Classified
Environmental hazards Not Classified

Label elements

Hazard statements Not Classified

Other hazards

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

# SECTION 3: Composition and information on ingredients

#### **Mixtures**

Other ingredients deemed not to be hazardous

60.0%

Gibberellic acid 40.0%

CAS number: 77-06-5

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#### SECTION 4: First aid measures

## Description of first aid measures

General information If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 131126;

New Zealand 0800 764 766), and follow the advice given. Show this Safety Data Sheet to a

doctor.

**Inhalation** No specific recommendations. If throat irritation or coughing persists, proceed as follows.

Move affected person to fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Loosen tight clothing such as collar, tie or belt. Get medical attention if any

discomfort continues.

**Ingestion** No specific recommendations. If throat irritation or coughing persists, proceed as follows.

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Skin Contact No specific recommendations. Rinse with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort

continues.

**Eye contact** Rinse with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Protection of first aiders**Use protective equipment appropriate for surrounding materials.

# 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** No specific symptoms known.

**Ingestion** No specific symptoms known. May cause discomfort if swallowed.

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

**Eye contact** No specific symptoms known. May be slightly irritating to eyes.

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

**Notes for the doctor**Treat symptomatically.

**Specific treatments** No special treatment required.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

# 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.

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

Specific hazards None known.

Hazardous combustion

Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances:

Harmful gases or vapours.

Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during

firefighting

products

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 Australia/New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 4967 (for clothing) AS/NZS 1801 (for helmets), AS/NZS 4821 (for protective boots), AS/NZS 1801 (for protective gloves) will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Personal precautions No specific recommendations. For personal protection, see Section 8.

**Environmental precautions** 

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

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

**Methods for cleaning up**Reuse or recycle products wherever possible. 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. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national regulations.

Reference to other sections

**Reference to other sections** For personal protection, see Section 8.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage, including how the chemical may be safely used

#### Precautions for safe handling

**Usage precautions** 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 and wash

before reuse. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

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

Storage precautions No specific recommendations.

**Storage class** Unspecified storage.

Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls and personal protection

# Control parameters

# Occupational exposure limits

No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia

#### Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering

controls

No specific ventilation requirements.

Eye/face protection

No specific eye protection required during normal use. Large Spillages: Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is

possible.

**Hand protection** No specific hand protection recommended. Large Spillages: Wear protective gloves.

Hygiene measures Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating,

smoking and using the toilet. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

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Respiratory protection No specific recommendations. Provide adequate ventilation. Large Spillages: If ventilation is

inadequate, suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

**Environmental exposure** 

controls

Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Granules

Colour White.

Odour Odourless.

**pH** 2.9 (1% solution)

Relative density 0.53

Auto-ignition temperature >400°C

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

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

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

prescribed storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No potentially hazardous reactions known.

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

Materials to avoid

No specific material or group of materials is likely to react with the product to produce a

hazardous situation.

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

# Information on toxicological effects

**Toxicological effects** Not regarded as a health hazard under current legislation.

Acute toxicity - oral

**Notes (oral LD₅o)** LD₅o >5,000 mg/kg, , Rat

Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD<sub>50</sub>) LD<sub>50</sub> >5,000 mg/kg, , Rat

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC<sub>50</sub>) LC<sub>50</sub> >2.269 mg/l, , Rat, (4 h)

Skin corrosion/irritation

Animal data Slightly irritating. (Rabbit)

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Slightly irritating. (Rabbit)

Respiratory sensitisation

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

Skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation Not sensitising. (Guinea pig)

Germ cell mutagenicity

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

Carcinogenicity

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 -

development

Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

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 Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Aspiration hazard Not relevant. Solid.

General information No specific health hazards known. The severity of the symptoms described will vary

dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.

**Inhalation** No specific symptoms known.

Ingestion No specific symptoms known. May cause discomfort if swallowed.

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

**Eye contact** No specific symptoms known. May be slightly irritating to eyes.

Route of entry Ingestion Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact

**Target Organs** No specific target organs known.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

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

hazardous effects on the environment.

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

Acute toxicity - fish LC<sub>50</sub>, 96 hour: >100 mg/l, Cyprinus carpio (Common carp)

Acute toxicity - aquatic

invertebrates

NOEC, 48 hour: >140 mg/l, Daphnia magna

Acute toxicity - aquatic plants EC<sub>50</sub>, 72 hour: >92 mg/l, Freshwater algae

Acute toxicity - terrestrial LD<sub>50</sub>, : >285 μg/bee, Apis Mellifera (Honeybee)

Persistence and degradability

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

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Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative Potential No data available on bioaccumulation.

Mobility in soil

**Mobility** No data available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

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

#### Waste treatment methods

**General information**The generation of waste should be minimised or avoided wherever possible. This material and

its container must be disposed of in a safe way.

**Disposal methods**Triple or preferably pressure 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 for appropriate disposal 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.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

General Not a dangerous good according to ADG code 7

**UN number** 

UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

Transport hazard class(es)

Packing group

**Environmental hazards** 

Special precautions for user

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

Inventories

Australia - AICS

Not applicable

# SECTION 16: Any other relevant information

**Training advice** Only trained personnel should use this material.

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