

# Material Safety Data Sheet



## Hazardous Substance, Dangerous Goods

### 1. MATERIAL AND SUPPLY COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name: **Blitzem Insect Killer Concentrate**

<b>Synonyms:</b> Blitzem Insect Killer Concentrate (NZ)	<b>Product Code</b> -	<b>Bar Code</b> -
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**Recommended use:** Control of household pests such as ants, spiders, mosquitos, cockroaches and silverfish.

**Supplier:** Yates, a division of  
DuluxGroup (New Zealand) Pty Ltd  
**ABN:** 55 133 404 118 / Co. 2355191  
**Street Address:** 150 Hutt Park Road  
Lower Hutt  
New Zealand  
**Telephone:** 0800 693 297

**Emergency telephone number:** Australia – 1800 033 111      New Zealand – 0800 734 607

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This material is hazardous according to health criteria of EPA New Zealand

Hazardous Substance - HSNO Approval Number HSR000314

**Signal Word**  
Danger

#### HSNO Hazard Classification

3.1D	Flammable liquids
6.1E	Substances that are acutely toxic.
6.3B	Substances that are mildly irritating to the skin
6.4A	Substances that are irritating to the eye
6.5A	Substances that are respiratory sensitisers
6.5B	Substances that are contact sensitisers
6.9B	Substances that are harmful to human target organs or systems (repeated exposure)
9.1A	Substances that are very ecotoxic in the aquatic environment
9.4A	Substances that are very ecotoxic to terrestrial invertebrates

#### Hazard Statement(s)

H227	Combustible liquid
H303	May be harmful if swallowed
H313	May be harmful in contact with skin
H316	Causes mild skin irritation
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
H441	Very toxic to terrestrial invertebrates

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## Prevention Precautionary Statement(s)

- P102 Keep out of reach of children  
P103 Read label before use  
P210 Keep away from all sources of ignition - No smoking  
P260 Do not breathe mist, vapours or spray  
P264 Wash hands, face and all exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace  
P273 Avoid release to the environment  
P281 Use personal protective equipment as required

## Response Precautionary Statement(s)

- P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand  
P312 Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse  
P302+352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water  
P333+313 If skin irritation or a rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
P305+351+338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do – continue rinsing  
P337+313 If eye irritation persists get medical advice/attention  
P304+341 IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing  
P314 Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell  
P370+378 In case of fire: Use alcohol resistant foam for extinction

## Storage Precautionary Statement(s)

- P403+235 Store in a well ventilated place. Keep cool

## Disposal Precautionary Statement(s)

- P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations

## DANGEROUS GOODS CLASSIFICATION

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the "Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail" and the "New Zealand NZS5433: Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land".

**Class:** 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods

## 3. COMPOSITION INFORMATION

CHEMICAL ENTITY	CAS NO.	PROPORTION
Permethrin	52645-53-1	50 g/L
Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether	112-34-5	>60%
Ingredients determined to be non-hazardous	-	Balance
		100%

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## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 131 126, New Zealand 0800 764 766).

**Inhalation:** Remove victim from exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. If breathing laboured and patient cyanotic (blue), ensure airways are clear and have a qualified person give oxygen through a facemask. If breathing has stopped apply artificial respiration at once. In the event of cardiac arrest, apply external cardiac massage. Seek immediate medical advice.

**Skin contact:** If skin or hair contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin and hair with running water. If swelling, redness, blistering or irritation occurs seek medical assistance.

**Eye contact:** If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush the eyes continuously with running water. Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a Doctor; or for at least 15 minutes and transport to Doctor or Hospital.

**Ingestion:** Rinse mouth with water. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water to drink. If vomiting occurs give further water. Seek medical advice.

**Notes to physician:** Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Specific hazards:** Combustible liquid.

**Fire fighting further advice:** On burning may emit toxic fumes. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to vapour or products of combustion.

**Hazchem Code:** •3Z

**Suitable extinguishing media:** Alcohol resistant foam is the preferred fire-fighting medium. If material is involved in a fire use alcohol resistant foam, standard foam or dry agent (carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder).

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### SMALL SPILLS

Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contamination. Wipe up with absorbent (clean rag or paper towels). Allow absorbent to dry before disposing with normal household garbage.

### LARGE SPILLS

Shut off all possible sources of ignition. Clear area of all unprotected personnel. Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contamination and the inhalation of vapours. Work up wind or increase ventilation. Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Collect and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal. If contamination of crops or waterways has occurred advise emergency services or State Department of Agriculture.

**Dangerous Goods – Initial Emergency Response Guide No:** 47

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling:** Avoid skin and eye contact and inhalation of vapour, mist or aerosols.

**Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place and out of direct sunlight. Store away from foodstuffs. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Keep containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks.

This material is classified as a Dangerous Good Class 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Good as per the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code and must be stored in accordance with the relevant regulations.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**National occupational exposure limits:** No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia or Department of Labour New Zealand.

**Biological Limit Values:** As per the "National Model Regulations for the Control of Workplace Hazardous Substances (Safe Work Australia)" the ingredients in this material do not have a Biological Limit Allocated.

**Engineering measures:** Use only in well ventilated areas. Keep containers closed when not in use.

**Personal protection equipment:** OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, SAFETY GLASSES, GLOVES.

### *MANUFACTURING, PACKAGING AND TRANSPORT:*

Wear overalls, safety glasses and impervious gloves. Available information suggests that gloves made from nitrile rubber should be suitable for intermittent contact. However, due to variations in glove construction and local conditions, the user should make a final assessment. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storing or re-using.

If inhalation risk exists wear organic vapour/particulate respirator meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

### *RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONSUMER USE:*

Wear safety glasses and gloves. Wash hands after use.

**Hygiene measures:** Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands prior to eating, drinking or smoking.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Form / Colour / Odour:** Yellow, viscous liquid with a mild odour.

<b>Solubility:</b>	Emusifiable with water.
<b>Specific Gravity (20 °C):</b>	N Av
<b>Relative Vapour Density (air=1):</b>	>1
<b>Vapour Pressure (20 °C):</b>	0.003 kPa (Solvent)
<b>Flash Point (°C):</b>	78 (Solvent)
<b>Flammability Limits (%):</b>	N App
<b>Autoignition Temperature (°C):</b>	N App
<b>Melting Point/Range (°C):</b>	N Av
<b>Boiling Point/Range (°C):</b>	231 (Solvent)
<b>pH:</b>	N Av
<b>Total VOC (g/Litre):</b>	N Av

(Typical values only - consult specification sheet)

N Av = Not available

N App = Not applicable

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** No reactivity hazards are known for the material.

**Chemical stability:** This material is thermally stable when stored and used as directed.

**Hazardous reactions:** No known hazardous reactions.

**Conditions to avoid:** Elevated temperatures and sources of ignition.

**Incompatible materials:** Oxidising agents.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Oxides of carbon, nitrogen and sulphur, smoke and other toxic fumes.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

### Acute Effects

**Inhalation:** Material may be an irritant to mucous membranes and respiratory tract. Inhalation of vapour can result in headaches, dizziness and possible nausea. Inhalation of high concentrations can produce central nervous system depression, which can lead to loss of co-ordination, impaired judgement and if exposure is prolonged, unconsciousness. A respiratory sensitizer. Can cause possible allergic reactions.

**Skin contact:** Contact with skin may result in irritation. Will have a degreasing action on the skin. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may lead to irritant contact dermatitis. A skin sensitizer. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may lead to allergic contact dermatitis.

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**Ingestion:** Swallowing can result in nausea, vomiting and central nervous system depression. If the victim is uncoordinated there is greater likelihood of vomit entering the lungs and causing subsequent complications. Aspiration pneumonia (inflammation of the lung) may result.

**Eye contact:** An eye irritant.

**Long Term Effects:** No information available for product.

**Acute toxicity / Chronic toxicity:** No LD50 data available for the product. However, for the constituent,

PERMETHRIN  
Oral LD50 (rat): 220 mg/kg  
Dermal LD50 (rabbit): >2,000 mg/kg

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Avoid contaminating waterways.

**Ecotoxicity:** No information available. However, for the constituent,

PERMETHRIN  
96hr LC50 (rainbow trout): 0.0001 mg/L  
48hr LC50 (Daphnia magna): 0.00055 mg/L  
Very toxic to aquatic organisms.  
48hr LD50 (honey bee): 0.024 µg/bee  
Toxic to bees.

**Persistence and degradability:** No information available.

**Mobility:** No information available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Persons conducting disposal, recycling or reclamation activities should ensure that appropriate personal protection equipment is used, see "Section 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection" of this SDS.

If possible material and its container should be recycled. If material or container cannot be recycled, dispose in accordance with local, regional, national and international Regulations.

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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### ROAD AND RAIL TRANSPORT

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the "Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail" and the "New Zealand NZS5433: Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land".

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 packaging, IBC's or any other receptacles not exceeding 500 Kg(L).

**UN No:** 3082  
**Dangerous Goods Class:** 9  
**Packing Group:** III  
**Hazchem Code:** •3Z  
**Emergency Response Guide No:** 47

**Proper Shipping Name:** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(CONTAINS PERMETHRIN)

**Segregation Dangerous Goods:** Not to be loaded with explosives (Class 1), however exemptions may apply.

### MARINE TRANSPORT

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea.

This material is classified as a Marine Pollutant (P) according to the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code.

**UN No:** 3082  
**Dangerous Goods Class:** 9  
**Packing Group:** III

**Proper Shipping Name:** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(CONTAINS PERMETHRIN)

### AIR TRANSPORT

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air.

**UN No:** 3082  
**Dangerous Goods Class:** 9  
**Packing Group:** III

**Proper Shipping Name:** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.  
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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**This material is not subject to the following international agreements:**

Montreal Protocol (Ozone depleting substances)  
The Stockholm Convention (Persistent Organic Pollutants)  
The Rotterdam Convention (Prior Informed Consent)

**This material is subject to the following international agreements:**

Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)

- Wastes from the production, formulation and use of biocides and phytopharmaceuticals
- International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL)
- Annex III - Harmful Substances carried in Packaged Form

**This material/constituent(s) is covered by the following requirements:**

- The Standard for the *Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)* established under the *Therapeutic Goods Act (Commonwealth)*.
- All the constituents of this material are listed on the *Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)*.
- The *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Act (Commonwealth)* and/or applicable Commonwealth, State or Territory control-of-use legislation.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Literary reference

This Material Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by Chemical Data Services Pty Ltd ([chemdata.com.au](http://chemdata.com.au)) on behalf of its client.

Reason(s) For Issue: 5 Yearly Revision  
Change in Personal Protection Requirements  
Change in Hazardous Substance Classification  
Update in Ecological Information.  
Minor Text Changes.

Material Safety Data Sheets are updated frequently. Please ensure that you have a current copy.

This MSDS summarises at the date of issue our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product, and in particular how to safely handle and use the product in the workplace. Since DuluxGroup (Australia) Pty Ltd and DuluxGroup (New Zealand) Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, review this MSDS in the context of how the user intends to handle and use the product in the workplace.

If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate assessment can be made, the user should contact this company.

Our responsibility for product as sold is subject to our standard terms and conditions, a copy of which is sent to our customers and is also available upon request.