

SAFETY DATA SHEET
RAT AND MOUSE WAX BLOCKS

SECTION 1 - PRODUCT & COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Substance: flocoumafen
Product Name: **RAT AND MOUSE WAX BLOCKS**
Product Use: Biocidal product, rodenticide, Bait
Creation Date: April 2024

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SECTION 2 - HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Hazardous Nature:

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Hazard pictograms

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Signal word

: DANGER

Hazard Statement:

H373

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

Precautionary Statement:

P101

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

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Keep out of reach of children.

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Read label before use.

Precautionary Statements (Prevention):

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Do not breathe dust.

Precautionary Statements (Response):

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Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

P501

Dispose of contents and container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

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SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

SUBSTANCE/ MIXTURE: mixture

Description: Mixture of substances listed below with non-hazardous additions.

Hazardous Components:

CAS: 90035-08-8	flocoumafen (ISO)  Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410;  Acute Toxicity (Oral) 1, H301; Acute Toxicity (Dermal) 1, H310; STOT RE 3, H330	0.05%
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SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

General Information:

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention if breathing problems develop.

Skin Contact:

In case of skin contact, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with water and soap. Seek medical attention if symptoms occur.

Eye Contact:

In case of eye contact, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Seek immediate medical attention.

Ingestion:

If swallowed, seek immediate medical attention. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms: coagulation disorders Increased tendency to bleed.

In severe cases, massive bleeding from internal organs may result in circulatory shock, which could prove fatal.

The onset of symptoms is delayed for up to 4 days after uptake.

Hazards: The substance / product is an anticoagulant rodenticide with a coumarin-type mode of action.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment: Symptomatic treatment (decontamination, vital functions). Antidote: Vitamin K1 preparation as antidote.

SECTION 5 - FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water spray or fog, foam, dry.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:

Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Hydrogen fluoride, Hydrogen chloride, nitrogen oxides, halogenated compounds, metal oxides, silica compounds, cyanides, sulfur oxides

The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:

Special protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical-protective clothing.

Further information:

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Keep containers cool by spraying with water if exposed to fire. Collect contaminated extinguishing water separately, do not allow to reach sewage or effluent systems.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

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SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES (SPILLAGE)

Personal Precautions: Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Ventilate area of spill or leak, especially in contained areas.

Protective equipment: Refer to Section 8 for personal protective equipment to be worn during containment and clean-up of a spill involving this product.

Emergency procedures: Alert firefighting personnel, evacuate unprotected personnel and animals.

Environmental Precautions: Prevent spilled product from entering sewers, waterways or ground water. This product is classified to be toxic to aquatic organisms with long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. Any spillages or uncontrolled discharges into water courses should be reported immediately to the police and the Department of Water/Environmental Affairs.

Methods and Materials for Containment: Contain spilled product by diking area with sand, earth or lime.

Methods and Materials for Clean-up: Cover contained spill with an inert absorbent material such as sand, earth or other appropriate non-combustible material. Vacuum, scoop, or sweep up material and place the material into a clean, dry, sealable container. Label containers with the contents and dispose of according to local regulations. Do not place spilled material back in original container. Do not re-use spilled material. Collect washings and add to the drums already collected. Do not flush spilled material or washings into drains or waterways. To decontaminate the spill area, tools and equipment, wash with water and suitable detergent. Add the solution to the drums already collected. Open burning or dumping of this material is prohibited. See section 13 for disposal considerations.

SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

Handling:

Precautions for safe handling: Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Harmful if swallowed. Ensure adequate ventilation during handling and use. Do not handle broken containers without protective equipment. Immediately clean up spills that occur during handling. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use. In the case of contact with the product refer to First Aid Measures – Section 4.

General occupational hygiene: Practice good hygiene when using this material. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, smoking, using the toilet or applying cosmetics. Worker should shower at the end of each workday. Launder all clothing before it is re-used.

Storage:

Conditions for safe storage: Keep out of reach of unauthorised persons, children and animals. Store in its original labelled container tightly closed, in an isolated, dry, cool and well-ventilated area. Do not store near heat, open flame, sources of ignition or hot surfaces. Avoid cross contamination with other pesticides and fertilisers.

Incompatible substances and mixtures: Product is incompatible with galvanized steel or unlined mild steel.

Packaging material: Plastic containers.

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

It is essential to provide adequate ventilation. The measures appropriate for a particular work site depend on how this material is used and on the extent of exposure. Ensure that control systems are properly designed and maintained. Comply with occupational safety, environmental, fire and other applicable regulations.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

If engineering controls and work practices are not effective in controlling exposure to this material, then wear suitable personal protective equipment including approved respiratory protection.

Respirator:

It is usually safe to use the product without a mask or respirator. If the product is used in dusty or confined conditions, a mask or respirator suitable for protection from dusts and mists of pesticides is adequate. Limitations of respirator use specified by the approving agency and the manufacturer must be observed.

Clothing:

Employee must wear appropriate protective (impervious) clothing and equipment to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact with this substance.

Gloves:

Employee must wear appropriate synthetic protective gloves to prevent contact with this substance.

Eye protection:

Wear safety goggles or face shield.

Emergency eye wash: Where there is any possibility that an employee's eyes may be exposed to this substance, the employer should provide an eye wash fountain or appropriate alternative within the immediate work area for emergency use.

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SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Blue solid blocks.
Odour:	almost odourless, fresh cut grass
Flammability:	Not flammable.
Solubility:	Forms a suspension in water.
pH:	4 to 8).
Density:	1,27 ± 0,005 g/ml
Corrosiveness:	Not corrosive.
Oxidizing properties:	Not oxidizing.

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

Chemical Stability: Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of storage and use.

Conditions to Avoid: See section 7 of SDS.

Incompatible Materials: Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity:

Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition.

Experimental/calculated data: LD50 rat (oral): > 5.000 mg/kg

LC50 (by inhalation):

Not inhalable due to the physico-chemical properties of the product.

LD50 rat (dermal): > 5.000 mg/kg

Irritation

Assessment of irritating effects:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition. Not irritating to the eyes. Not irritating to the skin.

Experimental/calculated data:

Skin corrosion/irritation rabbit: non-irritant

Serious eye damage/irritation rabbit: non-irritant

Respiratory/Skin sensitization

Assessment of sensitization:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition. There is no evidence of a skin-sensitizing potential.

Experimental/calculated data:

modified Buehler test guinea pig: Non-sensitizing.

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Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment of mutagenicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Mutagenicity tests revealed no genotoxic potential.

Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of various animal studies gave no indication of a carcinogenic effect.

Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

Developmental toxicity

Assessment of teratogenicity

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Animal studies gave no indication of a developmental toxic effect at doses that were not toxic to the parental animals.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Assessment of STOT single:

Based on the available information there is no specific target organ toxicity to be expected after a single exposure.

Remarks: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Repeated dose toxicity and Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Aspiration hazard

No aspiration hazard expected.

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Other relevant toxicity information

Misuse can be harmful to health.

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SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms.
The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Assessment of terrestrial toxicity:

Hazardous to birds and mammals.

Persistence and degradability

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H₂O):

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Bioaccumulative potential

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Mobility in soil

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

Adsorption in soil: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Waste treatment:

Must be disposed of or incinerated

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFO

Land transport

UN number:
UN proper shipping name:
Transport hazard class(es):
Packing group:
Environmental hazards:
Special precautions for
user



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SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation for the mixture:

OHSA 1993 Regulations for Hazardous Chemical Substances.

Relevant information regarding restrictions: None. EU regulation: Regulation EC1272/2008 (EU-GHS/CLP)

Other national regulations: None.

Chemical Safety Assessment carried out? No

SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

Packaging and Labelling:

Packed in 150g, 100g, 250g, 500g, 3kg, 5kg , 10kg, 25kg, 50kg, 1000kg plastic containers and labelled according to South African regulations and guidelines.

Full text of classifications, hazard symbols and hazard statements, if mentioned in section 2 or 3:

STOT RE Specific target organ toxicity — repeated exposure

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

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

Disclaimer:

The information on this sheet is not a specification; it does not guarantee specific properties. The information is intended to provide general guidance as to health and safety based upon our knowledge of the handling, storage use of the product. It is not applicable to unusual or non-standard uses of the product nor where instructions or recommendations are not followed.

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