

# Safety data sheet

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Product: **GOLIATH® GEL COCKROACH BAIT**

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## 1. Substance/preparation and manufacturer/supplier identification

### **GOLIATH® GEL COCKROACH BAIT**

Use: insecticide

Manufacturer/supplier:

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Emergency information:

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BASF Emergency Advice Number: + 61 3 8855 6666 [outside Australia]

## 2. Hazard identification

Classification of the substance and mixture:

Acute toxicity: Cat. 5 (oral)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute: Cat. 1

Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic: Cat. 1

Label elements and precautionary statement:

Pictogram:



Signal Word:

Warning

**Hazard Statement:**

May be harmful if swallowed. Very toxic to aquatic life. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary Statements (Response):**

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Collect spillage.

**Precautionary Statements (Disposal):**

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

**Other hazards which do not result in classification:**

See section 12 - Results of PBT and vPvB assessment.

If applicable information is provided in this section on other hazards which do not result in classification but which may contribute to the overall hazards of the substance or mixture.

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### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

**Chemical nature**

Biocidal product, insecticide, Bait

**Hazardous ingredients****| Fipronil**

Content (W/W): 0.05 %  
 CAS Number: 120068-37-3

Acute Tox.: Cat. 2 (Inhalation - dust)  
 Acute Tox.: Cat. 3 (oral)  
 Acute Tox.: Cat. 3 (dermal)  
 STOT RE (Central nervous system): Cat. 1  
 Aquatic Acute: Cat. 1  
 Aquatic Chronic: Cat. 1  
 M-factor acute: 1000  
 M-factor chronic: 10000

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### 4. First-Aid Measures

**General advice:**

Remove contaminated clothing.

**If inhaled:**

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air.

**On skin contact:**

Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

**On contact with eyes:**

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open.

**On ingestion:**

Rinse mouth immediately and then drink plenty of water, induce vomiting, seek medical attention.

**Note to physician:**

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Symptoms: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11., Further important symptoms and effects are so far not known.  
Treatment: Symptomatic treatment (decontamination, vital functions).

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## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media:  
water spray, carbon dioxide, foam, dry powder

Specific hazards:  
carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, hydrogen chloride, hydrogen fluoride, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides, organochloric compounds  
The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

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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## 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions:  
Use personal protective clothing. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Do not breathe vapour/spray.

Environmental precautions:  
Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Methods for cleaning up or taking up:  
For small amounts: Pick up with suitable absorbent material (e.g. sand, sawdust, general-purpose binder, kieselguhr).  
For large amounts: Dike spillage. Pump off product.  
Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations. Collect waste in suitable containers, which can be labeled and sealed. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly with water and detergents, observing environmental regulations.

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## 7. Handling and Storage

### Handling

No special measures necessary if stored and handled correctly. Ensure thorough ventilation of stores and work areas. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift.

Protection against fire and explosion:

No special precautions necessary. The substance/product is non-combustible. Product is not explosive.

#### Storage

Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

Further information on storage conditions: Keep away from heat. Protect from direct sunlight.

Protect from temperatures above: 35 °C

Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored above indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

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## 8. Exposure controls and personal protection

### Components with occupational exposure limits

No occupational exposure limits known.

### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Respiratory protection not required.

Hand protection:

Hand protection not required.

Eye protection:

Eye protection not required.

Body protection:

Body protection not required.

General safety and hygiene measures:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wash thoroughly after handling.

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## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: gel  
Colour: brown  
Odour: odourless  
Odour threshold: not applicable, odour not perceivable

pH value: approx. 5 - 7  
(10 g/l, 21 °C)

Melting point: The product has not been tested.

Boiling point: The product has not been tested.

Flash point:	Non-flammable.	
Evaporation rate:	not applicable	
Lower explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.	
Upper explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.	
Ignition temperature:	415 °C	(Directive 92/69/EEC, A.15)
Thermal decomposition:	120 °C , 210 kJ/kg (onset temperature) Not a substance liable to self-decomposition according to UN transport regulations, class 4.1.	(DSC (OECD 113))
Explosion hazard:	not explosive	(Directive 92/69/EEC, A.14)
Fire promoting properties:	not fire-propagating	(UN Test O.2 (oxidizing liquids))
Vapour pressure:	approx. 23 hPa (20 °C) Information applies to the solvent.	
Density:	approx. 1.27 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (20 °C)	
Relative vapour density (air):	not applicable	
Solubility in water:	dispersible	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	not applicable	

## Other Information:

If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is indicated in this section.

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

## Conditions to avoid:

See MSDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

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(onset temperature) Not a substance liable to self-decomposition according to UN transport regulations, class 4.1.

Substances to avoid:  
strong bases, strong acids, strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous reactions:  
No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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

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## 11. Toxicological Information

### Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity:  
Of low toxicity after single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation.

Experimental/calculated data:  
LD50 rat (oral): 4,400 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 401)

LC50 (by inhalation):  
The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

LD50 rat (dermal): > 5,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 402)

Information on: Fipronil  
Experimental/calculated data:  
LC50 rat (by inhalation): 0.36 mg/l 4 h (OECD Guideline 403)  
Tested as dust aerosol.  
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### Irritation

Assessment of irritating effects:  
Not irritating to the eyes. Not irritating to the skin.

Experimental/calculated data:  
Skin corrosion/irritation rabbit:

Serious eye damage/irritation rabbit:

### Respiratory/Skin sensitization

Assessment of sensitization:  
There is no evidence of a skin-sensitizing potential.

Experimental/calculated data:  
Guinea pig maximization test guinea pig:

### **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.

Information on: Fipronil

Assessment of carcinogenicity:

In long-term studies in rats the substance induced thyroid tumors. The effect is caused by an animal specific mechanism that has no human counter part. In long-term studies in mice in which the substance was given by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed.

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### **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.

Information on: Fipronil

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

Causes mortality and signs of neurotoxicity through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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### **Aspiration hazard**

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.  
 No aspiration hazard expected.

### Other relevant toxicity information

Misuse can be harmful to health.

## 12. Ecological Information

### Ecotoxicity

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:  
 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
 The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Fipronil  
 Toxicity to fish:  
 LC50 (96 h) 0.0852 mg/l, *Lepomis macrochirus*  
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Information on: Fipronil  
 Aquatic invertebrates:  
 EC50 (48 h) 0.19 mg/l, *Daphnia magna*

LC50 (48 h) 0.00017 mg/l, *Mysidopsis bahia*

Information on: Fipronil  
 Aquatic plants:  
 EC50 (72 h) 0.103 mg/l (growth rate), *Scenedesmus subspicatus*

No observed effect concentration (72 h)  $\geq$  0.14 mg/l, *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata*

| EC50 (14 d)  $>$  0.16 mg/l (biomass), *Lemna gibba*

No observed effect concentration (14 d)  $>$  0.16 mg/l (biomass), *Lemna gibba*

Information on: Fipronil  
 Chronic toxicity to fish:  
 No observed effect concentration (35 d) 0.0029 mg/l, *Cyprinodon variegatus*  
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| Information on: Fipronil  
 Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:  
No observed effect concentration (28 d), 0.000008 mg/l, *Mysidopsis bahia*



### **Mobility**

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

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

Information on: Fipronil

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

Following exposure to soil, adsorption to solid soil particles is probable, therefore contamination of groundwater is not expected.

### **Persistence and degradability**

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H<sub>2</sub>O):

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

Information on: Fipronil

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H<sub>2</sub>O):

Not readily biodegradable (by OECD criteria).

### **Bioaccumulation potential**

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

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

Information on: Fipronil

Bioaccumulation potential:

Bioconcentration factor: 321, *Lepomis macrochirus*

Accumulation in organisms is not to be expected.

### **Additional information**

Other ecotoxicological advice:

Do not discharge product into the environment without control.

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## **13. Disposal Considerations**

Must be disposed of or incinerated in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging:

Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and disposed of in the same manner as the substance/product.

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## **14. Transport Information**

**Domestic transport:**

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Hazard class: 9  
Packing group: III  
ID number: UN 3082  
Hazard label: 9, EHSM  
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,  
N.O.S. (contains FIPRONIL)

**Further information**

Hazchem Code:3Z  
IERG Number:47

**Sea transport**

IMDG

Hazard class: 9  
Packing group: III  
ID number: UN 3082  
Hazard label: 9, EHSM  
Marine pollutant: YES  
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,  
N.O.S. (contains FIPRONIL)

**Air transport**

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class: 9  
Packing group: III  
ID number: UN 3082  
Hazard label: 9, EHSM  
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,  
N.O.S. (contains FIPRONIL)

**Further information**

Environmentally Hazardous Substances meeting the description of UN 3077 or UN 3082 are not subjected to the Australian Dangerous Goods Code when transported by road or rail in packagings not exceeding 500 kg(L) or IBCs.

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**15. Regulatory Information****Other regulations**

If other regulatory information applies that is not already provided elsewhere in this safety data sheet, then it is described in this subsection.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP): Not Scheduled

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**16. Other Information**

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