

SAFETY DATA SHEET



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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Trade name PONCHO® / VOTIVO®
Product code (UVP) 81735050, 81006334
SDS Number 102000027015
EPA Registration No. 264-1109

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

Use Seed treatment
Insecticide

Restrictions on use See product label for restrictions.

Information on supplier

Supplier Bayer CropScience LP
800 North Lindbergh Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63167
USA

Responsible Department Email: SDSINFO.BCS-NA@bayer.com

Emergency telephone no.

Emergency Telephone Number (24hr/ 7 days) 1-800-334-7577

Product Information Telephone Number 1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937)

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification in accordance with regulation HCS 29CFR §1910.1200
Acute toxicity(Oral, Inhalation): Category 4

Labelling in accordance with regulation HCS 29CFR §1910.1200



Signal word: Warning

Hazard statements

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Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.

Precautionary statements

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Avoid breathing mist/ spray.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Rinse mouth.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

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

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)

Micro-organisms may have the potential to provoke sensitising reactions.

No physical hazards not otherwise classified.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Component Name	CAS-No.	Concentration % by weight
Clothianidin	210880-92-5	40.3
Bacillus firmus (Strain I-1582)		8.1

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

General advice

When possible, have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.

Inhalation

Move to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Eye contact

Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Ingestion

Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse out mouth and give water in small sips to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not leave victim unattended.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms

To date no symptoms are known.

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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment	Appropriate supportive and symptomatic treatment as indicated by the patient's condition is recommended.
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SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Suitable Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable High volume water jet

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Dangerous gases are evolved in the event of a fire.

Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

Further information Keep out of smoke. Fight fire from upwind position. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Specific hazards from the substance or mixture which can increase the fire

Flash point > 99 °C / > 210.2 °F
Material heated to 100 °C – no flash point in the liquid state.

Auto-ignition temperature No data available

Lower explosion limit No data available

Upper explosion limit No data available

Explosivity Not applicable

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SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Precautions Keep unauthorized people away. Isolate hazard area. Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Collect and transfer the product into a properly labelled and tightly closed container. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly, observing environmental regulations.

Additional advice Use personal protective equipment. If the product is accidentally spilled, do not allow to enter soil, waterways or waste water canal.

Reference to other sections Information regarding safe handling, see section 7.
Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8.
Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Handle and open container in a manner as to prevent spillage.

Hygiene measures Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, using the toilet or applying cosmetics.
Remove Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately after handling this product. Before removing gloves clean them with soap and water. Remove soiled clothing immediately and clean thoroughly before using again. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other crop protection products, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area.
Protect from freezing.

Advice on common storage Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Clothianidin	210880-92-5	0.1 mg/m ³	01 2022	ACGIH

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(Inhalable fraction.)		(TWA)		
Clothianidin	210880-92-5	2.8 mg/m ³ (TWA)		OES BCS*
Bacillus firmus (Strain I-1582)		1x10 ⁷ CFU/m ³ (TWA)		OES BCS*
Glycerine (Total dust.)	56-81-5	15 mg/m ³ (TWA)	09 2016	Z3
Glycerine (Respirable particles.)	56-81-5	3 mg/m ³ (TWA)	01 2021	ACGIH
Glycerine (Total dust.)	56-81-5	10 mg/m ³ (TWA PEL)	12 2017	US CA OEL
Glycerine (Total dust.)	56-81-5	50millions of particles per cubic foot of air (TWA)	09 2016	Z3
Glycerine (Respirable fraction.)	56-81-5	5 mg/m ³ (TWA)	09 2016	Z3
Glycerine (Respirable fraction and dust or fume.)	56-81-5	5 mg/m ³ (TWA)	06 2008	TN OEL
Glycerine (Inhalable particles.)	56-81-5	10 mg/m ³ (TWA)	01 2021	ACGIH
Glycerine (Respirable fraction.)	56-81-5	5 mg/m ³ (TWA PEL)	12 2017	US CA OEL
Glycerine (Respirable fraction.)	56-81-5	15millions of particles per cubic foot of air (TWA)	09 2016	Z3
Glycerine (Respirable fraction.)	56-81-5	5 mg/m ³ (PEL)	02 2006	OSHA Z1
Glycerine (Total dust.)	56-81-5	15 mg/m ³ (PEL)	02 2006	OSHA Z1
Glycerine (Total dust and mist.)	56-81-5	10 mg/m ³ (TWA)	06 2008	TN OEL

*OES BCS: Internal Bayer AG, Crop Science Division "Occupational Exposure Standard"

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

In normal use and handling conditions please refer to the label and/or leaflet. In all other cases the

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following recommendations would apply.

Respiratory protection	When respirators are required, select NIOSH approved equipment based on actual or potential airborne concentrations and in accordance with the appropriate regulatory standards and/or industry recommendations.
Hand protection	Chemical resistant nitrile rubber gloves
Eye protection	Tightly fitting safety goggles
Skin and body protection	Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants and shoes plus socks.
General protective measures	Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and warm/tepid water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form	Liquid
Colour	beige
Odour	characteristic
Odour Threshold	No data available
pH	5.0 - 8.0 (100 %) (23 °C)
Melting point/range	No data available
Boiling Point	No data available
Flash point	> 99 °C / > 210.2 °F Material heated to 100 °C – no flash point in the liquid state.
Flammability	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Thermal decomposition	No data available
Minimum ignition energy	Not applicable
Self-accelerating decomposition temperature (SADT)	No data available
Upper explosion limit	No data available
Lower explosion limit	No data available
Vapour pressure	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available

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Relative vapour density	No data available
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Density	1.28 g/cm ³ (20 °C)
Water solubility	dispersible
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Clothianidin: log Pow: 0.9
Viscosity, dynamic	500 - 850 mPa.s (25 °C) 280 - 480 mPa.s (20 °C) Velocity gradient 20 /s 170 - 320 mPa.s (20 °C) Velocity gradient 100 /s
Viscosity, kinematic	No data available
Oxidizing properties	No data available
Explosivity	Not applicable
Other information	Further safety related physical-chemical data are not known.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	Stable under normal conditions.
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to prescribed instructions.
Conditions to avoid	Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
Incompatible materials	No data available
Hazardous decomposition products	No decomposition products expected under normal conditions of use.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Exposure routes	Skin contact, Eye contact, Inhalation
Immediate Effects	
Eye	Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

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Skin Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

Ingestion Harmful if swallowed.

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity LD50 (Rat) 2,000 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity LC50 (Rat) > 2.03 mg/l
Exposure time: 4 h
Determined in the form of a respirable aerosol.
Highest attainable concentration.

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 (Rat) > 5,000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation Slight irritant effect - does not require labelling. (Rabbit)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Slight irritant effect - does not require labelling. (Rabbit)

Respiratory or skin sensitisation Skin: Non-sensitizing. (Mouse)
OECD Test Guideline 429, local lymph node assay (LLNA)

Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure

Clothianidin: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Bacillus firmus: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure

Clothianidin did not cause specific target organ toxicity in experimental animal studies.
Bacillus firmus did not cause specific target organ toxicity in experimental animal studies.

Assessment mutagenicity

Clothianidin was not mutagenic or genotoxic based on the overall weight of evidence in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.
Bacillus firmus: Test not required for microorganisms.

Assessment carcinogenicity

Clothianidin was not carcinogenic in lifetime feeding studies in rats and mice.
Bacillus firmus: Test not required for microorganisms.

ACGIH

Clothianidin 210880-92-5 Group A4

NTP

None.

IARC

None.

Assessment toxicity to reproduction

Clothianidin caused reproduction toxicity in a two-generation study in rats only at dose levels also toxic to the parent animals. The reproduction toxicity seen with Clothianidin is related to parental toxicity.
Bacillus firmus: Test not required for microorganisms.

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Assessment developmental toxicity

Clothianidin did not cause developmental toxicity in rats.
Clothianidin caused developmental toxicity in rabbits only at dose levels toxic to the dams. The developmental effects seen with Clothianidin are related to maternal toxicity.
Bacillus firmus: Test not required for microorganisms.

Aspiration hazard

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

Further information

Only acute toxicity studies have been performed on the formulated product.
The non-acute information pertains to the active ingredient(s).

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity to fish	LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)) > 104.2 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient clothianidin.
Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates	EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) > 40 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient clothianidin. EC50 (Chironomus riparius (non-biting midge)) 0.029 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient clothianidin.
Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates	NOEC (Daphnia (water flea)): 0.12 mg/l Exposure time: 21 d The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient clothianidin. EC15 (Chironomus riparius (non-biting midge)): 0.00072 mg/l Exposure time: 28 d The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient clothianidin.
Toxicity to aquatic plants	EC50 (Raphidocelis subcapitata (freshwater green alga)) > 120 mg/l Growth rate; Exposure time: 72 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient clothianidin. EC50 (Lemna gibba (gibbous duckweed)) > 121 mg/l Exposure time: 14 d The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient clothianidin.
Biodegradability	Clothianidin: Not rapidly biodegradable

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	Bacillus firmus: Evaluation of biodegradability is not relevant for micro-organisms.
Koc	Clothianidin: Koc: 84 - 345
Bioaccumulation	Clothianidin: Does not bioaccumulate. Bacillus firmus: Evaluation of bioaccumulation is not relevant for micro-organisms.
Mobility in soil	Clothianidin: Moderately mobile in soils Bacillus firmus: Evaluation of mobility in soil is not relevant for micro-organisms.
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	
PBT and vPvB assessment	Clothianidin: This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT). This substance is not considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB). Bacillus firmus: This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT). This substance is not considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).
Additional ecological information	No other effects to be mentioned.
Environmental precautions	Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate surface or ground water by cleaning equipment or disposal of wastes, including equipment wash water. Do not apply when weather conditions favor runoff or drift. Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in adjacent sites. Apply this product as specified on the label.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Product	Pesticide, spray mixture or rinse water that cannot be used according to label instructions may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. Dispose in accordance with all local, state/provincial and federal regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Completely empty container into application equipment, then dispose of empty container in a sanitary landfill, by incineration or by other procedures approved by state/provincial and local authorities. Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.

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RCRA Information

Characterization and proper disposal of this material as a special or hazardous waste is dependent upon Federal, State and local laws and are the user's responsibility. RCRA classification may apply.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

49CFR Not dangerous goods / not hazardous material

IMDG

UN number	3082
Class	9
Packaging group	III
Marine pollutant	YES
Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (CLOTHIANIDIN SOLUTION)

IATA

UN number	3082
Class	9
Packaging group	III
Environm. Hazardous Mark	YES
Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (CLOTHIANIDIN SOLUTION)

This transportation information is not intended to convey all specific regulatory information relating to this product. It does not address regulatory variations due to package size or special transportation requirements.

Freight Classification: INSECTICIDES OR FUNGICIDES, N.O.I., OTHER THAN POISON

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPA Registration No. 264-1109

EPA/FIFRA Information:

This chemical is a pesticide product regulated by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information required on the pesticide label:

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Signal word: Caution!

Hazard statements: Harmful if swallowed.
Causes moderate eye irritation.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Abbreviations and acronyms

49CFR	Code of Federal Regulations, Title 49
ACGIH	US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values
ATE	Acute toxicity estimate
CAS-Nr.	Chemical Abstracts Service number
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
EINECS	European inventory of existing commercial substances
ELINCS	European list of notified chemical substances
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
N.O.S.	Not otherwise specified
NTP	US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens
OECD	Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development
TDG	Transportation of Dangerous Goods
TWA	Time weighted average
UN	United Nations
WHO	World health organisation

NFPA 704 (National Fire Protection Association):

Health - 2 Flammability - 0 Instability - 0 Others - none

HMIS (Hazardous Materials Identification System, based on the Fourth Edition Ratings Guide)

Health - 1 Flammability - 1 Physical Hazard - 0 PPE -

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard,
* = chronic health hazard

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