



## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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VectoLex CG Biological Larvicide

SDS# VBC-0117 Revision 4

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY

#### 1.1 Product Identifier

**MATERIAL NAME:** VectoLex CG Biological Larvicide

**Synonyms:** None

**PCP No.:** 28008

**Code Number:** 05722

**List Number:** 05722

**Chemical Family:** Not applicable; microbial product

**Substance Registration Number(s)[REACH]:** N/A

#### 1.2 Relevant Identified Uses and Uses Advised Against

**Identified Uses:** Biological mosquito larvicide

**Uses Advised Against:** It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its pesticide labeling.

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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#### 1.4 EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Outside the United States: 651-632-6184

Within the United States: 877-315-9819

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the Substance or Mixture

Eye Irritation – Category 2B

Skin Sensitizer – Category 1A

#### 2.2 Labeling Elements

Symbol(s)

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**Signal Word**

WARNING

**Hazard Statement(s)**

Causes eye irritation  
 May cause an allergic skin reaction

**2.3 Precautionary Statement:**

**Prevention**

Avoid breathing dust  
 Wear dust mask when handling  
 Wash thoroughly after handling  
 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.  
 Wear protective clothing/eye protection/impervious gloves

**Response**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.  
 IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water.  
 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

**2.4 Other Hazards**

None identified.

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CAS #	Component Name	Percent
None	<i>Bacillus sphaericus</i> 2362, serotype H5a5b, strain ABTS 1743 fermentation solids	7.5
Trade Secret	Other ingredients	82.5

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

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**4.1 Description of First Aid Measures****GENERAL:** In all cases of doubt, seek medical attention.**EYES:** Remove from source of exposure. Flush with copious amounts of water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing. If irritation persists or signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic /supportive care as necessary.**SKIN:** Remove from source of exposure. Take off contaminated clothing. Flush with copious amounts of water. If irritation occurs or signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic/supportive care as necessary.**INGESTION:** Remove from source of exposure. Move person to fresh air. Do NOT induce vomiting. If signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic /supportive care as necessary.**INHALATION:** Remove from source of exposure. If signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic/supportive care as necessary. If person is not breathing, call 911, then give artificial respiration.**4.2 Most important Symptoms and Effects, both Acute and Delayed****Acute**

Possible eye irritation and skin sensitization

**Delayed**

No information on significant adverse effects

**4.3 Indication of any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed**

Treat symptomatically and supportively

**5. FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES****5.1 Extinguisher Media****Suitable Extinguisher Media**

Dry chemical, water spray, foam or carbon dioxide. Use appropriate medium for the underlying cause of the fire.

**Unsuitable Extinguisher Media**

None known

**5.2 Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical****Thermal decomposition products**

Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides



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### 5.3 Advice to Firefighters

#### Protective Equipment and precautions for firefighters

Fire fighter should wear full-face, self-contained breathing apparatus and impervious protective clothing. Fire fighters should avoid inhaling combustion products. See Section 8 (Exposure Controls / Personal Protection)

#### Fire & Explosive hazard

Not expected to be flammable.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1 Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

For respiratory protection wear a dust mask. Wear eye protection appropriate to handling activities. Wear impervious gloves. See personal protection as recommended in Section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental Precautions

Dispose of excess product and washwaters according to local regulations.

### 6.3 Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Sweep up material and place in appropriate container for disposal. Avoid generating dust.

### 6.4 Reference to Other Sections

See Section 7 for Handling Procedures. See Section 8 for Personal Protective Equipment recommendations. See Section 13 for Disposal Considerations.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for Safe handling

For respiratory protection wear a dust mask. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink, chew gum or smoke while working with product, obey reasonable safety precautions and practice good housekeeping.

### 7.2 Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Incompatibilities

Protect against physical damage. Keep in original containers. Close containers of unused material. Store in a dry, cool place.

#### Incompatibilities

None Known

### 7.3 Specific End Use(s)

Pesticide, biological mosquito larvicide



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### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control Parameters

##### Component Exposure Limits

None

##### Derived No Effect Levels (DNELs)

No DNELs available

##### Predicted No Effect Concentrations (PNECs)

No PNECs available

#### 8.2 Exposure Controls

##### Appropriate Engineering Controls

Provide general ventilation.

##### SKIN PROTECTION:

Wear protective clothing, including boots and gloves. For filling operations if dust/mist is produced wear a dust mask. Wear gloves made of impervious materials. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

##### EYE PROTECTION:

Wear goggles, safety glasses with side shields.

##### RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

Where respiratory protection is warranted, use dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approved number prefix TC-21C or a NIOSH approved respirator with any N, P, R or HE filter during application procedures or when repeat exposure is expected.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance/Color:	Tan to Brown fine granules	Odor:	Characteristic odor
Odor Threshold:	Not determined	pH:	Not determined
Melting point/ Freezing point:	Not determined	Boiling Point:	Not determined
Flashpoint:	Not determined	Evaporation Rate:	Not determined
Flammability:	None of the components are classified as flammable or highly flammable, it can be concluded that the preparation itself will not be classified as highly flammable.	Upper/Lower flammability or explosive limits	Not determined
Vapor Pressure:	Not determined	Vapor Density:	Not determined
Relative/Bulk Density:	Not determined	Solubility:	Not determined
Octanol/H <sub>2</sub> O Partition	Not determined	Auto-ignition temp:	Not determined



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Coefficient:		Viscosity:	
Decomposition Temp:	Not determined	Viscosity:	Not applicable

## 10. CHEMICAL STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

Material does not pose a significant reactivity hazard.

### 10.2 Chemical Stability

Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage. Spontaneous reaction not possible.

### 10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Does not undergo hazardous polymerization

### 10.4 Conditions to Avoid

None known

### 10.5 Incompatible Materials

None known

### 10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon oxides and unidentified organic compounds.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on Toxicological Effects

#### LIKELY ROUTES OF EXPOSURE

Eye Contact: Yes

Skin Contact: Yes

Ingestion: No

Inhalation: No

#### ACUTE EFFECTS Product Toxicology Studies (Data for TGAI)

ORAL TOXICITY: LD<sub>50</sub> > 5,000 mg/kg

DERMAL TOXICITY: LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,000 mg/kg

INHALATION TOXICITY: LC<sub>50</sub> > 0.09 mg/L highest attainable concentration

CORROSIVENESS: Not corrosive.

DERMAL IRRITATION: slightly-irritating

OCULAR IRRITATION: Eye irritant – Cat 2B



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DERMAL SENSITIZATION: Skin sensitizer – Cat 1A

MUTAGENICITY INFORMATION: Components of this product are not listed as mutagens.

CARCINOGENICITY INFORMATION: Components of this product are not listed as carcinogenic by NTP, IARC or OSHA.

DEVELOPMENTAL/REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY: This material is not pathogenic

SPECIAL TARGET ORGAN EFFECTS: Eye and mucus membrane Irritation.

ASPIRATION HAZARD: Not Applicable

REPEAT DOSE STUDIES: Not Applicable, Pathogenicity Toxicity testing was all negative

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Ecotoxicity (Data for a Concentrated Technical Powder)

Fish: LC<sub>50</sub>: >15.5 mg/L (96-H, Rainbow Trout)

LC<sub>50</sub>: >15.5 mg/L (96-H, Blue Gill)

Bird: LC<sub>50</sub>: >9g /kg (Acute Oral - Mallard)

Invertebrates: EC<sub>50</sub>: >15.5 (48-H) (Daphnia)

Bees: Essentially non-toxic to bees

### 12.2 Persistence and Degradability

No data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulation potential

Not applicable. Substance is not pathogenic to non-target organisms

### 12.4 Mobility in Soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Assessments not performed

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

None known

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste Disposal Methods

Dispose of product in accordance with federal, state, provincial, and local regulations. Prevent contamination of environment by wastes.



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### 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

DOT STATUS: Not regulated for domestic ground transport by US DOT  
UN PROPER SHIPPING NAME: N/A  
REMARKS: N/A

IATA/ICAO STATUS: Not Regulated  
PROPER SHIPPING NAME: N/A  
REMARKS: N/A

IMDG STATUS: Not Regulated  
PROPER SHIPPING NAME: N/A  
REMARKS: N/A

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### 15.1 Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations / Specific Legislation

TSCA STATUS: Exempt  
CERCLA STATUS: Not regulated as hazardous  
SARA STATUS: Acute: No Chronic: No Fire: No CDT: No  
RCRA STATUS: Not regulated as hazardous

Consult applicable national, state provincial or local laws to determine regulations, laws or ordinances which may be applicable.

#### 15.2 EPA Pesticide Regulations

PCP Number: 28008  
Product must have PMRA Approved Pesticide Label attached to or accompanying all containers.

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the PMRA 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 (SDS), and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. The hazard information required on the pesticide label is reproduced below. The pesticide label also includes other important information, including directions and limitations for its use.

RESTRICTED  
READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING  
PREVENT ACCESS BY UNAUTHORIZED PERSONNEL  
POTENTIAL SENSITIZER





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CAUTION EYE IRRITANT

**NATURE OF RESTRICTION:**

This product is to be used only in the manner authorised; consult provincial pesticide regulatory authorities regarding appropriate use permits that may be required.

**PRECAUTIONS: PREVENT ACCESS BY UNAUTHORIZED PERSONNEL**

May cause sensitization. May irritate eyes. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

GENERAL: IMMEDIATELY seek medical attention if irritation or signs of toxicity occur and persist or are severe.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: Treat symptomatically.

**STORAGE:** Store at temperatures between 0°C and 25°C. Store container upright and keep tightly closed when not in use. Material must be used within 12 months of the Date of Manufacture.

**DISPOSAL:**

1. Completely empty the bag into the application equipment.
2. Follow provincial instruction for any required additional cleaning of the container prior to its disposal.
3. Make the empty bag unsuitable for further use.
4. Dispose of the bag in accordance with provincial requirements.

For information on disposal of unused, unwanted product, contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency. Contact the manufacturer and the provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill, and for clean-up of spills.

**DO NOT** contaminate irrigation or drinking water supplies or aquatic habitats by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**NFPA Hazard Ratings**

Health: 1  
 Flammability: 0  
 Instability: 0

**HMIS Hazard Ratings**

Health: 1  
 Flammability: 0  
 Instability: 0

- 0 = Minimal
- 1 = Slight
- 2 = Moderate
- 3 = Serious
- 4 = Extreme

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LEGEND: N/A = Not Applicable                      N/D = Not Determined  
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C = Ceiling    S = Short-term  
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