

**Propentofylline Formulation**

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**Section 1: Identification**

Product name : Propentofylline Formulation

Other means of identification : Vivitonin (A005114)  
VIVITONIN 50 TABLETS FOR AGED DOGS (51394)  
VIVITONIN 100 TABLETS FOR AGED DOGS (49892)

**Manufacturer or supplier's details**

Company : MSD

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**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

Recommended use : Veterinary product

Restrictions on use : Not applicable



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**Section 2: Hazard identification****GHS Classification**

Acute toxicity (Oral) : Category 4

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Oral) : Category 2

**GHS label elements**

Hazard pictograms :  

Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H302 Harmful if swallowed.  
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**

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P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

**Response:**

P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.

**Disposal:**

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

**Additional Labelling**

The following percentage of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) with unknown hazards to the aquatic environment: 50 %

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

Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation.

Contact with dust can cause mechanical irritation or drying of the skin.

May form combustible dust concentrations in air during processing, handling or other means.

**Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

**Components**

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Propentofylline	55242-55-2	$\geq 50$ -< 70
Starch	9005-25-8	$\geq 10$ -< 20
Talc	14807-96-6	$\geq 1$ -< 10

**Section 4: First-aid measures**

General advice	: In the case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.
If inhaled	: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
In case of skin contact	: Wash with water and soap. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
In case of eye contact	: If in eyes, rinse well with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
If swallowed	: If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	: Contact with dust can cause mechanical irritation or drying of the skin. Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation. Harmful if swallowed.

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Protection of first-aiders	:	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed. First Aid responders should pay attention to self-protection, and use the recommended personal protective equipment when the potential for exposure exists (see section 8).
Notes to physician	:	Treat symptomatically and supportively.

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**Section 5: Fire-fighting measures**

Suitable extinguishing media	:	Water spray Alcohol-resistant foam Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ) Dry chemical
Unsuitable extinguishing media	:	None known.
Specific hazards during fire-fighting	:	Avoid generating dust; fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. Exposure to combustion products may be a hazard to health.
Hazardous combustion products	:	Carbon oxides Nitrogen oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> )
Specific extinguishing methods	:	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Use water spray to cool unopened containers. Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do so. Evacuate area.
Special protective equipment for firefighters	:	In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Use personal protective equipment.

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**Section 6: Accidental release measures**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	:	Use personal protective equipment. Follow safe handling advice (see section 7) and personal protective equipment recommendations (see section 8).
Environmental precautions	:	Avoid release to the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	:	Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air).

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Dust deposits should not be allowed to accumulate on surfaces, as these may form an explosive mixture if they are released into the atmosphere in sufficient concentration. Local or national regulations may apply to releases and disposal of this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to determine which regulations are applicable. Sections 13 and 15 of this SDS provide information regarding certain local or national requirements.

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**Section 7: Handling and storage**

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| Technical measures          | : | Static electricity may accumulate and ignite suspended dust causing an explosion.<br>Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding and bonding, or inert atmospheres.  |
| Local/Total ventilation     | : | Use only with adequate ventilation.   |
| Advice on safe handling     | : | Do not breathe dust.<br>Do not swallow.<br>Avoid contact with eyes.<br>Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin.<br>Wash skin thoroughly after handling.<br>Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice, based on the results of the workplace exposure assessment<br>Minimize dust generation and accumulation.<br>Keep container closed when not in use.<br>Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.<br>Take precautionary measures against static discharges.<br>Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.<br>Take care to prevent spills, waste and minimize release to the environment. |
| Hygiene measures            | : | If exposure to chemical is likely during typical use, provide eye flushing systems and safety showers close to the working place.<br>When using do not eat, drink or smoke.<br>Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.<br>The effective operation of a facility should include review of engineering controls, proper personal protective equipment, appropriate degowning and decontamination procedures, industrial hygiene monitoring, medical surveillance and the use of administrative controls.  |
| Conditions for safe storage | : | Keep in properly labelled containers.<br>Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.  |
| Materials to avoid          | : | Do not store with the following product types:<br>Strong oxidizing agents   |

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**Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection****Components with workplace control parameters**

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Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Propentofylline	55242-55-2	TWA	1000 µg/m <sup>3</sup> (OEB 1)	Internal
Starch	9005-25-8	WES-TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NZ OEL
		TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH
Talc	14807-96-6	WES-TWA (Respirable dust)	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NZ OEL
		TWA (Respirable particulate matter)	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH

**Engineering measures** : Use feasible engineering controls to minimize exposure to compound.  
 All engineering controls should be implemented by facility design and operated in accordance with GMP principles to protect products, workers, and the environment.

**Personal protective equipment**

Respiratory protection : If adequate local exhaust ventilation is not available or exposure assessment demonstrates exposures outside the recommended guidelines, use respiratory protection.

Filter type : Particulates type

Hand protection : Chemical-resistant gloves

Material

Eye protection : Wear safety glasses with side shields or goggles.  
 If the work environment or activity involves dusty conditions, mists or aerosols, wear the appropriate goggles.  
 Wear a faceshield or other full face protection if there is a potential for direct contact to the face with dusts, mists, or aerosols.

Skin and body protection : Work uniform or laboratory coat.

**Section 9: Physical and chemical properties**

Appearance : tablet, powder

Colour : No data available

Odour : No data available

Odour Threshold : No data available

pH : Not applicable

Melting point/freezing point : No data available

Initial boiling point and boiling : No data available

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Flash point	:	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	:	Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	May form combustible dust concentrations in air during processing, handling or other means.
Flammability (liquids)	:	Not applicable
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	No data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	No data available
Vapour pressure	:	Not applicable
Relative vapour density	:	Not applicable
Relative density	:	No data available
Density	:	No data available
Solubility(ies)		
Water solubility	:	No data available
Solubility in other solvents	:	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
Viscosity		
Viscosity, kinematic	:	Not applicable
Explosive properties	:	Not explosive
Oxidizing properties	:	The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.
Molecular weight	:	Not applicable
Particle characteristics		
Particle size	:	No data available

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**Section 10: Stability and reactivity**

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Reactivity	:	Not classified as a reactivity hazard.
Chemical stability	:	Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	:	May form combustible dust concentrations in air during processing, handling or other means. Can react with strong oxidizing agents.
Conditions to avoid	:	Heat, flames and sparks. Avoid dust formation.
Incompatible materials	:	Oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products	:	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

## Section 11: Toxicological information

Exposure routes	:	Inhalation Skin contact Ingestion Eye contact
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**Acute toxicity**

Harmful if swallowed.

**Product:**

Acute oral toxicity	:	Acute toxicity estimate: 1,880 mg/kg Method: Calculation method
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**Components:****Propentofylline:**

Acute oral toxicity	:	LD50 (Rat): 940 mg/kg Symptoms: Breathing difficulties, Convulsions, Lachrymation  LD50 (Mouse): 780 mg/kg  LD50 (Rabbit): 405 mg/kg
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**Starch:**

Acute oral toxicity	:	LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg
Acute dermal toxicity	:	LD50 (Rabbit): > 2,000 mg/kg

**Talc:**

Acute oral toxicity	:	LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg Remarks: Based on data from similar materials
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**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Talc:**

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Species	: Rabbit
Result	: No skin irritation

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Starch:**

Species	: Rabbit
Result	: No eye irritation

**Talc:**

Species	: Rabbit
Result	: No eye irritation

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation****Skin sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Respiratory sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Starch:**

Test Type	: Maximisation Test
Exposure routes	: Skin contact
Species	: Guinea pig
Result	: negative

**Talc:**

Exposure routes	: Skin contact
Species	: Humans
Result	: negative

**Chronic toxicity****Germ cell mutagenicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Starch:**

Genotoxicity in vitro	: Test Type: Bacterial reverse mutation assay (AMES)
	Result: negative

**Talc:**

Genotoxicity in vitro	: Test Type: DNA damage and repair, unscheduled DNA syn-
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Genotoxicity in vivo	thesis in mammalian cells (in vitro)
	Result: negative
	: Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro
	Species: Rat
	Application Route: Ingestion
	Result: negative

**Carcinogenicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Talc:**

Species	: Mouse
Application Route	: inhalation (dust/mist/fume)
Exposure time	: 2 Years
Result	: negative

**Reproductive toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Propentofylline:**

Effects on foetal development	: Test Type: Development
	Species: Mouse
	Application Route: Ingestion
	Developmental Toxicity: NOAEL: 500 mg/kg body weight
	Result: No adverse effects
	Test Type: Development
	Species: Rabbit
	Application Route: Ingestion
	Developmental Toxicity: NOAEL: 150 mg/kg body weight
	Result: No teratogenic effects

**Talc:**

Effects on foetal development	: Test Type: Embryo-foetal development
	Species: Rat
	Application Route: Ingestion
	Result: negative

**STOT - single exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

**STOT - repeated exposure**

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**Components:****Propentofylline:**

Exposure routes	: Oral
Assessment	: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Remarks	: Based on human experience.

**Repeated dose toxicity****Components:****Starch:**

Species	: Rat
NOAEL	: $\geq 2,000$ mg/kg
Application Route	: Skin contact
Exposure time	: 28 Days
Method	: OECD Test Guideline 410

**Aspiration toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Experience with human exposure****Components:****Propentofylline:**

Ingestion	: Target Organs: Blood Target Organs: Lungs Target Organs: Cardiovascular Target Organs: Gastro-intestinal system Symptoms: Gastrointestinal discomfort, Nausea Target Organs: Nervous system Symptoms: Dizziness, Headache
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**Section 12: Ecological information****Ecotoxicity****Components:****Propentofylline:****Ecotoxicology Assessment**

Acute aquatic toxicity	: Toxic effects cannot be excluded
Chronic aquatic toxicity	: Toxic effects cannot be excluded

**Talc:**

Toxicity to fish	: LC50 (Brachydanio rerio (zebrafish)): $> 100,000$ mg/l Exposure time: 24 h
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**Persistence and degradability**

No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential****Components:****Propentofylline:**

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: log Pow: 1.540
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**Mobility in soil**

No data available

**Other adverse effects**

No data available

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**Section 13: Disposal considerations****Disposal methods**

Waste from residues	: Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
Contaminated packaging	: Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. If not otherwise specified: Dispose of as unused product.

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**Section 14: Transport information****International Regulations****UNRTDG**

UN number	: Not applicable
Proper shipping name	: Not applicable
Class	: Not applicable
Subsidiary risk	: Not applicable
Packing group	: Not applicable
Labels	: Not applicable
Environmentally hazardous	: no

**IATA-DGR**

UN/ID No.	: Not applicable
Proper shipping name	: Not applicable
Class	: Not applicable
Subsidiary risk	: Not applicable
Packing group	: Not applicable
Labels	: Not applicable
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft)	: Not applicable
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft)	: Not applicable

**IMDG-Code**

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UN number	: Not applicable
Proper shipping name	: Not applicable
Class	: Not applicable
Subsidiary risk	: Not applicable
Packing group	: Not applicable
Labels	: Not applicable
EmS Code	: Not applicable
Marine pollutant	: Not applicable

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**National Regulations****NZS 5433**

UN number	: Not applicable
Proper shipping name	: Not applicable
Class	: Not applicable
Subsidiary risk	: Not applicable
Packing group	: Not applicable
Labels	: Not applicable
Hazchem Code	: Not applicable

**Special precautions for user**

Not applicable

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**Section 15: Regulatory information****Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****HSNO Approval Number**

HSR100757 Veterinary Medicines (Limited Pack Size, Finished Dose) Group Standard 2020

Tolerable Exposure Limits (TEL)

Not applicable

Environmental Exposure Limits (EEL)

Not applicable

**HSW Controls**

Certified handler certificate not required.

Tracking hazardous substance not required.

Refer to the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017, for further information.

**The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:**

DSL	: not determined
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AICS	: not determined
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IECSC	: not determined
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**Section 16: Other information**

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**Further information**Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet : Internal technical data, data from raw material SDSs, OECD eChem Portal search results and European Chemicals Agency, <http://echa.europa.eu/>

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**Full text of other abbreviations**ACGIH : USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)  
NZ OEL : New Zealand. Workplace Exposure Standards for Atmospheric ContaminantsACGIH / TWA : 8-hour, time-weighted average  
NZ OEL / WES-TWA : Workplace Exposure Standard - Time Weighted average

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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