

**Propentofylline Formulation**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1 Product identifier**

Trade name : Propentofylline Formulation

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

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

Use of the Sub-stance/Mixture : Veterinary product

Recommended restrictions on use : Not applicable

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : MSD  
20 Spartan Road  
1619 Spartan, South Africa

Telephone : +27119239300

E-mail address of person responsible for the SDS : EHSDATASTEWARD@msd.com

**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

+1-908-423-6000

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**

Acute toxicity, Category 4	H302: Harmful if swallowed.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Category 2	H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**2.2 Label elements****Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**

Hazard pictograms :  

Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H302 Harmful if swallowed.

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H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Precautionary statements :

**Prevention:**

P260 Do not breathe dust.  
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.

Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

Propentofylline

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

**2.3 Other hazards**

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

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****3.2 Mixtures****Components**

Chemical name	CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No. Registration number	Classification	Concentration (% w/w)
Propentofylline	55242-55-2	Acute Tox. 4; H302 STOT RE 2; H373	>= 50 - < 70

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****4.1 Description of 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.

Protection of first-aiders : First Aid responders should pay attention to self-protection, and use the recommended personal protective equipment

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when the potential for exposure exists (see section 8).

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| If inhaled              | : | If inhaled, remove to fresh air.<br>Get medical attention if symptoms occur.  |
| In case of skin contact | : | Wash with water and soap.<br>Get medical attention if symptoms occur.   |
| In case of eye contact  | : | If in eyes, rinse well with water.<br>Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.  |
| If swallowed            | : | If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.<br>Get medical attention.<br>Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.<br>Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. |

**4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

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| Risks | : | Contact with dust can cause mechanical irritation or drying of the skin.<br>Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation.<br><br>Harmful if swallowed.<br>May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. |
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**4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

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| Treatment | : | Treat symptomatically and supportively. |
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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1 Extinguishing media**

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| Suitable extinguishing media   | : | Water spray<br>Alcohol-resistant foam<br>Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )<br>Dry chemical |
| Unsuitable extinguishing media | : | None known.  |

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

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| 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.<br>Exposure to combustion products may be a hazard to health. |
| Hazardous combustion products         | : | Carbon oxides<br>Nitrogen oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> )   |

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**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

- Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Use personal protective equipment.
- 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.
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**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

- Personal precautions : Use personal protective equipment. Follow safe handling advice (see section 7) and personal protective equipment recommendations (see section 8).

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

- 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.

**6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

- Methods for 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). 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.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

See sections: 7, 8, 11, 12 and 13.

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**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

- Technical measures : Static electricity may accumulate and ignite suspended dust causing an explosion. Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding and bonding, or inert atmospheres.
- Local/Total ventilation : Use only with adequate ventilation.
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- Advice on safe handling : Do not breathe dust.  
Do not swallow.  
Avoid contact with eyes.  
Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin.  
Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice, based on the results of the workplace exposure assessment  
Minimize dust generation and accumulation.  
Keep container closed when not in use.  
Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.  
Take precautionary measures against static discharges.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
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. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.  
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.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

- Requirements for storage areas and containers : Keep in properly labelled containers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.
- Advice on common storage : Do not store with the following product types:  
Strong oxidizing agents

**7.3 Specific end use(s)**

- Specific use(s) : No data available  
No data available

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection****8.1 Control parameters****Occupational Exposure Limits**

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters	Basis
Propentofylline	55242-55-2	TWA	1000 µg/m <sup>3</sup> ( OEB 1)	Internal
Starch	9005-25-8	OEL-RL	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ZA OEL
Further information: Occupational Exposure Limits - Restricted Limits For Hazardous Chemical Agents				
Talc	14807-96-6	OEL-RL (respirable dust fraction)	4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ZA OEL
Further information: Occupational Exposure Limits - Restricted Limits For Hazardous Chemical Agents				

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**8.2 Exposure controls****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**

Eye/face 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.
Hand protection	:	
Material	:	Chemical-resistant gloves
Skin and body protection	:	Work uniform or laboratory coat.
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 (P)

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**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1 Information on basic 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 range	:	No data available
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

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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.

**9.2 Other information**

Molecular weight	:	Not applicable
Particle size	:	No data available

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**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****10.1 Reactivity**

Not classified as a reactivity hazard.

**10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable under normal conditions.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Hazardous reactions	:	May form combustible dust concentrations in air during processing, handling or other means. Can react with strong oxidizing agents.
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**10.4 Conditions to avoid**

Conditions to avoid	:	Heat, flames and sparks. Avoid dust formation.
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**10.5 Incompatible materials**

Materials to avoid	:	Oxidizing agents
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**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

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**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

Information on likely routes of exposure : Inhalation  
Skin contact  
Ingestion  
Eye contact

**Acute toxicity**

|| Harmful if swallowed.

**Product:**

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate: 1.880 mg/kg  
Method: Calculation method

**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

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

|| Not classified based on available information.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

|| Not classified based on available information.

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

|| Not classified based on available information.

**Respiratory sensitisation**

|| Not classified based on available information.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

|| Not classified based on available information.

**Carcinogenicity**

|| Not classified based on available information.

**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



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Result: No adverse effects

Test Type: Development

Species: Rabbit

Application Route: Ingestion

Developmental Toxicity: NOAEL: 150 mg/kg body weight

Result: No teratogenic effects

**STOT - single exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

**STOT - repeated exposure**

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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

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

**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

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1 Toxicity****Components:****Propentofylline:****Ecotoxicology Assessment**

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

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No data available

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

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: log Pow: 1,540
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**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment****Product:**

Assessment	: This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.
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**12.6 Other adverse effects****Product:**

Endocrine disrupting potential	: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.
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**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1 Waste treatment methods**

Product	: Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific. Waste codes should be assigned by the user, preferably in discussion with the waste disposal authorities. Do not dispose of waste into sewer.
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****14.1 UN number**

ADN	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
ADR	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
RID	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
IMDG	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA	: Not regulated as a dangerous good

**14.2 UN proper shipping name**

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**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

ADN	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
ADR	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
RID	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
IMDG	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA	: Not regulated as a dangerous good

**14.4 Packing group**

ADN	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
ADR	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
RID	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
IMDG	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA (Cargo)	: Not regulated as a dangerous good
IATA (Passenger)	: Not regulated as a dangerous good

**14.5 Environmental hazards**

Not regulated as a dangerous good

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

Not applicable

**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**

Remarks : Not applicable for product as supplied.

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

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

DSL	: not determined
AICS	: not determined
IECSC	: not determined

**15.2 Chemical safety assessment**

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information**

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**Full text of H-Statements**

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

**Full text of other abbreviations**

Acute Tox. : Acute toxicity  
STOT RE : Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure  
ZA OEL : South Africa. The Regulations for Hazardous Chemical Agents, Occupational Exposure Limits  
ZA OEL / OEL-RL : Occupational Exposure Limit Restricted limit - 8- hour exposure or equivalent (12 hour shifts)

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECHA - European Chemicals Agency; EC-Number - European Community number; 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; 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; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; 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; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; SVHC - Substance of very high concern; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; 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

**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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**Classification of the mixture:**

Acute Tox. 4	H302
STOT RE 2	H373

**Classification procedure:**

Calculation method
Calculation method

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