

WEATHERBLOK® XT

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1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier on label: **WEATHERBLOK® XT**
 Product No.: A12720G
 Use: Rodenticide
 Manufacturer: Syngenta Crop Protection, LLC
 Post Office Box 18300
 Greensboro NC 27419
 Manufacturer Phone: 1-800-334-9481

Emergency Phone: 1-800-888-8372

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classifications: Not Applicable
 Signal Word (OSHA): Not Applicable
 Hazard Statements: Not Applicable

Hazard Symbols:

Precautionary Statements: Not Applicable

Other Hazard Statements: May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	Common Name	CAS Number	Concentration
Paraffin Wax	Paraffin Wax	8002-74-2	Trade Secret
Oat Flour	Oat Flour	Not Applicable	Trade Secret
3-[3-(4'-bromo[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-1-naphthalenyl]-4-hydroxy-2H-1-benzopyran-2-one	Brodifacoum Technical	56073-10-0	(0.005%)

Ingredients not precisely identified are proprietary or non-hazardous. Values are not product specifications.

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Have the product container, label or Safety Data Sheet with you when calling Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

- Ingestion:** If swallowed: Call Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have the person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so after calling 800-888-8372 or by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
- Eye Contact:** If in eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Skin Contact:** If on skin or clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Wash skin with soap and water.
- Inhalation:** If inhaled: First aid measures are not normally required. If you feel unwell or have concerns, contact Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Most important symptoms/effects:

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

This product contains anticoagulants with an effect similar to warfarin in that they act by interfering with the synthesis of prothrombin. The specific measure of effect is the prothrombin time. Note this may not become prolonged until 12-18 hours after ingestion. The specific antidote is Vitamin K1 (Phytomenandione BP).

Antidote must be administered under medical supervision. Initially, antidote should be given by injection (10-20 mg, or 0.25 mg/kg for children, by slow intravenous infusion at a rate not exceeding 1 mg/minute. In severe cases the use of fresh frozen plasma may be required). Maintenance treatment is given orally (40 mg/day in divided doses for adults; up to 20 mg/day in divided doses for children). The prothrombin time and the hemoglobin should be monitored. Patients should be kept under medical supervision until the prothrombin time has been normal for 3 consecutive days. Oral treatment may need to be continued for several months (20 mg/day in divided doses for adults, and up to 20 mg/day in divided doses for children). (For animal cases the dose is 2-5 mg/kg).

Each 20 g bar contains 1 mg of brodifacoum.

Further information is available from the Syngenta emergency number provided in this document.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media:

Use dry chemical, foam or CO2 extinguishing media. If water is used to fight fire, dike and collect runoff.

Specific Hazards:

During a fire, irritating and possibly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters:

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus. Evacuate nonessential personnel from the area to prevent human exposure to fire, smoke, fumes or products of combustion.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures:

Follow exposure controls/personal protection outlined in Section 8.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Control the spill at its source. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions outlined in Section 8. Sweep up material and place in a compatible disposal container. Once all material is collected, seal container and arrange for disposition.

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7. HANDLING AND STORAGEPrecautions for safe handling:

Store the material in a well-ventilated, secure area out of reach of children and domestic animals. Do not store food, beverages or tobacco products in the storage area. Prevent eating, drinking, tobacco use, and cosmetic application in areas where there is a potential for exposure to the material. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Not Applicable

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION ARE INTENDED FOR THE MANUFACTURE, FORMULATION AND PACKAGING OF THIS PRODUCT.

FOR COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS AND/OR ON-FARM APPLICATIONS CONSULT THE PRODUCT LABEL.

Occupational Exposure Limits:

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	Other	Source
Paraffin Wax	Not Established	2 mg/m ³ TWA (fume)	2 mg/m ³ TWA (fume)	NIOSH
Oat Flour	Not Established	Not Established	Not Established	Not Applicable
Brodifacoum Technical	Not Established	Not Established	0.002 mg/m ³ TWA	Syngenta

Appropriate engineering controls:

Use effective engineering controls to comply with occupational exposure limits (if applicable).

Individual protection measures:Ingestion:

Prevent eating, drinking, tobacco usage and cosmetic application in areas where there is a potential for exposure to the material. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

Eye Contact:

Eye protection is not required for normal handling. Where eye contact is likely, wear tight-fitting chemical goggles.

Skin Contact:

Gloves are not required for normal handling. Where heavy contact is likely, wear chemical resistant (such as nitrile or butyl) gloves.

Inhalation:

Respiratory protection is not required for normal handling. In the event of an unusual dust exposure, use engineering controls or a NIOSH-certified particulate respirator (N, P, R or HE filter) to keep exposure below the Occupational Exposure Limit.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Blue solid

Odor: Slight cereal and wax odor

Odor Threshold: Not Available

pH: Not Available

Melting point/freezing point: 130 °F (paraffin wax)

Initial boiling point and boiling range: Not Applicable

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Flash Point (Test Method): > 375°F (paraffin wax) Method: PMCC
Flammable Limits (% in Air): Not Available
Flammability: Not Applicable
Vapor Pressure: Brodifacoum Technical 6 x 10⁻⁶ mmHg @ 68°F (20°C)
Vapor Density: Not Available
Relative Density: 1.15 g/ml
Solubility (ies): Brodifacoum Technical Insoluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: Not Available
Autoignition Temperature: Not Available
Decomposition Temperature: Not Available
Viscosity: Not Available
Other: None

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Not reactive.
Chemical stability: Stable under normal use and storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions: Will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid: None known.
Incompatible materials: None known.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: None known.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Health effects information

Likely routes of exposure: Dermal, Inhalation

Symptoms of exposure: Not Applicable

Delayed, immediate and chronic effects of exposure: Not Applicable

Numerical measures of toxicity (acute toxicity/irritation studies (finished product))

Ingestion: Oral (LD50 Rabbit) : > 5000 mg/kg body weight
Dermal: Dermal (LD50 Rat) : See "Other Toxicity Information", Sec. 11
Inhalation: Inhalation (LC50 Rat) : See "Other Toxicity Information", Sec. 11
Eye Contact: See "Other Toxicity Information", Sec. 11
Skin Contact: See "Other Toxicity Information", Sec. 11
Skin Sensitization: Not Available

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Reproductive/Developmental Effects

Brodifacoum Technical: Not teratogenic, embryotoxic or fetotoxic in rats or rabbits at doses up to 0.02 mg/kg/day - the dose causing excessive maternal toxicity.
Non-genotoxic in a range of assays.

Chronic/Subchronic Toxicity Studies

Brodifacoum Technical: The biological half-life for brodifacoum in body tissue in rats is > 100 days. Adverse clinical effects can develop from body accumulation. Prolonged prothrombin time, depression, pallor, subcutaneous hemorrhage, bleeding of nose or gums, gastrointestinal hemorrhage, cerebral hemorrhage, shock and death can develop following exposures.

No neurotox studies have been conducted.

Carcinogenicity

Brodifacoum Technical: Unlikely to be carcinogenic.

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Oat Flour	No
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Other Toxicity Information

Systemically toxic concentrations of this product will probably not be absorbed through human skin. Because this product is a wax block, inhalation is not expected to be a normal route of exposure. No irritation is likely to develop following contact with human eyes. Irritation will probably not develop following contact with human skin.

Effects of overexposure are those of anticoagulant overdose, i.e., reduced blood clotting ability with spontaneous bleeding in various organs. Body accumulation can result from repeated exposures since the half-life of brodifacoum is > 100 days. Individuals with blood clotting disorders may be more susceptible to overexposure effects.

Toxicity of Other Components

Oat Flour

In normal use this product does not present a serious health risk and ingestion has no adverse effects.

Paraffin Wax

Inhalation may cause eye, skin and respiratory tract irritation.

Target OrgansActive Ingredients

Brodifacoum Technical: Blood

Inert Ingredients

Oat Flour: Lung

Paraffin Wax: Eye, skin, respiratory tract

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eco-Acute Toxicity

Brodifacoum Technical:

Fish (Rainbow Trout) 96-hour LC50 0.02 ppm

Invertebrate (Water Flea) Daphnia Magna 48-hour EC50 0.98 ppm

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Bird (Mallard Duck) 21-day LD50 0.26 mg/kg

Environmental Fate

Brodifacoum Technical:

The information presented here is for the active ingredient, brodifacoum.
Not persistent in soil. Stable in water. Immobile in soil. Sinks in water (after 24 h).

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal:

Do not reuse empty container except for holding additional product.

Characteristic Waste: Not Applicable

Listed Waste: Not Applicable

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Classification

Ground Transport - NAFTA
Not regulated

Comments

Water Transport - International
Not regulated.

Air Transport
Not regulated.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Pesticide Registration:

This chemical is a pesticide product registered 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 as required on the pesticide label:

Caution: Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. Keep away from children, domestic animals and pets. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing.

EPA Registration Number(s):

100-1055

EPCRA SARA Title III Classification:

Section 311/312 Hazard Classes: Acute Health Hazard

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: None

CERCLA/SARA 304 Reportable Quantity (RQ):

None

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RCRA Hazardous Waste Classification (40 CFR 261):
 Not Applicable
 TSCA Status:
 Exempt from TSCA, subject to FIFRA

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Hazard Ratings

Health: 1
 Flammability: 1
 Instability: 0

HMIS Hazard Ratings

Health: 1
 Flammability: 1
 Reactivity: 0

Syngenta Hazard Category: A

0	Minimal
1	Slight
2	Moderate
3	Serious
4	Extreme
*	Chronic

For non-emergency questions about this product call:

1-800-334-9481

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