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## Vetmed Epimax Pour On

Section 1: Identification of the Substance					
Product Name		Vetmed Epimax Pour On			
Use		For the treatment and control of major internal and external parasites of cattle, and internal parasites of deer.			
Company Details		Vetmed Corporation Limited PO Box 217234 Botany Junction Auckland Phone: +64 9 274 8848 Fax: +64 9 274 8842			
Emergency Phone Number	er	National Poisons Centre: 0800 764 766 (0800 POISON)			
		Section 2: Hazardous Identificatio	n		
Hazard classifications		6.8B, 9.1A, 9.2C, 9.3C, 9.4A			
Classification and type		Harmful – may cause developmental damage to the unborn child from repeated oral exposure. Keep out of reach of children. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Ecotoxic – Very toxic to aquatic organisms. Avoid contamination of any water supply with product or empty container. Harmful to the soil environment. Harmful to terrestrial vertebrates Very toxic to terrestrial invertebrates. Apply only as directed			
		Section 3: Composition			
		CAS Number	Content (%)		
Eprinomectin		123997-26-2	0.5		
	Section 4: First Aid				
For advice contact the National Poisons Centre on 0800 POISON (0800 764 766), or a doctor immediately.					
INGESTION	DO NOT induce vomiting. Seek medical attention immediately.				
EYES	If splashed in eyes, rinse cautiously with water for at least 15 minutes. Continue rinsing, & if eye irritation persists, seek medical attention.				
SKIN	If skin or hair contact occurs remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area thoroughly with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation or rash occurs, seek medical attention. Dispose of contaminated clothing promptly.				
INHALATION	Inhalation of this product is unlikely. Seek medical attention.				



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Section 5: Fire Fighting		
Type of hazard	Non flammable, Non Combustible, Non explosive	
Fire hazard properties	If involved in a fire, may emit noxious and/or corrosive fumes. Expansion on heating may lead to violent rupture of containers.	
Regulatory requirements	Not applicable	
Extinguishing media and methods	There is no restriction on the type of extinguisher which may be used. Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding area.	
Hazchem code	2X	
Recommended protective clothing	Gas-tight chemical resistant suit, protective gloves and breathing apparatus.	

Section 6: Accidental Release		
Emergency procedures	In case of spillage it is important to take all steps necessary to: • Avoid eye and skin contact. • Avoid contamination of waterways	
	<ul> <li>Procedure for spill:</li> <li>(1) Keep all bystanders away.</li> <li>(2) Wear full length clothing, PVC gloves and eyewear</li> <li>(3) Reposition any leaking containers so as to minimise further leakage.</li> <li>(4) Dam and absorb spill with an absorbent material (e.g. sand, soil or absorbent granules) and place in a sealable waste container.</li> <li>(5)Ventilate area and wash spill site after pick-up complete.</li> <li>(6) Dispose of waste safely in an approved landfill.</li> </ul>	

Section 7: Handling and Storage		
Precautions for safe handling	No specific handling recommendations. Suitable container materials include HDPE (high density polyethylene) and steel.	
Approved handlers	Not required	
Conditions for safe storage	Store in original container below 30°C and under secure conditions. Keep out of reach of children.	
Packaging	Packaging Schedule 3 (UN Packing Group III) for quantities >1L (Hazardous Substances Packaging Regulations 2001).	
Store site requirements	This substance is subject to a requirement for an emergency management plan, secondary containment and signage, whenever it is held in quantities of 100L or more. See Hazardous Substances (Emergency management) regulations 35 to 41.	



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Section 8: Exposure / Personal Protective Equipment		
Engineering measures	No specialised ventilation required under normal conditions of use.	
Respiratory protection	No respirator is required under normal conditions of use.	
Hand protection	Wash hands after use.	
Eye protection	No eye protection is required under normal conditions of use. Under other conditions wear safety goggles.	
Hygiene measures	Contaminated gloves should be disposed of. Store work clothes and street clothes separately. Wash hand before breaks and at the end of work. Decontaminate, destroy and dispose of contaminated protective clothing. Keep away from food stuffs, drinks and tobacco.	

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties		
Formulation type	Oily solution	
Appearance	Light yellow	
Specific gravity	0.91 – 0.92	
Behaviour in water	Insoluble	
Section 10: Stability and Reactivity		
Stability of the substance	Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.	
Conditions to avoid	No specific conditions to avoid.	
Material to avoid	No specific materials to avoid.	
Hazardous decomposition products	No hazardous products are expected, except when heated to decomposition.	
Hazardous polymerisation	Not known to occur.	

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### **Section 11: Toxicological Information**

Acute oral toxicity: LD50 oral, rat: >55 ml/kg Skin irritation: Mild irritant

### Section 12: Environmental Information

Potential environmental interactions:

Avermectins are very toxic to certain aquatic organisms. Contain all runoff water. See accidental release measures section. All personnel and equipment should be decontaminated at the site.

Studies indicate that when eprinomectin comes in contact with the soil, it readily and tightly binds to the soil and becomes inactive

### Section 13: Disposal

Preferably dispose of the product by use. Otherwise dispose of product and packaging at an approved landfill or other approved facility. Crush and bury in an approved landfill if an approved recycling system is not available. Do not burn. Do NOT use container for any other purpose.

## **Section 14: Transport** Dangerous Goods for transport. Environmentally hazardous substance, Liquid, N.O.S. (eprinomectin) Dangerous goods class 9 3082 **UN Number**

Section 15: Regulatory

Registered pursuant to the ACVM Act 1997, No. A010922 See www.nzfsa.govt.nz/acvm for registration conditions

ERMA Approval Code: HSR001954.

#### Section 16: Other Information

This Safety Data Sheet summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product and how to safely handle and use the product in the workplace. Each user should read this SDS and consider the information in the context of how the product will be handled and used in the workplace including in conjunction with other products.