

# Safety data sheet

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Product: **SOREXA GEL**

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## 1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### Product identifier

## **SOREXA GEL**

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses: rodenticide, biocide

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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## 2. Hazards Identification

### Label elements

Globally Harmonized System, EU (GHS)

The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with GHS criteria.

According to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

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Directive 1999/45/EC ('Preparation Directive')

S-phrase(s)

S2

Keep out of the reach of children.

S13

Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

S20/21

When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with EC Directives.

### Classification of the substance or mixture

According to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]

No need for classification according to GHS criteria for this product.

According to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Possible Hazards:

No specific dangers known, if the regulations/notes for storage and handling are considered.

### Other hazards

According to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]

See section 12 - Results of PBT and vPvB assessment.

This product is hazardous to mammals, including domesticated animals, and birds. Exposure of non-target animals should be prevented.

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## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

### Mixtures

#### Chemical nature

Biocidal product, rodenticide

Contains:

3-(3-biphenyl-4-yl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-1-naphthyl)-4-hydroxycoumarin; difenacoum (Content (W/W): 0.005 %)

CAS Number: 56073-07-5

EC-Number: 259-978-4

INDEX-Number: 607-157-00-X

#### Hazardous ingredients (GHS)

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

## Rape oil

Content (W/W): < 50 %  
CAS Number: 8002-13-9  
EC-Number: 232-299-0

## Sucrose

Content (W/W): < 5 %  
CAS Number: 57-50-1  
EC-Number: 200-334-9

## 2,2',2''-Nitrilotriethanol

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CAS Number: 102-71-6  
EC-Number: 203-049-8  
REACH registration number: 01-2119486482-31

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## 4. First-Aid Measures

### Description of first aid measures

Remove contaminated clothing.

If inhaled:

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air.

On skin contact:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

On contact with eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open.

On ingestion:

Rinse mouth and then drink plenty of water.

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

Symptoms: coagulation disorders

Increased tendency to bleed.

In severe cases, massive bleeding from internal organs may result in circulatory shock, which could prove fatal.

The onset of symptoms is delayed for up to 4 days after uptake.

Hazards: The substance / product is an anticoagulant rodenticide with a coumarin-type mode of action.

### **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

Treatment: Symptomatic treatment (decontamination, vital functions).

Antidote: Vitamin K1 preparation as antidote.

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## **5. Fire-Fighting Measures**

### **Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing media:  
water spray, dry powder, foam

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:  
carbon dioxide

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

carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides

The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

### **Advice for fire-fighters**

Special protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical-protective clothing.

Further information:

Collect contaminated extinguishing water separately, do not allow to reach sewage or effluent systems. Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations. In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Keep containers cool by spraying with water if exposed to fire.

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## 6. Accidental Release Measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective clothing. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid dust formation.

### Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Do not allow contamination of public drains or surface or ground waters. Inform local water plc if spillage enters drains and the Environment Agency (England & Wales), the Scottish Environmental Protection Agency (Scotland), or the Environment and Heritage Service (Northern Ireland) if it enters surface or ground waters. Keep people and animals away.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For small amounts: Contain with dust binding material and dispose of.

For large amounts: Sweep/shovel up.

Avoid raising dust. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations. Collect waste in suitable containers, which can be labeled and sealed. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly with water and detergents, observing environmental regulations.

### Reference to other sections

Information regarding exposure controls/personal protection and disposal considerations can be found in section 8 and 13.

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## 7. Handling and Storage

### Precautions for safe handling

No special measures necessary if stored and handled correctly. Ensure thorough ventilation of stores and work areas. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift.

Do not apply in the open – cover bait points or use bait boxes. If dead and/or dying rats or mice are found during and after the control program, these must be cleared away immediately in order to avoid secondary poisoning phenomena.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Avoid dust formation. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Prevent electrostatic charge - sources of ignition should be kept well clear - fire extinguishers should be kept handy.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Segregate from foods and animal feeds. Odour-sensitive: Segregate from products releasing odours. Further information on storage conditions: Keep away from heat. Protect from direct sunlight.

### Specific end use(s)

For the relevant identified use(s) listed in Section 1 the advice mentioned in this section 7 is to be observed.

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## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Control parameters

#### Components with occupational exposure limits

57-50-1: Sucrose

TWA value 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (WEL/EH 40 (UK))

STEL value 20 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (WEL/EH 40 (UK))

### Exposure controls

#### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Respiratory protection not required.

Hand protection:

Protective gloves (EN 374) are required for the safe handling of this product and are also recommended for protection against rodent-borne diseases.

e.g. nitrile rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber (0.5 mm), polyvinylchloride (0.7 mm) and other  
Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types.

Eye protection:

Required when there is a risk of eye contact., Safety glasses with side-shields (frame goggles) (e.g. EN 166)

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen depending on activity and possible exposure, e.g. apron, protecting boots, chemical-protection suit (according to EN 14605 in case of splashes or EN ISO 13982 in case of dust).

#### General safety and hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. Store work clothing separately. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

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## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form: paste, semi-solid

Colour: green

Odour: odourless

Odour threshold: not applicable, odour not perceivable

pH value: insoluble, The product has not been tested.

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Melting point:	approx. -5 °C Information applies to the solvent.
Boiling point:	> 350 °C Information applies to the solvent.
Flash point:	> 300 °C Information applies to the solvent.
Evaporation rate:	not applicable
Flammability:	not highly flammable
Lower explosion limit:	not determined
Upper explosion limit:	not determined
Vapour pressure:	approx. > 1 mbar (20 °C) Information applies to the solvent.
Density:	approx. 1.10 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (20 °C)
Relative vapour density (air):	not determined
Solubility in water:	insoluble
<i>Information on: Difenacoum</i>	
<i>Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Kow): 7.6</i> (20 °C)	
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Self ignition:	not self-igniting Information based on the main components.
Thermal decomposition:	not determined
Viscosity, dynamic:	not applicable
Explosion hazard:	Based on the chemical structure there is no indicating of explosive properties.
Fire promoting properties:	Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.

**Other information**

Other Information:

If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is indicated in this section.

**10. Stability and Reactivity****Reactivity**

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

**Chemical stability**

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

**Conditions to avoid**

See MSDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

**Incompatible materials**

Substances to avoid:

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents

**Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products:

No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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**11. Toxicological Information****Information on toxicological effects**Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity:

Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Experimental/calculated data:

LD50 rat (oral): 36,000 mg/kg

LC50 rat (by inhalation): 72.92 - 116.96 mg/l 4 h

LD50 rat (dermal): 1,260,000 mg/kg

Irritation

Assessment of irritating effects:

Not irritating to the skin. Not irritating to the eyes. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Experimental/calculated data:

Skin corrosion/irritation rabbit: non-irritant

Serious eye damage/irritation rabbit: non-irritant

Respiratory/Skin sensitization

Assessment of sensitization:



There is no evidence of a skin-sensitizing potential. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Experimental/calculated data:

guinea pig: Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment of mutagenicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Mutagenicity tests revealed no genotoxic potential.

Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of various animal studies gave no indication of a carcinogenic effect.

Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

Developmental toxicity

Assessment of teratogenicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Animal studies gave no indication of a developmental toxic effect at doses that were not toxic to the parental animals.

Repeated dose toxicity and Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

*Information on: Difenacoum*

*Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:*

*Repeated exposure to small quantities may affect certain organs. Damages the coagulation system.*

Other relevant toxicity information

Misuse can be harmful to health.

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## 12. Ecological Information

### Toxicity

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Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

*Information on: Difenacoum**Toxicity to fish:**LC50 (96 h) 0.064 mg/l, Oncorhynchus mykiss (Directive 92/69/EEC, C.1)*  
-----*Information on: Difenacoum**Aquatic invertebrates:**EC50 (48 h) 0.52 mg/l, Daphnia magna (Directive 92/69/EEC, C.2)*  
-----*Information on: Difenacoum**Aquatic plants:**No observed effect concentration (72 h) 0.25 mg/l (growth rate), Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (Guideline 92/69/EEC, C.3)*  
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Assessment of terrestrial toxicity:

Hazardous to birds and mammals.

### **Persistence and degradability**

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H<sub>2</sub>O):

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

*Information on: Difenacoum**Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H<sub>2</sub>O):**Not readily biodegradable (by OECD criteria).*  
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### **Bioaccumulative potential**

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

*Information on: Difenacoum**Bioaccumulation potential:**Because of the n-octanol/water distribution coefficient (log Pow) accumulation in organisms is possible.*  
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### **Mobility in soil (and other compartments if available)**

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

*Information on: Difenacoum*

*Assessment transport between environmental compartments:*

*Following exposure to soil, adsorption to solid soil particles is probable, therefore contamination of groundwater is not expected.*

### **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

The product contains a potential PBT substance.

The product contains a potential vPvB substance.

*Information on: Difenacoum*

Fulfills the criteria for PBT and vPvB

### **Other adverse effects**

The product does not contain substances that are listed in Annex I of Regulation (EC) 2037/2000 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

### **Additional information**

Other ecotoxicological advice:

Do not discharge product into the environment without control.

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## **13. Disposal Considerations**

### **Waste treatment methods**

Must be disposed of or incinerated in accordance with local regulations.

The UK Environmental Protection (Duty of Care) Regulations (EP) and amendments should be noted (United Kingdom).

Contaminated packaging:

Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and disposed of in the same manner as the substance/product.

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## **14. Transport Information**

### **Land transport**

ADR

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

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UN number: Not applicable  
UN proper shipping name: Not applicable  
Transport hazard class(es): Not applicable  
Packing group: Not applicable  
Environmental hazards: Not applicable  
Special precautions for user: None known

**RID**

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations  
UN number: Not applicable  
UN proper shipping name: Not applicable  
Transport hazard class(es): Not applicable  
Packing group: Not applicable  
Environmental hazards: Not applicable  
Special precautions for user: None known

**Inland waterway transport****ADN**

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations  
UN number: Not applicable  
UN proper shipping name: Not applicable  
Transport hazard class(es): Not applicable  
Packing group: Not applicable  
Environmental hazards: Not applicable  
Special precautions for user: None known  
Transport in inland waterway vessel: Not evaluated

**Sea transport****IMDG**

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations  
UN number: Not applicable  
UN proper shipping name: Not applicable  
Transport hazard class(es): Not applicable  
Packing group: Not applicable  
Environmental hazards: Not applicable  
Special precautions for user: None known

**Air transport**

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#### IATA/ICAO

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	None known

#### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Regulation:	Not evaluated
Shipment approved:	Not evaluated
Pollution name:	Not evaluated
Pollution category:	Not evaluated
Ship Type:	Not evaluated

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## 15. Regulatory Information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

The data should be considered when making any assessment under the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH), and related guidance, for example, 'COSHH Essentials' (United Kingdom).

### Chemical Safety Assessment

Advice on product handling can be found in sections 7 and 8 of this safety data sheet.

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## 16. Other Information

If you have any queries relating to this MSDS, its contents or any other product safety related questions, please write to the following e-mail address: [product-safety-north@basf.com](mailto:product-safety-north@basf.com)

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