

**PROVADO ULTIMATE BUG READY TO USE**Version 1 / GB  
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Revision Date: 06.07.2006  
Print Date: 07.07.2006**1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING****Product information**

Trade name PROVADO ULTIMATE BUG READY TO USE  
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**2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS****Chemical nature**

Any other liquids (AL)  
Imidacloprid 0,0125 %

**Hazardous components**

Chemical Name	CAS-No. / EINECS-No.	Symbol(s)	R-phrases(s)	Concentration [%]
Imidacloprid	138261-41-3	Xn	R22, R52	0.0125

**3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****Risk advice to man and the environment**

No particular hazards known.

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****Inhalation**

Move the patient to fresh air and keep at rest.

**Skin contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Eye contact**

In case of eye contact, remove contact lens and rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.



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**Ingestion**

DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. Rinse out mouth and give water in small sips to drink. Keep patient warm and at rest.

**Notes to Physician**

**Treatment**

Treat symptomatically.  
Monitoring of respiratory and cardiac functions.  
Gastric lavage is not normally required. If a significant amount (more than a mouthful) has been ingested, administer activated charcoal and sodium sulphate.

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**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

high volume water jet

**Specific hazards during fire fighting**

In case of fire the evolution of dangerous gases is possible.

**Special protective equipment for fire-fighters**

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.  
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

**Further information**

Remove product from areas of fire, or otherwise cool containers with water in order to avoid pressure being built up due to heat.  
Whenever possible, contain fire-fighting water by diking area with sand or earth.

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**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal Precautions**

Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces.  
When dealing with a spillage do not eat, drink or smoke.

**Environmental Precautions**

Do not discharge into the drains/surface water/groundwater.  
If spillage enters drains leading to sewage works inform local water company immediately.  
If spillage enters rivers or watercourses, inform the Environment Agency (emergency telephone number 0800 807060).

**Methods for Cleaning Up**

Take up with absorbent material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth or a proprietary absorbent material).  
Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.  
Clean floors and contaminated objects with plenty of water.

**Additional Advice**

Information regarding safe handling, see section 7.  
Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8.  
Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.  
Check also for any local site procedures.

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**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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## Advice on safe handling

No specific precautions required when handling unopened packs/containers; follow relevant manual handling advice.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.

## Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special precautions required.

**Storage**

## Requirements for storage areas and containers

Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.  
Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area.  
Keep away from direct sunlight.  
Protect against frost.  
Keep away from heat.

## Advice on common storage

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

## Storage stability

## Other data

Storage temperature should ideally lie between 0 and 30 °C, however, storage for two weeks at 54 °C has shown no adverse effects regarding product safety or stability.

## Suitable materials

HDPE (high density polyethylene)

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Refer to COSHH assessment (Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (Amendment) Regulations 2004). Engineering controls should be used in preference to personal protective equipment wherever practicable. Refer also to COSHH Essentials.**

**Personal protective equipment**

In normal use conditions personal protective equipment is not deemed to be necessary. If there is a potential for excessive exposure the following applies.

## Respiratory Protection

No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.  
Respiratory protection should only be used to control residual risk of short duration activities, when all reasonably practicable steps have been taken to reduce exposure at source e.g. containment and/or local extract ventilation. Always follow respirator manufacturer's instructions regarding wearing and maintenance.

## Hand Protection

Wear CE Marked (or equivalent) nitrile rubber gloves (minimum thickness 0,40 mm). Wash when contaminated. Dispose of when contaminated inside, when perforated or when contamination outside cannot be removed. Wash hands always before eating, drinking, smoking or using the toilet.

## Eye protection

Wear goggles conforming to EN166 (Field of Use 5 or equivalent).

## Skin and body protection

Wear standard coverall and type 6 suit.  
Wear two layers of clothing wherever possible. Polyester/cotton or

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cotton overalls should be worn under chemical protection suit and should be professionally laundered frequently.

## Hygiene measures

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

Clean hands and face at work intervals and after work.

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**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****Appearance**

Form	liquid, clear
Colour	colourless
Odour	slight, specific odour

**Safety data**

Flash Point	Not relevant; aqueous solution
Density	ca. 1.0 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Water Solubility	completely miscible

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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Conditions to Avoid	Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
Materials to avoid	None.
Hazardous Reactions	No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to prescribed instructions. Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute Oral Toxicity	LD50 (rat) > 5,000 mg/kg The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.
Acute Inhalation Toxicity	LC50 (rat) > 8.015 mg/l Exposure time: 4 h (as aerosol) highest concentration tested
Acute Dermal Toxicity	LD50 (rat) > 5,000 mg/kg The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.
Skin Irritation	Non-irritant. (rabbit)
Eye Irritation	Non-irritant. (rabbit)
Sensitization	Non-sensitizing. (guinea pig) OECD Test Guideline 406, Buehler test

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**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity effects**

Toxicity to Fish	LC50 (Rainbow trout ( <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> )) 211 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.
Toxicity to daphnia	EC50 (Water flea ( <i>Daphnia magna</i> )) 85 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.
Toxicity to algae	EC50 ( <i>Desmodesmus subspicatus</i> ) > 10 mg/l Growth rate Exposure time: 72 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient imidacloprid.

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**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Product**

Do not empty into drains.  
Dispose of unused product in its container at a household waste site (civic amenity site).  
Contact your local council (local authority) for details.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of empty container in the dustbin.  
Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.

**Waste key for the unused product**

020108 agrochemical waste containing dangerous substances

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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

<b>ADNR</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>ADR</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>GGVE</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>GGVS</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>IATA_C</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>IATA_P</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>IMDG</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>RID</b>	Not dangerous goods
<b>UK 'Carriage' Regulations</b>	Not dangerous goods

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**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

This product has been classified in accordance with The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002: CHIP 3 and any subsequent amendments.

Classification:

Hazard warning labelling not compulsory



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Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

- Imidacloprid

Exceptional labelling

To avoid risks to man and the environment, comply with the instructions for use.

Further information

WHO-classification: III (Slightly hazardous)

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**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**Further information**

Text of R phrases mentioned in Section 2:

R22	Harmful if swallowed.
R52	Harmful to aquatic organisms.

The above information is intended to give general health and safety guidance on the storage and transport of the product.

It is not intended to apply to the use of the product for which purposes the product label and any appropriate technical usage literature available should be consulted and any relevant licenses, consents or approvals complied with.

The requirements or recommendations of any relevant site or working procedure, system or policy in force or arising from any risk assessment involving the substance or product should take precedence over any of the guidance contained in this safety data sheet where there is a difference in the information given.

The information provided in this safety data sheet is accurate at the date of publication and will be updated as and when appropriate.

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