SAFETY DATA SHEET
Water-based vaccine from PHARMAQ


SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

Date issued 15.11.2016

1.1. Product identifier

Product name Water-based vaccine from PHARMAQ
No requirement for SDS There is no requirement according to the REACH Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, Article 31.

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

Product group Veterinary medicinal products
Use of the substance/preparation Fish vaccine (for veterinary use only)

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Distributor
Company name Pharmaq AS
Office address Industrivegen 50
Postal address Skogmo Industriområde
Postcode 7863
City Overhalla
Country Norge
Tel 74280800
Fax 74280801
E-mail customer.service@pharmaq.no
Website http://www.pharmaq.no

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone
Emergency telephone number (Italy): 112
Emergency telephone number (UK): 999 or 112
Emergency telephone number Norway (Giftinformasjonen): +47 22 59 13 00

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of substance or mixture

CLP Classification, Comments This is a veterinary medicinal product, and is thus not a subject to classification and labelling of chemicals.

2.2. Label elements

Other EU labelling requirements This is a veterinary medicinal product, and is thus not a subject to classification and labelling of chemicals.

2.3. Other hazards

PBT / vPvB PBT/vPvB assessment has not been performed.
Health effect Contains Formaldehyd. May produce an allergic reaction.
### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

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**Remarks, substance**

CAS no 50-00-0 has specific concentration limits:

- Skin Irrit. 2; H315: 5% ≤ C < 25%
- Skin Sens. 1; H317: C ≥ 0,2%
- Eye Irrit. 2; H319: 5% ≤ C < 25%
- STOT SE 3; H335: C ≥ 5%
- Skin Corr. 1B; H314: C ≥ 25%

**Substance comments**

See section 16 for explanation of hazard statements (H) listed above.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**General**

If in doubt, seek medical advice.

**Inhalation**

Fresh air and rest. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Skin contact**

- By accidental injection of fish vaccine:
  - Seek prompt medical advice even if only a small amount is injected. Take leaflet to the physician. If pain persists for more than 12 hours after medical examination, seek medical advice again.
  - If spilled on the skin: Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Eye contact**

Immediately rinse with water. Remove contact lenses and open eyes wide apart. Continue rinsing for 10 minutes. By prolonged rinsing, use lukewarm water to avoid damage to the eye. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Ingestion**

Rinse the mouth. Drink 1-3 glasses of water. Consult a physician.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Delayed symptoms and effects**

Prolonged and repeated skin contact will cause defatting and possible irritation.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No specific treatment required, see section 4.1.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Dry-powder, carbon dioxide (CO2), water mist, foam.

**Improper extinguishing media**

Do not use water jet.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

**Fire and explosion hazards**

The chemical is non-combustible.

**Hazardous combustion products**

May include, but is not limited to: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

**Personal protective equipment**

Use compressed air equipment when the chemical is involved in fire. In case of evacuation, an approved protection mask should be used. See also section
Other Information
Containers close to fire should be removed immediately or cooled with water.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Personal protection measures
Use protective equipment as referred to in section 8.
Avoid inhalation of vapours and contact with skin and eyes.

6.2. Environmental precautions
Environmental precautionary measures
Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up
Cleaning method
Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Collect in suitable containers and deliver as waste according to section 13.

Clean up
Wash the contaminated surface with water. Beware of slippery floors and surfaces.

6.4. Reference to other sections
Other instructions
See also sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling
Handling
Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid inhalation of vapours and contact with skin and eyes. Pregnant women and people with immunosuppression should not perform vaccination. Anesthetized fish is wet and slippery, and vaccinators should use wet cotton gloves to better manage fish (minimizes the risk of self-injection).

Protective Safety Measures
Advice on general occupational hygiene
Do not eat, drink or smoke during work. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Storage
Protect from freezing and direct sunlight. Keep out of reach of children.

Conditions for safe storage
Advice on storage compatibility
Keep away from: Food and feed.

Storage Temperature
Value: 2-8 °C

7.3. Specific end use(s)
Specific use(s)
See section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters
Occupational Exposure limit values

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Other Information about threshold limit values

Explanation of the notations:
A = Allergenic substances.
K = Capable of causing cancer and/or heritable genetic damage.
T = ceiling value

References (laws/regulations):
EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits, with later amendments.
Norwegian regulation on exposure limits: "FOR-2011-12-06-1358 Forskrift om tiltaksværdier og grenseverdi for fysiske og kjemiske faktorer i arbeidsmiljøet samt smitterisikogrupper for biologiske faktorer (forskrift om tiltaksv- og grenseverdi)".

Italian regulation on exposure limits Allegato XXXVIII Valori limite di esposizione professionale (Italy)
Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.2. Exposure controls

Limitation of exposure on workplace

Provide adequate ventilation. The personal protective equipment must be CE-marked and the latest version of the standards shall be used. The protective equipment and the specified standards recommended below are only suggestions, and should be selected on advice from the supplier of such equipment.
A risk assessment of the workplace/work activities (the actual risk) may lead to other control measures. The protection equipment suitability and durability will depend on application.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection
Normal not required.
If ventilation is insufficient, use a respirator with AX filter against solvent vapours.
Reference to relevant standard EN 14387 (Respiratory protective devices. Gas filter(s) and combined filter(s). Requirements, testing, marking).

Hand protection

Hand protection
Use chemical resistant gloves. The recommended material of gloves is recommended after a study of the single components in the chemical. Glove thickness must be chosen in consultation with the glove supplier. The gloves abilities may vary among the different glove manufacturers.
Suitable gloves type Butyl rubber. Viton rubber (fluor rubber). Nitrile. Neoprene. Multi-layer material (e.g. 4H, Saranex).
Reference to relevant standard BS-EN 374 (Protective gloves against chemicals and micro-organisms). BS-EN 420 (Protective gloves. General requirements and test methods).
Breakthrough time No specific information from the manufacturer.
Thickness of glove material No specific information from the manufacturer.

Eye / face protection

Eye protection
If risk of splashing, wear safety goggles or face shield.
Reference to relevant standard EN 166 (Personal eye-protection. Specifications).

Skin protection

Skin protection (except hands)
Ordinary workwear.
Appropriate environmental exposure control

Environmental exposure controls
Do not allow to enter into sewer, water system or soil.

Other Information

Other Information
Emergency shower and eye wash facilities should be available at the workplace.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties
### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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### 9.2. Other information

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### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity**

There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

**Stability**

The chemical is stable under normal conditions of storage and use.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Arise in inappropriate conditions (section 10.4).

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid**

Protect from direct sunlight. Avoid freezing.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

**Materials to avoid**

None under normal conditions.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

**Hazardous decomposition products**

None under normal conditions. See also section 5.2.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Other information regarding health hazards**

**General**

The greatest risk occurs after repeated self-injections. This can cause allergies to the vaccine. If an allergic person is exposed to self-injection, he/she may risk anaphylactic shock. Without prompt and proper medical treatment it can be fatal.
Acute toxicity, Mixture estimate

Assessment of acute toxicity classification

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Potential acute effects

Inhalation

No irritation expected.

Skin contact

After an accidental self-injection with the vaccine, it is usually observed an inflammatory reaction with severe pain and swelling in the sting area, particularly if injected into a joint or finger (in rare cases, the loss of the affected finger is possible if treatment is not initiated promptly). More rarely seen are flu-like symptoms with fever, muscle aches and general malaise.

Eye contact

No irritation expected.

Ingestion

May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Assessment corrosion / irritation classification

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Assessment eye damage or irritation, classification

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Delayed effects / repeated exposure

Sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Repeated self-injections can cause allergy to fish vaccine. The chemical contains small amount of allergy-causing material which may give rise to allergy to sensitive persons.

STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenic, Mutagenic or Reprotoxic

Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Contains a substance/a group of substances which may cause cancer by inhalation.

Mutagenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Teratogenic properties

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Contains a substance/a group of substances with possible risk of impaired fertility.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity

The chemical is not classified as harmful to the environment.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability

Contains substances that are not considered readily biodegradable. (Mineral oil)

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential

No specific information from the manufacturer.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility

No specific information from the manufacturer.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT assessment results

PBT assessment has not been performed.

vPvB evaluation results

vPvB assessment has not been performed.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects / Remarks

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods
Specify the appropriate methods of disposal

The waste code (EWC-Code) is intended as a guide. The user must select a code if the use differs from the one mentioned below. Any unused medicine or remaining medicine should be disposed of in accordance with local and national requirements.

Product classified as hazardous waste

No

EWC waste code

EWC: 18 02 06 chemicals other than those mentioned in 18 02 05

Other Information

Do not empty into drains.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

14.1. UN number

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14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

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**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

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15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical safety assessment performed: No

SECTION 16: Other information

Supplier's notes: The information contained in this SDS must be made available to all those who handle the product.

List of relevant H-phrases (Section 2 and 3):
- H331 Toxic if inhaled.
- H350 May cause cancer.
- H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- H301 Toxic if swallowed.
- H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- H311 Toxic in contact with skin.
- H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Abbreviations and acronyms used:
- EWC: European Waste Code (a code from the EU's common classification system for waste)
- ADR: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
- RID: The Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
- IMDG: The International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
- PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
- vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Important data sources used to construct the safety data sheet:
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