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**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**

**1.1 Product identifier**

**Trade name** Responsar®

**Product code (UVP)** 81779481

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

**Use** Insecticide

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

**Supplier** Bayer CropScience Limited  
Bayer House, Central Avenue  
Hiranandani Estate  
400607 Thane (W)  
Maharashtra  
India

**Telephone** +91-22-25311826 / 25311234

**Telefax** +91-22-25455116

**1.4 Emergency telephone no.**

**Indian Emergency Number** 022-25311885 (24 hours/day)

**Global Incident Response Hotline (24h)** +1 (760) 476-3964 (Company 3E for Bayer AG, Crop Science Division)

**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, as amended.**

Acute toxicity: Category 4  
H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Acute aquatic toxicity: Category 1  
H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Chronic aquatic toxicity: Category 1  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**2.2 Label elements**

**Labelling in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, as amended.**

Hazard label for supply/use required.

**Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:**


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**Signal word:** Warning

**Hazard statements**

H302 Harmful if swallowed.  
 H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.  
 EUH208 Contains 1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one, reaction mass of 5-chloro-2- methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3- one (3:1). May produce an allergic reaction.  
 EUH401 To avoid risks to human health and the environment, comply with the instructions for use.

**Precautionary statements**

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.  
 P308 + P311 IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor/ physician.  
 P391 Collect spillage.  
 P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

**2.3 Other hazards**

Cutaneous sensations may occur, such as burning or stinging on the face and mucosae. However, these sensations cause no lesions and are of a transitory nature (max. 24 hours).

**SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**
**3.2 Mixtures**
**Chemical nature**

Suspension concentrate (=flowable concentrate)(SC)  
 Beta-Cyfluthrin 25 g/l

**Hazardous components**

Hazard statements according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

Name	CAS-No. / EC-No. / REACH Reg. No.	Classification	Conc. [%]
		REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008	
Beta-Cyfluthrin	1820573-27-0	Acute Tox. 2, H300, H330 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410	2.38
Alkylarylpolyglycol ether	104376-75-2	Aquatic Chronic 3, H412	> 1 – < 25
1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one	2634-33-5 01-2120761540-60-0003	Acute Tox. 4, H302 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Skin Sens. 1, H317 Aquatic Acute 1, H400	> 0.005 – < 0.05
reaction mass of 5-chloro-2- methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-	55965-84-9	Acute Tox. 3, H301 Acute Tox. 2, H310 Acute Tox. 2, H330	> 0.0002 – < 0.0015

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isothiazol-3- one (3:1)		Skin Corr. 1C, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Skin Sens. 1A, H317 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410	
Synthetic amorphous silica	112926-00-8 01-2119379499-16-xxxx	Not classified	> 1
Glycerine	56-81-5 01-2119471987-18-XXXX	Not classified	> 1

**Further information**

Beta-Cyfluthrin	1820573-27-0	M-Factor: 10,000 (acute)
reaction mass of 5-chloro-2- methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (3:1)	55965-84-9	M-Factor: 100 (acute), 100 (chronic)

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

**SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**
**4.1 Description of first aid measures**

<b>General advice</b>	Move out of dangerous area. Place and transport victim in stable position (lying sideways). Remove contaminated clothing immediately and dispose of safely.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. Keep patient warm and at rest. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off thoroughly with plenty of soap and water, if available with polyethyleneglycol 400, subsequently rinse with water. Warm water may increase the subjective severity of the irritation/paresthesia. This is not a sign of systemic poisoning. In case of skin irritation, application of oils or lotions containing vitamin E may be considered. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Warm water may increase the subjective severity of the irritation/paresthesia. This is not a sign of systemic poisoning. Apply soothing eye drops, if needed anaesthetic eye drops. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse out mouth and give water in small sips to drink. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

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

<b>Symptoms</b>	Local:, Skin and eye paraesthesia which may be severe, Usually transient with resolution within 24 hours, Skin, eye and mucous membrane irritation, Cough, Sneezing
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Systemic:, discomfort in the chest, tachycardia, Hypotension, Nausea, Abdominal pain, Diarrhoea, Vomiting, Blurred vision, Headache, Anorexia, Somnolence, Coma, Convulsions, Tremors, Prostration, Airway hyperreaction, Pulmonary oedema, Palpitation, Muscular fasciculation, Apathy, Dizziness

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

**Risks**

This product contains a pyrethroid. Pyrethroid poisoning should not be confused with carbamate or organophosphate poisoning.

**Treatment**

Systemic treatment: Initial treatment: symptomatic. Monitor: respiratory and cardiac functions. In case of ingestion gastric lavage should be considered in cases of significant ingestions only within the first 2 hours. However, the application of activated charcoal and sodium sulphate is always advisable. Keep respiratory tract clear. Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed. In case of convulsions, a benzodiazepine (e.g. diazepam) should be given according to standard regimens. If not effective, phenobarbital may be used. Contraindication: atropine. Contraindication: derivatives of adrenaline. There is no specific antidote. Recovery is spontaneous and without sequelae.

In case of skin irritation, application of oils or lotions containing vitamin E may be considered.

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**SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

**5.1 Extinguishing media**

**Suitable**

Water spray, Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Foam, Sand

**Hazchem Code**

3Z

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

In the event of fire the following may be released:, Carbon monoxide (CO)

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

**Special protective equipment for firefighters**

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

**Further information**

Contain the spread of the fire-fighting media. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

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**SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Precautions**

Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces. Use personal protective equipment.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Do not allow to get into surface water, drains and ground water.

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**6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for cleaning up** Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly, observing environmental regulations. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

**6.4 Reference to other sections** Information regarding safe handling, see section 7.  
 Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8.  
 Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

**SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**
**7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on safe handling** Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

**Hygiene measures** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep working clothes separately. Wash hands immediately after work, if necessary take a shower. Remove soiled clothing immediately and clean thoroughly before using again. Garments that cannot be cleaned must be destroyed (burnt).

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Requirements for storage areas and containers** Store in original container. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only. Keep away from direct sunlight.

**Advice on common storage** Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

**Suitable materials** HDPE (high density polyethylene)

**7.3 Specific end use(s)** Refer to the label and/or leaflet.

**SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**
**8.1 Control parameters**

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Beta-Cyfluthrin	1820573-27-0	0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (TWA)		OES BCS*
Synthetic amorphous silica (Total dust.)	112926-00-8	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (TWA)	2001	IN OEL

\*OES BCS: Internal Bayer AG, Crop Science Division "Occupational Exposure Standard"

**8.2 Exposure controls**
**Personal protective equipment**

In normal use and handling conditions please refer to the label and/or leaflet. In all other cases the following recommendations would apply.

**Respiratory protection** Respiratory protection is not required under anticipated circumstances of exposure.  
 Respiratory protection should only be used to control residual risk of

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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**

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion, and the contact time.

Wash gloves when contaminated. Dispose of when contaminated inside, when perforated or when contamination on the outside cannot be removed. Wash hands frequently and always before eating, drinking, smoking or using the toilet.

Material	Nitrile rubber
Rate of permeability	> 480 min
Glove thickness	> 0.4 mm
Protective index	Class 6
Directive	Protective gloves complying with EN 374.

**Eye protection**

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

**Skin and body protection**

Wear standard coveralls and Category 3 Type 6 suit.

If there is a risk of significant exposure, consider a higher protective type suit.

Wear two layers of clothing wherever possible. Polyester/cotton or cotton overalls should be worn under chemical protection suit and should be professionally laundered frequently.

If chemical protection suit is splashed, sprayed or significantly contaminated, decontaminate as far as possible, then carefully remove and dispose of as advised by manufacturer.

**General protective measures**

If product is handled while not enclosed, and if contact may occur: Complete suit protecting against chemicals

**SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Form</b>	suspension
<b>Colour</b>	white to light beige
<b>Odour</b>	weak, characteristic
<b>Odour Threshold</b>	No data available
<b>pH</b>	4.0 - 5.0 (100 %) (23 °C)
<b>Melting point/range</b>	No data available
<b>Boiling Point</b>	No data available
<b>Flash point</b>	> 100 °C
<b>Flammability</b>	No data available
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	No data available

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<b>Self-accelarating decomposition temperature (SADT)</b>	No data available
<b>Upper explosion limit</b>	No data available
<b>Lower explosion limit</b>	No data available
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	No data available
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No data available
<b>Relative vapour density</b>	No data available
<b>Density</b>	ca. 1.05 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (20 °C)
<b>Water solubility</b>	miscible
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	Beta-Cyfluthrin: log Pow: 6.18 (22 °C)
<b>Viscosity, dynamic</b>	600.0 - 1,000.0 mPa.s (20 °C)
<b>Viscosity, kinematic</b>	No data available
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No data available
<b>Explosivity</b>	No data available
<b>9.2 Other information</b>	Further safety related physical-chemical data are not known.

**SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****10.1 Reactivity****Thermal decomposition** Stable under normal conditions.**10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to prescribed instructions.**10.4 Conditions to avoid** Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.**10.5 Incompatible materials** Store only in the original container.**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products** No decomposition products expected under normal conditions of use.**SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****11.1 Information on toxicological effects****Acute oral toxicity** LD50 (Rat) 1,600 mg/kg**Acute inhalation toxicity** LC50 (Rat) > 0.777 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h  
Determined in the form of a respirable aerosol.**RESTRICTED**

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	Highest attainable concentration.
<b>Acute dermal toxicity</b>	LD50 (Rat) > 5,000 mg/kg
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	No skin irritation (Rabbit)
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	No eye irritation (Rabbit)
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	Skin: Non-sensitizing. (Guinea pig) OECD Test Guideline 406, Buehler test

**Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure**

Beta-Cyfluthrin: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure**

The toxic effects of Beta-Cyfluthrin are related to transient neurobehavioral effects typical for pyrethroid neurotoxicity.

**Assessment mutagenicity**

Beta-Cyfluthrin was not mutagenic or genotoxic in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

**Assessment carcinogenicity**

Beta-Cyfluthrin was not carcinogenic in lifetime feeding studies in rats and mice.

**Assessment toxicity to reproduction**

Beta-Cyfluthrin caused reproduction toxicity in a two-generation study in rats only at dose levels also toxic to the parent animals. The reproduction toxicity seen with Beta-Cyfluthrin is related to parental toxicity.

**Assessment developmental toxicity**

Beta-Cyfluthrin caused developmental toxicity only at dose levels toxic to the dams. The developmental effects seen with Beta-Cyfluthrin are related to maternal toxicity.

**Aspiration hazard**

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

**SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****12.1 Toxicity**

<b>Toxicity to fish</b>	LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)) 0.000068 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.
<b>Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates</b>	EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) 0.00029 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.
<b>Toxicity to aquatic plants</b>	IC50 (Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae)) > 0.01 mg/l Growth rate; Exposure time: 72 h The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient. No acute toxicity was observed at its limit of water solubility.

**12.2 Persistence and degradability****Biodegradability** Beta-Cyfluthrin:**RESTRICTED**



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Not rapidly biodegradable

**Koc** Beta-Cyfluthrin: Koc: 508 - 3179**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential****Bioaccumulation** Beta-Cyfluthrin: Bioconcentration factor (BCF) 506  
Does not bioaccumulate.**12.4 Mobility in soil****Mobility in soil** Beta-Cyfluthrin: Immobile in soil**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment****PBT and vPvB assessment** Beta-Cyfluthrin: This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT). This substance is not considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).**12.6 Other adverse effects****Additional ecological information** No other effects to be mentioned.**SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product** In accordance with current regulations and, if necessary, after consultation with the site operator and/or with the responsible authority, the product may be taken to a waste disposal site or incineration plant.**Contaminated packaging** Not completely emptied packagings should be disposed of as hazardous waste.**Legal basis****Waste key in accordance with Schedule I of the Hazardous Waste Rules, 2008 as amended (India - EP Act):**

29.1 Process wastes/residues

29.3 Date-expired and off-specification pesticides

**SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION****ADR/RID/ADN**

14.1 UN number	<b>3082</b>
14.2 Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (BETA-CYFLUTHRIN SOLUTION)
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	9
14.4 Packaging Group	III
14.5 Environm. Hazardous Mark	YES
Hazard no.	90
Hazchem Code	3Z

This classification is in principle not valid for carriage by tank vessel on inland waterways. Please refer to the manufacturer for further information.

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**IMDG**

14.1 UN number	<b>3082</b>
14.2 Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (BETA-CYFLUTHRIN SOLUTION)
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	9
14.4 Packaging Group	III
14.5 Marine pollutant	YES

**IATA**

14.1 UN number	<b>3082</b>
14.2 Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (BETA-CYFLUTHRIN SOLUTION )
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	9
14.4 Packaging Group	III
14.5 Environm. Hazardous Mark	YES

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

See sections 6 to 8 of this Safety Data Sheet.

**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code**

No transport in bulk according to 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**

**Further information**

WHO-classification: II (Moderately hazardous)

**Labeling according to Insecticide Rules 1971 as amended. (INDIA)**



Class II: Highly toxic  
Colour: bright yellow  
Poison!  
Keep out of the reach of children.

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**SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

**Text of the hazard statements mentioned in Section 3**

H300	Fatal if swallowed.
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H310	Fatal in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.

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H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Abbreviations and acronyms**

ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ATE	Acute toxicity estimate
CAS-Nr.	Chemical Abstracts Service number
Conc.	Concentration
EC-No.	European community number
ECx	Effective concentration to x %
EINECS	European inventory of existing commercial substances
ELINCS	European list of notified chemical substances
EN	European Standard
EU	European Union
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IBC	International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships Carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk (IBC Code)
ICx	Inhibition concentration to x %
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LCx	Lethal concentration to x %
LDx	Lethal dose to x %
LOEC/LOEL	Lowest observed effect concentration/level
MARPOL	MARPOL: International Convention for the prevention of marine pollution from ships
N.O.S.	Not otherwise specified
NOEC/NOEL	No observed effect concentration/level
OECD	Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
TWA	Time weighted average
UN	United Nations
WHO	World health organisation

The information contained within this Safety Data Sheet is in accordance with the guidelines established by Regulation (EU) 1907/2006 and Regulation (EU) 2015/830 amending Regulation (EU) No 1907/2006 and any subsequent amendments. This data sheet complements the user's instructions, but does not replace them. The information it contains is based on the knowledge available about the product concerned at the time it was compiled. Users are further reminded of the possible risks of using a product for purposes other than those for which it was intended. The required information complies with current EEC legislation. Addressees are requested to observe any additional national requirements.

**Reason for Revision:** The following sections have been revised: Section 2: Hazards Identification. Section 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients.

Changes since the last version are highlighted in the margin. This version replaces all previous versions.
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