

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## EVERGREEN® Crop Protection EC 60-6

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** EVERGREEN® Crop Protection EC 60-6  
**PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:** A Multi-Purpose Insecticide for use on growing crops.  
**PRODUCT CODE:** 007448, EPA REG. NO. : 1021-1770  
**ACTIVE INGREDIENT(S):** Pyrethrins; Piperonyl Butoxide

#### MANUFACTURER

McLaughlin Gormley King Company  
8810 10th Avenue North  
Minneapolis MN 55427

**Product Stewardship:** (888) 740-8712  
**Alternate Emergency Phone:** (952) 852-9509  
**Service Number:** (763) 544-0341  
**Alternate Customer Service:** (800) 645-6466

#### 24 HR. EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

**CHEMTREC U.S. and CANADA:**(800) 424-9300  
**CHEMTREC All Other Areas:**(703) 527-3887  
**Emergency Phone:**(888) 740-8712

**COMMENTS:** MGK® Hours of operation are 8:00 am to 4:30 pm CST, 14:00 to 22:30 GMT.

For information regarding MEDICAL EMERGENCIES or PESTICIDE INCIDENTS, call 24 hours a day at 1-888-740-8712.

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

**IMMEDIATE CONCERNS:** CAUTION. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with skin and clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.

Wear OSHA-approved safety glasses with side-shields, safety goggles, or a full face-shield.  
Wear chemical-resistant gloves such as Barrier Laminate, Nitrile Rubber, Neoprene Rubber, or Viton (Selection Category E).  
Wear a long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes and socks.

In addition, wear a NIOSH-approved respirator when applying this product using hand-held foggers in an enclosed area. See Section 7 (Handling) or Section 8 (Personal Protective Equipment) for detailed respirator specifications.

#### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

**EYES:** May cause temporary irritation, tearing, and blurred vision.

**SKIN:** Can cause skin irritation. Can cause a burning or prickling sensation on more sensitive areas (face, eyes, mouth). Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

**INGESTION:** Harmful if swallowed.

**INHALATION:** Excessive inhalation may be irritating to the respiratory tract.

#### SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

**CHRONIC EFFECTS:** None known.

**COMMENTS:** This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR

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1910.1200).

### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	Wt.%	CAS	EINECS
Pyrethrins	6	008003-34-7	232-319-8
Piperonyl Butoxide	60	000051-03-6	200-076-7
Glycol Ethers	< 3	000112-34-5	203-961-6

**COMMENTS:** Ingredients not identified are proprietary or non-hazardous. Values are not product specifications.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYES:** Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

**SKIN:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

**INGESTION:** If swallowed, call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or a doctor. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** Remove affected person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

**NOTES TO PHYSICIAN:** For skin effects, a highly efficient therapeutic agent for pyrethrin exposure is topical application of tocopherol acetate (Vitamin E).

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**FLASHPOINT AND METHOD:** > 93.3°C (200°F) TAG Closed Cup

**FLAMMABLE CLASS:** This product is NOT classified as flammable or combustible by OSHA.

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical.

**HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:** This product is classified as Non-Combustible, however in the extreme temperatures that fires may produce, some of the constituents of this formula may decompose to give off such gases as carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, and nitrogen oxides.

**FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Treat as an oil fire. Use a full-faced self-contained breathing apparatus along with full protective gear. Keep nearby containers and equipment cool with a water stream.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**SMALL SPILL:** Stop release, if possible without risk. Dike or contain release, if possible, and if immediate response can

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prevent further damage or danger. Isolate and control access to the release area. Take actions to reduce vapors. Absorb with appropriate absorbent such as sand, or vermiculite. Clean spill area of residues and absorbent.

**LARGE SPILL:** Stop release, if possible without risk. Dike or contain release, if possible, and if immediate response can prevent further damage or danger. Isolate and control access to the release area. Take actions to reduce vapors. Collect product into drums, storage tanks, etc., via drains, pumps, etc. Absorb with appropriate absorbent such as sand or vermiculite. Clean spill area of residues and absorbent.

### ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS

**WATER SPILL:** Contains Pyrethrins, which are toxic to fish and other aquatic invertebrates. Contaminated absorbent and wash water should be disposed of according to local, state, and federal regulations.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**GENERAL PROCEDURES:** Do not use or store near heat, sparks, open flame, or any other ignition sources.

**HANDLING:** Wear OSHA-approved safety glasses with side-shields, safety goggles, or a full face-shield. Wear chemical-resistant gloves such as Barrier Laminate, Nitrile Rubber, Neoprene Rubber, or Viton (Selection Category E). Wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes and socks.

Applicators using hand-held foggers in an enclosed area must wear a half-face, full-face, or hood-style NIOSH-approved respirator with a dust/ mist filtering cartridge (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G), or a cartridge or canister with any R, P or HE filter.

Do not contaminate water, food or feedstuffs by storage, handling, or disposal.  
READ AND OBSERVE ALL PRECAUTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS ON THE LABEL.

**STORAGE:** Store in a warm, dry place. Keep container closed. Always store pesticides in the original container. Store away from food and pet-food.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

OSHA HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (29 CFR1910.1200)							
		EXPOSURE LIMITS					
		OSHA PEL		ACGIH TLV		Supplier OEL	
Chemical Name		ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Pyrethrins	TWA		5		5		
Piperonyl Butoxide	TWA	None		None		None	
Glycol Ethers	TWA	None		None		None	

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Ventilate treatment area thoroughly before re-entry.

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### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

**EYES AND FACE:** Wear OSHA-approved safety glasses with side-shields, safety goggles, or a full-face shield.

**SKIN:** Wear chemical-resistant gloves such as Barrier Laminate, Neoprene Rubber, Nitrile Rubber, or Viton, and wear protective clothing.

**RESPIRATORY:** Applicators using hand-held foggers in an enclosed area must wear a half-face, full-face, or hood-style NIOSH-approved respirator with a dust/ mist filtering cartridge (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G), or a cartridge or canister with any R, P or HE filter.

**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING:** Wear chemical-resistant gloves, shoes and socks, long pants, and a long-sleeved shirt.

### WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES: DO NOT SMOKE, EAT, OR DRINK, OR APPLY COSMETICS IN WORK AREA!

Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking, or using the toilet.

### OTHER USE PRECAUTIONS: AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS:

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR, Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on the label about personal protective equipment (PPE), and restricted-entry interval. The requirements listed below only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:

Coveralls;

Chemical-resistant gloves, such as Barrier Laminate, Nitrile Rubber, Neoprene Rubber, or Viton;

Shoes plus socks;

Protective eyewear.

### COMMENTS: NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS:

The requirements in this section apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR, Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to treat agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries or greenhouses.

Keep unprotected persons out of treated areas until sprays have dried.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**PHYSICAL STATE:** Liquid

**ODOR:** Sweet aromatic odor.

**APPEARANCE:** Clear, amber-brown colored liquid.

**COLOR:** Gardner Scale 7

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**pH:** 5.10

**Notes:** @ 10% in water.

**VAPOR DENSITY:** Heavier than air.

**FREEZING POINT:** Not Available

**FLASHPOINT AND METHOD:** > 93.3°C (200°F) TAG Closed Cup

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Partially miscible in water.

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY:** 1.017 (Water = 1) at 20°C (68°F)

**VISCOSITY #1:** 57.5 CPS at 22°C (71.6°F) Brookfield

**(VOC):** < 8.000 %

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**STABLE:** Yes

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** No

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Not compatible with strong acids or bases. Not compatible with strong oxidizers.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### ACUTE

**DERMAL LD<sub>50</sub>:** > 5000 mg/kg

**Notes:** Albino rabbit.

**ORAL LD<sub>50</sub>:** > 3129 mg/kg

**Notes:** Albino rat.

**INHALATION LC<sub>50</sub>:** > 5.06 mg/L

**Notes:** Rats exposed for 4 hours to test atmosphere.

**EYE EFFECTS:** Irritation clearing within 48 hours.

**SKIN EFFECTS:** Moderate irritation at 72 hours. Produced a primary skin Irritation Index of 3.5.

**SENSITIZATION:** Positive

**COMMENTS:** None of the components present in this material at concentrations equal to or greater than 0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH as being carcinogens.

Carcinogenicity/ Oncogenicity - Slightly elevated incidences of benign tumors of the thyroid and liver were seen in rats following lifetime administration of high doses of Pyrethrins. Further detailed scientific studies into the mode of action responsible for these effects show that:

- 1) Because of biological species differences, the rat thyroid tumors are not relevant to humans.
- 2) The rat liver tumors occur in animals *only* at doses greatly exceeding human exposure levels and that cause cell proliferation (mitogenesis).

Based on these data, the USEPA has classified Pyrethrins as "Not Likely to be Carcinogenic to Humans," at doses that

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do not cause a mitogenic response in the liver/ cell proliferation. Thus, Pyrethrins can be considered to be non-carcinogenic at exposure levels relevant to human use of Pyrethrins-containing products.

Marginally higher incidences of benign liver tumors in mice were observed following lifetime high dose exposures to PBO. The significance of these observations is questionable and under review. The doses at which tumors were observed for PBO greatly exceeded potential human exposure from labeled uses. Doses at which these effects were observed greatly exceeded anticipated human dietary intake. At anticipated dietary exposure levels, it is highly unlikely that this product will result in carcinogenic effects.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### ENVIRONMENTAL DATA:

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to aquatic organisms, including fish and invertebrates. Drift and run-off may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. This product may contaminate water through run-off. This product has a potential for run-off for several weeks after application. Poorly draining soils and soils with shallow water tables are more prone to produce run-off that contains this product.

This product is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment on blooming crops or weeds. Do not apply this product or allow it to drift to blooming crops or weeds while bees are actively visiting the treatment area.

Except as specified in the directions for use, do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash-waters or rinsate.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**DISPOSAL METHOD:** To avoid wastes, use all material in the container by application according to label directions. If wastes cannot be avoided, offer remaining product to a waste disposal facility or pesticide disposal program (NOTE: such programs are often run by state or local governments, or by industry).

**EMPTY CONTAINER:** Non-refillable container. DO NOT reuse or refill this container.

Triple-rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Then offer for recycling if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill.

Triple-rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix-tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container  $\frac{1}{4}$  full with water and re-cap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix-tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.

**RCRA/EPA WASTE INFORMATION:** This product contains the following RCRA/CERCLA Hazardous wastes/substances:

Component, RCRA ID#, Cercla RQ

Pyrethrins, N/A, 1 Lb.

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### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### DOT (DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** Environmentally Hazardous Substance, Liquid, N.O.S. RQ (Pyrethrins)

**PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION:** 9

**UN/NA NUMBER:** UN3082

**PACKING GROUP:** III

**REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ) UNDER CERCLA:** 1 Lb.

**OTHER SHIPPING INFORMATION:** This material is not regulated as a hazardous material by the DOT in quantities less than 16.67 Lbs.

Shipping name for quantities less than 16.67 Lbs. :  
Insecticides, Insect or Animal Repellents, Liquid, N.O.S.

#### AIR (ICAO/IATA)

**SHIPPING NAME:** Environmentally Hazardous Substance, Liquid, N.O.S. RQ (Pyrethrins)

**UN/NA NUMBER:** UN3082

**PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION:** 9

**PACKING GROUP:** III

#### VESSEL (IMO/IMDG)

**SHIPPING NAME:** Not Available

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### UNITED STATES

#### SARA TITLE III (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT)

**FIRE:** No **PRESSURE GENERATING:** No **REACTIVITY:** No **ACUTE:** Yes

#### 313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS:

COMPONENT, CAS#, Max %

Piperonyl Butoxide, 000051-03-6, 60.0

Glycol Ethers, 000112-34-5, 3.00

#### 302/304 EMERGENCY PLANNING

**EMERGENCY PLAN:** There are no SARA Title III Section 302 extremely hazardous substances present in this formulation (40 CFR 355).

See Section 13 of this MSDS for the components that are subject to emergency requirements under CERCLA Section 103(a)(40 CFR 302.4).

#### TSCA (TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT)

**TSCA STATUS:** All chemical substances found in this product comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act's

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inventory reporting requirements.

### REGULATIONS

#### STATE REGULATIONS

#### VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOC):

This product contains less than 8% VOC's.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**REVISION SUMMARY:** Revision #: 4 This MSDS replaces the January 08, 2009 MSDS. Any changes in information are as follows: In Section 13 Empty Container Disposal

#### HMIS RATING

<b>HEALTH:</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>FLAMMABILITY:</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>PHYSICAL HAZARD:</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>PERSONAL PROTECTION:</b>	

**HMIS RATINGS NOTES:** We assign HMIS ratings to this product based on the hazards of its ingredients(s). Since the customer is most aware of the applications and conditions of use, he or she must ensure that the proper Personal Protective Equipment is provided, consistent with the information contained in Section's 7 and 8 of this MSDS.

**COMMENTS:** The data contained herein are based on information currently available to McLaughlin Gormley King Company and, to the best of our knowledge, are accurate and based on sound expert opinion. Our statements herein, however, are not to be taken as a warranty or representation for which McLaughlin Gormley King Company assumes legal responsibility.

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