

# Water Guard WG 2500

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture  
Product name : Water Guard WG 2500  
Product code : M77083  
Other means of identification : EPA Reg. No. 88930-1-8917  
EPA Est. No. 89146-CA-1

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

Use of the substance/mixture : Algacide/Bactericide

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

JR Simplot Company  
P.O. Box 70013  
Boise, ID 83707  
T 1-208-336-2110

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS-US classification

Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4 H302  
Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2 H315  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### GHS-US labelling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US) :



GHS05

GHS07

Signal word (GHS-US) :

Danger

Contains :

copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate

Hazard statements (GHS-US) :

H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) :

P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling  
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P301+P312 - If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor/... if you feel unwell  
P302+P352 - If on skin: Wash with plenty of water/...  
P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
P310 - Immediately call a poison center/doctor/...  
P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label)  
P330 - Rinse mouth  
P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention  
P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse  
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to ...in accordance with local/regional/national regulations

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

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### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Proprietary			Not classified
copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate	(CAS No) 7758-99-8		Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2B, H320

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Allow breathing of fresh air. Allow the victim to rest.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

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

- Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.
- Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage.
- Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Swallowing a small quantity of this material will result in serious health hazard.

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

No additional information available

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

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

- Fire hazard : Non-flammable.
- Reactivity : Stable under normal conditions and use.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
- Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect spillage. Store away from other materials.

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### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapour.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Keep container closed when not in use.
- Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong acids.
- Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate (7758-99-8)

Not applicable

#### Proprietary

Not applicable

### 8.2. Exposure controls

- Personal protective equipment : Avoid all unnecessary exposure.
- Hand protection : Wear protective gloves.
- Eye protection : Chemical goggles or safety glasses.
- Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing.
- Respiratory protection : Wear appropriate mask.
- Other information : Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- Physical state : Liquid
- Colour : Blue
- Odour : No data available on odour
- Odour threshold : No data available
- pH : No data available
- pH solution : 2.6
- Melting point : No data available
- Freezing point : No data available
- Boiling point : 220F
- Flash point : No data available
- Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available
- Flammability (solid, gas) : Not considered flammable
- Explosive limits : No data available
- Explosive properties : No data available
- Oxidising properties : No data available
- Vapour pressure : 0.1mm 68° F
- Relative density : No data available
- Relative vapour density at 20 °C : No data available

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Solubility	: Complete. Water: Solubility in water of component(s) of the mixture : • copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate: 23 g/100ml
Log Pow	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Stable under normal conditions and use.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Strong reducing agents. Strong acids.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

fume. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Oral: Harmful if swallowed.

Water Guard WG 2500	
ATE US (oral)	1500.000 mg/kg bodyweight
copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate (7758-99-8)	
LD50 oral rat	300 mg/kg (Rat; OECD 401: Acute Oral Toxicity; Experimental value; 482 mg/kg bodyweight; Rat)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit; Literature study; OECD 402: Acute Dermal Toxicity)
ATE US (oral)	300.000 mg/kg bodyweight

Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Harmful if swallowed.
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact	: Causes skin irritation.
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact	: Causes serious eye damage.

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Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Swallowing a small quantity of this material will result in serious health hazard.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

<b>copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate (7758-99-8)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	1.5 mg/l (24 h; Lepomis macrochirus; Toxicity test)
EC50 Daphnia 1	0.109 - 0.798 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna; Anhydrous form)
LC50 fish 2	0.17 mg/l (24 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss); Anhydrous form)
TLM fish 1	3.8 ppm 24 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
Threshold limit algae 1	0.01 - 0.28,72 h; Selenastrum capricornutum; Anhydrous form
Threshold limit algae 2	0.368 mg/l (72 h; Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata; Anhydrous form)

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

<b>Water Guard WG 2500</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.
<b>copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate (7758-99-8)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable. No (test)data on mobility of the substance available. Not established.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	Not applicable
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable
ThOD	Not applicable
BOD (% of ThOD)	Not applicable
<b>Proprietary</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

<b>Water Guard WG 2500</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
<b>copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate (7758-99-8)</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumable. Not established.
<b>Proprietary</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

<b>copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate (7758-99-8)</b>	
Ecology - soil	Toxic to flora.

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on the global warming : No known ecological damage caused by this product.

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of contents/container to ..

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description : UN3264 Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. (contains cupric sulfate), 8, III

UN-No.(DOT) : UN3264

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Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.  
contains cupric sulfate  
Class (DOT) : 8 - Class 8 - Corrosive material 49 CFR 173.136  
Hazard labels (DOT) : 8 - Corrosive



Packing group (DOT) : III - Minor Danger  
DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 203  
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 241  
DOT Symbols : G - Identifies PSN requiring a technical name  
DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : IB3 - Authorized IBCs: Metal (31A, 31B and 31N); Rigid plastics (31H1 and 31H2); Composite (31HZ1 and 31HA2, 31HB2, 31HN2, 31HD2 and 31HH2). Additional Requirement: Only liquids with a vapor pressure less than or equal to 110 kPa at 50 C (1.1 bar at 122 F), or 130 kPa at 55 C (1.3 bar at 131 F) are authorized, except for UN2672 (also see Special Provision IP8 in Table 2 for UN2672)  
T7 - 4 178.274(d)(2) Normal..... 178.275(d)(3)  
TP1 - The maximum degree of filling must not exceed the degree of filling determined by the following: Degree of filling =  $97 / (1 + a (tr - tf))$  Where: tr is the maximum mean bulk temperature during transport, and tf is the temperature in degrees celsius of the liquid during filling  
TP28 - A portable tank having a minimum test pressure of 2.65 bar (265 kPa) may be used provided the calculated test pressure is 2.65 bar or less based on the MAWP of the hazardous material, as defined in 178.275 of this subchapter, where the test pressure is 1.5 times the MAWP  
DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 154  
DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : 5 L  
DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : 60 L  
DOT Vessel Stowage Location : A - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel  
Transport/Additional information : 40 - Stow "clear of living quarters"  
Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 154  
Other information : No supplementary information available.

### TDG

No additional information available

### Transport by sea

UN-No. (IMDG) : 3264  
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.  
Class (IMDG) : 8 - Corrosive substances  
Packing group (IMDG) : III - substances presenting low danger

### Air transport

UN-No. (IATA) : 3264  
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s.  
Class (IATA) : 8 - Corrosives  
Packing group (IATA) : III - Minor Danger

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

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EPA Labeling Requirements

##### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

##### DANGER

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses). Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through skin. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Avoid contact with skin. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

##### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Waters treated with this product may be hazardous to aquatic organisms. Treatment of aquatic weeds and algae can result in oxygen loss from decomposition of dead algae and weeds. This oxygen loss can cause fish and invertebrate suffocation. To minimize this hazard, do not treat more than 1/2 of the water body to avoid depletion of oxygen due to decaying vegetation. Wait at least 10 to 14 days between treatments. Begin treatment along the shore and proceed outwards in bands to allow fish to move into untreated areas. Consult with the State or local agency with primary responsibility for regulating pesticides before applying to public waters, to determine if a permit is required.

##### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**Pesticide Storage:** Store in a safe place away from PETS AND KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN. Store between 40° and 120°F, away from excessive heat. Water Guard™ WG 2500 will freeze. Always keep container closed. Store Water Guard™ WG 2500 in its original container only. Bulk Water Guard™ WG 2500 shall be stored and handled in stainless steel, fiberglass, polypropylenes, PVCs or plastic equipment. Keep away from galvanized pipe and any nylon storage or handling equipment.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Excess Water Guard™ WG 2500 must be disposed of through use. Do not contaminate lakes, rivers, or streams as this may cause fish kills. Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance. In the event of a spill, neutralize with limestone spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste or baking soda before disposal. May deteriorate concrete.

##### CONTAINER HANDLING:

For Nonrefillable Containers ≤5 gallons: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. 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 1/4 full with water and recap. 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. Offer for recycling if available. If recycling is not available, puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

For Nonrefillable Containers >5 gallons: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. 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 1/4 full with water and recap. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times. Offer for recycling if available. If recycling is not available, puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

For Refillable Containers: Refillable container. Refill this container with pesticide only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller. To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container about 10 percent full of water. Agitate vigorously or recirculate water with the pump for 2 minutes. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times.

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory except for:

copper(II) sulfate, pentahydrate	CAS No 7758-99-8	%
Proprietary	CAS No	%

This product or mixture does not contain a toxic chemical or chemicals in excess of the applicable de minimis concentration as specified in 40 CFR §372.38(a) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

No additional information available

##### EU-Regulations

No additional information available

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### National regulations

No additional information available

### 15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

## SECTION 16: Other information

Other information : None.

Full text of H-statements:

H301	Toxic if swallowed
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H315	Causes skin irritation
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H320	Causes eye irritation

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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