Monsanto Canada

Safety Data Sheet

Commercial Product

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1. Product identifier

Cell-Tech® Soybean Liquid Inoculant

- 1.1.1. Chemical name
- Not applicable.

 1.1.2.
 Synonyms

 Cell-Tech® Liquid Nitrogen-Fixing Inoculant for Soybean

1.2. Product use

Inoculant

1.3. Company

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1.4. Emergency numbers

FOR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY, SPILL, LEAK, FIRE, EXPOSURE, OR ACCIDENT Call CANUTEC - Day or Night: 613-996-6666 (collect calls accepted) or MONSANTO: 314-694-4000 (collect calls accepted). FOR MEDICAL EMERGENCY - Day or Night: +1 (314) 694-4000 (collect calls accepted).

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification

Classification according to the Hazardous Products Regulations, 2015 Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS 2015) Not classified as hazardous.

2.2. Label elements

 Hazard pictogram/pictograms

 Not Applicable

 Signal word

 Not applicable.

 Hazard statement/statements

 Hxxx
 Not applicable.

 Precautionary statement/statements

 Pxxx
 Not applicable.

2.3. Other hazards

Contains microorganisms which may have the potential to provoke sensitising reactions. Opportunistic infections may occur in patients with compromised immune functions.

2.3.1. Potential other effects

Read and follow label instructions.

Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

2.4. Appearance and odour (colour/form/odour)

Colourless /Liquid / Slight

Refer to section 11 for toxicological and section 12 for environmental information.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1. Substance: Not applicable.

3.2. Mixture: Yes.

Composition/information on ingredients

Components	CAS No.	Concentration
Bradyrhizobium japonicum		0.88 %

Active ingredient

None; {Not applicable}

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Use personal protection recommended in section 8.

4.1. Description of first aid measures

4.1.1. Eye contact

If in eyes, hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

4.1.2. Skin contact

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. Sensitized persons should avoid further contact and reuse of contaminated clothing.

4.1.3. Inhalation

Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call emergency number or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible.

4.1.4. Ingestion

Call 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 the poison center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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

4.2.1. Potential health effects

Likely routes of exposure: Skin contact, eye contact, inhalation

Eye contact, short term: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

Skin contact, short term: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

Inhalation, short term: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

Single ingestion: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

Repeated exposure: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.

- **4.2.2.** Medical conditions aggravated by exposure: Contains microorganisms which may have the potential to provoke sensitising reactions. Opportunistic infections may occur in patients with compromised immune functions.
- **4.3.** Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed Not applicable.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

5.1.1. **Recommended**: Water, Foam, Dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2)

5.2. Special hazards

5.2.1. Unusual fire and explosion hazards

Minimise use of water to prevent environmental contamination. Environmental precautions: see section 6.

5.2.2. Hazardous products of combustion

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sulphur oxides (SOx), Hydrogen chloride (HCl)

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus. Equipment should be thoroughly decontaminated after use.

5.4. Flash point

Does not flash.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions

Use handling recommendations in Section 7 and personal protection recommendations in Section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Minimise spread. Contain spillage with sand bags or other means. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and water ways. Do NOT contaminate water when disposing of rinse waters.

6.3. Methods for cleaning up

SMALL QUANTITIES: Flush spill area with water. LARGE QUANTITIES: Absorb in earth, sand or absorbent material. Dig up heavily contaminated soil. Collect in containers for disposal. Flush residues with small quantities of water. Minimise use of water to prevent environmental contamination.

Refer to section 13 for disposal of spilled material.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Good industrial practice in housekeeping and personal hygiene should be followed. Do NOT taste or swallow. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapour or mist. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands thoroughly after handling or contact. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Thoroughly clean equipment after use. Do not contaminate drains, sewers and water ways when disposing of equipment rinse water. Refer to section 13 of the safety data sheet for disposal of rinse water.

Emptied containers retain vapour and product residue. FOLLOW LABELLED WARNINGS EVEN AFTER CONTAINER IS EMPTIED.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Incompatible materials for storage: Acids, bases, oxidizers, reducers, disinfectants, fungicides, and/or biocides may inactivate this product. Minimum storage temperature: 39 °F Read label for specific storage conditions. Keep in a cool place. Store in a dry place. Avoid extremely high or low temperatures. Keep away from heat and flame. Keep away from direct sunlight.

7.3. Specific end use(s) Not applicable.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control parameters

Airborne exposure limits

Components	Exposure Guidelines	
Bradyrhizobium	No specific occupational exposure limit has been established.	
japonicum		

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering controls

No special requirement when used as recommended. If airborne exposure is excessive: Provide local exhaust ventilation.

Eye protection:

No special requirement when used as recommended. If there is potential for contact: Wear chemical goggles.

Skin protection:

No special requirement when used as recommended. If repeated or prolonged contact: Wear chemical resistant gloves. Chemical resistant gloves include those made of waterproof materials such as nitrile, butyl, neoprene, polyvinyl chloride (PVC), natural rubber and/or barrier laminate. If there is significant potential for contact: Wear face shield. Wear chemical resistant clothing/footwear.

Respiratory protection:

No special requirement when used as recommended. If airborne exposure is excessive: Wear respirator. Full facepiece/hood/helmet respirator replaces need for chemical goggles.

When recommended, consult manufacturer of personal protective equipment for the appropriate type of equipment for a given application.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

These physical data are typical values based on material tested but may vary from sample to sample. Typical values should not be construed as a guaranteed analysis of any specific lot or as specifications for the product.

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Colour/colour range:	Colourless
Form:	Liquid
Odour:	Slight
Odour threshold:	No data.

Physical form changes (melting, boiling, etc.):		
Freezing point:	@ -4 °C	
Flash point:	Does not flash.	
Explosive properties:	No explosive properties	
Auto ignition temperature:	Not applicable.	
Self-accelerating decomposition temperature (SADT):	No data.	
Oxidizing properties:	No data.	
Specific gravity:	No data.	
Vapour pressure:	No significant volatility; aqueous solution.	
Vapour density:	No data.	
Dynamic viscosity:	No data.	
Kinematic viscosity:	No data.	
Density:	No data.	
Solubility:	Water: Completely miscible.	
pH:	~ 7.0; Variable	
Partition coefficient:	No data.	

9.2 Other information

Evaporation rate: No data.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- **10.1. Reactivity** None
- **10.2.** Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions of handling and storage.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization: Does not occur.

10.4. Conditions to avoid None

10.5. Incompatible materials Incompatible materials for storage: Acids, bases, oxidizers, reducers, disinfectants, fungicides, and/or biocides may inactivate this product. Compatible materials for storage: see section 7.2.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products Hazardous products of combustion: see section 5.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This section is intended for use by toxicologists and other health professionals.

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11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Acute dermal toxicity: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Acute inhalation toxicity: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Eve corrosion/irritation: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Skin sensitization: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Respiratory sensitization: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Mutagenicity: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Carcinogenicity: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Reproductive/Developmental Toxicity: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure: Based on available data classification criteria are not met. Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure: Based on available data classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard: Based on available data classification criteria are not met.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Potential health effects

Likely routes of exposure: Skin contact, eye contact, inhalation

- Eve contact, short term: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.
- Skin contact, short term: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.
- Inhalation, short term: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.
- Single ingestion: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.
- Repeated exposure: Not expected to produce significant adverse effects when recommended use instructions are followed.
- Medical conditions aggravated by exposure: Contains microorganisms which may have the potential to provoke sensitising reactions. Opportunistic infections may occur in patients with compromised immune functions.

Monsanto has not conducted toxicity studies on this product. Contains microorganisms which may have the potential to provoke sensitising reactions. Opportunistic infections may occur in patients with compromised immune functions.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This section is intended for use by ecotoxicologists and other environmental specialists.

Monsanto has not conducted environmental studies on this product.

- 12.1 Toxicity No data.
- 12.2 Persistence and degradability No data.
- 12.3 **Bioaccumulative potential** Refer to section 9 for partition coefficient data.
- 12.4 Mobility in soil

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No data.

- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** No data.
- **12.6** Other adverse effects No data.
- **12.7** Additional information If available, data obtained on similar products and/or on components are summarized below.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

13.1.1. Product

Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and water ways. Recycle if appropriate facilities/equipment available. Render inactive or innocuous by a validated method and dispose, or incinerate in accordance with all local/regional/national/international regulations.

13.1.2. Container

See the individual container label for disposal information. Emptied containers retain vapour and product residue. Observe all labeled safeguards until container is cleaned, reconditioned or destroyed. Empty packaging completely. Triple or pressure rinse empty containers. Do NOT contaminate water when disposing of rinse waters. Ensure packaging cannot be reused. Do NOT re-use containers. Store for collection by approved waste disposal service. Recycle if appropriate facilities/equipment available. Follow all local/regional/national/international regulations.

Use handling recommendations in Section 7 and personal protection recommendations in Section 8.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The data provided in this section is for information only. Please apply the appropriate regulations to properly classify your shipment for transportation.

Transport of Dangerous Goods Regulations (TDG)

- 14.1 **UN No.:** Not applicable.
- 14.2 **Proper Shipping Name (Technical Name if required): Not regulated for domestic transportation.**
- 14.3 Transport hazard class: Not applicable.
- 14.4 **Packing Group:** Not applicable.
- 14.5 **Environmental hazards: Not applicable.**
- 14.6 **Special precautions for the user:** Not applicable.

IMO

- 14.1 **UN No.:** Not applicable.
- 14.2 Proper Shipping Name (Technical Name if required): Not regulated for transport under IMO Regulations.
- 14.3 Transport hazard class: Not applicable.
- 14.4 **Packing Group:** Not applicable.
- 14.5 **Environmental hazards: Not applicable.**
- 14.6 **Special precautions for the user:** Not applicable.
- 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code: Not applicable.

IATA/ICAO

14.1 **UN No.:** Not applicable.

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14.2 **Proper Shipping Name (Technical Name if required): Not regulated for transport under IATA/ICAO Regulations.**

- 14.3 Transport hazard class: Not applicable.
- 14.4 **Packing Group:** Not applicable.
- 14.5 Environmental hazards: Not applicable.
- 14.6 **Special precautions for the user:** Not applicable.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1. Pest Management Regulatory Agency, Pest Control Products Act [PMRA PCPA]

Not regulated by PMRA.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

The information given here is not necessarily exhaustive but is representative of relevant, reliable data. Follow all local/regional/national/international regulations.

Please consult supplier if further information is needed.

Revised for new format.

This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared following the Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (Annex II) as last amended by Regulation (EC) No. 2015/830

In this document the British spelling was applied.

Full denomination of most frequently used acronyms. BCF (Bioconcentration Factor), BOD (Biochemical Oxygen Demand), COD (Chemical Oxygen Demand), EC50 (50% effect concentration), ED50 (50% effect dose), I.M. (intramuscular), I.P. (intraperitoneal), I.V. (intravenous), Koc (Soil adsorption coefficient), LC50 (50% lethality concentration), LD50 (50% lethality dose), LDLo (Lower limit of lethal dosage), LEL (Lower Explosion Limit), LOAEC (Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Concentration), LOAEL (Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level), LOEC (Lowest Observed Effect Concentration), LOAEL (Lowest Observed Effect Concentration), NOAEL (Naximum Exposure limit), MTD (Maximum Tolerated Dose), NOAEC (No Observed Adverse Effect Concentration), NOAEL (No Observed Adverse Effect Level), NOEC (No Observed Effect Concentration), NOAEL (No Observed Effect Level), NOEC (No Observed Effect Level), OEL (Occupational Exposure Limit), PL (Permissible Exposure Limit), PII (Primary Irritation Index), Pow (Partition coefficient n-octanol/water), S.C. (subcutaneous), STEL (Short-Term Exposure Limit), STOT SE (Specific Target Organ Toxicity, Single Exposure), STOT RE (Specific Target Organ Toxicity, Repeated Exposure), TLV-C (Threshold Limit Value-Ceiling), TLV-TWA (Threshold Limit Value - Time Weighted Average), UEL (Upper Explosion Limit)

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