

SAFETY DATA SHEET

According to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200 (GHS)

Product name **Regal Brom-A-Gard Tablets 1" for Pools**
Product id AS_8424T-96_RG
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1. Identification of the substance & the company

Chemical name Bromo-chloro-5,5-dimethylhydantoin
Synonym(s) BCDMH, Halobrom
Chemical formula $C_5H_6BrClN_2O_2$
Chemical family Halogenated hydantoin
Molecular weight 241.5
Type of product and use Swimming pools and Spas & Hot Tubs disinfectant
Supplier ICL-IP America Inc.
95 MacCorkle Ave. SW,
South Charleston, WV 25303,
USA
Toll Free Number: 1-800-811-2327
Emergency Telephone Chemtrec: (800) 424-9300
Medical: (800) 420-9236

2. Hazards identification

Emergency overview White to off-white tablet with faint halogenous odour
Corrosive
Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns
Irritating to nose and throat
May be fatal if inhaled
Harmful if absorbed through skin or swallowed
Oxidizer
GHS classification Acute Tox. 4, H302 Harmful if swallowed
Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Skin Sens. 1, H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction
Aquatic Acute 1, H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life



Signal Word

DANGER



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Hazard statements
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H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction
H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life
EUH031 - Contact with acids liberates toxic gas

Precautionary statements
P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
P273 - Avoid release to the environment
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting
P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower
P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
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 or doctor/physician
P333 + P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
P362 + P364 - Take off all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse
P391 - Collect spillage
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
P405 - Store locked up
P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national and international regulations

NFPA Ratings (Scale 0-4) Health = 3, Fire = 0, Reactivity = 1. Special Hazard Warning: OXIDIZER.

HMIS Ratings (Scale 0-4) Health = 3, Fire = 0, Reactivity = 1.

3. Composition / information on ingredients

Components	CAS No.	Weight %
Bromochloro-5,5-dimethylhydantoin	32718-18-6	96



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4. First-aid measures

Eye contact 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 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.

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

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 control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, acute or delayed

- Eye Contact Causes severe eye damage.

- Skin contact Causes severe skin burns
May cause skin sensitization

- Inhalation Shortness of breath, headache and nausea.
Irritant to upper respiratory tract.

- Ingestion Harmful if swallowed.

Note to physician Corrosive
No specific antidote.
In case of ingestion DO NOT induce vomiting.
Treat symptomatically and supportively.
Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

5. Fire - fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media Dry powder, carbon dioxide or water spray. Water may be ineffective. In case of exothermic decomposition and appearance of smoke, water should be used to suppress it.



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Extinguishing media not to be used Do not use dry chemical extinguisher containing ammonia compounds.

Unusual fire and explosion hazards Forms explosive mixtures with combustible, organic or other easily oxidizable materials. When heated to decomposition, may release poisonous and corrosive fumes. Dust may form a weak explosive mixture with air (class St1), but is not sensitive to ignition from electrostatic discharges.

Fire fighting procedure Cool containers with water spray. In closed stores, provide fire-fighters with self-contained breathing apparatus in positive pressure mode.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions Evacuate area. Use respirator with combined filter (inorganic gas and dust), gloves, chemical safety goggles and body covering clothes. If material is decomposing, use self-contained breathing apparatus and a fully encapsulated suit.

Methods for cleaning up Sweep up, place in a suitable container and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

Environmental precautions Prevent entry into sewers and watercourses

7. Handling and storage

Handling Keep containers tightly closed.

Storage Keep away from all sources of ignition. Recommended storage temperature below 30°C. For transportation purposes it is possible to store at temperatures up to 50°C. Store in a dry, well-ventilated area. Store away from incompatible materials (see "materials to avoid").

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Limits :

Components	ACGIH-TLV Data	OSHA (PEL) Data
Bromochloro-5,5-dimethylhydantoin 32718-18-6	Not determined	Not determined

Manufacturer's TLV-Ceiling Recommendation 0.1 mg/m³



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Ventilation requirements Use local exhaust as necessary, especially under dusty conditions. Ventilation must be sufficient to maintain atmospheric concentration below recommended exposure limit.

Personal protective equipment:

- **Respiratory protection** Respirator with combined filter (inorganic gas and dust).
- **Hand protection** Neoprene gloves
- **Eye protection** Chemical safety goggles
- **Skin and body protection** Body covering clothes and boots

Hygiene measures Do not eat, smoke or drink where material is handled, processed or stored. Wash hands thoroughly after handling and before eating or smoking. Safety shower and eye bath should be provided.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance	White to off-white tablet with faint halogenous odour
Melting point/range	Not applicable (decomposes)
Boiling point/range	Not applicable
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate (ether=1)	Not applicable under standard conditions
Flammable/Explosion limits	Not available
Vapor pressure	9.35x10 ⁽⁻³⁾ Pa (25°C)
Vapor density	Not applicable under standard conditions
Solubility:	
- Solubility in water	0.22 g/100ml at 25°C
- Solubility in other solvents	Benzene: 2.5 g/100g at 25°C
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Kow = <1 (pH 5-9)
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available
Decomposition temperature	>160°C
Viscosity	Not applicable
Specific gravity	1.8-2.0
Explosive properties	Dust may form a weak explosive mixture with air (class St1), but is considered insensitive to ignition from electrostatic discharges.
Oxidising properties	Not sufficient for classification as oxidizer (Method A17 & UN Test O.1)
Particle size	Not available



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10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity Combustible materials. Oxidizing agents. Bases.
Stability Stable under normal conditions
Possibility of hazardous reactions Contact with combustible materials may initiate decomposition of the material and emission of smoke.
Conditions to avoid Exposure to moisture. Heating above decomposition temperature.
Materials to avoid COMBUSTIBLE ORGANIC MATERIALS. Bases. Oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products CO, HBr, Cl₂, NO_x, HCl, CO₂

11. Toxicological information

Likely Routes of Exposure Skin
Eye contact
Inhalation

Acute toxicity:
- Rat oral LD₅₀ 929 mg/kg
- Rat inhalation LC₅₀ 1.1 mg/l/4 hour (powder)
- Dermal irritation (rabbit) Corrosive

Dermal sensitization Sensitizer

Chronic toxicity Prolonged skin contact may cause sensitization

Mutagenicity Mutagenic by the Ames Test
Mutagenic in the mouse lymphoma L5178Y test system.
Non genotoxic in an in-vivo micronucleus test in mice
Non genotoxic in an in-vivo liver unscheduled DNA synthesis (USD) assay

Carcinogenicity Not included in NTP 13th Report on Carcinogens
Not classified by IARC

Aspiration hazard Not expected to occur



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12. Ecological information

Aquatic toxicity :

- 96 Hour-LC50, Fish
1.2 mg/l (Eastern oyster, Acute flow through)
1.9 mg/l (Mysid shrimp, Acute flow through)
0.4 mg/l (Rainbow trout, Static)
0.46 mg/l (Bluegill sunfish, Static)
1.6 mg/l (Sheepshead minnow, Acute flow through)
- 48 hour-LC50, Daphnia magna 0.75 mg/l (Static)

Avian toxicity:

- Oral LD50, Bobwhite quail 1839 mg/kg
- Dietary LC50, Mallard duck >5620 ppm
- Dietary LC50, Bobwhite quail >5620 ppm

Persistence and degradability BCDMH and the main degradation product DMH are biodegradable and do not persist in the environment

Bioaccumulative potential Based on low Kow values, i.e less than 1, BCDMH would not be predicted to significantly accumulate in aquatic organisms, or absorb to organic material in soil or sediment.

Mobility in soil There will be no exposure of BCDMH to soil. The main degradation product DMH is mobile in soil.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal Dispose of in approved landfill sites or an approved incinerator. Crush and bury empty containers. Avoid access to streams, lakes or ponds. Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations when disposing of this material.

Disposal of Packaging Crush and bury empty containers.
Do NOT throw into public waste disposal site. Avoid contact with organic materials and moisture. See conditions to avoid (Section 10)



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14. Transportation information

DOT UN number 1479
Proper shipping name: Oxidizing Solid, n.o.s.
(Bromo-Chloro-5,5-DimethylHydantoin)
Class: 5.1 - Oxidizing substances
Label: OXIDIZER (5.1)
Packing Group II
Marking: Marine Pollutant

15. Regulatory information

USA This product is registered under FIFRA
(CAS #16079-88-2)
TSCA: EPA Number P-94-34
Subject to reporting under SNUR (Significant New Use Rule) -any use, 60 CFR
11037

- EPA Registration no. 42177-74

- Emergency overview in accordance to EPA Master Label DANGER
Corrosive
Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns
Eye contact may cause loss of vision
Irritating to nose and throat
Harmful if absorbed through skin or swallowed
This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.
Strong oxidizing agent

- SARA 313 This product does not contain a chemical listed at or above de minimis
concentrations

- SARA (311, 312) This product is a hazardous chemical under 29CFR 1910.1200, and categorized
as an immediate and delayed health, and reactivity physical hazard

- Waste Classifications Not listed under CERCLA. If this product becomes a waste, it meets the criteria of
a hazardous waste as defined under 40 CFR 261 and would have the following
EPA hazardous waste number: D001.

EU Reported in EINECS

EC No. 251-171-5



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New Zealand Inventory Listed in NZIoC

China
- China inventory Listed in IECSC

Philippines Listed in PICCS

16. Other information

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