



## Section 1 - Identification of Chemical Product and Company

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**Trade Name:** Garden King Fongarid Systemic Fungicide  
**Product Use:** Controls fungal diseases in soils  
**Creation Date:** May 2004  
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## Section 2 - Hazards Identification

### Statement of Hazardous Nature

This product is classified as hazardous according to the criteria of ASCC Australia. (Xn Harmful)

Not a Dangerous Good according to the Australian Dangerous Goods (ADG) Code.

**Risk Phrases:** R22 Harmful if swallowed

**Safety Phrases:** S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection

**SUSDP Classification:** S5

**ADG Classification:** None allocated. Not a Dangerous Good.

**UN Number:** None allocated

### Emergency Overview

**Physical Description & colour:** Beige powder

**Odour:** Mild non specific odour

**Major Health Hazards:** No significant risk factors have been found for this product.

### Potential Health Effects

**Inhalation:** Data suggests that this product should present no significant problems to typical persons if used as intended

**Skin Contact:** This product is mildly irritating to skin. However, it is unlikely to cause more than minor discomfort or effects such as itchiness, occasional small blisters or slight skin reddening.

**Eye Contact:** This product is mildly irritating to the eyes. It is likely to cause mild discomfort such as watering and redness of the eyes. However, this should quickly disappear once exposure is over

**Ingestion:** Data suggests that this product should present no significant problems to typical persons if used as intended.

### Carcinogen Status:

**ASCC:** No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by ASCC.

**NTP:** No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by NTP.

**IARC:** No significant ingredient is classified as carcinogenic by IARC.

## Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredients	CAS No	Conc,%	TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )
Furalaxyl	57646-30-7	25	not set	not set
Other non hazardous ingredients	secret	to 100	not set	not set

This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may vary. Trace quantities of impurities are also likely.

*The TWA exposure value is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week. The STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) is an exposure value that should not be exceeded for more than 15 minutes and should not be repeated for more than 4 times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the STEL. The term "peak" is used when the TWA limit, because of the rapid action of the substance, should never be exceeded, even briefly.*

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## Section 4 - First Aid Measures

### General Information:

You should call The Poisons Information Centre if you feel that you may have been poisoned, burned or irritated by this product. The number is 13 1126 from anywhere in Australia (0800 764 766 in New Zealand) and is available at all times. Have this MSDS with you when you call. Eyebaths or eyewash stations and safety deluge showers should be provided where this product is being used.

**Inhalation:** No first aid measures normally required. However, if dusts have been inhaled, and irritation has developed, remove to fresh air and observe until recovered. If irritation becomes painful or persists more than about 30 minutes, seek medical advice.

**Skin Contact:** If product gets on skin, thoroughly wash contacted areas. No further measures should normally be required unless irritation is noticed. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Eye Contact:** Flush the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water until the product is removed or until irritation has ceased, while holding the eyelid(s) open. Obtain medical advice if irritation becomes painful or lasts more than a few minutes.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed, contact Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, do NOT induce vomiting unless instructed to do so.

**Advice to Doctor:** Treat symptomatically. Note the nature of this product.

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## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**Fire and Explosion Hazards:** There is no risk of an explosion from this product under normal circumstances if it is involved in a fire.

Fire decomposition products from this product may form toxic and corrosive mixtures in confined spaces. Take appropriate protective measures. This product may form flammable or explosive dust clouds in air.

**Extinguishing Media:** Not Combustible. Use extinguishing media suited to burning materials. Eg Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam, water fog.

**Fire Fighting:** If a significant quantity of this product is involved in a fire, call the fire brigade.

**Flash point:** Does not burn.

**Upper Flammability Limit:** Does not burn.

**Lower Flammability Limit:** Does not burn.

**Auto ignition temperature:** Not applicable - does not burn.

**Flammability Class:** Does not burn.

**Decomposition Products:** Carbon dioxide, and if combustion is incomplete, carbon monoxide and smoke. Nitrogen, and under some circumstances, oxides of nitrogen. Water.

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## Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**Accidental release:** Minor spills do not normally need any special cleanup measures. In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or watercourses. As a minimum, wear overalls, goggles and gloves. Stop leak if safe to do so, and contain spill. Sweep up and shovel or collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling or salvage. After spills, wash area preventing runoff from entering drains. If a significant quantity of material enters drains, advise emergency services. Full details regarding disposal of used containers, spillage and unused material may be found on the label. If there is any conflict between this MSDS and the label, instructions on the label prevail. Dispose of only in accord with all regulations. Advise laundry of nature of contamination when sending contaminated clothing to laundry.

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## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

**Handling:** Keep exposure to this product to a minimum, and minimise the quantities kept in work areas. Check Section 8 of this MSDS for details of personal protective measures, and make sure that those measures are followed. The measures detailed below under "Storage" should be followed during handling in order to minimise risks to persons using the product in the workplace. Also, avoid contact or contamination of product with incompatible materials listed in Section 10.

**Storage:** This product is a S5 Poison. Observe all relevant regulations regarding sale, transport and storage of this class of product. Containers should be kept closed in order to minimise contamination. Store in the closed original container in a dry, cool, well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight. Keep from extreme

heat and open flames, and make sure that the product does not come into contact with substances listed under "Materials to avoid" below. Check packaging - there may be further storage instructions on the label.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

The following Australian Standards will provide general advice regarding safety clothing and equipment:

Respiratory equipment: **AS/NZS 1715**, Protective Gloves: **AS 2161**, Industrial Clothing: **AS2919**, Industrial Eye Protection: **AS1336** and **AS/NZS 1337**, Occupational Protective Footwear: **AS/NZS2210**.

Exposure Limits	TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	ADI (mg/Kg/day)	NOEL (mg/Kg/day)
Furalaxyl	not set	not set	not set	not set

*The STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) is an exposure value that should not be exceeded for more than 15 minutes and should not be repeated for more than 4 times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the STEL. The exposure value at the TWA is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week. A TWA has not been established by Worksafe Australia for any of the major ingredients in this product. There is a blanket limit of 10mg/m<sup>3</sup> for dusts or mists when limits have not otherwise been established. The nature of this product makes it unlikely that this level will be approached in normal use. ADI means Acceptable Daily Intake and NOEL means No-observable-effect-level. Values taken from Australian ADI List, Dec 2003.*

No special equipment is usually needed when occasionally handling small quantities. The following instructions are for bulk handling or where regular exposure in an occupational setting occurs without proper containment systems.

**Ventilation:** No special ventilation requirements are normally necessary for this product. However make sure that the work environment remains clean and that dusts are minimised.

**Eye Protection:** Protective eyewear should be worn when using this product as may irritate eyes.

**Skin Protection:** Impermeable protective gloves should be worn when you are using this product. Failure to do so may lead to mild irritation of the skin. Clothing: This product is essentially safe to use without special protective clothing. However, its use is recommended as a good industrial practice. Clean overalls or protective clothing should be worn, preferably with an apron.

**Protective Material Types:** There is no specific recommendation for any particular protective material type. Consult AS2919 for advice on Industrial Clothing.

**Respirator:** It is advisable to wear a dust mask or respirator protection when using this product.

Always wash hands before smoking, eating or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storing or re-using.

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties:

<b>Physical Description &amp; colour:</b>	Beige powder
<b>Odour:</b>	Mild non-specific odour.
<b>Melting Point:</b>	Decomposes before melting
<b>Boiling Point:</b>	n/a
<b>Flash Point:</b>	Not flammable
<b>Volatiles:</b>	No specific data. Expected to be low at 100°C
<b>Bulk Density:</b>	No data
<b>Water Solubility:</b>	Wettable powder
<b>pH:</b>	No data
<b>Volatility:</b>	n/a
<b>Odour Threshold:</b>	No data.
<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	n/a
<b>Auto ignition temp:</b>	n/a
<b>Corrosiveness:</b>	Not corrosive.

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity:** This product is unlikely to react or decompose under normal storage conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Heat, flames, ignition sources and incompatibles

**Incompatibilities:** No particular incompatibles

**Fire Decomposition:** Carbon dioxide, and if combustion is incomplete, carbon monoxide and smoke. Nitrogen, and under some circumstances, oxides of nitrogen. Water.

**Polymerisation:** This product is unlikely to undergo polymerisation processes.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

The ingredients are not listed as carcinogenic. Studies have shown that this product and its ingredients is not Teratogenic. It does not significantly increase the incidence of non-heritable birth defects in offspring.

LD<sub>50</sub> Oral (Rat) = 940mg/kg

LD<sub>50</sub> Oral (Mouse) = 603mg/kg

LD<sub>50</sub> Dermal (Rat) >3100mg/kg

LC<sub>50</sub> Inhalation (Rat) >3000mg/L/4hr

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

### Aquatic Toxicity

Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Avoid release to the environment.

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

**Disposal:** Normally suitable for disposal at approved land waste site. Instructions for the disposal of containers is found on the product label.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

**ADG Code:** This product is not classified as a Dangerous Good. No special transport conditions are necessary unless required by other regulations.

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

**AICS:** All of the significant ingredients in this formulation are to be found in the public AICS Database. Copper Oxychloride is mentioned in the SUSDP.

## Section 16 - Other Information

**This MSDS contains only safety-related information. For other data see product literature.**

### Acronyms:

<b>ADG Code</b>	Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail
<b>AICS</b>	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
<b>ASCC</b>	National Occupational Health and Safety Commission
<b>CAS number</b>	Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number
<b>Hazchem Number</b>	Emergency action code of numbers and letters that provide information to emergency services especially fire-fighters
<b>IARC</b>	International Agency for Research on Cancer
<b>NOS</b>	Not otherwise specified
<b>NTP</b>	National Toxicology Program (USA)
<b>R-Phrase</b>	Risk Phrase
<b>SUSDP</b>	Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs & Poisons
<b>UN Number</b>	United Nations Number

*THIS MSDS SUMMARISES OUR BEST KNOWLEDGE OF THE HEALTH AND SAFETY HAZARD INFORMATION OF THE PRODUCT AND HOW TO SAFELY HANDLE AND USE THE PRODUCT IN THE WORKPLACE. EACH USER MUST REVIEW THIS MSDS IN THE CONTEXT OF HOW THE PRODUCT WILL BE HANDLED AND USED IN THE WORKPLACE.*

*IF CLARIFICATION OR FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED TO ENSURE THAT AN APPROPRIATE RISK ASSESSMENT CAN BE MADE, THE USER SHOULD CONTACT THIS COMPANY SO WE CAN ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM OUR SUPPLIERS. OUR RESPONSIBILITY FOR PRODUCTS SOLD IS SUBJECT TO OUR STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS, A COPY OF WHICH IS SENT TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND IS ALSO AVAILABLE ON REQUEST.*

Please read all labels carefully before using product.

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