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# Safety Data Sheet

## Poncho 600 Seed Treatment

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### 1. Identification

**Product identifier used on the label**

**Poncho 600 Seed Treatment**

**Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use**

Recommended use\*: crop protection product, insecticide

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**Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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**Emergency telephone number**

24 Hour Emergency Response Information

CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

BASF HOTLINE: 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

**Other means of identification**

Substance number:	895733
Registration number:	EPA Registration number: 7969-458
Synonyms:	Clothianidin

### 2. Hazards Identification

According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200

**Classification of the product**

Acute Tox.	4 (oral)	Acute toxicity
STOT SE	2	Specific target organ toxicity — single exposure
Aquatic Acute	1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute

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Aquatic Chronic

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Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic

### Label elements

Pictogram:



Signal Word:  
Warning

Hazard Statement:

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H371	May cause damage to organs (Nervous system).
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements (Prevention):

P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P260	Do not breathe mist or vapour.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P264	Wash contaminated body parts thoroughly after handling.

Precautionary Statements (Response):

P301 + P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P330	Rinse mouth.
P391	Collect spillage.

Precautionary Statements (Storage):

P405	Store locked up.
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Precautionary Statements (Disposal):

P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.
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### Hazards not otherwise classified

Labeling of special preparations (GHS):

Product contains the following components and may cause an allergic skin reaction: The substance may cause sensitization of the skin in particularly sensitive individuals. Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses. mixture of: 5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (3:1), 1,2-benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one

## 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

**According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200**

Clothianidin

CAS Number: 210880-92-5

Content (W/W): 47.5 %

Synonym: Guanidine, N-[(2-chloro-5-thiazolyl)methyl]-N'-methyl-N''-nitro-, [C(E)]-

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glycerol

CAS Number: 56-81-5

Content (W/W): 5.0 - 10.0%

Synonym: 1,2,3-Propanetriol; Glycerol

Alcohols, C12-15, ethoxylated

CAS Number: 68131-39-5

Content (W/W):  $\geq 0.3$  -  $< 1.0\%$

Synonym: (POLYMER) Alcohols, C12-15, ethoxylated

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## 4. First-Aid Measures

### Description of first aid measures

#### General advice:

First aid providers should wear personal protective equipment to prevent exposure. Remove contaminated clothing. Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. In case of intoxication, call a poison control center or physician for treatment advice, taking the packaging or the label of the product.

#### If inhaled:

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air, seek medical attention.

#### If on skin:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water

#### If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open, consult an eye specialist.

#### If swallowed:

Rinse mouth and then drink 200-300 ml of water. Do not induce vomiting. Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if the victim is unconscious or having convulsions. Immediate medical attention required.

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

Symptoms: Information, i.e. additional information on symptoms and effects may be included in the GHS labeling phrases available in Section 2 and in the Toxicological assessments available in Section 11., (Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far

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

#### Note to physician

Treatment:

Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known specific antidote.

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## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

### Extinguishing media

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Suitable extinguishing media:  
water spray, dry powder, foam, carbon dioxide

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:  
water jet

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards during fire-fighting:  
carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, Hydrogen chloride, nitrogen oxides, silica compounds, halogenated compounds, sulfur oxides  
The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

### Advice for fire-fighters

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:  
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical-protective clothing.

### Further information:

Evacuate area of all unnecessary personnel. Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not allow to enter drains or waterways.

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## 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Do not breathe vapour/spray. Use personal protective clothing. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

### Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Dike spillage. Pick up with suitable absorbent material. Place into suitable containers for reuse or disposal in a licensed facility. Spilled substance/product should be recovered and applied according to label rates whenever possible. If application of spilled substance/product is not possible, then spills should be contained, solidified, and placed in suitable containers for disposal. After decontamination, spill area can be washed with water. Collect wash water for approved disposal.

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## 7. Handling and Storage

### Precautions for safe handling

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL BLENDING, AND PACKAGING WORKERS. PESTICIDE APPLICATORS & WORKERS must refer to the Product Label and Directions for Use attached to the product for Agricultural Use Requirements in accordance with the EPA Worker Protection Standard 40 CFR part 170. Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide good ventilation of working area (local exhaust ventilation if necessary). Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep container tightly sealed. Protect against heat. Protect contents from the effects of light. Protect from air. Handle and open container with care. Do not open until ready to use. Once container is opened, content should be used as soon as possible. Avoid aerosol formation. Provide means for controlling leaks and spills. Do not return residues to the storage containers. Follow label warnings even after container is emptied. The substance/ product may be handled only by appropriately trained personnel. Avoid all direct contact with the

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substance/product. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of dusts/mists/vapours. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment.

Protection against fire and explosion:

The relevant fire protection measures should be noted. Fire extinguishers should be kept handy.

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear.

Avoid extreme heat. Keep away from oxidizable substances. Electrical equipment should conform to national electric code. Ground all transfer equipment properly to prevent electrostatic discharge.

Electrostatic discharge may cause ignition.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

Further information on storage conditions: Protect product from freezing temperatures. Keep only in the original container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from ignition sources, heat or flame. Protect containers from physical damage. Protect against contamination.

Storage stability:

Storage temperature: > -10 - < 40 °C

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Users of a pesticidal product should refer to the product label for personal protective equipment requirements.

### Components with occupational exposure limits

glycerol

OSHA Z1: PEL 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Total dust ;  
OSHA Z1: PEL 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction ;

Guanidine, N-[(2-chloro-5-thiazolyl)methyl]-N'-methyl-N''-nitro-, [C(E)]-

TWA value 1.56 mg/m<sup>3</sup> ; BASF expert judgement  
ACGIH, US: TWA value 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Inhalable fraction ;

### Advice on system design:

Whenever possible, engineering controls should be used to minimize the need for personal protective equipment.

### Personal protective equipment

#### RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL BLENDING, AND PACKAGING WORKERS:

#### Respiratory protection:

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) TC23C Chemical/Mechanical type filter system to remove a combination of particles, gas and vapours. For situations where the airborne concentrations may exceed the level for which an air purifying respirator is effective, or where the levels are unknown or Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH), use NIOSH-certified full facepiece pressure demand self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) or a full facepiece pressure demand supplied-air respirator (SAR) with escape provisions.

#### Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves, Protective glove selection must be based on the user's assessment of the workplace hazards.

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### Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Wear face shield or tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles) if splashing hazard exists.

### Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen depending on activity and possible exposure, e.g. head protection, apron, protective boots, chemical-protection suit.

### General safety and hygiene measures:

Wear long sleeved work shirt and long work pants in addition to other stated personal protective equipment. Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye wash. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Personal protective equipment should be decontaminated prior to reuse. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks). Remove contaminated clothing. Store work clothing separately. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. No eating, drinking, smoking or tobacco use at the place of work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	liquid
Odour:	characteristic
Odour threshold:	Not determined since harmful by inhalation.
Colour:	white to light beige
pH value:	approx. 5.0 - 7.0 ( 100 %(m), 23 °C)
Melting point:	The product has not been tested.
Boiling point:	The product has not been tested.
Flash point:	> 100 °C
Flammability:	not applicable
Lower explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.
Upper explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.
Autoignition:	Based on the water content the product does not ignite.
Vapour pressure:	approx. < 0.0000001 hPa ( 25 °C) The data given are those of the active ingredient.
Density:	approx. 1.25 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ( 20 °C)
Vapour density:	not applicable
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	not applicable
Thermal decomposition:	No decomposition if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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Viscosity, dynamic:	400 - 650 mPa.s ( 20 °C)
Solubility in water:	miscible
Evaporation rate:	not applicable
Other Information:	If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is indicated in this section.

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## 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Reactivity

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Oxidizing properties:

Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.

### Chemical stability

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

### Conditions to avoid

See SDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

### Incompatible materials

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents

### Hazardous decomposition products

Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Thermal decomposition:

No decomposition if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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## 11. Toxicological information

### Primary routes of exposure

Routes of entry for solids and liquids are ingestion and inhalation, but may include eye or skin contact. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquefied gases.

### Acute Toxicity/Effects

#### Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity: Of moderate toxicity after single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation.

#### Oral

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat (female)

Value: 2,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 423)

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### Inhalation

Type of value: LC50

Species: rat (male/female)

Value: > 2.6 mg/l (OECD Guideline 403)

Exposure time: 4 h

An aerosol was tested.

No mortality was observed.

### Dermal

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat (male/female)

Value: > 4,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 402)

No mortality was observed.

### Assessment other acute effects

Assessment of STOT single:

A single exposure may have relevant toxic effects on organs.

Target organ: Nervous system

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

### Irritation / corrosion

Assessment of irritating effects: Not irritating to eyes and skin.

### Skin

Species: rabbit

Result: non-irritant

Method: OECD Guideline 404

### Eye

Species: rabbit

Result: non-irritant

Method: OECD Guideline 405

### Sensitization

Assessment of sensitization: No sensitizing effect.

The product contains 1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one (CAS-No.: 2634-33-5). The substance may cause sensitization of the skin in particularly sensitive individuals. Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

### Aspiration Hazard

not applicable

## **Chronic Toxicity/Effects**

### Repeated dose toxicity

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

### Genetic toxicity

Assessment of mutagenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Mutagenicity tests revealed no genotoxic potential.



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### Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of various animal studies gave no indication of a carcinogenic effect.

### Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

### Teratogenicity

Assessment of teratogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Animal studies gave no indication of a developmental toxic effect at doses that were not toxic to the parental animals.

### Other Information

Misuse can be harmful to health.

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## 12. Ecological Information

### **Toxicity**

#### Aquatic toxicity

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

#### Toxicity to fish

*Information on: Clothianidin*

*LC50 (96 h) > 104.2 mg/l, Oncorhynchus mykiss (OECD Guideline 203, static)*

#### Aquatic invertebrates

*Information on: Clothianidin*

*EC50 (48 h) 26 mg/l, Daphnia magna (OPP 72-2 (EPA-guideline), static)*

*EC50 (48 h) 0.029 mg/l, Chironomus riparius (static)*

#### Aquatic plants

*Information on: Clothianidin*

*EC50 (72 h) > 120 mg/l (growth rate), Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (static)*

*No observed effect concentration (72 h) 15 mg/l (growth rate), Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (static)*

*EC50 (14 d) > 121 mg/l, Lemna gibba (other, semistatic)*

*No observed effect concentration (14 d) 59 mg/l, Lemna gibba (other, semistatic)*

#### Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

*Information on: Clothianidin*

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*No observed effect concentration (21 d) 0.12 mg/l, Daphnia magna (OECD Guideline 211, semistatic)*

*EC10 (28 d) 0.0004 mg/l, Chironomus riparius (other, static)*

### Persistence and degradability

#### Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H2O)

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

#### Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H2O)

*Information on: Clothianidin*

*Not readily biodegradable (by OECD criteria).*

### Bioaccumulative potential

#### Assessment bioaccumulation potential

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

#### Assessment bioaccumulation potential

*Information on: Clothianidin*

### Mobility in soil

#### Assessment transport between environmental compartments

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

*Information on: Clothianidin*

*Following exposure to soil, the product trickles away and can - dependant on degradation - be transported to deeper soil areas with larger water loads.*

### Additional information

Other ecotoxicological advice:

Do not discharge product into the environment without control.

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## 13. Disposal considerations

### **Waste disposal of substance:**

Pesticide wastes are regulated. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mix or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If pesticide wastes cannot be disposed of according to label instructions, contact the State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

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### Container disposal:

Rinse thoroughly at least three times (triple rinse) in accordance with EPA recommendations. Consult state or local disposal authorities for approved alternative procedures such as container recycling. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers.

## 14. Transport Information

### Land transport

USDOT

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

### Sea transport

IMDG

Hazard class: 9

Packing group: III

ID number: UN 3082

Hazard label: 9, EHSM

Marine pollutant: YES

Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains CLOTHIANIDIN SOLUTION)

### Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class: 9

Packing group: III

ID number: UN 3082

Hazard label: 9, EHSM

Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains CLOTHIANIDIN SOLUTION)

### Further information

Product may be shipped as non-hazardous in suitable packages containing a net quantity of 5 L or less under the provisions of various regulatory agencies: ADR, RID, ADN: Special Provision 375; IMDG: 2.10.2.7; IATA: A197; TDG: Special Provision 99(2); 49CFR: §171.4 (c) (2) and also the Special Provision 375 in Appendix B which is regulated in China "Regulations Concerning Road Transportation of Dangerous Goods Part 3: Index of dangerous goods name and transportation requirements" (JT/T 617.3)

## 15. Regulatory Information

### Federal Regulations

#### Registration status:

Crop Protection TSCA, US released / exempt

**EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories):** Refer to SDS section 2 for GHS hazard classes applicable for this product.

CERCLA RQ

CAS Number

Chemical name

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1000 LBS	1310-73-2; 100-41-4	Sodium Hydroxide; ethylbenzene
100 LBS	1330-20-7	Xylene

### **State regulations**

<b><u>State RTK</u></b>	<b><u>CAS Number</u></b>	<b><u>Chemical name</u></b>
NJ	56-81-5	glycerol
	57-55-6	Propylene glycol
PA	56-81-5	glycerol
	57-55-6	Propylene glycol

### **Safe Drinking Water & Toxic Enforcement Act, CA Prop. 65:**

#### **BASF Risk Assessment, CA Prop. 65:**

Based on an evaluation of the product's composition and the use(s), this product does not require a California Proposition 65 Warning.

### **Labeling requirements under FIFRA**

This chemical is a pesticide product regulated by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label.

CAUTION:

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Hazards to humans and domestic animals.

HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking and using tobacco.

Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

## **16. Other Information**

### **SDS Prepared by:**

BASF Agricultural Solutions US NA Product Regulations

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We support worldwide Responsible Care® initiatives. We value the health and safety of our employees, customers, suppliers and neighbors, and the protection of the environment. Our commitment to Responsible Care is integral to conducting our business and operating our facilities in a safe and environmentally responsible fashion, supporting our customers and suppliers in ensuring the safe and environmentally sound handling of our products, and minimizing the impact of our operations on society and the environment during production, storage, transport, use and disposal of our products.

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