

# VETPAK SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Section 1: Identification of the Substance or Mixture and of the Supplier

**Product Name:** **Vetmins 3**

**Recommended Use:** A ready-to-use daily liquid mineral supplement for dairy cows.

**Company Details:** Vetpak Ltd.

**Address:** 249 Bruce Berquist Dr, Te Awamutu 3800.

**Telephone Number:** (07) 870 2024

**Emergency Telephone Number: (0800) 764-766 24 hours.** National Poisons Centre, Department of Preventative and Social Medicine, University of Otago, P O Box 913, Dunedin, New Zealand.  
**(07) 870 2024** Vetpak. 8.00am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday except public holidays.

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## Section 2: Hazards Identification

### STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE

**This product is HAZARDOUS IN THIS FORM AND AT THIS STRENGTH.**

Handle correctly and as directed by this SDS.

### HAZARD LABELLING WARNING



### HAZARD CLASSIFICATION AND STATEMENTS

HSNO	HSNO	GHS	Signal Word	GHS Hazard Statement
9.1D	Slightly harmful to aquatic environment	Category 3		H413 May cause long-lasting harmful effects to aquatic life

### Prevention Statements:

P273: Avoid release to the environment.

## Section 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients:

### COMPOSITION

Ingredient	CAS Number	% w/w	HAZARDOUS
Water (micro-filtered)	7732-18-5	>60	No
Copper Chelate	14025-15-1	<1	Yes 6.1E; 6.3A; 6.4A; 6.5B; 6.7B; 6.8B; 6.9A; 9.1B
Zinc Chelate	14025-21-9	<1	Yes 6.1D; 9.3C
Cobalt Chelate	15137-09-04	<1	Yes 6.1D; 6.3A; 6.4A; 6.5B; 6.7B; 6.8B; 6.9A; 9.1A; 9.3B
Sodium Selenate	13410-01-0	<1	Yes 6.1B; 6.4A; 6.6B; 6.9A; 9.1A; 9.2A; 9.3A
Potassium Iodide	7681-11-0	<1	Yes 6.5B; 9.1B

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## Section 4: First Aid Measures:

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**Swallowed:** Give 3 to 4 glasses water. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITTING. Seek medical attention if necessary

**Skin:** Rinse skin with plenty of water.

**Eye:** Rinse eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**Inhaled:** Not normally a problem.

**Workplace Facilities:** Eye bath and running water.

**Notes for Medical Personnel:** Treat symptomatically.

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## Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

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**Type of Hazard:** Not flammable.

**Fire Hazard Properties:** Contain runoff from fire control or dilution water - runoff may pollute waterways.

**Extinguishing Media & Methods:** Use appropriate extinguishing media most suitable for surrounding fire conditions.

**Recommended Protective Clothing:** Wear protective clothing and breathing apparatus.

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## Section 6: Accidental Release Methods

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**Emergency Procedures:** Personnel involved in the clean up should wear full protective clothing. Increase ventilation. Contain spill if safe to do so. DO NOT let product reach drains or waterways. If product does enter a waterway, advise local and regional authorities.

**Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean up.** Contain and sweep/shovel up spills with binding material. Transfer to a suitable, labeled container and hold for safe disposal.

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## Section 7: Handling and Storage

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**Handling:** Ensure an eye bath and running water are available and ready for use. Observe good personal hygiene practices and recommended procedures. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Storage:** Store in the original, labelled container with the lid tightly closed, in a cool dry, well ventilated area, out of direct sunlight.

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## Section 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

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**Ventilation requirements:** No specific requirements.

**Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):** RESPIRATORY: None. EYE/FACE: Chemical goggles. HAND: Impervious gloves. SKIN/BODY: Overalls, safety shoes.



**General hygiene:** Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke while handling the product.

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## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

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**Appearance (physical state, colour etc.):** Blue liquid.

**Odour:** Metallic

**pH:**

**Melting Point/Freezing Point (°C):**

**Boiling Point (°C):** approximately

**Flash Point (°C):**

**Flammability:** Not flammable

**Lower Flammability/Explosive Limit:**

**Upper Flammability/Explosive Limit:**

**Auto-ignition Temperature (°C):**

**Vapour Pressure:**

**Vapour Density:**

**Relative Density:**

**Solubility in Water:** Soluble.

**Specific Gravity:** 1.12 (water = 1)

**Viscosity:**

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## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

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**Stability of the Substance:** Stable under normal conditions of storage and temperature.

**Conditions to avoid:** High temperatures.

**Material to avoid:** Contact with strong alkalis and or reactive metals such as aluminium and copper.

**Hazardous decomposition Products:** High temperatures may result in formation of nitrogen oxides.

**Hazardous polymerization:** Does not occur.

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## Section 11: Toxicological Information

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**Acute Effects:**

**Swallowed:** May be harmful if large volumes swallowed.

**Skin:** May irritate the skin.

**Eye:** May irritate the eyes.

**Inhaled:** Inhalation of mist/vapours may cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Chronic Effects:** Chronic ingestion of iodides may produce iodism which may be characterised by skin rash, running nose, headaches, and irritation of mucus membranes.

**Chronic Toxicity:**

**Irritation/Corrosion:** Skin allergy and irritation

**Carcinogenic Effects:** Not known

**Mutagenic Effects:** Not suspected of causing genetic defects

**Reproductive or developmental effects:** May cause damage through prolonged dermal exposure

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## Section 12: Ecological Information

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**Potential Environmental Considerations:** May be harmful to aquatic life

**Ecotoxicity in water:**

**Chronic:** No Data

**Phytotoxicity:** No Data

**Persistence and Degradability:** No Data

**Mobility:** No Data

**Bioaccumulation:** No Data

**BOD and COD:** No Data

**Products of Biodegradation:** No Data

**Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:** No Data

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## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

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**Disposal Information:** Triple rinse container to use. Crush and dispose of in a landfill area in accordance with local government regulations. Recycle container if appropriate. Do not contaminate lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters by discharge of waste effluents or equipment wash waters.

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## Section 14: Transport Information

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**Hazard Class:** 9.1D

**UN Number:**

**Packing Group:**

**Hazchem Code:**

**Land Transport:** Check regulations

**Sea Transport:** Check regulations

**Air Transport:** Check regulations

**Other Information:**

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## Section 15: Regulatory Information

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**HSNO Approval Number:** N/A

**HSNO Classifications:**

9.1D (Aquatic ecotoxic)

**Regulatory status:** This product is exempt from registration, being an oral nutritional compound compliant with S4 of the ACVM regulations 2001.

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## Section 16: Other Information

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### Interpretation and Abbreviations

Controls applying to a substance:

- \* denotes that changes have been made to these controls, further information on these changes is located in the transfer notice for that substance,
- ( R ) abbreviation for the term Regulation of the Hazardous Substances regulations

AICS – Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

AOX – Absorbable organic halogens.

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APF – Assigned Protection Factor.  
BOD – Biochemical Oxygen Demand China  
COD – Chemical Oxygen Demand  
DSL – Canadian Domestic Substances List.  
EINECS – European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.  
ENCS – Japanese Existing and New Chemical substances.  
IARC – International Agency for Research on Cancer.  
IDLH – Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations.  
ISHL – Japanese Industrial Safety and Health Law List of Chemicals.  
LOEL – Lowest Observed Effect Level.  
LD<sub>Lo</sub> – Lethal Dose Low (the lowest dosage per unit of bodyweight of a substance known to have resulted in fatality in a particular animal species).  
MAK – Maximum workplace concentration in the workplace air that generally does not have known adverse effects on the health of the employee nor cause unreasonable annoyance when a person is repeatedly exposed during long periods, usually 8 hours daily, 40hour working week).  
NOAA – National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.  
NOEC – No Observed Effect Concentration.  
NTP – National Toxicology Program.  
NZIoC – New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.  
OECD HPV – The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Product Volume Chemicals.  
PEL – Permissible exposure limit.  
PPE – Personal Protective Equipment.  
Prop 65 – California Proposition 65 List of Chemicals.  
RTECS – Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical substances  
STEL – Short term exposure limit.  
TOC – Total Organic Carbon.  
TSCA – US Toxic Substances Control Act Existing Chemicals.  
TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week over an entire working life.  
VOC – Volatile Organic Compounds.

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**Sources of key data used to compile the datasheet:**

Manufacturers SDS  
NZ EPA CCID  
Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017  
Hazardous Substances (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) Notice 2017  
Hazardous Substances (Safety Data Sheets Notice 2017  
Hazardous Substances (Classification) Notice 2017  
Labelling of Hazardous Substances Technical Guide 2012

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