

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product Identifier

**Material Name:** West Nile Innovator + VEWT

**Trade Name:** WEST NILE-INNOVATOR® + VEWT  
**Chemical Family:** Mixture

### Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

**Intended Use:** Veterinary Vaccine  
**Restrictions on Use:** Not for human use

### Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Appearance:** Reddish white liquid

### Classification of the Substance or Mixture

**GHS - Classification** Not classified as hazardous

### EU Classification:

EU Indication of danger: Not classified

### Label Elements

**Signal Word:** Not Classified

**Hazard Statements:** Not classified in accordance with international standards for workplace safety.

### Other Hazards

**Short Term:** In the event of accidental injection, an allergic reaction may occur. If an allergic reaction occurs, the worker should be removed to the nearest emergency room and the appropriate therapy instituted. This product is an oil-adjuvanted suspension. Oil-adjuvant containing products may cause severe vasospasm following accidental injection. May be harmful if swallowed. May cause eye and skin irritation

**Australian Hazard Classification (NOHSC):** Non-Hazardous Substance. Non-Dangerous Goods.

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**Note:** This document has been prepared in accordance with standards for workplace safety, which require the inclusion of all known hazards of the product or its ingredients regardless of the potential risk. The precautionary statements and warnings included may not apply in all cases. Your needs may vary depending upon the potential for exposure in your workplace.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Hazardous**

Ingredient	CAS Number	EU EINECS/ELINCS List	EU Classification	GHS Classification	%
Thimerosal	54-64-8	200-210-4	T+; R26/27/28 R33 N;R50/53	Acute Tox. 2 (H300) STOT RE 2 (H373) Acute Tox. 2 (H330)	##
Polymyxin B	1404-26-8	215-768-4	Xn;R22 Xn;R42/43	Acute Tox. 4 (H302) Skin Sens. 1 (H317) Resp Sens. 1 (H334)	##
Neomycin sulfate	1405-10-3	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	##
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	200-001-8	T; R23/24/25 C; R34 Carc.Cat.3; R40 R43	Acute Tox. 3 (H301) Skin Corr. 1B (H314) Skin Sens. 1 (H317) Carc. 2 (H351) Acute Tox. 3 (H331)	##

Ingredient	CAS Number	EU EINECS/ELINCS List	EU Classification	GHS Classification	%
EASTERN EQUINE ENCEPHALOMYELITIS	Not Assigned	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
WESTERN EQUINE ENCEPHALOMYELITIS	Not Assigned	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis	Not Assigned	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
West Nile Virus, killed	Not assigned	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
Tetanus toxoid	93384-51-1	297-262-3	Not Listed	Not Listed	*

**Additional Information:** ## Trace  
\* Proprietary  
Ingredient(s) indicated as hazardous have been assessed under standards for workplace safety.

**For the full text of the R phrases and CLP/GHS abbreviations mentioned in this Section, see Section 16**

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Description of First Aid Measures**

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- Eye Contact:** Flush with water while holding eyelids open for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention immediately.
- Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Flush area with large amounts of water. Use soap. Seek medical attention.
- Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. Seek medical attention immediately.
- Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep patient at rest. Seek medical attention immediately.

#### Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

- Symptoms and Effects of Exposure:** No data available
- Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** None known

#### Indication of the Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

- Notes to Physician:** Where parenteral oil-adjuvanted vaccine exposure has occurred, the patient should be promptly evaluated for the development of vasospasm and/or compartment syndrome.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media:** Extinguish fires with CO2, extinguishing powder, foam, or water.

#### Special Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

- Hazardous Combustion Products:** Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or fire.
- Fire / Explosion Hazards:** Fine particles (such as dust and mists) may fuel fires/explosions.

#### Advice for Fire-Fighters

During all fire fighting activities, wear appropriate protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personnel involved in clean-up should wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Minimize exposure.

#### Environmental Precautions

Place waste in an appropriately labeled, sealed container for disposal. Care should be taken to avoid environmental release.

#### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

- Measures for Cleaning / Collecting:** Contain the source of spill if it is safe to do so. Collect spill with absorbent material. Clean spill area thoroughly.
- Additional Consideration for Large Spills:** Non-essential personnel should be evacuated from affected area. Report emergency situations immediately. Clean up operations should only be undertaken by trained personnel.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for Safe Handling

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### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Avoid accidental injection. Use with adequate ventilation. Minimize generating airborne mists and vapors. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. When handling, use appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Wash thoroughly after handling. Releases to the environment should be avoided. Review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure or environmental releases. Potential points of process emissions of this material to the atmosphere should be controlled with dust collectors, HEPA filtration systems or other equivalent controls.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions:** Store as directed by product packaging.  
**Storage Temperature:** 2-7°C. Do not freeze.  
**Incompatible Materials:** This material can be denatured or inactivated by a variety of organic solvents, salts or heavy metals.

**Specific end use(s):** No data available

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control Parameters

Refer to available public information for specific member state Occupational Exposure Limits.

#### Neomycin sulfate

Zoetis OEL TWA 8-hr 100µg/m<sup>3</sup>, Sensitizer

#### Formaldehyde

ACGIH Ceiling Threshold Limit:	0.3 ppm
ACGIH - Sensitizer Designation	Sensitizer
Australia STEL	2 ppm
	2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Australia TWA	1 ppm
	1.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Austria OEL - MAKs	0.5 ppm
	0.6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Bulgaria OEL - TWA	1.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Czech Republic OEL - TWA	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Estonia OEL - TWA	0.5 ppm
	0.6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Finland OEL - TWA	0.3 ppm
	0.37 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
France OEL - TWA	0.5 ppm
Germany (DFG) - MAK	0.3 ppm
	0.37 mg/m <sup>3</sup> no irritation should occur during mixed exposure
Greece OEL - TWA	2 ppm
	2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Hungary OEL - TWA	0.6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Ireland OEL - TWAs	2 ppm
	2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Japan - OELs - Ceilings	0.2 ppm
	0.24 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Latvia OEL - TWA	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Lithuania OEL - TWA	0.5 ppm
	0.6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Netherlands OEL - TWA	0.15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Vietnam OEL - TWAs	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
OSHA - Final PELs - TWAs:	0.75 ppm

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OSHA - Specifically Regulated Chemicals	2 ppm 0.5 ppm 0.75 ppm
Poland OEL - TWA	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Romania OEL - TWA	1 ppm 1.20 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Slovakia OEL - TWA	0.3 ppm 0.37 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Slovenia OEL - TWA	0.5 ppm 0.62 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Sweden OEL - TWAs	0.3 ppm 0.37 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Switzerland OEL -TWAs	0.3 ppm 0.37 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

The purpose of the Occupational Exposure Band (OEB) classification system is to separate substances into different Hazard categories when the available data are sufficient to do so, but inadequate to establish an Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL). The OEB given is based upon an analysis of all currently available data; as such, this value may be subject to revision when new information becomes available.

#### Polymyxin B

##### Zoetis OEB

OEB 2 - Sensitizer (control exposure to the range of 100ug/m<sup>3</sup> to < 1000ug/m<sup>3</sup>, provide additional precautions to protect from skin contact)

#### Exposure Controls

##### Engineering Controls:

Engineering controls should be used as the primary means to control exposures. General room ventilation is adequate unless the process generates dust, mist or fumes. Keep air contamination levels below the exposure limits or within the OEB range listed above in this section.

##### Personal Protective Equipment:

Refer to applicable national standards and regulations in the selection and use of personal protective equipment (PPE).

##### Hands:

Impervious gloves are recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

##### Eyes:

Wear safety glasses or goggles if eye contact is possible.

##### Skin:

Impervious protective clothing is recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

##### Respiratory protection:

If the applicable Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) is exceeded, wear an appropriate respirator with a protection factor sufficient to control exposures to below the OEL.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State:</b>	Opaque liquid	<b>Color:</b>	Reddish white
<b>Odor:</b>	Odorless	<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	No data available.
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	Mixture	<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	Mixture
<b>Solvent Solubility:</b>	No data available		
<b>Water Solubility:</b>	Soluble		
<b>pH:</b>	6-8		
<b>Melting/Freezing Point (°C):</b>	No data available		
<b>Boiling Point (°C):</b>	No data available.		
<b>Partition Coefficient: (Method, pH, Endpoint, Value)</b>			
No data available			
<b>Decomposition Temperature (°C):</b>	No data available.		

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Evaporation Rate (Gram/s): No data available  
Vapor Pressure (kPa): No data available  
Vapor Density (g/ml): No data available  
Relative Density: No data available  
Viscosity: No data available

### Flammability:

Autoignition Temperature (Solid) (°C): No data available  
Flammability (Solids): No data available  
Flash Point (Liquid) (°C): Non-flammable  
Upper Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available  
Lower Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available

Polymerization: Will not occur

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: No data available  
Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions of use.  
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions  
Oxidizing Properties: None  
Conditions to Avoid: Fine particles (such as dust and mists) may fuel fires/explosions.  
Incompatible Materials: This material can be denatured or inactivated by a variety of organic solvents, salts or heavy metals.  
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Thermal decomposition products may include carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and other toxic vapors.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on Toxicological Effects

**General Information:** Toxicological properties of the formulation have not been investigated. The information included in this section describes the potential hazards of the individual ingredients. The antigens included in this product are non-infectious. All have been prepared from killed or inactivated preparations of microorganisms.

### Acute Toxicity: (Species, Route, End Point, Dose)

#### Thimerosal

Rat Oral LD50 75 mg/kg  
Mouse Oral LD50 91 mg/kg  
Rat Subcutaneous LD50 98mg/kg

#### Polymyxin B

Mouse Oral LD50 790 mg/kg  
Mouse Para-periosteal LD50 3980ug/kg  
Rat Subcutaneous LD50 50mg/kg

#### Formaldehyde

Rat Oral LD50 800 mg/kg

### Irritation / Sensitization: (Study Type, Species, Severity)

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#### Thimerosal

Eye Irritation Rabbit Mild

#### Formaldehyde

Eye Irritation Rabbit Severe

Skin Irritation Rabbit Moderate Severe

**Skin Irritation / Sensitization** This product contains formaldehyde and merthiolate which are considered to be skin sensitizers.

#### Repeated Dose Toxicity: (Duration, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Target Organ)

##### Formaldehyde

90 Day(s) Dog Inhalation Not Specified Lungs  
90 Day(s) Rat Inhalation Not Specified Lungs  
90 Day(s) Monkey Inhalation Not Specified Lungs  
9 Day(s) Rat Inhalation 15 ppm LOAEL Respiratory system

#### Reproduction & Development Toxicity: (Duration, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Effect(s))

##### Formaldehyde

Embryo / Fetal Development Mouse Oral 185 mg/kg/day Not teratogenic, Maternal toxicity  
Embryo / Fetal Development Rat Inhalation 40 ppm Not Teratogenic, Maternal Toxicity

#### Genetic Toxicity: (Study Type, Cell Type/Organism, Result)

##### Polymyxin B

*In Vitro* Negative  
*In Vivo* Negative

##### Formaldehyde

*In Vitro* Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames) Bacteria Positive  
*In Vitro* Chromosome Aberration Rodent Positive  
*In Vitro* Sister Chromatid Exchange Rodent Positive  
*In Vivo* Chromosome Aberration Not specified Positive

#### Carcinogenicity: (Duration, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Effect(s))

##### Formaldehyde

2 Year(s) Rat Inhalation 6 ppm LOAEL Tumors  
2 Year(s) Mouse Inhalation 15 ppm LOAEL Tumors

#### Carcinogen Status:

None of the components present in this material at concentrations equal to or greater than 0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA, or ACGIH as a carcinogen.

##### Formaldehyde

**IARC:** Group 1 (Carcinogenic to Humans)  
**NTP:** Known Human Carcinogen  
**OSHA:** Listed

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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Environmental Overview:</b>	The environmental characteristics of this material have not been fully evaluated. Releases to the environment should be avoided.
<b>Toxicity:</b>	No data available
<b>Persistence and Degradability:</b>	No data available
<b>Bio-accumulative Potential:</b>	No data available
<b>Mobility in Soil:</b>	No data available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<b>Waste Treatment Methods:</b>	Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Member State specific and Community specific provisions must be considered. Considering the relevant known environmental and human health hazards of the material, review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure and environmental release. It is recommended that waste minimization be practiced. The best available technology should be utilized to prevent environmental releases. This may include destructive techniques for waste and wastewater. This product contains trace quantities of mercury and may qualify as a RCRA Hazardous Waste. Status should be confirmed using the EPA Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP).
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#### Formaldehyde

RCRA - U Series Wastes

Listed

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The following refers to all modes of transportation unless specified below.

Not regulated for transport under USDOT, EUADR, IATA, or IMDG regulations.

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture

#### Canada - WHMIS: Classifications

##### WHMIS hazard class:

Non-controlled

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.



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#### EASTERN EQUINE ENCEPHALOMYELITIS

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

#### WESTERN EQUINE ENCEPHALOMYELITIS

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

#### Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

#### West Nile Virus, killed

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

#### Tetanus toxoid

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Standard for the Uniform Scheduling for Drugs and Poisons:	Schedule 4
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	297-262-3

#### Thimerosal

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)	Present
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	200-210-4

#### Polymyxin B

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	215-768-4

#### Neomycin sulfate

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	developmental toxicity initial date 10/1/92 internal use
Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)	Present
Australia (AICS):	Present
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

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#### Formaldehyde

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	0.1 %
CERCLA/SARA Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities:	100 lb
CERCLA/SARA - Section 302 Extremely Hazardous TPQs	45.4 kg
CERCLA/SARA - Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances EPCRA RQs	500 lb
California Proposition 65	100 lb
OSHA - Specifically Regulated Chemicals	carcinogen initial date 1/1/88 gas
	2 ppm
	0.5 ppm
	0.75 ppm
Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)	Present
Australia (AICS):	Present
Standard for the Uniform Scheduling for Drugs and Poisons:	Schedule 2
	Schedule 6
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	200-001-8

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### Text of R phrases and GHS Classification abbreviations mentioned in Section 3

Acute toxicity, oral-Cat.2; H300 - Fatal if swallowed  
Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure-Cat.2; H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure  
Acute toxicity, inhalation-Cat.2; H330 - Fatal if inhaled  
Acute toxicity, oral-Cat.4; H302 - Harmful if swallowed  
Sensitization, skin-Cat.1; H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction  
Sensitization, respiratory-Cat.1; H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled  
Acute toxicity, oral-Cat.3; H301 - Toxic if swallowed  
Skin corrosion/irritation-Cat.1B; H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage  
Carcinogenicity-Cat.2; H351 - Suspected of causing cancer  
Acute toxicity, inhalation-Cat.3; H331 - Toxic if inhaled

C - Corrosive  
Carcinogenic: Category 3  
N - Dangerous for the environment  
T+ - Very toxic  
T - Toxic  
Xn - Harmful

R22 - Harmful if swallowed.  
R33 - Danger of cumulative effects.  
R34 - Causes burns.  
R40 - Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect  
R43 - May cause sensitization by skin contact.  
R26/27/28 - Very toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.  
R23/24/25 - Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.  
R42/43 - May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.  
R50/53 - Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**Data Sources:** The data contained in this MSDS may have been gathered from confidential internal sources, raw material suppliers, or from the published literature.

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**Reasons for Revision:** Updated Section 1 - Identification of the Substance/Preparation and the Company/Undertaking.  
Updated Section 2 - Hazard Identification. Updated Section 3 - Composition / Information on  
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**End of Safety Data Sheet**