

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Chorulon<sup>®</sup> 5000 IU

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

Product name	Chorulon 5000 IU
Recommended use	Source of luteinizing hormone for gonadogenesis by injection in horses, cattle, sheep, goat, pig, cat and dog.
Company details	<b>Schering-Plough Animal Health Ltd</b> 33 Whakatiki Street, Upper Hutt 5018, New Zealand  Phone: 0800 800 543 – Fax: 0800 808 100 Website: <a href="http://www.msd-animal-health.co.nz">www.msd-animal-health.co.nz</a> Hours: 8 am – 5 pm, Mon – Fri
Emergency telephone	0800 764 766 (0800 POISON) 24 hours human health 0800 243 622 (0800 CHEMCALL) 24 hours
Date of preparation	April 2019

### Section 2: Hazards Identification

Hazard classifications	6.8B: Reproductive/Developmental toxicant
GHS Pictogram:	
Signal word	Warning
Hazard statement	H361: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child from repeated oral exposure.
Prevention statement	P102: Keep out of the reach of children. P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. P281: Use personal protective equipment as required.
Response statement	P308 + P313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
Storage	P405: Store locked up.
Disposal	P501: Dispose of product, packaging and waste at an approved landfill or other approved facility.

### Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Chemical name	CAS number	Concentration
Human chorionic gonadatrophin	9002 – 61 – 3	5000 I.U.

### Section 4: First Aid Measures

Necessary first aid measures	<b>ACCIDENTAL SELF-INJECTION</b> Obtain medical attention - show this SDS. Accidental self-injection may lead to an inflammatory response and medical advice should be sought on the management of deep injections, particularly those near a joint or associated with bruising. If possible the application of gentle squeezing pressure with absorbent material (e.g. facial tissues) at the injection site will swab up unabsorbed vaccine. Strong squeezing of the site should be avoided. The damaged area should be thoroughly cleansed and a topical antiseptic applied.
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**SKIN CONTACT** While wearing protective gloves, carefully remove any contaminated clothing, including shoes, and wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation or symptoms occur or persist, consult a doctor.

**EYE CONTACT** Immediately rinse eyes thoroughly with plenty of water. If wearing contact lenses, remove only after initial rinse, and continue rinsing eyes for at least 15 minutes. If irritation occurs or persists, consult a doctor.

**INGESTION** Rinse mouth and drink a glass of water. Do not induce vomiting unless under the direction of a qualified medical professional or National Poisons Centre. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

**INHALATION** Remove to fresh air and provide oxygen if necessary. If any trouble breathing, get immediate medical attention. Administer artificial respiration if breathing has ceased. If irritation or symptoms occur or persist, consult a doctor.

<b>Required instructions</b>	For advice contact the National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a doctor.
<b>Notes for medical personnel</b>	Serum Gonadotrophin can influence fertility in humans.
<b>Workplace facilities</b>	Emergency showers and eyewashes may be warranted depending on quantity and type of use.

### Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

<b>Type of hazard</b>	Not classified as flammable.
<b>Fire hazard properties</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Regulatory requirements</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Extinguishing media and methods</b>	Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), extinguishing powder or water spray.
<b>Hazchem code</b>	None allocated.
<b>Recommended protective clothing</b>	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) plus protective gloves.

### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

<b>Personal Precautions</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	Prevent spilled material from flowing onto adjacent land or into streams, ponds, or lakes. Avoid release to the environment
<b>Emergency procedures</b>	Wear chemical resistant gloves and overalls, facemask or goggles. Prevent further spillage. Adsorb spilled product and place in sealable container for disposal. Wash down affected area with water plus detergent. Absorb and collect washings and place in the same sealable container for disposal. Seek advice from the local authority regarding disposal.

**Chorulon® 5000 IU****Section 7: Handling and Storage**

<b>Precautions for safe handling</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and mucosa. Keep containers adequately sealed during material transfer, transport, or when not in use. See Section 8 (Exposure Controls) for additional guidance.
<b>Regulatory requirements</b>	None specified.
<b>Handling practices</b>	Avoid contact with skin. Keep containers adequately sealed during material transfer, transport, or when not in use.
<b>Certified handlers</b>	Not required.
<b>Conditions for safe storage</b>	Store in original container in a cool, dry, ventilated place away from direct heat or direct sunlight. Keep container sealed when not in use. Keep out of reach of children.
<b>Store site requirements</b>	Store below 25°C.
<b>Packaging</b>	Schedule 4

**Section 8: Exposure Control/Personal Protection**

<b>Occupational exposure limits</b>	No WES is set for this substance at this time.
<b>Application in the workplace</b>	Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep container sealed when not in use.
<b>Exposure standards outside the workplace</b>	No TEL is set for this substance at this time No EEL is set for this substance at this time
<b>Personal protection</b>	Wear chemical resistant gloves, facemask or goggles.
<b>Engineering controls</b>	The health hazard risks of handling this material are dependent on many factors, including physical form, duration and frequency of process or task, and effectiveness of engineering controls. Site-specific risk assessments should be conducted to determine the feasibility and the appropriateness of all exposure control measures. Exposure controls for normal operating or routine procedures follow a tiered strategy. Engineering controls are the preferred means of long-term or permanent exposure control. If engineering controls are not feasible, appropriate use of personal protective equipment (PPE) may be considered as alternative control measures. Exposure controls for non-routine operations must be evaluated and addressed as part of the site-specific risk assessment.

**Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Appearance	White to almost white dry lump or powder (freeze-dried product) and clear colourless solution (diluent).
Boiling Point	100°C
Melting/Softening point	Not applicable
Vapour Pressure	Not determined
Specific Gravity	Not determined
Solubility (H <sub>2</sub> O)	Very Soluble

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Percent Volatiles	Not determined
Evaporation Rate	Not determined

### Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

<b>Stability of the substance</b>	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Avoid high temperatures.
<b>Material to avoid</b>	Avoid food products.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	May evolve toxic gases if heated to decomposition.

### Section 11: Toxicological Information

#### Acute effects for individual ingredients only

TEL	No TEL is set for this substance at this time.
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#### Chronic/long term effects for individual ingredients only

Human chorionic gonadotropin is known to increase fertility in women. The effect however is strongly dose dependent. HCG is a glycoprotein and is inactive if taken orally, however with glycoproteins there is always the risk of an anaphylactoid reaction from parenteral use.

### Section 12: Environmental Information

#### Effects for individual ingredients only.

EEL	No EEL is set for this substance at this time.
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### Section 13: Disposal Considerations

<b>Disposal information</b>	<b>Disposal</b> Dispose of unused contents in a suitable landfill. Where possible, dispose of unused product through AgRecovery Chemicals. Avoid contamination of any water source or the environment with product or empty container.  <b>Container Disposal</b> Dispose of empty container by puncturing and burying in a suitable landfill. Where possible, recycle through AgRecovery. Do NOT burn.  <b>Needle Disposal</b> Discarded needles should immediately be placed in a designated and appropriately labelled 'sharps' container.
<b>Reference</b>	Current version of NZS 8409 Management of Agrichemicals

### Section 14: Transport Information

<b>Relevant information</b>	Not classified as a dangerous good for transport
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### Section 15: Regulatory Information

**Regulatory status**

HSNO Approval Code: HSR002234.  
For a full listing of controls see [www.epa.govt.nz](http://www.epa.govt.nz)

ACVM registration number: A002377.  
For conditions of registration see [www.foodsafety.govt.nz](http://www.foodsafety.govt.nz)

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### Section 16: Other Information

**Additional information**

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