



# KOI POND GUIDE



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## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

### *Pond Keeper*

#### Beneficial Pond Bacteria Liquid Formula

#### Section 1 - Identification

TRADE NAME: *Pond Keeper Beneficial Pond Bacteria*

CHEMICAL FAMILY: Microbial Mixture

D.O.T. PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Chemicals not otherwise indexed [NOI], non hazardous.

#### Section 2 - Hazardous Ingredients

Contains NO hazardous components as listed in 29 CFR 1900.1000 or other pertinent sections of OSHA regulations.

#### Section 3 - Physical Data

STATE: Liquid APPEARANCE: Brown liquid ODOR: Yeast-like Fermentation Odor  
BOILING POINT: 100°C VAPOR DENSITY: Water VAPOR PRESSURE: Water  
pH: 3.5 SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.1 SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Completely

#### **Section 4 - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data**

FLASH POINT & METHOD: Water  
IGNITION TEMPERATURE: N/A  
EXPLOSION CHARACTERISTICS: N/A  
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: No special requirements, water or dry chemical  
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: None  
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: None known

#### **Section 5 - Reactivity Data**

STABILITY: Stable under normal conditions.  
INCOMPATIBILITY (materials to avoid): Strong acids or alkali compounds may inactivate biological cultures.  
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: None  
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

#### **Section 6 - Health Hazard Assessment**

GENERAL: Limited toxicity data are available on this specific product; this health hazard assessment is based on the results of screening tests. Handle as you would any other chemical or biological product. Wash hands after contact.  
EYE CONTACT: This material may cause eye irritation. Organisms used are nonpathogenic, but can cause infection when in contact with open wounds. These organisms are susceptible to many commonly-used antibiotics. Flush with water for 20 minutes and consult Physician if eye exposure results. Avoid creating dust, and wear protective eye gear to prevent exposure to eyes.  
SKIN CONTACT: Slight redness on hands and forearms, if individual has a history of dermal allergic reaction. Dermatitis and skin sensitization can develop after repeated and/or prolonged contact with human skin. Wash with soap and water if skin exposure results. Use rubber gloves to prevent exposure to skin.  
INGESTION: No effect if ingested in small amounts. Relative to other materials, a single dose of this product is rarely toxic by ingestion. Irritation of the mouth, pharynx, esophagus and stomach can develop following ingestion. May lead to nausea or diarrhea. Give 16-32 ounces of water to dilute product. Do not induce vomiting. Contact Physician or Poison Control Center if condition persists.  
INHALATION: Can cause allergic type response to susceptible or hypersensitive individuals upon repeated or prolonged exposure. Remove individual to fresh air if inhalation occurs. Contact Physician if condition persists.  
OTHER EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE: None known.

#### **Section 7 - Spill or Leak Procedures**

STORAGE: Store in a dry area between 40° F - 105° F (5° C - 40° C).

FOR SMALL SPILLS: flush to waste treatment sewer (product is biodegradable).

FOR LARGE SPILLS: check local and state authority requirements for disposal. Uncontaminated spills can be returned

to container for reuse.

DISPOSAL METHOD: Disposal of this product or its residues must be in accordance with all local, state, and federal requirements.

### **Section 8 - Special Protection Information**

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: rubber or plastic coated

EYE PROTECTION: safety glasses with wide shields

VENTILATION: General mechanical ventilation.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (specify type): not required

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: None required.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Eyewash station in work area.

### **Section 9 - Special Precautions or Other Comments**

Precautions to be taken in handling or storing: Prevent skin and eye contact. Avoid creating aerosol. Wash hands

thoroughly with soap and water after use. Store in cool dry place. Keep out of the reach of children!

*The above information is given in good faith, and is based upon research of others, and is believed to be accurate by Koi Pond Guide.*

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## ***BENEFITS***

*Easy to use*

*Creates a clean clear pond*

*Restores biological activity*

*Breaks down excess fish food, fish waste, dead algae and other organic waste.*

*Reduces ammonia and nitrogen levels*

*Reduces odors*

*Seeds biological filters*

*Safe for fish, pets and people.*

