



# COSHH Risk Assessment No: 002

## Product Name: Sakarat D Whole Grain



Registration number – UK-2011-0143-004

Appearance – Blue whole-grain bait

Describe the activity or work process.  
*(Inc. how long/ how often this is carried out and quantity substance used)*

Anticoagulant rodenticide used to control active brown rat / house mouse populations in and around buildings, outdoors in open areas, outdoors in waste dumps and in sewers. Quantity to be used as per product label dependent upon species and area of use. Can be used in "Open Areas" up until 31st December 2024 after which all such baiting must cease in "open areas"

Location of process being carried out?

To control active brown rat / house mouse activity in and around buildings, outdoors in open areas, outdoors in waste dumps and in sewers. **Can be used in burrows with increased frequency of follow ups in case of bait ejection**

Identify the persons at risk:

Employees

Sub-contractors

Public

Name the substance involved including active ingredient, in the process and its manufacturer.

Sakarar D Whole Grain (Killgerm)  
Active Ingredients – Difenacoum (0.005%w/w) 0.05g/kg

### Classification (state the category of danger)

	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Damage to unborn child organs through long term exposure		<input type="checkbox"/>	Irritant - dermatitis causing		<input type="checkbox"/>	Extremely Flammable
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Toxic		<input type="checkbox"/>	Sensitising		<input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Flammable
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Corrosive		<input type="checkbox"/>	Biological		<input type="checkbox"/>	Flammable
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Harmful – lung damage if swallowed		<input type="checkbox"/>	Oxidising		<input type="checkbox"/>	Environmental

### Hazard Type

Gas   
 Vapour   
 Mist   
 Fume   
 Dust   
 Liquid   
 Solid   
 Other (State).....

### Route of Exposure

Inhalation   
 Skin   
 Eyes   
 Ingestion   
 Other (State).....

### Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs) please indicate n/a where not applicable

n/a      Short-term exposure level (15 mins): n/a

### State the Risks to Health from Identified Hazards

#### EC Classification:

H360D May Damage the unborn child.  
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

#### Control Measures:

Consider non-toxic and least toxic options before use  
Always read label before use and comply with details.  
To be used by trained operative (professional) only  
Keep in original, labelled container.









Remain in control of substance at all times. Storage to be restricted to certified store, out of storage use to be confined to regulated vehicle.  
 Place substance in manner to prevent access by non-target species including pets.  
 Where risk of interception by 3<sup>rd</sup> party warning labels to be used to denote use and risk  
 Records to be kept on usage and location in pest control master file.  
 Operator to wear suitable PPE when handling. Including gloves. Records of PPE maintenance to be held  
 Waste product to be retained and disposed of by Pest Control operator as per EA guidelines.  
 Remove dead/dying rats or mice found during and after the control program in order to prevent secondary poisoning.  
 Do not apply in the open – cover bait points or use bait boxes.

**Safety Phrases:**

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.  
 P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
 P260 Do not breathe dust.  
 P280 Wear protective gloves.  
 P308 + P313 If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
 P405 Store locked up.  
 P501 Dispose of contents to a licensed hazardous-waste disposal contractor or collection site except for empty clean containers which can be disposed of as non-hazardous waste

Is health surveillance or monitoring required? Yes  No

**Personal Protective Equipment (state type and standard)**

 <input type="checkbox"/>		 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Dust mask		Visor	
 <input type="checkbox"/>		 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Respirator		Goggles	
 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Disposable gloves	 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Gloves		Overalls	
 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Steel toe cap boots to be worn as per company dress code.	 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Footwear		Other	

**First Aid Measures**

**Inhalation:** Allow affected person to breathe fresh air. Allow victim to rest.  
**Skin:** Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed by warm water rinse.  
**Eyes:** Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Obtain medical attention if pain, blinking, or redness persists  
**Ingestion:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.  
**DO NOT LEAVE POISONED PERSON ALONE UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCE.**

**Storage / Spillage**

**Storage:** Segregate from foods and animal feeds. Odour-sensitive: Segregate from products releasing odours. Further information on storage conditions: Protect against, moisture. Keep away from heat. Protect from direct sunlight, extremes of temperature and moisture.  
 STORE IN ORIGINAL CONTAINER, tightly closed, in a safe place. Store in a cool dry place. Protect from frost. **3 year shelf life**  
**Spillage –** Clean spillages immediately. Avoid entry to watercourses

**Disposal of Substances & Contaminated Containers**

**Hazardous Waste**  Skip  Return to Depot  Return to Supplier  Other

(If Other Please State):.....

Is exposure adequately controlled? Yes  No

**Risk Rating Following Control Measures**

High  Medium  Low

