

DuPont[™] Finesse[®] Herbicide

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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : DuPont[™] Finesse[®] Herbicide

Tradename/Synonym : FINESSE 75DF

DPX-G8311 B10045536

CHLORSULFURON: 2-Chloro-N-[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-

yl)aminocarbonyl]benzenesulfonamide

METSULFURON METHYL: Methyl 2-[[[[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-

yl)amino]carbonyl]amino]sulfonyl]benzoate)

MSDS Number : 130000028935

Product Use : Herbicide

Manufacturer : DuPont

1007 Market Street Wilmington, DE 19898

Product Information : 1-800-441-7515 (outside the U.S. 1-302-774-1000) Medical Emergency : 1-800-441-3637 (outside the U.S. 1-302-774-1139)

Transport Emergency : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (outside the U.S. 1-703-527-3887)

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

CAUTION!

Causes moderate eye irritation. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.

Potential Health Effects

This section includes potential acute adverse effects which could occur if this material is not used according to the label.

Skin : May cause: Discomfort, itching, redness, or swelling.

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Eyes : May cause: Irritation with discomfort, pain, redness, or visual impairment.

Carcinogenicity

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

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration
Chlorsulfuron	64902-72-3	62.5 %
Metsulfuron methyl	74223-64-6	12.5 %
Other Ingredients		25 %

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Skin contact : Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Rinse skin immediately with

plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for

treatment advice.

Eye contact : Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Inhalation : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be

hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.

Ingestion : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be

hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.

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General advice : Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control

center or doctor, or going for treatment.

For medical emergencies involving this product, call toll free 1-800-441-3637.

See Label for Additional Precautions and Directions for Use.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties

Autoignition temperature : 445 °C (833 °F)

Lower explosion limit : 0.212 g/l

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray, Foam, Dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Firefighting Instructions : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear full

protective equipment.

Use water spray. Runoff from fire control may be a pollution hazard. If area is heavily exposed to fire and if conditions permit, let fire burn itself out since

water may increase the area contaminated.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

NOTE: Review FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES and HANDLING (PERSONNEL) sections before proceeding with clean-up. Use appropriate PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT during clean-up.

Safeguards (Personnel) : Evacuate personnel, thoroughly ventilate area, use self-contained breathing

apparatus.

Spill Cleanup : Prevent further leakage or spillage. Dike spill. Sweep up and shovel into

suitable containers for disposal. If spill area is on ground near valuable plants

or trees, remove 5 cm of top soil after initial clean-up.

Accidental Release Measures : Prevent material from entering sewers, waterways, or low areas.

Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Dispose of in accordance

with local regulations.

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SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling (Personnel) : Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating,

drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove

clothing/PPE immediately if material gets inside. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Remove personal protective equipment immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon

as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

Storage : Do not contaminate water, other pesticides, fertilizer, food or feed in storage.

Store in original container. Store in a cool, dry place. Keep out of the reach of

children.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering controls : When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner

that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240 (d)(4-6)], the handler PPE

requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

IMPORTANT: When reduced PPE is worn because a closed system is being used, handlers must be provided all PPE specified for "Applicators and Other

Handlers" and have such PPE immediately available for use in an

emergency, such as a spill or equipment breakdown.

Personal protective equipment

Skin and body protection : Mixers, loaders, applicators and other handlers must wear:

Long sleeved shirt and long pants

Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material

Shoes plus socks

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has

been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:

Coveralls

Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material

Shoes plus socks

Protective measures : Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or

heavily contaminated with this product. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such

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instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and

wash PPE separately from other laundry.

Exposure Guidelines Exposure Limit Values

Chlorsulfuron

AEL* (DUPONT) 10 mg/m3 8 & 12 hr. TWA Total dust. AEL* (DUPONT) 5 mg/m3 8 & 12 hr. TWA Respirable dust.

Metsulfuron methyl

10 mg/m3 AEL* (DUPONT) 8 & 12 hr. TWA

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : solid : off-white Color Odor : odourless Water solubility : dispersible

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability : Stable at normal temperatures and storage conditions.

Conditions to avoid : Under severe dusting conditions, this material may form explosive mixtures in

air.

Incompatibility : None reasonably foreseeable.

Hazardous reactions : Polymerization will not occur.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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Dermal LD50 : > 2,000 mg/kg, rabbit

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^{*} AEL is DuPont's Acceptable Exposure Limit. Where governmentally imposed occupational exposure limits which are lower than the AEL are in effect, such limits shall take precedence.



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Oral LD50 : 5,000 mg/kg, rat

Skin irritation : slight irritation, rabbit

Eye irritation : Moderate eye irritation, rabbit

Sensitisation : Causes sensitization., guinea pig

Chlorsulfuron

Inhalation 4 h LC50 : > 5.5 mg/l, rat

Repeated dose toxicity

The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly

exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.

Inhalation

rat

Reduced body weight gain, Kidney effects, Spleen effects, Bloody

urine, bone marrow changes

Oral rat

Reduced body weight gain, altered blood chemistry

Oral doa

Abnormal decrease in number of red blood cells

Carcinogenicity : The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly

exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.

A slight increased incidence in tumors was observed in one species,

but not in other species.

Target(s): Leydig cells

Mutagenicity : Did not cause genetic damage in cultured bacterial cells.

Did not cause genetic damage in animals.

Did not cause genetic damage in cultured mammalian cells.

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Reproductive toxicity : Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.

Teratogenicity : The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly

exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.

Animal testing showed effects on embryo-fetal development at levels

equal to or above those causing maternal toxicity.

Metsulfuron methyl

Inhalation 4 h LC50 : > 5.3 mg/l, rat

Repeated dose toxicity

The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly

exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.

Oral rat

Reduced body weight gain, Organ weight changes, Liver

Dermal rabbit Skin irritation

Carcinogenicity : Did not show carcinogenic effects in animal experiments.

Mutagenicity : Did not show mutagenic effects in animal experiments.

Did not cause genetic damage in cultured bacterial cells.

Genetic damage in cultured mammalian cells was observed in some

laboratory tests but not in others.

Reproductive toxicity : Animal testing did not show any effects on fertility.

Teratogenicity : Animal testing showed no developmental toxicity.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aquatic Toxicity

Chlorsulfuron

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96 h LC50 : Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) > 122 mg/l

96 h LC50 : Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish) > 128 mg/l

96 h LC50 : Cyprinodon variegatus (sheepshead minnow) > 980 mg/l

120 h EbC50 : Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) 0.05 mg/l

48 h EC50 : Daphnia magna (Water flea) > 112 mg/l

Metsulfuron methyl

96 h LC50 : Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) > 150 mg/l

72 h EC50 : Anabaena flos-aquae (cyanobacteria) 0.066 mg/l

14 d EC50 : Lemna minor 0.00036 mg/l

48 h EC50 : Daphnia magna (Water flea) > 120 mg/l

Toxicity to other organisms

Chlorsulfuron

LD50 : Anas platyrhynchos (Mallard duck) > 5,000 mg/kg

Oral

LD50 : Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail) > 5,000 mg/kg

Oral

8 d LC50 : Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail) > 5,620 mg/kg

Dietary

8 d LC50 : Anas platyrhynchos (Mallard duck) > 5,620 mg/kg

Dietary

Additional ecological information : Environmental Hazards: Do not apply directly to water, or to areas

where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment

or disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal : Do not contaminate water, food or feed by disposal. Wastes resulting from the

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use of this product must be disposed of on site or at an approved waste

disposal facility.

Container Disposal : Container Refilling and Disposal:

Refer to the product label for instructions.

In the event of a major spill, fire or other emergency, call 1-800-441-3637 day

or night.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA C UN number : 3077

Proper shipping name : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

(Chlorsulfuron, Metsulfuron methyl)

Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labelling No. : 9MI
UN number : 3077

Proper shipping name : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

(Chlorsulfuron, Metsulfuron methyl)

Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labelling No. : 9

Marine pollutant : yes (Chlorsulfuron, Metsulfuron methyl)

Not regulated as a hazardous material by DOT.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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gulated : Chlorsulfuron

Chemical(s)

Title III hazard

IMDG

: Acute Health Hazard: Yes

classification Chronic Health Hazard: No

Fire: No

Reactivity/Physical hazard: No

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Pressure: No

EPA Reg. No. : 352-445

In the United States this product is regulated by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA). It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read and follow all label directions. This product is excluded from listing requirements under EPA/TSCA.

California Prop. 65 : WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California

to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. Chlorsulfuron

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

		NFPA	HMIS
Health	:	1	1
Flammability	:	1	1
Reactivity/Physical hazard	:	0	0

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Contact person : DuPont Crop Protection, Wilmington, DE, 19898, Phone: 1-888-638-7668

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