Axichem Pty Ltd

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS Regulations (Hazardous Chemicals) Amendment 2020 and ADG requirements

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SECTION 1 Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company / undertaking

Product Identifier

Product name	AC Capo 200	
Chemical Name	Not Applicable	
Synonyms	glufosinate-ammonium herbicide	
Chemical formula	Not Applicable	
Other means of identification	Not Available	

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

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Relevant identified uses	Agricultural herbicide.

Details of the manufacturer or supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name	Axichem Pty Ltd	
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Fax	Not Available	
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Emergency telephone number

Association / Organisation	CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE (24/7)	
Emergency telephone numbers	+61 1800 951 288	
Other emergency telephone numbers	+61 3 9573 3188	

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SECTION 2 Hazards identification

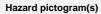
Classification of the substance or mixture

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, regulated for storage purposes only

Poisons Schedule	S5
Classification [1]	Flammable Liquids Category 4, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2A, Reproductive Toxicity Category 1B, Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure Category 2, Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment Long-Term Hazard Category 3
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI

Label elements

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Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H227	Combustible liquid.	
H315	H315 Causes skin irritation.	
H319	H319 Causes serious eye irritation.	
H360Fd	May damage fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child.	
H373	H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.	
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.	

Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.	
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P260	Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.
P280	Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P264	Wash all exposed external body areas thoroughly after handling.

Precautionary statement(s) Response

P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.	
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use water spray/fog to extinguish.	
P305+P351+P338	P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.	
P314	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.	
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.	
P302+P352	P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.	
P332+P313	P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.	
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.	

Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P403	Store in a well-ventilated place.	
P405	Store locked up.	

Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation.

SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

Mixtures

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
77182-82-2	15-20	glufosinate-ammonium
Not Available		(200 g/L)
108-65-6	5-15	propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers
Not Available	>60	ingredients determined not to be hazardous, including
7732-18-5		<u>water</u>

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SECTION 4 First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact	If this product comes in contact with the eyes: Nash out immediately with fresh running water. Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids. Seek medical attention without delay; if pain persists or recurs seek medical attention. Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.
Skin Contact	If skin contact occurs: Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear. Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available). Seek medical attention in event of irritation.
Inhalation	 If fumes, aerosols or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area. Other measures are usually unnecessary.
Ingestion	 If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration. Observe the patient carefully. Never give liquid to a person showing signs of being sleepy or with reduced awareness; i.e. becoming unconscious. Give water to rinse out mouth, then provide liquid slowly and as much as casualty can comfortably drink. Seek medical advice.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

The principal metabolite in urine and faeces is 3-(hydroxy(methyl)-phosphinoyl)propionic acid.

For glufosinate-ammonium intoxication:

- Symptoms may be delayed for 48 hours following ingestion. Thus a patient ingesting undiluted product should be admitted to hospital for at least 24 hours and treated as outlined below. Treatment should be symptomatic and supportive. In addition the following procedures are generally recommended.
- If ingested, endotracheal intubation and gastric lavage should be performed as soon as possible, followed by charcoal and sodium sulfate administration.
- Respiratory, cardiac and central nervous systems should,d be monitored with particular regard to ECG, electrolyte balance (especially for potassium) and signs of intracranial pressure.
- In the event of a large exposure, dialysis and/ or haemoperfusion should be conducted as soon as possible to eliminate the compound from the body.
- In the event of convulsions, administer phenobarbitol or diazepam
- There is no specific antidote
- ▶ Glufosinate-ammonium does not inhibit cholinesterase; thus atropine an 2-PAM are contraindicated
- Recovery is normally spontaneous, usually with 48 hours.

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SECTION 5 Firefighting measures

Extinguishing media

- Water spray or fog.
- ► Foam.
- ▶ Dry chemical powder.
- BCF (where regulations permit).
- ► Carbon dioxide

Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility

Fire Fighting

None known.

Advice for firefighters

Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.

- Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses.
- Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.
- ▶ DO NOT approach containers suspected to be hot.
- Cool fire exposed containers with water spray from a protected location.
- If safe to do so, remove containers from path of fire.
- ▶ Equipment should be thoroughly decontaminated after use.

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Fire/Explosion Hazard

SECTION 6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

Environmental precautions

See section 12

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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Minor Spills	 Clean up all spills immediately. Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes. Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment. Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite. Wipe up. Place in a suitable, labelled container for waste disposal. 	
Major Spills	Minor hazard. Clear area of personnel. Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard. Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment as required. Prevent spillage from entering drains or water ways. Contain spill with sand, earth or vermiculite. Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling. Absorb remaining product with sand, earth or vermiculite and place in appropriate containers for disposal. Wash area and prevent runoff into drains or waterways. If contamination of drains or waterways occurs, advise emergency services.	

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

SECTION 7 Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin
Limit all unnecessary personal contact.
 Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
▶ Use in a well-ventilated area.
► When handling DO NOT eat, drink or smoke.
Always wash hands with soap and water after handling.
Avoid physical damage to containers.
 Use good occupational work practice.
Dbserve manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.
► Store in original containers.
Keep containers securely sealed.
No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.
Store away from incompatible materials and foodstuff containers.
Protect containers against physical damage and check regularly for leaks.
Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Suitable container

- Lined metal can, lined metal pail/ can.
- Plastic pail.

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	 Polyliner drum. Packing as recommended by manufacturer. Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.
Storage incompatibility	Avoid storage with oxidisers

SECTION 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)

INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Australia Exposure Standards	propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	Propylene glycol monomethyl ether	100 ppm / 369 mg/m3	553 mg/m3 / 150 ppm	Not Available	Not Available
Australia Exposure Standards	propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	1-Methoxy-2-propanol acetate	50 ppm / 274 mg/m3	548 mg/m3 / 100 ppm	Not Available	Not Available

Emergency Limits

Ingredient	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	100 ppm	160 ppm	660 ppm
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
glufosinate-ammonium	Not Available	Not Available
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	Not Available	Not Available
water	Not Available	Not Available

Occupational Exposure Banding

Ingredient	Occupational Exposure Band Rating	Occupational Exposure Band Limit		
glufosinate-ammonium	Е	≤ 0.01 mg/m³		
Notes:	Occupational exposure banding is a process of assigning chemicals into specific categories or bands based on a chemical's potency and the adverse health outcomes associated with exposure. The output of this process is an occupational exposure band (OEB), which corresponds to a range of exposure concentrations that are expected to protect worker health.			

MATERIAL DATA

Exposure controls

Exposure controls	
Appropriate engineering controls	General exhaust is adequate under normal operating conditions.
Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment	
Eye and face protection	 Safety glasses with side shields. Chemical goggles. [AS/NZS 1337.1, EN166 or national equivalent] Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59].
Skin protection	See Hand protection below
Hands/feet protection	 Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC. Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber
Body protection	See Other protection below

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Other protection

- ▶ Overalls
- ▶ P.V.C apron.
- ▶ Barrier cream.
- Skin cleansing cream.
- ▶ Eye wash unit.

Recommended material(s)

GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

"Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the *computer-generated* selection:

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Material	СРІ
BUTYL	Α
NEOPRENE	Α
VITON	Α
NATURAL RUBBER	С
PVA	С

^{*} CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

A: Best Selection

- B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion
- C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

NOTE: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as "feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

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Glove — In order of recommendation
AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-675
AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-185
AlphaTec® 38-612
AlphaTec® 58-008
AlphaTec® 58-530B
AlphaTec® 58-530W
AlphaTec® 58-735
AlphaTec® 79-700
DermaShield™ 73-711
MICROFLEX® 63-864

The suggested gloves for use should be confirmed with the glove supplier.

Respiratory protection

Type A Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Where the concentration of gas/particulates in the breathing zone, approaches or exceeds the "Exposure Standard" (or ES), respiratory protection is required. Degree of protection varies with both face-piece and Class of filter; the nature of protection varies with Type of filter.

Required Minimum Protection Factor	Half-Face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator	Powered Air Respirator
up to 10 x ES	A-AUS / Class 1	-	A-PAPR-AUS / Class 1
up to 50 x ES	Air-line*	-	-
up to 100 x ES	-	A-3	-
100+ x ES	-	Air-line**	-

- * Continuous-flow; ** Continuous-flow or positive pressure demand A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)
- Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content.
- The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.
- Cartridge performance is affected by humidity. Cartridges should be changed after 2 hr of continuous use unless it is determined that the humidity is less than 75%, in which case, cartridges can be used for 4 hr. Used cartridges should be discarded daily, regardless of the length of time used

SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Blue to bluish-green liquid with a slightly pungent odour; mixes with water.		
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	1.11
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	440
pH (as supplied)	5.9-7.9	Decomposition temperature (°C)	Not Available

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Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	96	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Applicable
Flash point (°C)	>61 (PMCC)	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	Combustible.	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	Not Available	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water	Miscible	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	VOC g/L	Not Available

SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

Described to	0
Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	 Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials. Product is considered stable. Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7
Conditions to avoid	See section 7
Incompatible materials	See section 7
Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5

SECTION 11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Inhaled	Not normally a hazard due to non-volatile nature of product Inhalation of vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness. This may be accompanied by narcosis, reduced alertness, loss of reflexes, lack of coordination and vertigo. Inhalation of vapour is more likely at higher than normal temperatures.
Ingestion	Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual. Ingestion may result in nausea, abdominal irritation, pain and vomiting
Skin Contact	The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce a contact dermatitis (nonallergic). This form of dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling epidermis. Histologically there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis. Toxic effects may result from skin absorption The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition
Еуе	Evidence exists, or practical experience predicts, that the material may cause eye irritation in a substantial number of individuals and/or may produce significant ocular lesions which are present twenty-four hours or more after instillation into the eye(s) of experimental animals. Repeated or prolonged eye contact may cause inflammation characterised by temporary redness (similar to windburn) of the conjunctiva (conjunctivitis); temporary impairment of vision and/or other transient eye damage/ulceration may occur.
Chronic	Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation and if swallowed. There is sufficient evidence to provide a strong presumption that human exposure to the material may result in impaired fertility on the basis of: - clear evidence in animal studies of impaired fertility in the absence of toxic effects, or evidence of impaired fertility occurring at around the same dose levels as other toxic effects but which is not a secondary non-specific consequence of other toxic effects. Exposure to the material may cause concerns for humans owing to possible developmental toxic effects, generally on the basis that results in appropriate animal studies provide strong suspicion of developmental toxicity in the absence of signs of marked maternal toxicity, or at around the same dose levels as other toxic effects but which are not a secondary non-specific

	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
AC Capo 200	Dermal (Rat, adult female) LD50: 1380 mg/kg ^[2]	Eye : Mild

consequence of other toxic effects.

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	Dermal (Rat, adult male) LD50: 1400 mg/kg ^[2]	
	Oral (Rat, adult male) LD50: 2170 mg/kg ^[2]	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
lufosinate-ammonium	dermal (rat) LD50: 1380 mg/kg ^[2]	Not Available
	Oral (Dog) LD50; 200 mg/kg ^[2]	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
	dermal (rat) LD50: >2000 mg/kg ^[1]	Eye (rabbit) 230 mg mild
propylene glycol	Oral (Rat) LD50: 3739 mg/kg ^[2]	Eye (rabbit) 500 mg/24 h mild
monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers		Eye: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) ^[1]
		Skin (rabbit) 500 mg open - mild
		Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating) ^[1]
water	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
	Oral (Rat) LD50: >90000 mg/kg ^[2]	Not Available

Oral (Rat, adult female) LD50: 1910 mg/kg Skin : Mild Inhalation (Rat, adult female) LC50: 4.31 mg/m3/4h Inhalation (Rat, adult male) LC50: 3.22 mg/m3/4h

for alkyl esters of phosphoric acid:

The chemicals in this category exhibit a low to moderate order of acute toxicity. The rat oral LD50 values ranged from 500-1000 mg/kg with 2-ethylhexyl phosphate to >36,800 mg/kg for tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate. The dermal LD50 values ranged from 1200 to > 2000 mg/kg (rat) with bis(2-ethylhexyl) hydrogen phosphate to > 20,000 mg/kg (rabbit) with tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate. The inhalation LC50 values ranged from > 0.447 mg/l (4 hr. rat) with tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate to > 5.14 mg/l (4 hr. rat) with triisobutyl phosphate.

Metabolism: Phosphoric acid esters are metabolized via dealkylation. Metabolism studies conducted on the tributyl phosphate indicate that dealkylation to form the alkyl alcohol is the primary route of metabolism Phosphoric acid tri-esters are rapidly metabolised to di-esters with mono-diesters also being produced. Studies of tributyl phosphate show that 40-64% of the parent compound is metabolised to dibutyl dihydrogen phosphate and that 1.1-2.1 % is metabolised to the monobutyl species. Therefore, tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate is expected to be metabolised to bis(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate (CAS RN: 298-07-7) and mono(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate (CAS RN 1070-03-7). Based on the evidence for dealkylation as the primary metabolic pathway, 2-ethylhexanol is the expected metabolite of tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate (CAS RN: 78-42-2) and 2-ethylhexyl phosphate (CAS RN: 12645-31-7). Triisobutyl phosphate is expected to be metabolised similarly as tributyl phosphate, with methoxypropanol as the alcohol metabolite

Oral repeat dose NOAEL's in rats for dibutyl hydrogen phosphate, tributyl phosphate, ethylhexanol, 2- ethylhexanoic acid, bis(2-ethylhexyl) hydrogen phosphate, tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate, and triisobutyl phosphate were 30 mg/kg/day (44 days), 75 mg/kg/day (90 days), 125 mg/kg/day (90 days), 100 mg/kg/day (90 days), 250 mg/kg/day (5 days), and 1000 mg/kg/day (90 days), and 68.4-84.3 mg/kg (90 days), respectively.

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The weight of the evidence indicates that the members of this category are not genotoxic. Tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate, bis(2-ethylhexyl) hydrogen phosphate, 2-ethylhexyl phosphate, dibutyl hydrogen phosphate, tributyl phosphate, triisobutyl phosphate, 2-ethylhexanol, 2- ethylhexanoic acid, and phosphoric acid were negative in the Ames assay. Tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate, bis(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate, 2-ethylhexyl phosphate, and 2-ethylhexanol also were negative in the mouse lymphoma assay. Furthermore, tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate, dibutyl hydrogen phosphate, tributyl phosphate, and 2-ethylhexanol were negative in the chromosomal aberration assays (in vitro and/ or in vivo). Tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate was negative in a sister chromatid exchange assay while 2-ethylhexanoic acid was positive. Triisobutyl phosphate was negative in the in vivo mouse micronucleus assay.

Reproductive toxicity was evaluated with a number of the members of this category. No effects on reproductive organs were observed in repeat dose studies with tris(2-ethylhexyl) phosphate, dibutyl hydrogen phosphate, tributyl phosphate, 2-ethylhexanol, or 2-ethylhexanoic acid. A two generation reproduction study with tributyl phosphate did not find any reproductive effects in rats at the highest dose tested (225 mg/kg/day). No significant effects on reproduction were seen in rats with an oral OECD 422 combined repeat dose toxicity and reproductive/developmental toxicity screen with dibutyl hydrogen phosphate (NOAEL = 1000 mg/kg). Reproductive effects were reported in rats at 300 mg/kg/day and 600 mg/kg/day in a one generation study with 2-ethylhexanoic acid.

Developmental toxicity: The developmental toxicity of tributyl phosphate was evaluated in both rats and rabbits. Tributyl phosphate and triisobutyl phosphate were determined not to be teratogenic. 2-Ethylhexanol was found to cause developmental toxicity only at doses that were maternally toxic. Drinking water and gavage developmental toxicity studies have also been conducted with 2-ethylhexanoic acid in rats and rabbits. Developmental effects in rats at concentrations as low as 100 mg/kg administered in drinking water have been reported. Developmental studies with rats and rabbits concluded that 2-ethylhexanoic acid did not produce developmental effects in rats or rabbits under the conditions of these tests. The authors noted that the rat NOAEL was 100 mg/kg/day based on slight foetotoxicity at 250 mg/kg/day and that the rabbit NOAEL was 250 mg/kg/day (highest dose). The maternal NOAEL's for rats and rabbits were 250 mg/kg/day and 25 mg/kg/day, respectively.

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1.6 mg/l/4h (dust) 2.6 mg/l/4h (dust) NOEL (2 year) for rats 40 ppm Toxicity Class WHO III; EPA III For glufosinate-ammonium:

Acute toxicity: The toxicity of glufosinate varies in different laboratory animals. The oral LD50 is 436-464 mg/kg in mice and 1,510-1,660 mg/kg in rats. Dogs are the most sensitive. They can be twice as susceptible as mice (the LD50 for beagles is 200-400 mg/kg. The World Health Organisation (WHO) classifies glufosinate in toxicity Class III, "slightly hazardous". The WHO classification system is based on the LD50 for rats and aims to take account of the sensitivities of more vulnerable test animals. The dermal LD50 for glufosinate is about the same as for oral exposures. However, through the skin, glufosinate formulations can be 2.5 times more toxic than glufosinate alone. Glufosinate was first considered by the UK Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (MAFF) Scientific Sub-Committee in 1984. The herbicide was refused approval because of the toxicity of the formulation (containing 30% surfactant) when absorbed through the skin

Carcinogenicity: No clear evidence of target organ toxicity was noted in studies with rats, mice or dogs. An adaptive increase in kidney weight was noted in several species but not functional or histopathological effects were observed.

No-Observable-Levels (NOELs) for the 1-year dog, 2.5 year rat and 2-year mouse studies were approximately 5 mg/kg/day, 2.1 mg/kg/day and 14 mg/kg/day, respectively

Glufosinate-ammonium was not carcinogenic in rats or mice.

Reproductive and developmental toxicity: No evidence of teratogenicity was noted in either rats or rabbits. Evidence of developmental toxicity was noted in rats but only at dose levels that were also toxic to the mother.

No developmental toxicity was noted in rabbits. The maternal and developmental NOELs were considered to be 10 and 50 mg/kg/day, respectively, in rats; and 6.3 and 20 mg/kg/day (highest dose tested), respectively, in rabbits.

Sub-lethal doses of glufosinate ammonium was found to cause abnormalities in the development of embryos in mammals both in vitro and in vivo. Deformities in the brain were the main finding of these studies:

Mouse embryos exposed to glufosinate in vitro developed apoptosis (fragmentation of the cells leading to cell death) in the neuroepithelium of the brain. An earlier study found that all the embryos in the treated groups had specific defects including overall growth retardation, increased death of embryos, hypoplasia (incomplete development) of the forebrain at 10 mg/ml, and cleft lips at 20 mg/ml.

• The effects on embryos after exposure of pregnant rats to glufosinate during the time of neurogenesis (central nervous system development) was determined. Pregnant rats were injected subcutaneously with 3 or 5 mg/kg of glufosinate once daily from days 13-20 of gestation. The results suggested that glufosinate exposure at a crucial stage in pregnancy causes a decrease in the number of glutamate receptors in offspring.

The parental and reproductive NOELs in a 2-generation rat reproduction study were considered to be 400 ppm (approximately 4 mg/kg/day) and 120 ppm (approximately 12 mg/kg/day), respectively, based on decreased kidney weights at 120 ppm and decreased litter size at 360 ppm.

Neurotoxicity: Glufosinate-ammonium does not inhibit acetylcholinesterase activity. No evidence of delayed neurotoxicity was noted in hens. Neurobehavioural effects (e.g. hypersensitivity, tremors, convulsions) related to stimulation of the central nervous system (CNS) were observed in some studies but only at lethal or near-lethal levels.

Glufosinate has been found to cause a number of neurological symptoms in laboratory animals following both oral and dermal exposure. At lethal doses, overt signs of toxicity include: convulsions, salivation, hypersensitivity, irregular breathing, and trembling. Some of the behavioural changes lasted several days.

At sub-lethal doses, glufosinate can have significant, but not so easily observable impacts. For example, one study found that low doses of glufosinate affected central nervous system development in young rats. One-day old rats were exposed to a dose of 1, 2 or 5 mg/kg of glufosinate daily for seven days. At six weeks they were tested for the 'wet-dog shakes' induced by administering kainic acid. Kainic acid stimulates glutamate receptors in the brain. The frequency of wet-dog shakes decreased significantly in all the glufosinate exposed rats. The results suggested that exposure to even low doses of glufosinate in the infantile period in rats causes changes in the kainic acid receptor in the brain.

Mutagenicity: No evidence of mutagenicity or other genetic effects was noted in a battery of in vitro and in vivo studies.

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GLUFOSINATE-

AMMONIUM

NOTE: Exposure of pregnant rats and rabbits to the substance did not give rise to teratogenic effects at concentrations up to 3000 ppm. Fetotoxic effects were seen in rats but not in rabbits at this concentration; maternal toxicity was noted in both species. Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ends. This may be due to a non-allergic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur after exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Main criteria for diagnosing RADS include the absence of previous airways disease in a non-atopic individual, with sudden onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. Other criteria for diagnosis of RADS include a reversible airflow pattern on lung function tests, moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing, and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia. RADS (or asthma) following an irritating inhalation is an infrequent disorder with rates related to the concentration of and duration of exposure to the irritating substance. On the other hand, industrial bronchitis is a disorder that occurs as a result of exposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance (often particles) and is completely reversible after exposure ceases. The disorder is characterized by difficulty breathing, cough and mucus production.

The material may be irritating to the eye, with prolonged contact causing inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.

The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce a contact dermatitis (nonallergic). This form of dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling epidermis. Histologically there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis.

for propylene glycol ethers (PGEs):

Typical propylene glycol ethers include propylene glycol n-butyl ether (PnB); dipropylene glycol n-butyl ether (DPnB); dipropylene glycol methyl ether acetate (DPMA); tripropylene glycol methyl ether (TPM).

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Testing of a wide variety of propylene glycol ethers Testing of a wide variety of propylene glycol ethers has shown that propylene glycol-based ethers are less toxic than some ethers of the ethylene series. The common toxicities associated with the lower molecular weight homologues of the ethylene series, such as adverse effects on reproductive organs, the developing embryo and fetus, blood (haemolytic effects), or thymus, are not seen with the commercial-grade propylene glycol ethers. In the ethylene series, metabolism of the terminal hydroxyl group produces an alkoxyacetic acid. The reproductive and developmental toxicities of the lower molecular weight homologues in the ethylene series are due specifically to the formation of methoxyacetic and

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ethoxyacetic acids.

Longer chain length homologues in the ethylene series are not associated with the reproductive toxicity but can cause haemolysis in sensitive species, also through formation of an alkoxyacetic acid. The predominant alpha isomer of all the PGEs (thermodynamically favored during manufacture of PGEs) is a secondary alcohol incapable of forming an alkoxypropionic acid. In contrast beta-isomers are able to form the alkoxypropionic acids and these are linked to teratogenic effects (and possibly haemolytic effects)

This alpha isomer comprises greater than 95% of the isomeric mixture in the commercial product.

Because the alpha isomer cannot form an alkoxypropionic acid, this is the most likely reason for the lack of toxicity shown by the PGEs as distinct from the lower molecular weight ethylene glycol ethers. More importantly, however, very extensive empirical test data show that this class of commercial-grade glycol ether presents a low toxicity hazard. PGEs, whether mono, di- or tripropylene glycol-based (and no matter what the alcohol group), show a very similar pattern of low to non-detectable toxicity of any type at doses or exposure levels greatly exceeding those showing pronounced effects from the ethylene series. One of the primary metabolites of the propylene glycol ethers is propylene glycol, which is of low toxicity and completely metabolised in the body.

As a class, the propylene glycol ethers are rapidly absorbed and distributed throughout the body when introduced by inhalation or oral exposure. Dermal absorption is somewhat slower but subsequent distribution is rapid. Most excretion for PGEs is via the urine and expired air. A small portion is excreted in the faeces.

As a group PGEs exhibits low acute toxicity by the oral, dermal, and inhalation routes. Rat oral LD50s range from >3,000 mg/kg (PnB) to >5,000 mg/kg (DPMA). Dermal LD50s are all > 2,000 mg/kg (PnB, & DPnB; where no deaths occurred), and ranging up to >15,000 mg/kg (TPM). Inhalation LC50 values were higher than 5,000 mg/m3 for DPMA (4-hour exposure), and TPM (1-hour exposure). For DPnB the 4-hour LC50 is >2,040 mg/m3. For PnB, the 4-hour LC50 was >651 ppm (>3,412 mg/m3), representing the highest practically attainable vapor level. No deaths occurred at these concentrations. PnB and TPM are moderately irritating to eyes while the remaining category members are only slightly irritating to nonirritating. PnB is moderately irritating to skin while the remaining category members are slightly to non-irritating

None are skin sensitisers.

In repeated dose studies ranging in duration from 2 to 13 weeks, few adverse effects were found even at high exposure levels and effects that did occur were mild in nature. By the oral route of administration, NOAELs of 350 mg/kg-d (PnB – 13 wk) and 450 mg/kg-d (DPnB – 13 wk) were observed for liver and kidney weight increases (without accompanying histopathology). LOAELs for these two chemicals were 1000 mg/kg-d (highest dose tested).

Dermal repeated-dose toxicity tests have been performed for many PGEs. For PnB, no effects were seen in a 13-wk study at doses as high as 1,000 mg/kg-d. A dose of 273 mg/kg-d constituted a LOAEL (increased organ weights without histopathology) in a 13-week dermal study for DPnB. For TPM, increased kidney weights (no histopathology) and transiently decreased body weights were found at a dose of 2,895 mg/kg-d in a 90-day study in rabbits. By inhalation, no effects were observed in 2-week studies in rats at the highest tested concentrations of 3244 mg/m3 (600 ppm) for PnB and 2,010 mg/m3 (260 ppm) for DPnB. TPM caused increased liver weights without histopathology by inhalation in a 2-week study at a LOAEL of 360 mg/m3 (43 ppm). In this study, the highest tested TPM concentration, 1010 mg/m3 (120 ppm), also caused increased liver weights without accompanying histopathology. Although no repeated-dose studies are available for the oral route for TPM, or for any route for DPMA, it is anticipated that these chemicals would behave similarly to other category members.

One and two-generation reproductive toxicity testing has been conducted in mice, rats, and rabbits via the oral or inhalation routes of exposure on PM and PMA. In an inhalation rat study using PM, the NOAEL for parental toxicity is 300 ppm (1106 mg/m3) with decreases in body and organ weights occurring at the LOAEL of 1000 ppm (3686 mg/m3). For offspring toxicity the NOAEL is 1000 ppm (3686 mg/m3), with decreased body weights occurring at 3000 ppm (11058 mg/m3). For PMA, the NOAEL for parental and offspring toxicity is 1000 mg/kg/d. in a two generation gavage study in rats. No adverse effects were found on reproductive organs, fertility rates, or other indices commonly monitored in such studies. In addition, there is no evidence from histopathological data from repeated-dose studies for the category members that would indicate that these chemicals would pose a reproductive hazard to human health.

In developmental toxicity studies many PGEs have been tested by various routes of exposure and in various species at significant exposure levels and show no frank developmental effects. Due to the rapid hydrolysis of DPMA to DPM, DPMA would not be expected to show teratogenic effects. At high doses where maternal toxicity occurs (e.g., significant body weight loss), an increased incidence of some anomalies such as delayed skeletal ossification or increased 13th ribs, have been reported. Commercially available PGEs showed no teratogenicity.

The weight of the evidence indicates that propylene glycol ethers are not likely to be genotoxic. *In vitro*, negative results have been seen in a number of assays for PnB, DPnB, DPMA and TPM. Positive results were only seen in 3 out of 5 chromosome aberration assays in mammalian cells with DPnB. However, negative results were seen in a mouse micronucleus assay with DPnB and PM. Thus, there is no evidence to suggest these PGEs would be genotoxic *in vivo*. In a 2-year bioassay on PM, there were no statistically significant increases in tumors in rats and mice.

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No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.

Acute Toxicity	×	Carcinogenicity	×
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	~	Reproductivity	✓
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	~	STOT - Single Exposure	×
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	×	STOT - Repeated Exposure	✓
Mutagenicity	×	Aspiration Hazard	×

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✓ – Data available to make classification

SECTION 12 Ecological information

Toxicity

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	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	10-32mg/L	4
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.088mg/L	2
glufosinate-ammonium	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	0.068mg/L	2
	EC50(ECx)	336h	Crustacea	0.01-2mg/l	4
	LC50	96h	Fish	7-19.4mg/L	4
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Sourc
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	>1000mg/l	2
propylene glycol	EC50	48h	Crustacea	373mg/l	2
monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	>1000mg/l	2
	NOEC(ECx)	336h	Fish	47.5mg/l	2
	LC50	96h	Fish	100mg/l	1
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
water	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Availabl
Legend:	Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data				

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
glufosinate-ammonium	HIGH	HIGH
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	LOW (Half-life = 56 days)	LOW (Half-life = 1.7 days)
water	LOW	LOW

Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
glufosinate-ammonium	LOW (LogKOW = -3.9571)
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	LOW (BCF = 2)

Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
glufosinate-ammonium	LOW (KOC = 31.06)
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	HIGH (KOC = 1)

SECTION 13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

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Product / Packaging disposal

- ▶ Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- ► Consult State Land Waste Management Authority for disposal.
- ▶ Bury residue in an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Recycle containers if possible, or dispose of in an authorised landfill.

SECTION 14 Transport information

Labels Required

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID	COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, regulated for storage purposes only
Marine Pollutant	NO
HAZCHEM	Not Applicable

Land transport (ADG): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee): NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

14.7.1. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

14.7.2. Transport in bulk in accordance with MARPOL Annex V and the IMSBC Code

Product name	Group
glufosinate-ammonium	Not Available
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	Not Available
water	Not Available

14.7.3. Transport in bulk in accordance with the IGC Code

Product name	Ship Type
glufosinate-ammonium	Not Available
propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers	Not Available
water	Not Available

SECTION 15 Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture

glufosinate-ammonium is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

 $\label{thm:condition} \textbf{Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 5}$

Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

propylene glycol monomethyl ether - mixture of isomers is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

water is found on the following regulatory lists

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

Additional Regulatory Information

Not Applicable

National Inventory Status

National Inventory	Status	
Australia - AIIC / Australia	No (glufosinate-ammonium)	

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National Inventory	Status		
Non-Industrial Use			
Canada - DSL	No (glufosinate-ammonium)		
Canada - NDSL	No (glufosinate-ammonium; water)		
China - IECSC	No (glufosinate-ammonium)		
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Yes		
Japan - ENCS	No (glufosinate-ammonium)		
Korea - KECI	Yes		
New Zealand - NZIoC	Yes		
Philippines - PICCS	No (glufosinate-ammonium)		
USA - TSCA	No (glufosinate-ammonium)		
Taiwan - TCSI	Yes		
Mexico - INSQ	Yes		
Vietnam - NCI	Yes		
Russia - FBEPH	No (glufosinate-ammonium)		
Legend:	Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory. These ingredients may be exempt or will require registration.		

SECTION 16 Other information

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SDS Version Summary

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
7.1	20/08/2021	Classification change due to full database hazard calculation/update.
8.1	27/10/2023	UN Number update

Other information

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

Definitions and abbreviations

- PC TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average
- ▶ PC STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit
- ► IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
- ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
- ► STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit
- ► TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit₀
- ▶ IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations
- ► ES: Exposure Standard
- ► OSF: Odour Safety Factor
- ▶ NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level
- ▶ LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
- ► TLV: Threshold Limit Value
- LOD: Limit Of Detection
- ► OTV: Odour Threshold Value
- ▶ BCF: BioConcentration Factors
- ▶ BEI: Biological Exposure Index
- ▶ DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level
- ▶ PNEC: Predicted no-effect concentration
- AIIC: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
- ▶ DSL: Domestic Substances List

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- ▶ NDSL: Non-Domestic Substances List
- ► IECSC: Inventory of Existing Chemical Substance in China
- ▶ EINECS: European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances
- ▶ ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
- ► NLP: No-Longer Polymers
- ► ENCS: Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory
- ▶ KECI: Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory
- ▶ NZIoC: New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
- ▶ PICCS: Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
- ► TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act
- ► TCSI: Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory
- ► INSQ: Inventario Nacional de Sustancias Químicas
- ► NCI: National Chemical Inventory
- ▶ FBEPH: Russian Register of Potentially Hazardous Chemical and Biological Substances

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