AC Scrubba Axichem Pty Ltd

Chemwatch: **5154-08**

Version No. 7.1

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

Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 2

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

Product Identifier Product name AC Scrubba Chemical Name Not Applicable Synonyms Not Available Chemical formula Not Applicable

identification

Not Available

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

Relevant identified uses Herbicide for control of a range of woody and herbaceous weeds.

Details of the manufacturer or supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name	Axichem Pty Ltd	
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Website	Website www.axichem.com.au	
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Emergency telephone number

Other means of

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Associ	iation / Organisation	CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE (24/7)	
Eı	mergency 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 S6	
Classification [1]	Flammable Liquids Category 4, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Sensitisation (Skin) Category 1, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2A, Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure Category 2, Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment Acute Hazard Category 2, Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment Long-Term Hazard Category 2
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

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H227	Combustible liquid.	
H302	Harmful if swallowed.	
H315	Causes skin irritation.	
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.	
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.	
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.	
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.	

Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.	
P260	Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.	
P280	P280 Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection.	
P264	Wash all exposed external body areas thoroughly after handling.	
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	
P273	Avoid release to the environment.	
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.	

Precautionary statement(s) Response

P370+P378	In case of fire: Use water spray/fog to extinguish.	
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.	
P305+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.	
P333+P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.	
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.	
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.	
P391	Collect spillage.	
P301+P312	P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider if you feel unwell.	
P330	Rinse mouth.	

Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P403 Store in a well-ventilated place.

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
64700-56-7	30	triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester
Not Available		(300 g/L)

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CAS No	%[weight]	Name
1918-02-1	10	picloram
Not Available		(100 g/L)
111-90-0	41	diethylene glycol monoethyl ether
Not Available	<20	additives
Legend: 1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 4. Classification drawn from C&L * EU IOELVs available		

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	 For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor. 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

Treat symptomatically.

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

Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result

Advice for firefighters	
Fire Fighting	 Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard. Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves. Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses. Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent 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.
Fire/Explosion Hazard	 Combustible. Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame. Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers. On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO).

May emit acrid smoke.

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Mists containing combustible materials may be explosive.
Combustion products include:
carbon dioxide (CO2)
hydrogen chloride
phosgene
nitrogen oxides (NOx)
other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.
May emit poisonous fumes.

HAZCHEM
Not Applicable

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

Methods and material for Containment and Cleaning up		
Minor Spills	 Remove all ignition sources. 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	Moderate hazard. Clear area of personnel and move upwind. Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard. Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves. Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course. No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources. Increase ventilation. Stop leak if safe to do so. Contain spill with sand, earth or vermiculite. Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling. Absorb remaining product with sand, earth or vermiculite. Collect solid residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal. Wash area and prevent runoff into drains. 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

Other information

- Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation. ▶ Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs. ▶ Use in a well-ventilated area. Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps. DO NOT enter confined spaces until atmosphere has been checked. Avoid smoking, naked lights or ignition sources. Avoid contact with incompatible materials. ► When handling, **DO NOT** eat, drink or smoke. Safe handling ▶ Keep containers securely sealed when not in use. Avoid physical damage to containers. Always wash hands with soap and water after handling. Work clothes should be laundered separately. ▶ Use good occupational work practice. Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS. Atmosphere should be regularly checked against established exposure standards to ensure safe working conditions. ▶ DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin
 - Store in original containers.
 - Keep containers securely sealed.
 - No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.
 - ▶ Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.

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- ► 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

- ▶ Metal can or drum
- ▶ Packaging 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	picloram	Picloram	10 mg/m3	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

Emergency Limits

Ingredient	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	75 ppm	100 ppm	450 ppm

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	Not Available	Not Available
picloram	Not Available	Not Available
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	Not Available	Not Available

Occupational Exposure Banding

Ingredient	Occupational Exposure Band Rating	Occupational Exposure Band Limit
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	E	≤ 0.01 mg/m³
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	E	≤ 0.1 ppm
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

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use. Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure.

Appropriate engineering controls

General exhaust is adequate under normal operating conditions. Local exhaust ventilation may be required in specific circumstances. If risk of overexposure exists, wear approved respirator. Correct fit is essential to obtain adequate protection. Provide adequate ventilation in warehouse or closed storage areas. Air contaminants generated in the workplace possess varying "escape" velocities which, in turn, determine the "capture velocities" of fresh circulating air required to effectively remove the contaminant.

	Type of Contaminant:	Air Speed:
coluent veneure degreesing etc. evenerating from took	solvent, vapours, degreasing etc., evaporating from tank (in still air).	0.25-0.5 m/s
	solvent, vapours, degreasing etc., evaporating from tank (in still air).	(50-100 f/min)

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aerosols, fumes from pouring operations, intermittent container filling, low speed conveyer transfers, 0.5-1 m/s welding, spray drift, plating acid fumes, pickling (released at low velocity into zone of active (100-200 f/min.) generation) direct spray, spray painting in shallow booths, drum filling, conveyer loading, crusher dusts, gas 1-2.5 m/s discharge (active generation into zone of rapid air motion) (200-500 f/min.) grinding, abrasive blasting, tumbling, high speed wheel generated dusts (released at high initial 2.5-10 m/s velocity into zone of very high rapid air motion). (500-2000 f/min.)

Within each range the appropriate value depends on:

Lower end of the range	Upper end of the range
1: Room air currents minimal or favourable to capture	1: Disturbing room air currents
2: Contaminants of low toxicity or of nuisance value only.	2: Contaminants of high toxicity
3: Intermittent, low production.	3: High production, heavy use
4: Large hood or large air mass in motion	4: Small hood-local control only

Simple theory shows that air velocity falls rapidly with distance away from the opening of a simple extraction pipe. Velocity generally decreases with the square of distance from the extraction point (in simple cases). Therefore the air speed at the extraction point should be adjusted, accordingly, after reference to distance from the contaminating source. The air velocity at the extraction fan, for example, should be a minimum of 1-2 m/s (200-400 f/min) for extraction of solvents generated in a tank 2 meters distant from the extraction point. Other mechanical considerations, producing performance deficits within the extraction apparatus, make it essential that theoretical air velocities are multiplied by factors of 10 or more when extraction systems are installed or used.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment









Safety glasses with side shields.

► Chemical goggles. [AS/NZS 1337.1, EN166 or national equivalent]

Eye and face protection

 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	► Elbow length PVC gloves	
Body protection	See Other protection below	
Other protection	Overalls. P.V.C apron. Barrier cream. Skin cleansing cream. Ever wash unit	

Respiratory protection

Type A-P 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 P2	-	A-PAPR-AUS / Class 1 P2
up to 50 x ES	-	A-AUS / Class 1 P2	-
up to 100 x ES	-	A-2 P2	A-PAPR-2 P2 ^

^ - Full-face

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)

SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties

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Appearance	Clear brown liquid with slight odour; emulsifies v	with water.	
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	1.124
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
pH (as supplied)	Not Available	Decomposition temperature (°C)	Not Available
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	196 solvent	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Applicable
Flash point (°C)	82	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)	>1	VOC g/L	Not Available

SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

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	Acute effects from inhalation of high vapour concentrations may be chest and nasal irritation with coughing, sneezing, headache and even nausea. 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 Central nervous system (CNS) depression may include nonspecific discomfort, symptoms of giddiness, headache, dizziness, nausea, anaesthetic effects, slowed reaction time, slurred speech and may progress to unconsciousness. Serious poisonings may result in respiratory depression and may be fatal.
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.
Eye	The material may be irritating to the eye, with prolonged contact causing inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.
Chronic	Limited evidence suggests that repeated or long-term occupational exposure may produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems. As with any chemical product, contact with unprotected bare skin; inhalation of vapour, mist or dust in work place atmosphere; or ingestion in any form, should be avoided by observing good occupational work practice.

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A.C. Camulaha	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
AC Scrubba	Dermal (Rabbit) LD50: >2000 mg/kg ^[2]	Not Available
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
riclopyr, butoxyethanol	dermal (mammal) LD50: >2000 mg/kg ^[2]	Not Available
ester	Inhalation(Mammal) LC50; >4.8 mg/L4h ^[2]	
	Oral (Rat) LD50: 2140 mg/kg ^[2]	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
picloram	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >4000 mg/kg ^[2]	Eye (rabbit): moderate *
	Oral (Mouse) LD50; 1061 mg/kg ^[2]	Skin (rabbit): mild *
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION
diethylene glycol	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 8500 mg/kg ^[2]	Eye (rabbit): 125 mg mild
monoethyl ether	Inhalation(Rat) LC50: >5.24 mg/L4h ^[2]	Eye (rabbit): 500 mg moderate
	Oral (Rat) LD50: 5500 mg/kg ^[2]	Skin (rabbit): 500 mg/24h mild
Legend:	Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Subs	stances - Acute toxicity 2. Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS.

TRICLOPYR. **BUTOXYETHANOL ESTER**

Dermal (None) rabbit, male: None > 4000 mg/kg*[Dow]* Dermal (None) rabbit, female: None 2315 mg/kg* The following information refers to contact allergens as a group and may not be specific to this product. Contact allergies quickly manifest themselves as contact eczema, more rarely as urticaria or Quincke's oedema. The pathogenesis of contact eczema involves a cell-mediated (T lymphocytes) immune reaction of the delayed type. Other allergic skin reactions, e.g. contact urticaria, involve antibody-mediated immune reactions. The significance of the contact allergen is not simply determined by its sensitisation potential: the distribution of the substance and the opportunities for contact with it are equally important. A weakly sensitising substance which is widely distributed can be a more important allergen than one with stronger sensitising potential with which few individuals come into contact. From a clinical point of view, substances are noteworthy if they produce an allergic test reaction in more than 1% of the persons tested.

Toxicity class WHO Table 5; EPA IV * ADI 0.07 mg/kg/day NOEL (2 y) for rats 7 mg/kg/day Carcinogenic by RTECS criteria Endocrine tumours, leukopenia recorded.

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.

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Acute toxicity: Picloram is slightly to practically nontoxic via ingestion, with reported oral LD50 values of greater than 5000 mg/kg to 8200 mg/kg in rats, 2000 to 4000 mg/kg in mice, and approximately 2000 mg/kg in rabbits . The reported dermal LD50 in rabbits is greater than 4000 mg/kg, a level which produced no mortality or toxic signs. This indicates slight toxicity via the dermal route as well. Technical picloram is reported to cause no skin and moderate eye irritation in the rabbit, and to cause no skin sensitisation in the guinea pig. Some formulations have caused mild or slight skin irritation and skin sensitization in test animals . The technical grade is moderately toxic by inhalation, with a reported 4-hour inhalation LC50 of greater than 0.35 mg/L . Formulated products may show a lesser toxicity via this route. There is no documented history of human intoxication by picloram, so symptoms of acute exposure are difficult to characterise.

Chronic toxicity: Male mice receiving picloram at dietary doses of 1000 to 2000 mg/kg/day over 32 days showed no clinical signs of toxicity nor changes in blood chemistry, but females did show decreased body weight and increased liver weights . Liver effects were also seen in rats at very high doses of 3000 mg/kg/day over an exposure period of 90 days, and above 225 mg/kg/day for 90 days. Dogs, sheep, and beef cattle fed low levels of picloram for a month experienced no toxic effects. The ester and triisopropanolamine salt showed low toxicity in animal tests . Picloram may show additive effects if mixed with other herbicides such as 2,4-D.

Reproductive effects: In multi-generational studies, pregnant rats exposed during critical periods of gestation to doses of about 180 mg/kg/day of picloram showed no changes in fertility . The fertility of pregnant mice fed 15 mg/kg/day for 4 days before and 14 days after mating was not adversely affected . Other studies showed no effects on fertility or fecundity in rats at doses as high as 1000 mg/kg/day. Picloram does not appear to cause reproductive toxicity.

Teratogenic effects: No teratogenic effects were seen in the offspring of pregnant rats exposed during gestation to 400 mg/kg/day of the acid or potassium salt, or to 1000 mg/kg/day of the ester or other salt [58]. At 2000 mg/kg/day, maternal toxicity was noted but did not induce malformation in the pups. It appears that picloram is not teratogenic.

Mutagenic effects: One test has shown that picloram is mutagenic (to the bacterium Saccharomyces cerevisiae) and another test has shown that it is not mutagenic (Ames test) . In tests for unscheduled DNA synthesis and structural chromosome

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aberrations, the results were also negative. These data suggest that picloram is either nonmutagenic or weakly mutagenic. Carcinogenic effects: Mice fed average doses of 18 mg/kg/day or 30 mg/kg/day for 80 weeks and observed for another 10 weeks did not display any carcinogenic effects. Male rats fed 17.5 or about 40 mg/kg/day for 80 weeks and observed for 33 weeks showed no carcinogenicity, but females developed benign liver tumor nodules. Other tests have indicated an increased incidence of cancer among animals treated with picloram, but these data are difficult to interpret due to possible interference of hexachlorobenzene contaminants. These data suggest that picloram is noncarcinogenic or weakly carcinogenic.

Organ toxicity: Animal studies show the target organs for picloram to be the liver and kidneys.

Fate in humans and animals: Picloram was rapidly absorbed through the gastrointestinal tract in studies using human volunteers, and was excreted unchanged in the urine. Half of the product was excreted within a day or so. Skin absorption is minimal. Rats showed similar results, with administered doses excreted virtually unchanged in urine and faeces within 48 hours. Picloram does not accumulate in fat. No measurable residues were found in milk from cows fed small amounts of the herbicide in their diets. At higher levels of exposure, milk levels of picloram were low (0.05 to 0.29 ppm) and declined rapidly upon withdrawal of picloram from the diet.

The substance is classified by IARC as Group 3:

NOT classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.

Evidence of carcinogenicity may be inadequate or limited in animal testing.

[* The Pesticides Manual, Incorporating The Agrochemicals Handbook, 10th Edition, Editor Clive Tomlin, 1994, British Crop Protection Council]

The material may produce moderate eye irritation leading to 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 diethylene glycol monoalkyl ethers and their acetates:

This category includes diethylene glycol ethyl ether (DGEE), diethylene glycol propyl ether (DGPE) diethylene glycol butyl ether (DGBE) and diethylene glycol hexyl ether (DGHE) and their acetates.

Acute toxicity: There are adequate oral, inhalation and/or dermal toxicity studies on the category members. Oral LD50 values in rats for all category members are all > 3000 mg/kg bw, with values generally decreasing with increasing molecular weight. Four to eight hour acute inhalation toxicity studies were conducted for all category members except DGPE in rats at the highest vapour concentrations achievable. No lethality was observed for any of these materials under these conditions. Dermal LD50 values in rabbits range from 2000 mg/kg bw (DGHE) to 15000 mg/kg bw (DGEEA). Signs of acute toxicity in rodents are consistent with non-specific CNS depression typical of organic solvents in general. All category members are slightly irritating to skin and slightly to moderately irritating to eyes (with the exception of DGHE, which is highly irritating to eyes). Sensitisation tests with DGEE, DGEEA, DGPE, DGBE and DGBEA in animals and/or humans were negative.

Repeat dose toxicity: Valid oral studies conducted using DGEE, DGPE, DGBEA, DGHE and the supporting chemical DGBE ranged in duration from 30 days to 2 years. Effects predominantly included kidney and liver toxicity, absolute and/or relative changes in organ weights, and some changes in haematological parameters. All effects were seen at doses greater than 800-1000 mg/kg bw/day from oral or dermal studies; no systemic effects were observed in inhalation studies with less than continuous exposure regimens.

800-1000 mg/kg bw/day from oral or dermal studies; no systemic effects were observed in inhalation studies with less than continuous exposure regimens.

Mutagenicity: DGEE, DGEEA, DGBE, DGBEA and DGHE generally tested negative for mutagenicity in *S. typhimurium* strains TA98, TA100, TA1535, TA1537 and TA1538 and DGBEA tested negative in E. coli WP2uvrA, with and without metabolic activation. *In vitro* cytogenicity and sister chromatid exchange assays with DGBE and DGHE in Chinese Hamster Ovary Cells

with and without metabolic activation and in vivo micronucleus or cytogenicity tests with DGEE, DGBE and DGHE in rats and

Reproductive and developmental toxicity: Reliable reproductive toxicity studies on DGEE, DGBE and DGHE show no effect on fertility at the highest oral doses tested (4,400 mg/kg/day for DGEE in the mouse and 1,000 mg/kg/day for DGBE and DGHE in the rat). The dermal NOAEL for reproductive toxicity in rats administered DGBE also was the highest dose tested (2,000 mg/kg/day). Although decreased sperm motility was noted in F1 mice treated with 4,400 mg/kg/day DGEE in drinking water for 14 weeks, sperm concentrations and morphology, histopathology of the testes and fertility were not affected. Results of the majority of adequate repeated dose toxicity studies in which reproductive organs were examined indicate that DGPE and DGBEA do not cause toxicity to reproductive organs (including the testes). Test material-related testicular toxicity was not noted in the majority of the studies with DGEE or DGEEA.

Results of the developmental toxicity studies conducted with DGEE, DGBE and DGHE are almost exclusively negative. In these studies, effects on the foetus are generally not observed (even at concentrations that produced maternal toxicity). Exposure to 102 ppm (560 mg/m3) DGEE by inhalation (maximal achievable vapour concentration) or 1385 mg/kg/day DGEE by the dermal route during gestation did not cause maternal or developmental toxicity in the rat. Maternal toxicity and teratogenesis were not observed in rabbits receiving up to 1000 mg/kg/day DGBE by the dermal route during gestation; however a transient decrease in body weight was observed, which reversed by Day 21 In the mouse, the only concentration of DGEE tested (3500 mg/kg/day by gavage) caused maternal, but no foetal toxicity. Also, whereas oral administration of 2050 mg/kg/day DGBE (gavage) to the mouse and 1000 mg/kg/day DGHE (dietary) caused maternal toxicity, these doses had no effect on the developing foetus

DIETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOETHYL ETHER

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

mice were negative, indicating that these diethylene glycol ethers are not likely to be genotoxic.

Legend: X – Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification

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✓ – Data available to make classification

SECTION 12 Ecological information

Toxicity

	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
AC Scrubba	Not Available Not Available		Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
triclopyr, butoxyethanol	EC50	48h	Crustacea	0.27-0.41mg/L	4
ester	NOEC(ECx)	600h	Crustacea	0.001-0.0034mg/l	4
	LC50	96h	Fish	0.2-0.56mg/L	4
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	59-97mg/l	4
picloram	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	Algae or other aquatic plants 18.4-25.1mg/l	
	NOEC(ECx)	1440h	Fish	0.55mg/L	5
	LC50	96h	Fish	0.7-2.5mg/l	4
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	3996.849mg/L	4
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	Algae or other aquatic plants 14861mg/l	
monoethyl ether	EC10(ECx)	168h	Crustacea	7.38mg/l	2
	LC50	96h	Fish	4740-8080mg/l	4
Legend:	4. US EPA, Ec	•	oe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicol Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessmer ncentration Data 8. Vendor Data	•	

Toxic to aquatic organisms.

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	HIGH	HIGH
picloram	HIGH	HIGH
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	LOW (Half-life = 56 days)	LOW (Half-life = 0.93 days)

Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation	
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	MEDIUM (LogKOW = 4.4529)	
picloram	LOW (LogKOW = 1.3599)	
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	LOW (LogKOW = -0.54)	

Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	LOW (KOC = 557.3)
picloram	LOW (KOC = 18.1)
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	HIGH (KOC = 1)

SECTION 13 Disposal considerations

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Waste treatment methods

Product / Packaging disposal

- Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- ▶ Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.

Otherwise:

- If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

SECTION 14 Transport information

Labels Required

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, regulated for storage purposes only

Marine Pollutant



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
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	Not Available
picloram	Not Available
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	Not Available

14.7.3. Transport in bulk in accordance with the IGC Code

Product name	Ship Type
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	Not Available
picloram	Not Available
diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	Not Available

SECTION 15 Regulatory information

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

triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Chemicals with non-industrial uses removed from the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (old Inventory)

Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule $\bf 6$

picloram is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Chemicals with non-industrial uses removed from the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (old Inventory)

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs - Not Classified as Carcinogenic

diethylene glycol monoethyl ether is found on the following regulatory lists

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)

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National Inventory Status

National Inventory	Status	
Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use	Yes	
Canada - DSL	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)	
Canada - NDSL	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; diethylene glycol monoethyl ether)	
China - IECSC	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)	
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Yes	
Japan - ENCS	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)	
Korea - KECI	Yes	
New Zealand - NZIoC	Yes	
Philippines - PICCS	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)	
USA - TSCA	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)	
Taiwan - TCSI	Yes	
Mexico - INSQ	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)	
Vietnam - NCI	Yes	
Russia - FBEPH	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)	
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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Initial Date	09/10/2014

SDS Version Summary

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
6.1	20/08/2021	Classification change due to full database hazard calculation/update.
7.1	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 Limit,
- ▶ 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

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- ▶ AIIC: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
- ▶ DSL: Domestic Substances List
- ▶ 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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