

Safety Data Sheet

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1. Product and Company Identification

Company

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24 Hour Emergency Response Information

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Molecular formula:	C8 H6 Cl2 O3 . C4 H11 N O2
Chemical family:	substituted, aromatic, carboxylic acid
23957	
Synonyms:	diglycolamine salt of dicamba

2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview

CAUTION:
POISON.
WARNING:
Eye irritant.
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.
HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.
HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.
Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

State of matter: liquid
Colour: blue-green
Odour: mild

Potential health effects**Acute toxicity:**

Slightly toxic after single ingestion. Slightly toxic after short-term skin contact. Relatively nontoxic after short-term inhalation.

Irritation / corrosion:

May cause moderate but temporary irritation to the eyes. May cause slight irritation to the skin.

Sensitization:

Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Medical conditions aggravated by overexposure:

Individuals with pre-existing diseases of the respiratory system, skin or eyes may have increased susceptibility to excessive exposures.

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Aquatic toxicity:

There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to fish. There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic invertebrates. Acutely toxic for aquatic plants.

Terrestrial toxicity:

With high probability not acutely harmful to terrestrial organisms.

Degradation / environmental fate:

Not readily biodegradable (by OECD criteria).

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Not WHMIS controlled.

4. First-Aid Measures

General advice:

First aid providers should wear personal protective equipment to prevent exposure. Remove contaminated clothing. Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or physician for treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.

If inhaled:

Remove the affected individual into fresh air and keep the person calm. Assist in breathing if necessary. Immediate medical attention required.

If on skin:

Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 - 20 minutes.

If in eyes:

Hold eyes open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing.

If swallowed:

Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if the victim is unconscious or having convulsions. Do not induce vomiting. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.

Note to physician

Antidote: No known specific antidote.
Treatment: Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point:	> 100 °C	No flash point - Measurement made up to the boiling point.
Flammability:	does not ignite	
Self-ignition temperature:	465 °C	(Directive 92/69/EEC, A.15)

Suitable extinguishing media:

foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide, water spray

Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides

The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

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Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

Further information:

Evacuate area of all unnecessary personnel. Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not allow to enter drains or waterways.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions:

Take appropriate protective measures. Clear area. Shut off source of leak only under safe conditions. Extinguish sources of ignition nearby and downwind. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment.

Environmental precautions:

Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Cleanup:

Dike spillage. Pick up with suitable absorbent material. Place into suitable containers for reuse or disposal in a licensed facility. Spilled substance/product should be recovered and applied according to label rates whenever possible. If application of spilled substance/product is not possible, then spills should be contained, solidified, and placed in suitable containers for disposal. After decontamination, spill area can be washed with water. Collect wash water for approved disposal.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling

General advice:

No special measures necessary if stored and handled correctly. Ensure thorough ventilation of stores and work areas. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift.

Protection against fire and explosion:

The relevant fire protection measures should be noted. Fire extinguishers should be kept handy. Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear. Avoid extreme heat. Keep away from oxidizable substances. Electrical equipment should conform to national electric code. Ground all transfer equipment properly to prevent electrostatic discharge. Electrostatic discharge may cause ignition.

Storage

General advice:

Keep only in the original container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from ignition sources, heat or flame. Protect containers from physical damage. Protect against contamination.

Storage incompatibility:

General advice: Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

Temperature tolerance

Protect from temperatures below: 0 °C

Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored below indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

Protect from temperatures above: 40 °C

Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored above indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

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8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Users of a pesticidal product should refer to the product label for personal protective equipment requirements.

Advice on system design:

Whenever possible, engineering controls should be used to minimize the need for personal protective equipment.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) TC23C Chemical/Mechanical type filter system to remove a combination of particles, gas and vapours. For situations where the airborne concentrations may exceed the level for which an air purifying respirator is effective, or where the levels are unknown or Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH), use NIOSH-certified full facepiece pressure demand self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) or a full facepiece pressure demand supplied-air respirator (SAR) with escape provisions.

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves, Protective glove selection must be based on the user's assessment of the workplace hazards.

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles). Wear face shield if splashing hazard exists.

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen depending on activity and possible exposure, e.g. head protection, apron, protective boots, chemical-protection suit.

General safety and hygiene measures:

Wear long sleeved work shirt and long work pants in addition to other stated personal protective equipment. Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye wash. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Personal protective equipment should be decontaminated prior to reuse. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks). Remove contaminated clothing. Store work clothing separately. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. No eating, drinking, smoking or tobacco use at the place of work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	slightly viscous, liquid	
Odour:	mild	
Odour threshold:	No data available.	
Colour:	blue-green	
pH value:	approx. 8.0	(25 °C) (measured with the undiluted substance)
Freezing point:	approx. < 0 °C	Information applies to the solvent.
Boiling point:	approx. 100 °C	Information applies to the solvent.
Vapour pressure:	approx. 23.3 hPa	(20 °C) Information applies to the solvent.
Density:	1.23 g/cm ³ 10.4 lb/USg	(25 °C)
Vapour density:		not determined
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):		not applicable
Viscosity, dynamic:	4.64 mPa.s 9.21 mPa.s	(40 °C) (OECD 114) (20 °C) (OECD 114)
Solubility in water:		soluble

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10. Stability and Reactivity

Conditions to avoid:

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Avoid prolonged storage. Avoid electro-static discharge. Avoid contamination. Avoid prolonged exposure to extreme heat. Avoid extreme temperatures.

Substances to avoid:

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous reactions:

The product is chemically stable.

Hazardous polymerization will not occur. No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Thermal decomposition:

Possible thermal decomposition products:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, Hydrogen chloride, nitrogen oxide, nitrogen dioxide, Hydrocarbons

Stable at ambient temperature. If product is heated above decomposition temperature toxic vapours may be released.

Oxidizing properties:

not fire-propagating (Directive 2004/73/EC, A.21)

Not an oxidizer.

11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity**Oral:**

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat

Value: 3,512 mg/kg

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat (male/female)

Value: 3,512 mg/kg

Inhalation:

Type of value: LC50

Species: rat

Value: > 5.3 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Dermal:

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat

Value: > 2,000 mg/kg

Irritation / corrosion**Skin:**

Species: rabbit

Method: FHSA Guideline

May cause slight irritation to the skin.

Eye:

Species: rabbit

May cause moderate but temporary irritation to the eyes.

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Sensitization:

Skin sensitization test
Species: guinea pig
Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Genetic toxicity

Information on: Dicamba
Results from a number of mutagenicity studies with microorganisms, mammalian cell culture and mammals are available. Taking into account all of the information, there is no indication that the substance is mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity

Information on: Dicamba
In long-term studies in rats and mice in which the substance was given by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed.

Reproductive toxicity

Information on: Dicamba
The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

Development:

Information on: Dicamba
Causes developmental effects in animals at high, maternally toxic doses.

12. Ecological Information

Fish

Acute:
static
Lepomis macrochirus/LC50 (96 h): > 1,000 mg/l

Aquatic invertebrates

Acute:
static
Daphnia magna/EC50 (48 h): > 1,000 mg/l

Aquatic plants

Toxicity to aquatic plants:
green algae/EC50: > 3.7 mg/l

Non-Mammals

Other terrestrial non-mammals:
bobwhite quail/LC50: > 5,620 ppm

Degradability / Persistence **Biological / Abiological Degradation**

Evaluation: Not readily biodegradable (by OECD criteria).

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13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

See product label for disposal and recycling instructions.

Container disposal:

Rinse the container or liner as needed for disposal. Add rinsate to spray tank. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers. Consult the product label for additional details.

14. Transport Information

Land transport

TDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

IMDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

15. Regulatory Information

Federal Regulations

Registration status:

Chemical DSL, CA released; restriction on quantity / not listed

Crop Protection DSL, CA released / exempt

WHMIS does not apply to this product.

THIS PRODUCT HAS BEEN CLASSIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HAZARD CRITERIA OF THE CPR AND THE MSDS CONTAINS ALL THE INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE CPR.

16. Other Information

Recommended use: herbicide

We support worldwide Responsible Care® initiatives. We value the health and safety of our employees, customers, suppliers and neighbors, and the protection of the environment. Our commitment to Responsible Care is integral to conducting our business and operating our facilities in a safe and environmentally responsible fashion, supporting our customers and suppliers in ensuring the safe and environmentally sound handling of our products, and minimizing the impact of our operations on society and the environment during production, storage, transport, use and disposal of our products.

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