



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION

ACUTE EFFECTS

SWALLOWED:

The spray solution is not considered a significant hazard due to the relatively low toxicity of the diluted product. The concentrate has been assessed using the Worksafe Criteria and has been found to be of low toxicity.

EYE:

The concentrate is moderately irritating to the eyes.

SKIN:

The concentrate may irritate the skin. Facial skin contact may cause temporary numbness.

INHALED:

Dust may be slightly toxic if inhaled over long periods. Inhalation of spray mists should be avoided.

CHRONIC EFFECTS

The active ingredient (triadimefon) has been associated with changes in the liver, decreased kidney weights and altered urinary bladder structure in laboratory animals exposed to 18-60 mg/kg/day. The ingredients are not listed as carcinogenic. Studies suggest it is unlikely that triadimefon will cause birth defects in humans under normal circumstances. Evidence suggests it is unlikely that triadimefon will cause reproductive toxicity in humans under normal conditions.

FIRST AID

SWALLOWED:

If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting; seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label or contact the Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26. Make every effort to prevent vomit from entering the lungs by careful placement of the patient.

EYE:

If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes.

SKIN:

If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation persists seek medical advice.

INHALED:

Remove affected person to fresh air until recovered. Consult a doctor if irritation persists.



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PERSONAL PROTECTION:

The concentrate may irritate the eyes and skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. When preparing product for use wear elbow length PVC gloves and face shield or goggles. After use and before eating, drinking or smoking, wash hands, arms and face thoroughly with soap and water. After each day's use wash gloves, face shield or goggles and contaminated clothing. If product on skin, immediately wash area with soap and water. If in eyes, wash it out immediately with water.

FLAMMABILITY:

Combustible C1.

ENVIRONMENT:

Do not contaminate streams, rivers or waterways with the chemical or used containers. Do not use the container for any other purpose. Soil degradation for triadimefon is very variable and depends on soil type, moisture and temperature. Microbial degradation occurs with half lives quoted from 10 days to 7 months. Degradation in water is very slow.

SAFE HANDLING INFORMATION

STORAGE AND TRANSPORT:

STORAGE:

Store out of the reach of children.
Store in the closed, original container in a cool, well ventilated area out of direct sunlight. So not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight.
Store in a safe place away from foodstuffs, seeds or fertilisers so that cross contamination cannot occur.

ROAD & AIR TRANSPORT:

Considered non hazardous for transport by the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

Packaging and Labelling:

POISON

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

The product has been assessed according to the Worksafe criteria for classifying hazardous substances and is classified as hazardous.

Risk Phrases:

R65 Harmful: May cause lung damage if swallowed.

Safety Phrases:

S2 Keep out of the reach of children.

S23 Do not breathe vapour.



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Packaging and Labelling: - (continued)

- S24 Avoid contact with skin.
- S62 If swallowed, do not induce vomiting, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

SPILLS AND DISPOSAL:

Contain spill and absorb with vermiculite, sand or other solid absorbent. Collect in sealed open top containers for disposal. Prevent from entering drains, waterways or sewers. Triple rinse the container before disposal. Add rinsate to the spray tanks. Do not dispose of undiluted chemicals on site. If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or designated collection point. If not recycling, break, crush or puncture and bury empty containers in a local authority landfill. If no landfill is available, bury the containers below 500mm in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots. Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD:

The product is combustible.
Extinguishing media: Water fog, foam, dry chemical, CO2.
Fire decomposition products from this product may form toxic and corrosive mixtures in confined spaces.

Reactivity Data:

Keep away from oxidising agents, may react vigorously.
The product will not polymerise.

OTHER INFORMATION

User Data:
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Contact Point:
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