

**Classic™ Herbicide**

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This SDS adheres to the standards and regulatory requirements of Canada and may not meet the regulatory requirements in other countries.

**SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : Classic™ Herbicide  
SDS Number : 130000121249  
Product Use : Herbicide  
Manufacturer : Production Agriscience Canada Company  
P.O. Box 730, 7398 Queen's Line  
Chatham, Ontario  
N7M 5L1  
Canada  
Product Information : 1-800-667-3852  
Medical Emergency : 1-800-441-3637 (24 hours)

**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Emergency Overview

Caution

May irritate eyes, nose, throat or skin. May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Potential Health Effects

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

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

Repeated exposure

Quartz : DuPont has classified this material as a known human carcinogen.

Carcinogenicity

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

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**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

| Component         | CAS-No.    | Concentration |
|-------------------|------------|---------------|
| Chlorimuron ethyl | 90982-32-4 | 25 %          |
| Other Ingredients |            | 75 %          |

Present as an impurity in the clay component of this product:

|                  |  |      |
|------------------|--|------|
| Titanium Dioxide |  | <1 % |
| Quartz           |  | <1 % |

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

- Skin contact** : Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Eye contact** : Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Inhalation** : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.
- General advice** : Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.  
For medical emergencies involving this product, call toll free 1-800-441-3637.  
See Label for Additional Precautions and Directions for Use.

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**SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Flammable Properties

Ignition temperature : 330 °C (626 °F)

Lower explosion limit/ Lower flammability limit : 0.212 g/l

Fire and Explosion Hazard : Under severe dusting conditions, this material may form explosive mixtures in air.

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

Unsuitable extinguishing media : High volume water jet, (contamination risk)

Firefighting Instructions : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear suitable protective equipment.  
If area is heavily exposed to fire and if conditions permit, let fire burn itself out since water may increase the area contaminated. Use water spray. Runoff from fire control may be a pollution hazard. Control Runoff.

**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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

Spill Cleanup : Dike spill. Prevent further leakage or spillage. Shovel or sweep up. Dispose of in an approved container. Take special care to avoid contamination of equipment and facilities during cleanup procedures and disposal of wastes. For minor spills, leaks, etc., follow all precautions indicated on the label and clean up immediately. If spill area is on ground near valuable plants or trees, remove 5 cm of top soil after initial clean-up.

Accidental Release Measures : Prevent material from entering sewers, waterways, or low areas. Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

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**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

- Handling (Personnel) : Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove clothing/PPE immediately if material gets inside. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Handling (Physical Aspects) : Avoid dust formation.
- Storage : Do not contaminate water, other pesticides, fertilizer, food or feed in storage. Store in original container. Keep out of the reach of children.

**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

- Engineering controls : Use only with adequate ventilation. When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240 (d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS. **IMPORTANT:** When reduced PPE is worn because a closed system is being used, handlers must be provided all PPE specified for "Applicators and Other Handlers" and have such PPE immediately available for use in an emergency, such as a spill or equipment breakdown.

Personal protective equipment

- Skin and body protection : Applicators and other handlers must wear:
    - Long sleeved shirt and long pants
    - Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material
    - Polyvinylchloride
    - Shoes plus socks
- PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has

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

Coveralls

Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material

Polyvinylchloride

Shoes plus socks

Protective measures : Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

All chemical protective clothing should be visually inspected prior to use. Clothing and gloves should be replaced in case of chemical or physical damage or if contaminated.

Exposure Guidelines

Exposure Limit Values

| Chlorimuron ethyl |          |          |                                 |
|-------------------|----------|----------|---------------------------------|
| AEL *             | (DuPont) | 10 mg/m3 | 8 & 12 hr. TWA Total dust.      |
| AEL *             | (DuPont) | 5 mg/m3  | 8 & 12 hr. TWA Respirable dust. |

| Titanium dioxide |         |          |  |
|------------------|---------|----------|--|
| TLV              | (ACGIH) | 10 mg/m3 | 8-hour, time-weighted average Titanium dioxide |

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|       |          |  |
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|       |          | Lower Respiratory Tract irritation<br>Not classifiable as a human carcinogen |
| AEL * | (DuPont) | 10 mg/m3 8 & 12 hr. TWA Total dust.  |
| AEL * | (DuPont) | 5 mg/m3 8 & 12 hr. TWA Respirable dust.                                      |

|               |          |   |
|---------------|----------|---|
| <b>Quartz</b> |          |   |
| TLV           | (ACGIH)  | 0.025 mg/m3 8-hour, time-weighted average Respirable fraction Silica<br><br>Lung cancer<br>Pulmonary fibrosis<br>Suspected human carcinogen |
| AEL *         | (DuPont) | 0.01 mg/m3 12 hr. TWA Respirable dust.  |
| AEL *         | (DuPont) | 0.02 mg/m3 8 hr. TWA Respirable dust.   |

**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Form : solid, granules  
Color : ivory  
Odor : none  
Bulk density : loose  
Water solubility : dispersible

**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability : Stable at normal temperatures and storage conditions.  
Incompatibility : None reasonably foreseeable.

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**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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- Inhalation 4 h LC50 : > 5.0 mg/l , Rat
- Dermal LD50 : > 2,000 mg/kg , Rabbit
- Oral LD50 : > 5,000 mg/kg , Rat
- Skin irritation : No skin irritation, Rabbit
- Eye irritation : slight irritation, Rabbit
- Sensitisation : Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals., Guinea pig

Chlorimuron ethyl

- Repeated dose toxicity : The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.
  - Dermal  
Rabbit  
No toxicologically significant effects were found.
  - Oral  
Dog  
No toxicological effects warranting significant target organ toxicity classification were seen below the recommended guidance values for classification., Abnormal decrease in number of red blood cells
  - Oral  
Rat  
No adverse effect has been observed in chronic toxicity tests.
- Carcinogenicity : Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.  
Animal testing did not show any carcinogenic effects.
- Reproductive toxicity : No toxicity to reproduction

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Teratogenicity : Animal testing showed effects on embryo-fetal development at levels equal to or above those causing maternal toxicity.

Titanium Dioxide  
Carcinogenicity : Based upon all available study results, DuPont scientists conclude that titanium dioxide will not cause lung cancer or chronic respiratory diseases in humans at concentrations experienced in the workplace.

Quartz  
Repeated dose toxicity : The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.

Inhalation  
Fluid retention in lungs (pulmonary oedema), lung effects, Inflammation, Chronic lung disease, Fibrosis

Carcinogenicity : Human carcinogen.  
DuPont has classified this material as a known human carcinogen.

**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Aquatic Toxicity  
Chlorimuron ethyl

|           |   |  |
|-----------|---|--|
| 96 h LC50 | : | Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) > 1,000 mg/l         |
| 96 h LC50 | : | Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish) > 100 mg/l        |
| 72 h EC50 | : | Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) 0.001 mg/l |
| 48 h EC50 | : | Daphnia magna (Water flea) > 1,000 mg/l                  |

Additional ecological information : Environmental Hazards: Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate. Do not apply where/when conditions favour runoff.



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**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste Disposal : Do not contaminate water, food or feed by disposal. Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container disposal: : Container Refilling and Disposal:  
Refer to the product label for instructions.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

|        |                      |  |
|--------|----------------------|--|
| IATA_C | UN number            | : 3077   |
|        | Proper shipping name | : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Chlorimuron ethyl) |
|        | Class                | : 9  |
|        | Packing group        | : III  |
|        | Labelling No.        | : 9  |
| IMDG   | UN number            | : 3077   |
|        | Proper shipping name | : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Chlorimuron ethyl) |
|        | Class                | : 9  |
|        | Packing group        | : III  |
|        | Labelling No.        | : 9  |
|        | Marine pollutant     | : yes (Chlorimuron ethyl)  |

Not regulated as a hazardous material by TDG.

**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

PCP Registration # : 29416  
Remarks : Regulated under the Pest Control Products Act - WHMIS exempt.  
No substances are subject to a Significant New Activity Notification.

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**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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