

# Surefire Raizon Herbicide PCT Holdings Pty Ltd

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Safety Data Sheet according to WHS and ADG requirements

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

Product Identifier	
Product name	Surefire Raizon Herbicide
Synonyms	APVMA Code: 70360
Proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains picloram and triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)
Other means of identification	Not Available

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

Relevant identified uses	Agricultural herbicide for use as described on the product label.
Relevant identified uses	Use according to manufacturer's directions.

# Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name	PCT Holdings Pty Ltd
Address	1/74 Murdoch Circuit Acacia Ridge QLD 4110 Australia
Telephone	1800 630 877
Fax	Not Available
Website	Not Available
Email	Not Available

# Emergency telephone number

Association / Organisation	Poison Information centre
Emergency telephone numbers	13 1126
Other emergency telephone numbers	Not Available

# **SECTION 2 Hazards identification**

# Classification of the substance or mixture

COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID, regulated for storage purposes only

Poisons Schedule	S6
Classification <sup>[1]</sup>	Flammable Liquid Category 4, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Eye Irritation Category 2A, Skin Sensitizer Category 1, Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Category 2, Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 1
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI

# Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)







Signal word Warning

# Hazard statement(s)

H227	Combustible liquid.	
H302	Harmful if swallowed.	
H315	Causes skin irritation.	
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.	
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.	
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.	
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.	

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### Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces No smoking.		
P260	Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.		
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.		
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

P321	Specific treatment (see advice on this label).					
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.					
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use alcohol resistant foam or normal protein foam for extinction.					
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.					
P391	Collect spillage.					
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.					
P330	Rinse mouth.					

# Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P403+P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

### 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	10-30	triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	
Not Available		(300g/L)	
1918-02-1	1-10	picloram	
Not Available		(100 g/L)	
Not Available	30-60	Ingredients determined not to be hazardous	

# **SECTION 4 First aid measures**

# Description of first aid measures

If this product comes in contact with the eyes:

# **Eye Contact**

- Wash out immediately with fresh running water.
- Figure 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. If fumes, aerosols or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.

# Inhalation

- ▶ Other measures are usually unnecessary. ► IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY.
- ▶ For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.
- Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.
- In the mean time, qualified first-aid personnel should treat the patient following observation and employing supportive measures as indicated by the patient's condition.
- If the services of a medical officer or medical doctor are readily available, the patient should be placed in his/her care and a copy of the SDS should be provided. Further action will be the responsibility of the medical specialist
- If medical attention is not available on the worksite or surroundings send the patient to a hospital together with a copy of the SDS.

Ingestion

Where medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed

otherwise INDUCE vomiting with fingers down the back of the throat, ONLY IF CONSCIOUS. Lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down Chemwatch: 5428-32 Page 3 of 11 Issue Date: 09/10/2020 Version No: 2.1.1.1

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NOTE: Wear a protective glove when inducing vomiting by mechanical means.

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

As in all cases of suspected poisoning, follow the ABCDEs of emergency medicine (airway, breathing, circulation, disability, exposure), then the ABCDEs of toxicology (antidotes, basics, change absorption, change distribution, change elimination).

For poisons (where specific treatment regime is absent):

### BASIC TREATMENT

- Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.
- Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary
- Administer oxygen by non-rebreather mask at 10 to 15 L/min.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for pulmonary oedema.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for shock.
- Anticipate seizures
- DO NOT use emetics. Where ingestion is suspected rinse mouth and give up to 200 ml water (5 ml/kg recommended) for dilution where patient is able to swallow, has a strong gag reflex and does not drool.

ADVANCED TREATMENT

- Consider orotracheal or nasotracheal intubation for airway control in unconscious patient or where respiratory arrest has occurred.
- Positive-pressure ventilation using a bag-valve mask might be of use.
- Monitor and treat, where necessary, for arrhythmias.
- Start an IV D5W TKO. If signs of hypovolaemia are present use lactated Ringers solution. Fluid overload might create complications.
- Drug therapy should be considered for pulmonary oedema.
- Hypotension with signs of hypovolaemia requires the cautious administration of fluids. Fluid overload might create complications.
- Treat seizures with diazepam.
- Proparacaine hydrochloride should be used to assist eye irrigation.

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Treat symptomatically.

# **SECTION 5 Firefighting measures**

# **Extinguishing media**

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

# 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

- ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.
- Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area. Fire Fighting Avoid spraying water onto liquid pools.
  - ▶ 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.

- 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.
- Mists containing combustible materials may be explosive.

# Fire/Explosion Hazard

Combustion products include: carbon dioxide (CO2)

hydrogen chloride phosgene

nitrogen oxides (NOx) other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material

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# **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

**Minor Spills** 

Environmental hazard - contain spillage. Clean up all spills immediately.

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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. Environmental hazard - contain spillage. 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. **Major Spills** 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 DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin 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. Safe handling When handling, DO NOT eat, drink or smoke. 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. Store in original containers. Keep containers securely sealed. No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources. Other information 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	<ul> <li>Metal can or drum</li> <li>Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.</li> <li>Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.</li> </ul>
Storage incompatibility	for pyridines:  Because of the electronegative nitrogen in the pyridine ring, the molecule is relatively electron deficient. It, therefore, enters less readily electrophilic aromatic substitution reactions, which are characteristic of benzene derivatives; even more so if the reaction mix doesn't scavenge protons released by the reaction (protonated pyridine is even more electron-deficient). However, unlike benzene and its derivatives, pyridine is more prone to nucleophilic substitution and metalation of the ring by strong organometallic bases.  The nitrogen center of pyridine features a basic lone pair of electrons. Because this lone pair is not part of the aromatic ring, pyridine is a base, having chemical properties similar to those of tertiary amines. Pyridine can act as Lewis base, donating its pair of electrons to a Lewis acid.  Pyridine is protonated by reaction with acids and forms a positively charged aromatic polyatomic ion called pyridinium  The reactivity of pyridine can be distinguished for three chemical groups.  With electrophiles, electrophilic substitution takes place where pyridine expresses aromatic properties.  With nucleophiles, pyridine reacts at positions 2 and 4 and thus behaves similar to imines and carbonyls.  The reaction with many Lewis acids results in the addition to the nitrogen atom of pyridine, which is similar to the reactivity of tertiary amines. The ability of pyridine and its derivatives to oxidize, forming amine oxides (N-oxides), is also a feature of tertiary amines  Avoid strong bases.

# 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

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### Emergency Limits

Ingredient	Material name	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3	
Surefire Raizon Herbicide	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	
Ingredient	Original IDLH		Revised IDLH		
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	Not Available		Not Available		
picloram	Not Available		Not Available		

### Occupational Exposure Banding

Ingredient	Occupational Exposure Band Rating	Occupational Exposure Band Limit
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	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.	

# **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.

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.

# Appropriate engineering controls

Type of Contaminant:	Air Speed:
solvent, vapours, degreasing etc., evaporating from tank (in still air).	0.25-0.5 m/s (50-100 f/min)
aerosols, fumes from pouring operations, intermittent container filling, low speed conveyer transfers, welding, spray drift, plating acid fumes, pickling (released at low velocity into zone of active generation)	0.5-1 m/s (100-200 f/min.)
direct spray, spray painting in shallow booths, drum filling, conveyer loading, crusher dusts, gas discharge (active generation into zone of rapid air motion)	1-2.5 m/s (200-500 f/min.)
grinding, abrasive blasting, tumbling, high speed wheel generated dusts (released at high initial velocity into zone of very high rapid air motion).	2.5-10 m/s (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.

# Personal protection









Eye and face protection

- ► Safety glasses with side shields
- Chemical goggles.
- 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], [AS/NZS 1336 or national equivalent]

# Skin protection

# See Hand protection below

- ▶ Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.
- ▶ Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber

# NOTE:

# Hands/feet protection

- The material may produce skin sensitisation in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and other protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact.
- Contaminated leather items, such as shoes, belts and watch-bands should be removed and destroyed.

The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when

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making a final choice.

Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include:

- frequency and duration of contact,
- chemical resistance of glove material.
- glove thickness and
- dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent).

When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.

- When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- Some glove polymer types are less affected by movement and this should be taken into account when considering gloves for long-term use.

Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

As defined in ASTM F-739-96 in any application, gloves are rated as:

- Excellent when breakthrough time > 480 min
- Good when breakthrough time > 20 min
- Fair when breakthrough time < 20 min
- Poor when glove material degrades

For general applications, gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm, are recommended.

It should be emphasised that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Therefore, glove selection should also be based on consideration of the task requirements and knowledge of breakthrough times.

Glove thickness may also vary depending on the glove manufacturer, the glove type and the glove model. Therefore, the manufacturers' technical data should always be taken into account to ensure selection of the most appropriate glove for the task

Note: Depending on the activity being conducted, gloves of varying thickness may be required for specific tasks. For example:

- Thinner gloves (down to 0.1 mm or less) may be required where a high degree of manual dexterity is needed. However, these gloves are only likely to give short duration protection and would normally be just for single use applications, then disposed of.
- Thicker gloves (up to 3 mm or more) may be required where there is a mechanical (as well as a chemical) risk i.e. where there is abrasion or puncture potential

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

### **Body protection**

See Other protection below

# Other protection

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

# 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	-	A-PAPR-AUS / Class 1
up to 50 x ES	-	A-AUS / Class 1	-
up to 100 x ES	-	A-2	A-PAPR-2 ^

# ^ - 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)

- 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	Clear brown to black coloured liquid with slight characteristic pungent odour; miscible 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)	7.0-7.9	Decomposition temperature	Not Available	
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available	
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	190	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Applicable	
Flash point (°C)	82	Taste	Not Available	
Evaporation rate	Not Available	Explosive properties	Not Available	

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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**

Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	<ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul>
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	The material is not thought to produce either adverse health effects or irritation of the respiratory tract following inhalation (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless, adverse systemic effects have been produced following exposure of animals by at least one other route and good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable control measures be used in an occupational setting.
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.  This substance may produce depression, weakness, inco-ordination, tremors and convulsions before death. Repeated exposure to low/moderate doses may cause increased liver and kidney weight and slight reduction in body weight. Lesions may appear on the liver and kidney.
Skin Contact	This material can cause inflammation of the skin on contact in some persons.  The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition  Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material  Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.
Eye	This material can cause eye irritation and damage in some persons.
Chronic	Skin contact with the material is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population.  Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.  This material can cause serious damage if one is exposed to it for long periods. It can be assumed that it contains a substance which can produce severe defects.  Data from experimental studies indicate that pyridines represent a potential cause of cancer in man. They have also been shown to cross the placental barrier in rats and cause premature delivery, miscarriages and stillbirths.  Repeated exposure to high amounts of picloram may cause liver effects. Animal testing has shown that exposure for long periods may potentially increase tumours of the liver, pituitary gland, adrenal gland and spleen.

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	Not Available	Not Available	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	Oral (rat) LD50: 2140 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Not Available	
	TOVICITY	IDDITATION	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >4000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): moderate *	
picloram	Oral (rabbit) LD50: 2000 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Skin (rabbit): mild *	
	Oral (rat) LD50: 2892 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>		
Legend:	Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances		

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, leukonenia 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.

Picloram is absorbed rapidly after oral ingestion and minimally through the skin. It may cause mild skin irritation. Symptoms of acute exposure are difficult to characterise. Target organs are the liver and kidneys. Long term exposure may be associated with decreased body weight and increased liver weight. Effects may be worse if mixed with other herbicides. Picloram at most, has only a weak effect on reproduction or increasing the risk of cancer.

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]

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

Legend:

X - Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification

Data available to make classification

# **SECTION 12 Ecological information**

**PICLORAM** 

# **Toxicity**

Surefire Raizon Herbicide	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
picloram	NOEC	1440	Fish	0.55mg/L	5
Legend:	V3.12 (QSAR	) - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US E	Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Inf EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data Ipan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Dat	a 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard A	

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Do NOT allow product to come in contact with surface waters or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment wash-waters.

Wastes resulting from use of the product must be disposed of on site or at approved waste sites.

For Pyridine and its Derivatives

Environmental Fate: As molecular weight/substitution increase in the pyridine category, greater distribution to water and soil, and less to air, is predicted.

Atmospheric Fate: The lower weight pyridine, piperidine, is expected to be rapidly degraded by UV light in the atmosphere, with an estimated half-life of < 1 day. Higher molecular weight pyridines are expected to be broken down by sunlight, (photodegrades), more slowly, (half-lives ranging from 10-30 days). Lutidines and collidines are expected to photodegrade even more slowly. The nitrile derivatives of pyridine are also predicted to photodegrade slowly, with half-lives of 164 days; however, the nitrile derivatives of pyridine are predicted to partition to air much less favorably than to soil and water.

Terrestrial Fate: Depending upon the environmental conditions, different types of bacteria, fungi, and enzymes are involved in the breakdown of these substances.

Aquatic Fate: Pyridines are not expected to be broken down by water; however, breakdown by microbes is expected, if sufficient oxygen is available. These substances are expected to be stable in low oxygen/sterile conditions.

Ecotoxicity: Pyridine and its derivatives range from slightly to moderately toxic to fish, invertebrates and algae.

# Environmental Fate:

Breakdown in soil and groundwater: Picloram is found to be moderately to highly persistent in the environment. Picloram is non-volatile, mobile and soluble in water thus may be a cause of concern on groundwater contamination. Photodegradation of picloram happens only on the soil surface and can be slowly degraded by soil microorganisms. Microbial degradation of picloram happens in the presence of oxygen and is dependent on the application rate. Adsorption of picloram to soil is enhanced with an increase in the organic matter content.

Breakdown in water: Laboratory results show that picloram in water is readily degraded by sunlight.

Breakdown in vegetation: Picloram is readily absorbed by plant roots, not so by foliage, and is readily translocated to other parts of the plants. Moreover, picloram remains stable and intact in plants. Picloram undergoes photodegradation on plant surfaces.

Bioconcentration: Study shows that picloram is less likely to accumulate in aquatic organisms.

Ecotoxicity: Toxicity tests conducted on various organisms show that picloram is practically non-toxic to birds such as duck, pheasant and quail; slightly to moderately toxic to rainbow trout, bluegill sunfish ,fathead minnow and Daphnia magna; and highly toxic to channel catfish. Most salt of picloram are of similar or lesser toxicity but the isooctyl ester may be highly toxic.

Bird LD50: duck, pheasant, quail >2000- >5000mg/kg

Fish LC50 (96h): Rainbow trout 19.3 mg/L; bluegill sunfish 14.5 mg/L; fathead minnow 55 mg/L

Fish LC50 (96h): isooctyl ester: rainbow trout 4mg/L; channel catfish 1.4 mg/l

Daphnia magna LC50 (48h): 50 mg/l Other aquatic invertebrates: 10-68 mg/l A persistent herbicide (or contains the herbicide)

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Certain herbicides can persist on vegetation and in the soil for months or years and these products are called "persistent herbicides". Persistent herbicides are a narrow range of herbicides used to kill broad leaf weeds and thistle that compete with grasses and grain crops. They are "persistent" because they will not be killed by the high temperatures in thermophilic composting and may take over 2 years or more to fully decay

The class of herbicides from the picolinic acid family is of the greatest concern. These chemicals are marketed for use in hayfields, horse pastures, golf courses, roadways, grain crops, and lawns, to kill unwanted broad-leaf weeds. These herbicides do not normally impact grasses and plants like corn, wheat, and oats.

Herbicides vary in their potential to persist in soil. Herbicide families that have persistent members include triazines, uracils, phenylureas, sulfonylureas, dinitroanilines

isoxazolidiones, imidazolinones, and certain plant growth regulators belonging to the pyridine family.

The length of time a herbicide remains active in soil is called "soil persistence," or "soil residual life". For some herbicides, there may be a fine line between controlling weeds for the entire growing season and then planting a sensitive rotation crop. Anything that affects the disappearance or breakdown of herbicides affects persistence

Persistent herbicides are generally colourless and odorless. Scientific studies reveal that pass unaltered during animal digestion (including microbial digestion) when used at labelled rates. In fact, animal digestion tends to strengthen the impact of these chemicals through concentration because the animal processes the food but passes most of the chemical as a waste.

Persistent herbicide may will kill a tomato plant at a concentration of one part per billion, and impact many other garden plants as well. Plant families sensitive to persistent herbicides include

- The nitrogen-fixing, legume family of plants such as peas, beans, lentils, and clover
- The nightshade, solanaceous family of plants such as tomatoes and potatoes
- The sunflower, composites family of plants such as sunflower, petunias, daisies, lettuce, and asters
- The cucumber, cucurbit family of plants such as cucumber, squash, pumpkin, and watermelon

 $\label{plants} \mbox{ Damaged plants may show on or more of the following symptoms:} \\$ 

Stunted growth: the main growth tip stops growing and the lateral buds begin to grow

- Reduced fruit set
- Cupping of leaves
- Failure of secondary leaves to grow after the seed leaves emerge
- In legumes, compound leaves stay single

Depending on the type of herbicide and the level of concentration in the soil, persistent herbicides can last anywhere from several months to three or more years before completely breaking down into inert compounds. The length of time depends upon a variety of factors, including the type and moisture content of the soil.

The most common feed stocks with persistent herbicide contamination are manures and bedding, but grass clippings and many food items can be contaminated.

Persistent pesticides do not break-down in the composting process. At its most fundamental level, composting is digestion by microorganisms, regardless of whether it is an aerated static pile, anaerobic digestion, etc. Simple composting math demonstrates that one ton of feedstock reduces to approximately half that amount as finished compost. Persistent herbicides break down much more slowly than the materials in compost, and therefore, most of the chemicals pass into the finished compost. Low toxicity to animals is one often cited benefit of persistent herbicides.

According to the USEPA, persistent herbicides are not harmful to people or animals when these products are used at labelled rates.

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways

### Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	HIGH	HIGH
picloram	HIGH	HIGH

# **Bioaccumulative potential**

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation	
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	MEDIUM (LogKOW = 4.4529)	
picloram	LOW (LogKOW = 1.3599)	

# Mobility in soil

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Ingredient	Mobility
triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester	LOW (KOC = 557.3)
picloram	LOW (KOC = 18.1)

# **SECTION 13 Disposal considerations**

# 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.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- ▶ Reduction
- Reuse
- Recycling
- Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. If it has been contaminated, it may be possible to reclaim the product by filtration, distillation or some other means. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

- DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- Consult State Land Waste Authority for disposal.
- Bury or incinerate residue at an approved site.
- Recycle containers if possible, or dispose of in an authorised landfill

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# **SECTION 14 Transport information**

# **Labels Required**



# **Marine Pollutant**



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# Land transport (ADG)

UN number	3082		
UN proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains picloram and triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)		
Transport hazard class(es)	Class 9 Subrisk Not Applicable		
Packing group	III		
Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous		
Special precautions for user	Special provisions Limited quantity	274 331 335 375 AU01 5 L	

Environmentally Hazardous Substances meeting the descriptions of UN 3077 or UN 3082

- are not subject to this Code when transported by road or rail in;
- (a) packagings;
- (b) IBCs; or
- (c) any other receptacle not exceeding 500 kg(L).

   Australian Special Provisions (SP AU01) ADG Code 7th Ed.

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

UN number	3082			
UN proper shipping name	Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. * (contains picloram and triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)			
Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO/IATA Class ICAO / IATA Subrisk ERG Code	O / IATA Subrisk Not Applicable		
Packing group				
Environmental hazard	Environmentally hazardous			
Special precautions for user	Special provisions  Cargo Only Packing Instructions  Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack  Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions  Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack  Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions  Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack		A97 A158 A197 964 450 L 964 450 L Y964 30 kg G	

# Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

UN number	3082		
UN proper shipping name	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains picloram and triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)		
Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class 9 IMDG Subrisk N	lot Applicable	
Packing group	III		
Environmental hazard	Marine Pollutant		
Special precautions for user	EMS Number Special provisions Limited Quantities	F-A , S-F 274 335 969 5 L	

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# **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 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

### **National Inventory Status**

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National Inventory	Status		
Australia - AIIC	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)		
Australia - Non-Industrial Use	Yes		
Canada - DSL	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)		
Canada - NDSL	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)		
China - IECSC	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)		
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Yes		
Japan - ENCS	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester; picloram)		
Korea - KECI	No (triclopyr, butoxyethanol ester)		
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 - ARIPS	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 and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets)		

# **SECTION 16 Other information**

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# SDS Version Summary

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# 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**

 ${\sf PC-TWA} : {\sf Permissible\ Concentration-Time\ Weighted\ Average}$ 

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

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

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