

## NORTRON® SC HERBICIDE

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## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE **COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**

**Product identifier** 

NORTRON® SC HERBICIDE Trade name

Product code (UVP) 05853965

**SDS Number** 102000013443

**EPA Registration No.** 264-613

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

Use Herbicide

Restrictions on use See product label for restrictions.

Information on supplier

**Supplier** Bayer CropScience LP

800 North Lindbergh Blvd. St. Louis, MO 63167

USA

**Responsible Department** Email: SDSINFO.BCS-NA@bayer.com

Emergency telephone no.

**Emergency Telephone** 

Number (24hr/ 7 days)

1-800-334-7577

**Product Information Telephone Number** 

1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937)

#### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## Classification in accordance with regulation HCS 29CFR §1910.1200

This material is not hazardous under the criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29CFR 1910.1200.

## **Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)**

No physical hazards not otherwise classified. No health hazards not otherwise classified.

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

**Hazardous Component Name** CAS-No. Concentration % by weight

Ethofumesate 26225-79-6 42.0 Sodium lignosulphonate 8061-51-6 1.3



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#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

Description of first aid measures

General advice When possible, have the product container or label with you when

calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.

Inhalation Move to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance,

then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.

Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Skin contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Take

off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Call a physician or

poison control center immediately.

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 physician or poison control center

immediately.

Ingestion Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse out mouth

> and give water in small sips to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. Never give

anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Local:, To date no symptoms are known. **Symptoms** 

Systemic:, Drowsiness, Headache, Lethargy, Dyspnoea, Ataxia,

**Tremors** 

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Treatment** Appropriate supportive and symptomatic treatment as indicated by the

patient's condition is recommended.

### **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

**Extinguishing media** 

Suitable Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon

dioxide.

Unsuitable High volume water jet

Special hazards arising

from the substance or

mixture

Dangerous gases are evolved in the event of a fire.

Advice for firefighters

Special protective

Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing

equipment for firefighters apparatus and full protective clothing.



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**Further information** Keep out of smoke. Fight fire from upwind position. Remove product

from areas of fire, or otherwise cool containers with water in order to avoid pressure being built up due to heat. Do not allow run-off from fire

fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Flash point No flash point - Determination conducted up to the boiling point.

Auto-ignition temperatureNo data availableLower explosion limitNo data availableUpper explosion limitNo data availableExplosivityNot explosive

### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Precautions** Keep unauthorized people away. Isolate hazard area. Avoid contact

with spilled product or contaminated surfaces.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for cleaning up** Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid

binder, universal binder, sawdust). Collect and transfer the product

into a properly labelled and tightly closed container. Clean

contaminated floors and objects thoroughly, observing environmental

regulations.

Additional advice Use personal protective equipment. If the product is accidentally

spilled, do not allow to enter soil, waterways or waste water canal. Do

not allow product to contact non-target plants.

**Reference to other sections** Information regarding safe handling, see section 7.

Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8.

Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Hygiene measures** Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before

eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, using the toilet or

applying cosmetics.

Remove Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately after handling this product. Before removing gloves clean them with soap and water. Remove soiled clothing immediately and clean thoroughly before

using again. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities



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Requirements for storage areas and containers

Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other crop protection products, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store in original container and out of the reach of children,

preferably in a locked storage area.

Protect from freezing. Keep away from direct sunlight.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Control parameters**

| Components   | CAS-No.    | Control parameters | Update | Basis    |
|--------------|------------|--------------------|--------|----------|
| Ethofumesate | 26225-79-6 | 10 mg/m3           |        | OES BCS* |
|              |            | (TWA)              |        |          |

<sup>\*</sup>OES BCS: Internal Bayer AG, Crop Science Division "Occupational Exposure Standard"

### **Exposure controls**

### Personal protective equipment

In normal use and handling conditions please refer to the label and/or leaflet. In all other cases the following recommendations would apply.

**Respiratory protection** When respirators are required, select NIOSH approved equipment

based on actual or potential airborne concentrations and in

accordance with the appropriate regulatory standards and/or industry

recommendations.

Hand protection Chemical-resistant gloves (barrier laminate, butyl rubber, nitrile

rubber or Viton)

**Eye protection** Tightly fitting safety goggles

**Skin and body protection** Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants and shoes plus socks.

**General protective measures** Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If

no such instructions for washables, use detergent and warm/tepid

water.

Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form suspension

**Colour** brown

Odour Characteristic
Odour Threshold No data available

**pH** 6.0 - 7.5 (100 %) (23 °C)

Melting point/rangeNo data availableBoiling PointNo data available



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Flash point No flash point - Determination conducted up to the boiling point.

**Flammability** No data available **Auto-ignition temperature** No data available Thermal decomposition No data available Ignition temperature 501 °C / 933.8 °F Minimum ignition energy No data available Self-accelarating

decomposition temperature

(SADT)

No data available

**Upper explosion limit** No data available No data available Lower explosion limit

Vapour pressure No significant volatility.

**Evaporation rate** No data available Relative vapour density No data available Relative density No data available

**Density** ca. 1.13 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (20 °C)

Water solubility miscible

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Ethofumesate: log Pow: 2.7 (25 °C)

Viscosity, dynamic 200 - 450 mPa.s (20 °C)

Velocity gradient 20 /s

Viscosity, kinematic No data available

Surface tension 40 mN/m (25 °C)

Determined in the undiluted form.

Oxidizing properties No oxidizing properties

**Explosivity** Not explosive

Other information Further safety related physical-chemical data are not known.

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity Stable under normal conditions.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to

prescribed instructions.



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Conditions to avoid Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials No incompatible materials known.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

No decomposition products expected under normal conditions of use.

### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Exposure routes** Eye contact, Skin Absorption, Ingestion, Inhalation

**Immediate Effects** 

May cause mild irritation to eyes. Eye Skin Harmful if absorbed through skin.

Inhalation Harmful if inhaled.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity LD50 (Rat) > 2,100 mg/kgAcute inhalation toxicity ATE (Mix) (Rat) > 5.0 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 (Rat) > 4,100 mg/kg Skin corrosion/irritation No skin irritation (Rabbit) Serious eve damage/eve

irritation

Minimally irritating. (Rabbit)

Respiratory or skin Skin: Non-sensitizing. (Guinea pig) sensitisation OECD Test Guideline 406, Buehler test

Skin: Non-sensitizing. (Mouse)

OECD Test Guideline 429, local lymph node assay (LLNA)

## Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Ethofumesate: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure

Ethofumesate did not cause specific target organ toxicity in experimental animal studies.

## Assessment mutagenicity

Ethofumesate was not mutagenic or genotoxic in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

## Assessment carcinogenicity

Ethofumesate was not carcinogenic in lifetime feeding studies in rats and mice.

### **ACGIH**

None.

### **NTP**

None.



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**IARC** 

None.

**OSHA** 

None.

### Assessment toxicity to reproduction

Ethofumesate did not cause reproductive toxicity in a two-generation study in rats.

## Assessment developmental toxicity

Ethofumesate did not cause developmental toxicity in rats and rabbits.

### Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### **Further information**

Acute toxicity studies have been bridged from a similar formulation(s).

The non-acute information pertains to the active ingredient(s).

### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Toxicity to fish** LC50 (Danio rerio (Zebra fish)) = 68 mg/l

semi-static test; Exposure time: 96 h Test conducted with a similar formulation.

LC50 (Cyprinus carpio (Carp)) = 32.6 mg/l semi-static test; Exposure time: 96 h Test conducted with a similar formulation.

Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) = 60.6 mg/l static test; Exposure

time: 48 h

Test conducted with a similar formulation.

Chronic toxicity to aquatic

invertebrates

NOEC (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): = 0.64 mg/l

Exposure time: 21 d

**Toxicity to aquatic plants** ErC50 (Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae)) 9.7 mg/l

Growth rate; Exposure time: 96 h

Test conducted with a similar formulation.

NOEC (Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae)) = 2.2 mg/l

static test: Exposure time: 96 h

Test conducted with a similar formulation.

ErC50 (Myriophyllum spicatum (Eurasian watermilfoil)) = 0.848 mg/l

static test; Exposure time: 14 d

Test conducted with a similar formulation.



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NOEC (Myriophyllum spicatum (Eurasian watermilfoil)) = 0.012 mg/l

Growth rate; Exposure time: 14 d

Test conducted with a similar formulation.

**Biodegradability** Ethofumesate:

Not rapidly biodegradable

**Koc** Ethofumesate: Koc: 147

**Bioaccumulation** Ethofumesate: Bioconcentration factor (BCF) 144

Does not bioaccumulate.

**Mobility in soil** Ethofumesate: Moderately mobile in soils

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment Ethofumesate: This substance is not considered to be persistent,

bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT). This substance is not considered to be

very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

**Environmental precautions** Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present

or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark.

Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic

organisms in adjacent sites.

Do not contaminate surface or ground water by cleaning equipment or

disposal of wastes, including equipment wash water.

Apply this product as specified on the label.

### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods

**Product** Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by disposal.

Dispose in accordance with all local, state/provincial and federal

regulations.

Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not re-use empty containers.

Triple rinse containers.

Dispose of empty container in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if

allowed by State/Provincial and local authorities, by burning.

If burned, stay out of smoke.

Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.

RCRA Information Characterization and proper disposal of this material as a special or

hazardous waste is dependent upon Federal, State and local laws and

are the user's responsibility. RCRA classification may apply.

## **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**



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**IMDG** 

UN number 3082
Class 9
Packaging group III
Marine pollutant YES

Proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S.

(ETHOFUMESATE SOLUTION)

**IATA** 

UN number 3082
Class 9
Packaging group III
Environm. Hazardous Mark YES

Proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S.

(ETHOFUMESATE SOLUTION)

This transportation information is not intended to convey all specific regulatory information relating to this product. It does not address regulatory variations due to package size or special transportation requirements.

Freight Classification: COMPOUNDS, TREE OR WEEDKILLING, N.O.I., other than

poison: HAVING A DENSITY OF GREATER THAN 20 LBS.

PER CUBIC FOOT

### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**EPA Registration No.** 264-613

**US Federal Regulations** 

**TSCA list** 

Water 7732-18-5 1,2-Propanediol 57-55-6 Polyethylene-polypropylene copolymer 9003-11-6 Sodium lignosulphonate 8061-51-6

US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt D)

No export notification needs to be made.

SARA Title III - Section 302 - Notification and Information

Not applicable.

SARA Title III - Section 313 - Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

None.

US States Regulatory Reporting

CA Prop65

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause cancer.

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause reproductive harm.



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**US State Right-To-Know Ingredients** 

1,2-Propanediol 57-55-6 MN, RI

Environmental CERCLA

None.

Clean Water Section 307(a)(1)

None.

Safe Drinking Water Act Maximum Contaminant Levels

None.

### **EPA/FIFRA Information:**

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information required on the pesticide label:

Signal word: Caution!

Hazard statements: Harmful if absorbed through skin.

### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

### Abbreviations and acronyms

49CFR Code of Federal Regulations, Title 49
ACGIH US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

ATE Acute toxicity estimate

CAS-Nr. Chemical Abstracts Service number

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

EINECS European inventory of existing commercial substances

ELINCS European list of notified chemical substances IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer IATA International Air Transport Association IMDG International Maritime Dangerous Goods

N.O.S. Not otherwise specified

NTP US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens
OECD Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

TDG Transportation of Dangerous Goods

TWA Time weighted average

UN United Nations

WHO World health organisation



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NFPA 704 (National Fire Protection Association):

Health - 1 Flammability - 0 Instability - 0 Others - none

HMIS (Hazardous Materials Identification System, based on the Third Edition Ratings Guide)

Health - 1 Flammability - 0 Physical Hazard - 0 PPE -

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard

**Reason for Revision:** The following sections have been revised: Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties. Section 11: Toxicological Information. Section 12. Ecological information. Reviewed and updated for general editorial purposes.

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