# An American Vanguard Company

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# 1. Identification

**Product identifier** Python® Herbicide

Other means of identification

SDS number 685

**Product registration** 

5481-677

number

Herbicide. Recommended use

**Recommended restrictions** See product label for restrictions.

Keep out of the Reach of Children!

EPA: 5481-677 **EPA Registration number** 

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

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Product Use 888-462-6822 CHEMTREC® (Outside +1-703-527-3887

USA)

2. Hazard(s) identification

Not classified. **Physical hazards** Not classified. **Health hazards** 

**Environmental hazards** Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute Category 1

hazard

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, Category 1

long-term hazard

Not classified. **OSHA** defined hazards

Label elements

Signal word Warning

Very toxic to aquatic life. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. **Hazard statement** 

**Precautionary statement** 

Avoid release to the environment. Prevention

Response Collect spillage.

**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

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#### Supplemental information

This is a pesticide product registered by the United States 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 (SDS), and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. The hazard information required on the pesticide label is reproduced in section 15. The pesticide label also includes other important information, including directions for use.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Mixtures**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Flumetsulam		98967-40-9	80
Starch		9005-25-8	8.5

#### 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Call a poison center or doctor/physician. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an

ambulance, then give artificial respiration.

Skin contact Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at

least 15 minutes. Call a physician or poison control center for treatment advice.

Eye contact Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If easy to do, remove contact lenses.

Call a physician or poison control center for treatment advice.

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Ingestion

Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

Mild eye irritation.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to General information

protect themselves.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed. Sulfur oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Special protective equipment

and precautions for firefighters

Fire fighting

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

equipment/instructions Specific methods

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Shovel or sweep up. Following product recovery, flush area with water. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions** 

Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

# 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid prolonged exposure. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Avoid release to the environment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

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### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Occupational exposure limits

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

Components	Type	Value	Form
Starch (CAS 9005-25-8)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Value Components	es Type	Value	
Starch (CAS 9005-25-8)	TWA	10 mg/m3	
US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Che	mical Hazards		
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Starch (CAS 9005-25-8)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable.

**Biological limit values** 

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls

Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

10 mg/m3

Total

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

**Hand protection** Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Long-sleeved shirt and long pants or coveralls,

socks and closed toe shoes are required.

Respiratory protection In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective

equipment to remove contaminants.

#### 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

**Physical state** Solid. Granular. **Form** Brown. Color Odor Sweet. **Odor threshold** Not available.

6.1 in 10% aqueous solution pН

Melting point/freezing point Not available. Initial boiling point and boiling Not available.

range

Not available. Flash point Not available. **Evaporation rate** Flammability (solid, gas) Not available. Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

(%)

Not available.

Flammability limit - upper

Not available.

(%)

Not available. Explosive limit - lower (%)

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Explosive limit - upper (%)Not available.Vapor pressureNot available.Vapor densityNot available.Relative densityNot available.

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Disperses in water.

Auto-ignition temperature Not available.

Decomposition temperature Not available.

Viscosity Not available.

Other information

Bulk density35 - 60 lb/ft³Explosive propertiesNot explosive.Oxidizing propertiesNot oxidizing.

# 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity**The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stability Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

reactions

**Conditions to avoid** Contact with incompatible materials. Excessive heat.

Incompatible materials Acids.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

# 11. Toxicological information

## Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

**Skin contact** Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Mild eye irritation.

**Eye contact** Slight irritant.

**Ingestion** May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Information on toxicological effects

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

Product Species Test Results

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Acute Dermal

LD50 Rabbit > 2000 mg/kg . No deaths occurred at this

concentration.

Inhalation

Dust

LC50 Rat > 5.15 mg/l, 4 h . No deaths occurred at

this concentration.

Oral

LD50 Rat > 5000 mg/kg . No deaths occurred at this

concentration.

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye

Slight irritant.

irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization

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

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Skin sensitization Animal test did not cause sensitization by skin contact (Guinea pig). Germ cell mutagenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Not listed.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

Not an aspiration hazard. **Aspiration hazard** 

**Chronic effects** Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Persistence and degradability Substance is not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential No data available. Mobility in soil High mobility.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow **Disposal instructions** 

this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches

with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with

local/regional/national/international regulations.

Local disposal regulations Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with all applicable regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see:

Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IATA** 

**UN number** UN3077

**UN proper shipping name** Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Flumetsulam)

Transport hazard class(es)

9 Class Subsidiary risk Packing group Ш Yes **Environmental hazards ERG Code** 9L

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Other information

Passenger and cargo

Allowed with restrictions.

aircraft Cargo aircraft only

Allowed with restrictions.

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#### **IMDG**

UN number UN3077

UN proper shipping name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Flumetsulam), MARINE

POLLUTANT

Transport hazard class(es)

Class 9
Subsidiary risk Packing group III

**Environmental hazards** 

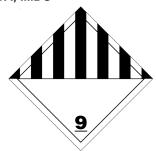
Marine pollutant Yes
EmS F-A, S-F

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

IATA; IMDG



# Marine pollutant



**General information** 

IMDG Regulated Marine Pollutant.

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# 15. Regulatory information

#### **US federal regulations**

This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

This product is registered under EPA/FIFRA Regulations. It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in any manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read and follow all label directions. This product is excluded from listing requirements under EPA/TSCA.

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HAZARD TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS.

Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

#### **Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)**

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Nο

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

chemical

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

#### Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

Not regulated.

(SDWA)

# **US** state regulations

#### **California Proposition 65**



WARNING: This product can expose you to Naphthalene, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

# **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region Inventory name On inventory (yes/no)\*

United States & Puerto Rico Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

No

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s) A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

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### 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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Health: 1

Flammability: 1 Physical hazard: 0

NFPA ratings Health: 1

Flammability: 1 Instability: 0

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**HMIS®** ratings

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