

## 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Trooper™ Pro Herbicide

**EPA Reg. No.:** 228-599 **Product Type:** Herbicide

Company Name: Nufarm Americas, Inc.

11901 S. Austin Avenue

Alsip, IL 60803 1-800-345-3330

Telephone Numbers: For Chemical Emergency, Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident,

Call CHEMTREC Day or Night: 1-800-424-9300 For Medical Emergencies Only, Call 1-877-325-1840

This product is an EPA FIFRA registered pesticide. Some classifications on this SDS are not exactly the same as on the FIFRA label. Certain sections are superseded by federal law governed by EPA for a registered pesticide. Please see Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION for explanation.

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## For EPA FIFRA-Specific Information see Section 15

#### **HEALTH HAZARDS:**

Acute Toxicity, Inhalation

Eye Irritation

Category 4

Caregory 2A

Carcinogen

Category 2

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:**

Hazardous to aquatic environment, acute Category 1
Hazardous to aquatic environment, chronic Category 1

# **SIGNAL WORD:**

Warning

## **HAZARD STATEMENTS:**

Harmful if inhaled. Causes serious eye irritation. Suspected of causing cancer. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.







# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Avoid breathing mist, vapors, or spray. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear eye protection. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid release to the environment.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice. IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice. Collect spillage.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations

## 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

COMPONENTS	CAS NO.	% BY WEIGHT		
Picloram, Triisopropanolamine Salt	6753-47-5	18.45 - 20.38		
Fluroxypyr, 1-Methylheptyl Ester	81406-37-3	14.84 - 16.38		
Other Ingredients Including:				
Aromatic Solvent (may contain)	64742-94-5			
Naphthalene	91-20-3			
1-Methylnaphthalene	90-12-0			
2-Methylnaphthalene	91-57-6			
Dipropylene Glycol Monomethyl Ether	34590-94-8			

**Synonyms:** Mixture of Picloram and Fluroxypyr

Ingredients not precisely identified are proprietary or non-hazardous. Values are not product specifications.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If in Eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice if irritation occurs or persists.

**If on Skin or Clothing:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice if irritation occurs.

**If Swallowed:** Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Do not give any liquid to the person. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.

If Inhaled: Move person to fresh air. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

**Most Important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed:** Causes serious eye irritation. Harmful if inhaled. Suspected of causing cancer.

**Indication of Immediate medical attention and special treatment if needed, if necessary:** Immediate medical attention should not be required.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding materials. Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam, water spray or fog.

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turn out gear. Dike area to prevent runoff and contamination of water sources. Dispose of fire control water later.

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** If water is used to fight fire, contain runoff, using dikes to prevent contamination of water supplies. Dispose of fire control water later.

Hazardous Decomposition Materials (Under Fire Conditions): May produce gases such as oxides of carbon and nitrogen.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions:** Wear appropriate protective gear for the situation. See Personal Protection information in Section 8.

**Environmental Precautions:** Prevent material from entering public sewer systems or any waterways. Do not flush to drain. Large spills to soil or similar surfaces may necessitate removal of topsoil. The affected area should be removed and placed in an appropriate container for disposal.

**Methods for Containment:** Dike spill using absorbent or impervious materials such as earth, sand or clay. Collect and contain contaminated absorbent and dike material for disposal.

**Methods for Cleanup and Disposal:** Avoid creation of dusty conditions. Scrape up and place in appropriate closed container. Wash entire spill area with a detergent slurry, absorb and sweep into container for disposal. Decontaminate tools and equipment following cleanup. See Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS for more information.

**Other Information:** Large spills may be reportable to the National Response Center (800-424-8802) and to state and/or local agencies.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**HANDLING**: Do not get in eyes or on clothing or skin. Users should wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove clothing/Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Remove Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

**STORAGE:** Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Engineering Controls:**

Where engineering controls are indicated by specific use conditions or a potential for excessive exposure, use local exhaust ventilation at the point of generation.

## **Personal Protective Equipment:**

**Eye/Face Protection:** To avoid contact with eyes, wear face shield, goggles or safety glasses with front, brow and temple protection. An emergency eyewash or water supply should be readily accessible to the work area

**Skin Protection:** To avoid contact with skin, wear long pants, long-sleeved shirt, shoes, socks and chemical-resistant gloves. An emergency shower or water supply should be readily accessible to the work area.

**Respiratory Protection:** Not normally required. If vapors or mists exceed acceptable levels, wear NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with cartridges/canisters approved for use against pesticides.

**General Hygiene Considerations:** Personal hygiene is an important work practice exposure control measure and the following general measures should be taken when working with or handling this material: 1) do not store, use and/or consume foods, beverages, tobacco products, or cosmetics in areas where this material is stored; 2) wash hands and face carefully before eating, drinking, using tobacco, applying cosmetics or using the toilet.

## **Exposure Guidelines:**

	OS	OSHA		ACGIH	
Component	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	Unit
Picloram Acid	15 (T) 5 (R)	NE	10	NE	mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Fluroxypyr	NE	NE	NE	NE	
Naphthalene	10	NE	10 (Skin)	15 (Skin)	ppm
1-Methylnaphthalene	NE	NE	0.5 (Skin)	NE	ppm
2-Methylnaphthalene	NE	NE	0.5 (Skin)	NE	ppm
DPGME	100	NE	100 (Skin)	150 (Skin)	ppm

T = Total Dust

NE = Not Established

R = Respirable Fraction

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Clear/light amber liquid

Odor: Pungent

Odor threshold: No data available

pH: 7 16

Melting point/freezing point: No data available Initial boiling point and boiling range No data available Flash point: No data available **Evaporation rate:** No data available Flammability (solid, gas): No data available **Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:** No data available Vapor pressure: No data available Vapor density: No data available Relative density: 1.099 a/mL Solubility(ies): Emulsifiable Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: No data available **Autoignition temperature:** No data available

**Decomposition temperature:** No data available

Viscosity: 283.715 cSt (@20°C) 76.020 (@ 40°C)

Note: Physical data are typical values, but may vary from sample to sample. A typical value should not be construed as a guaranteed analysis or as a specification.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Not normally reactive.

Chemical Stability: This material is stable under normal handling and storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Excessive heat. Do not store near heat or flame. **Incompatible Materials:** Strong oxidizing agents: bases and acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Under fire conditions may produce gases such as hydrogen

chloride, hydrogen fluoride and oxides and nitrogen.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure: Dermal, inhalation

**Symptoms of Exposure:** 

**Eye Contact:** Severely irritating based on toxicity studies.

**Skin Contact:** Minimally toxic and slightly irritating based on toxicity studies.

**Ingestion:** Slightly toxic if ingested based on toxicity studies. Inhalation: Slight inhalation toxicity based on toxicity studies. Delayed, immediate and chronic effects of exposure:

**Toxicological Data:** 

Data from laboratory studies conducted are summarized below:

**Oral:** Rat LD<sub>50</sub>: > 5,000 mg/kg (female rats)

Dermal: Rat LD<sub>50</sub>: >5,000 mg/kg Inhalation: Rat 4-hr LC<sub>50</sub>: >2.02 mg/L

**Eye Irritation:** Rabbit: Severely irritating (MMTS = 41.0) **Skin Irritation:** Rabbit: Slightly irritating (PDII = 2.0)

**Skin Sensitization:** Not a contact sensitizer in guinea pigs following repeated skin exposure.

Subchronic (Target Organ) Effects: Repeated overexposure to picloram may affect the liver. Repeated overexposure to Fluroxypyr may cause effects to bone marrow, kidney, liver and respiratory tract.

Carcinogenicity / Chronic Health Effects: Picloram acid did not cause cancer in laboratory animals. Fluroxypyr did not cause cancer in laboratory animals. The hydrocarbon component may contain naphthalene, which is listed by IARC as a class 2B and the U.S. National Toxicology Program as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen.

**Reproductive Toxicity:** Picloram acid did not interfere with reproduction in animal studies. In animal studies, fluroxypyr has been shown not to interfere with reproduction.

**Developmental Toxicity:** Picloram acid did not cause birth defects or any other fetal effects in laboratory animals, even at exposure level having an adverse effect on the mother. Fluroxypyr did not cause birth defects in animals; other effects were seen in the fetus only at doses which caused toxic effects in the mother.

**Genotoxicity:** The preponderance of data shows picloram to be non-mutagenic in *in-vitro* tests and in animal studies. Animal tests with fluroxypyr did not demonstrate mutagenic effects.

# **Assessment Carcinogenicity:**

This product contains substances that are considered to be probable or suspected human carcinogens as follows:

	Regulatory Agency Listing As Carcinogen			
Component	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Naphthalene	No	2B	Yes*	No

<sup>\*</sup>Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity:**

Data on Picloram TIPA Salt:

Rainbow Trout Acute  $LC_{50}$ : 25 mg/l Honey Bee Contact  $LD_{50}$ : >100 mg/bee Tidewater Silverside Acute  $LC_{50}$ : 57.2 mg/l Oyster, Shell deposition  $EC_{50}$ : 10-18 mg/l Bobwhite Quail 8-day Dietary  $LC_{50}$ : >10,000 ppm Mallard Duck 8-day Dietary  $LC_{50}$ : >10,000 ppm Growth Inhibition  $EC_{50}$  Blue-Green Algae: 740 mg/l

#### Data on Fluroxypyr 1-Methylheptyl Ester:

Fluroxypyr 1-Methylheptyl Ester is highly toxic to aquatic invertebrates on an acute basis ( $LC_{50}$  or  $EC_{50}$  is between 0.1 and 1 mg/L). Concentrations for fish were not determined because they exceed water solubility. Fluroxypyr 1-Methylheptyl Ester is highly insoluble in water. Fluroxypyr 1-Methylheptyl Ester is practically non-toxic to birds on an acute and dietary basis ( $LD_{50}$  >2,000 mg/kg and  $LC_{50}$  >5,000 ppm).

#### **Environmental Fate:**

In laboratory and field studies, TIPA salt of Picloram acid rapidly dissociated to parent acid in the environment. However, Picloram may be present in ionized form at environmental pH contributing to high solubility in water and high potential mobility in soils. Picloram variably binds to organic materials in the soils with adsorption increasing as the levels of organic matter and clay increase. It is stable to hydrolysis and anaerobic degradation processes. Under aerobic soil conditions the typical half-life ranges from 167-513 days, but may be as little as 30-90 days in the presence of adequate soil moisture and warm temperatures. Photolysis half-life ranges from 2.3 - 9.58 days and is a secondary route of degradation. In laboratory and field studies, Fluroxypyr 1-Methylheptyl Ester rapidly de-esterfied to parent acid in the environment. The typical soil half-life for fluroxypyr (acid and ester) ranged from one to four weeks. Microbial metabolism is the primary degradation mechanism in soil. The typical aquatic half-life ranged from 4 to 14 days.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## **Waste Disposal Method:**

Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. Improper disposal of excess pesticide is a violation of Federal law.

Container Handling and Disposal: Nonrefillable Containers 5 Gallons or Less: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container 1/4 full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities. Plastic containers are also disposable by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

Nonrefillable Containers larger than 5 Gallons: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling if available. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container 1/4 full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times. Pressure rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and continue to drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Hold container upside down over application equipment or mix tank or collect rinsate for later use or disposal. Insert pressure rinsing nozzle in the side of the container, and rinse at about 40 psi for at least 30 seconds. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip.

Refillable container larger than 5 gallons: Refillable container. Refill this container with pesticide only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller. To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container about 10% full with water and, if possible, spray all sides while adding water. If practical, agitate vigorously or recirculate water with the pump for two minutes. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times.

#### 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

#### DOT

## < 440 gallons per complete package

Non Regulated

## ≥ 440 gallons per complete package

RQ, UN 3082, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S., (NAPHTHALENE), 9, III

#### **IMDG**

UN 3082, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S., (NAPHTHALENE, FLUROXYPYR, 1-METHYLHEPTYL ESTER), 9, III

#### **IATA**

UN 3082, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S., (NAPHTHALENE, FLUROXYPYR, 1-METHYLHEPTYL ESTER), 9, III

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **EPA FIFRA INFORMATION**

This chemical 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 below. The pesticide label also includes other important information, including directions for use.

DANGER. Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

## **U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS**

TSCA Inventory: This product is exempted from TSCA because it is solely for FIFRA regulated use.

SARA Hazard Notification/Reporting:

Hazard Categories Under Criteria of SARA Title III Rules (40 CFR Part 370):

Acute Health, Chronic Health

Section 313 Toxic Chemical(s):

Naphthalene

Reportable Quantity (RQ) under U.S. CERCLA:

Naphthalene 100 lbs

## **RCRA Waste Code:**

Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the product user to determine at the time of disposal, whether a material containing the product or derived from the product should be classified as a hazardous waste.

#### **State Information:**

Other state regulations may apply. Check individual state requirements.

California Proposition 65: Naphthalene.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Hazard Rating:

Rating for this product: Health: 2 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 0

Hazards Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe

This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) serves different purposes than and DOES NOT REPLACE OR MODIFY THE EPA-ACCEPTED PRODUCT LABELING (attached to and accompanying the product container). This SDS provides important health, safety and environmental information for employers, employees, emergency responders and others handling large quantities of the product in activities generally other than product use, while the labeling provides that information specifically for product use in the ordinary course.

Use, storage and disposal of pesticide products are regulated by the EPA under the authority of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) through the product labeling, and all necessary and appropriate precautionary, use, storage, and disposal information is set forth on that labeling. It is a violation of Federal law to use a pesticide product in any manner not prescribed on the EPA-accepted label.

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