

Safety Data Sheet

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1. Identification

Product identifier used on the label

ARMEZON HERBICIDE

Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use

Recommended use*: herbicide

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Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Other means of identification

Molecular formula: C₁₆ H₁₇ N₃ O₅ S
PCP # 30131/31234
Synonyms: topramezone (active ingredient)

2. Hazards Identification

According to Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) (SOR/88-66)

Emergency overview

Contains 1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one as a preservative.
Contains 2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one as a preservative.
WARNING:
Contains the allergen soy.
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.
Harmful if swallowed.

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Avoid inhalation of mists/vapours.
Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

According to Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) (SOR/2015-17)

<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Weight %</u>	<u>Chemical name</u>
210631-68-8	29.7 %	Topramezone

4. First-Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

General advice:

First aid personnel should pay attention to their own safety. If the patient is likely to become unconscious, place and transport in stable sideways position (recovery position). Immediately remove contaminated clothing.

If inhaled:

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air, seek medical attention.

If on skin:

Immediately wash thoroughly with soap and water, seek medical attention.

If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open.

If swallowed:

Rinse mouth immediately and then drink plenty of water, induce vomiting, seek medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11., Further important symptoms and effects are so far not known.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physician

Treatment: Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known specific antidote.

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:
water spray, foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:
water jet

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Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides

The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

Advice for fire-fighters

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

Further information:

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Keep containers cool by spraying with water if exposed to fire. Collect contaminated extinguishing water separately, do not allow to reach sewage or effluent systems. Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Take appropriate protective measures. Clear area. Shut off source of leak only under safe conditions. Extinguish sources of ignition nearby and downwind. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment.

Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater. Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Dike spillage. Pick up with suitable absorbent material. Place into suitable containers for reuse or disposal in a licensed facility. Spilled substance/product should be recovered and applied according to label rates whenever possible. If application of spilled substance/product is not possible, then spills should be contained, solidified, and placed in suitable containers for disposal. After decontamination, spill area can be washed with water. Collect wash water for approved disposal.

7. Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling

No special measures necessary if stored and handled correctly. Ensure thorough ventilation of stores and work areas. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas.

Protection against fire and explosion:

No special precautions necessary. The substance/product is non-combustible. Product is not explosive.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

Further information on storage conditions: Keep away from heat. Protect from direct sunlight.

Protect from temperatures below: 0 °C

The product can crystallize below the limit temperature.

Protect from temperatures above: 40 °C

Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored above indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

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8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Users of a pesticidal product should refer to the product label for personal protective equipment requirements.

No occupational exposure limits known.

Advice on system design:

Whenever possible, engineering controls should be used to minimize the need for personal protective equipment.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) organic vapour/particulate respirator.

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves

Eye protection:

Wear face shield or tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles) if splashing hazard exists.

Body protection:

Body protection must be chosen depending on activity and possible exposure, e.g. head protection, apron, protective boots, chemical-protection suit.

General safety and hygiene measures:

The statements on personal protective equipment in the instructions for use apply when handling crop-protection agents in final-consumer packing. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. Store work clothing separately. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	suspension	
Odour:	aromatic	
Odour threshold:	Not determined due to potential health hazard by inhalation.	
Colour:	off-white	
pH value:	approx. 2.5 - 4.5 (1 %(m), 20 °C)	
crystallization temperature:	approx. -4 °C	
Boiling point:	approx. 100 °C	
Flash point:	No flash point - Measurement made up to the boiling point.	(Directive 92/69/EEC, A.9)
Lower explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.	

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Upper explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.	
Autoignition:	425 °C	(Directive 92/69/EEC, A.15)
Vapour pressure:	approx. 23.3 hPa (20 °C)	
Density:	Information applies to the solvent. approx. 1.12 g/cm ³ (20 °C)	
Vapour density:	not applicable	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	not applicable	
Thermal decomposition:	210 °C, 330 kJ/kg Not a substance liable to self-decomposition according to UN transport regulations, class 4.1.	
Viscosity, dynamic:	approx. 78 mPa.s (20 °C)	
Solubility in water:	dispersible	
Evaporation rate:	not applicable	
Other Information:	If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is indicated in this section.	

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Oxidizing properties:
not fire-propagating

Chemical stability

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Conditions to avoid

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Avoid electro-static charge. Avoid prolonged storage. Avoid contamination. Avoid prolonged exposure to extreme heat. Avoid extreme temperatures.

Incompatible materials

strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Thermal decomposition:
210 °C, 3 K/min

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Not a substance liable to self-decomposition according to UN transport regulations, class 4.1.

11. Toxicological information

Primary routes of exposure

Routes of entry for solids and liquids are ingestion and inhalation, but may include eye or skin contact. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquefied gases.

Acute Toxicity/Effects

Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity: Slightly toxic after single ingestion. Slightly toxic after short-term skin contact. Slightly toxic after short-term inhalation.

Oral

Type of value: LD50
Species: rat (male/female)
Value: > 2,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 423)
No mortality was observed.

Inhalation

Type of value: LC50
Species: rat (male/female)
Value: > 5.8 mg/l (OECD Guideline 403)
Exposure time: 4 h
An aerosol was tested.
No mortality was observed.

Dermal

Type of value: LD50
Species: rat (male/female)
Value: > 4,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 402)
No mortality was observed.

Assessment other acute effects

Assessment of STOT single:
Based on the available information there is no specific target organ toxicity to be expected after a single exposure.

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Irritation / corrosion

Assessment of irritating effects: Not irritating to eyes and skin.

Skin

Species: rabbit
Result: non-irritant
Method: OECD Guideline 404

Eye

Species: rabbit
Result: non-irritant
Method: OECD Guideline 405

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Sensitization

Assessment of sensitization: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition. There is no evidence of a skin-sensitizing potential.

Mouse Local Lymph Node Assay (LLNA)

Species: mouse

Result: Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Method: OECD Guideline 429

Chronic Toxicity/Effects

Repeated dose toxicity

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Topramezone technical

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: Adaptive effects were observed after repeated exposure in animal studies.

Genetic toxicity

Assessment of mutagenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Mutagenicity tests revealed no genotoxic potential.

Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Topramezone technical

Assessment of carcinogenicity: When given in high doses, the substance was carcinogenic in animal studies. Based on its mechanism of action, a carcinogenic potential is not expected after exposure to low doses.

Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

Teratogenicity

Assessment of teratogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Topramezone technical

Assessment of teratogenicity: May cause harm to the unborn child.

Other Information

Misuse can be harmful to health.

Symptoms of Exposure

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12. Ecological Information

Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity
Assessment of aquatic toxicity:
Very toxic (acute effect) to aquatic organisms.

Toxicity to fish

LC50 (96 h) 8.71 mg/l, *Oncorhynchus mykiss*

Aquatic invertebrates

EC50 (48 h) 12.1 mg/l, *Daphnia magna*

Aquatic plants

EC50 (7 d) > 0.064 mg/l (growth rate), *Lemna gibba* (OECD guideline 221)

EC50 (7 d) 0.0008 mg/l (growth rate), *Lemna gibba* (OECD guideline 221)

Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

No observed effect concentration (35 d) 0.12 mg/l, *Mysidopsis bahia*

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation potential

Information on: Topramezone technical

*Bioconcentration factor: 0.69 (42 d), *Lepomis macrochirus* (OPPTS 850.1730 (EPA Guideline))
Does not significantly accumulate in organisms.*

Mobility in soil

Assessment transport between environmental compartments

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Topramezone technical

Following exposure to soil, the product trickles away and can - dependant on degradation - be transported to deeper soil areas with larger water loads.

Additional information

Other ecotoxicological advice:
Do not discharge product into the environment without control.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

See product label for disposal and recycling instructions.

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Container disposal:

Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and disposed of in the same manner as the substance/product.

14. Transport Information

Land transport

TDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

IMDG

Hazard class: 9
Packing group: III
ID number: UN 3082
Hazard label: 9, EHSM
Marine pollutant: YES
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains TOPRAMEZONE)

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class: 9
Packing group: III
ID number: UN 3082
Hazard label: 9, EHSM
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains TOPRAMEZONE)

15. Regulatory Information

Federal Regulations

Registration status:

Crop Protection DSL, CA released / listed

Chemical DSL, CA blocked / not listed

According to Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) (SOR/88-66)

WHMIS does not apply to this product.

16. Other Information

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