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## 1. IDENTIFICATION: PRODUCT IDENTIFIER AND CHEMICAL IDENTITY

Product Name: 4FARMERS GLYPHOSATE 510 HERBICIDE

Other Means of Identification: Mixture

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use: Agricultural herbicide

**Details of Manufacturer or Importer:** 

4Farmers Australia Pty Ltd 70

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Phone Number: +61 8 9356 3446

Emergency telephone number: National Poison Information Centre: 13 11 26

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **Hazardous Nature:**

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition) UN Number: None allocated



Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2B H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Hazardous to aquatic environment Short/Short term. Chronic Category 2

#### **Hazard Statements**

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H320 Causes eye irritation.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

## **Precautionary Statements**

P261: Avoid breathing fumes, mists, vapours or spray

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skin, or on clothing.

P264: Wash contacted areas thoroughly after handling. P273: Avoid release to the

environment.

P280: Wear protective gloves, protective clothing and eye or face protection.

**RESPONSE** 

P362: Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. P301+P330+P331: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P302+P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and 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.

P332+P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice. P337+P313: If eye irritation

persists: Get medical advice. P391: Collect spillage.

**STORAGE** 

P410: Protect from sunlight.

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P403+P233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

**DISPOSAL** 

P501: Dispose of contents and containers as specified on the registered label

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

**Chemical Characterization: Mixtures** 

Ingredients	CAS No	Conc,%	TWA (mg/m3)	STEL (mg/m3)
Glyphosate, isopropylamine salt	38641-94-0	510g/L	not set	not set
Other non hazardous ingredients	secret	to 100	not set	not set

This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may vary slightly. Minor quantities of other non hazardous ingredients are also possible.

The SWA TWA exposure value is the average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal 8 hour working day for a 5 day working week. The STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) is an exposure value that may be equalled (but should not be exceeded) for no longer than 15 minutes and should not be repeated more than 4 times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at STEL. The term "peak" is used when the TWA limit, b=because of the rapid action of the substance, should never be exceeded, even briefly.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **General Information:**

You should call The Poisons Information Centre if you feel that you may have been poisoned, burned or irritated by this product. The number is 13 1126 from anywhere in Australia (0800 764 766 in New Zealand) and is available at all times. Have this SDS with you when you call.

**Inhalation:** First aid is not generally required. If in doubt, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor. **Skin Contact:** Wash gently and thoroughly with warm water (use non-abrasive soap if necessary) for 10-20 minutes or until product is removed. Under running water, remove contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods (e.g. watchbands and belts) and completely decontaminate them before reuse or discard. If irritation persists, repeat flushing and seek medical attention.

**Eye Contact:** Immediately flush the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15 minutes or until the product is removed, while holding the eyelid(s) open. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the unaffected eye or onto the face. Obtain medical attention immediately. Take special care if exposed person is wearing contact lenses.

**Ingestion:** If product is swallowed or gets in mouth, do NOT induce vomiting; wash mouth with water and give some water to drink. If symptoms develop, or if in doubt contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Fire and Explosion Hazards:** There is no risk of an explosion from this product under normal circumstances if it is involved in a fire.

This product is likely to decompose only after heating to dryness, followed by further strong heating. Fire decomposition products from this product are likely to be irritating if inhaled.

**Extinguishing Media:** Preferred extinguishing media are carbon dioxide, dry chemical, foam, water fog. **Fire Fighting:** If a significant quantity of this product is involved in a fire, call the fire brigade.

Flash point: Does not burn.

Upper Flammability Limit: Does not burn.

Lower Flammability Limit: Does not burn.

Autoignition temperature: Not applicable - does not burn.

Flammability Class: Does not burn

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## **Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:**

When fighting a major fire wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective equipment.

# **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

Wear approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe vapours. Ensure adequate ventilation. Extinguish all sources of ignition. Avoid sparks and open flames. No smoking.

## **Environmental Precautions:**

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses.

# Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up:

Stop leak if safe to do so and absorb spill with sand, earth, vermiculite or some other absorbent material. If spill is too large or absorbent material is not avialable create a dyke to stop the spill from spreading. Collect the spilled material and place into a suitable container for disposal. Wash area after spills.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for Safe Handling:

Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation of vapours. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Food, beverages and tobacco products should not be stored or consumed where this material is in use. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. Provide eyewash fountains and safety showers in close proximity to points of potential exposure.

#### **Conditions for Safe Storage:**

Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated area. Keep in original container tightly closed when not in use. Protect from prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Keep away from strong oxidising agents, nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine, strong alkalis and alkaline materials such as lime. Do not mix or store this product in unlined or galvanised steel (except stainless steel), as this product may react to form flammable and explosive hydrogen gas.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Exposure Standards:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

# **Engineering Controls:**

Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area, natural ventilation is usually adequate.

# **Respiratory Protection:**

Use an approved vapour respirator under conditions where exposure to the substance is apparent (e.g. generation of high concentrations of mist or vapour, inadequate ventilation, development of respiratory tract irritation) and engineering controls are not feasible. See Australian Standards AS/NZS 1715 and 1716 for more information.

### **Skin Protection:**

Elbow-length PVC gloves. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2161 for more information.

When selecting gloves for use against certain chemicals, the degradation resistance, permeation rate and permeation breakthrough time should be considered.

Occupational protective clothing (depending on conditions in which it has to be used, in particular as regards the period for which it is worn, which shall be determined on the basis of the seriousness of the risk, the frequency of exposure to the risk, the characteristics of the workstation of each worker and the performance of the protective clothing). See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4501 for more information.

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### **Eye and Face Protection:**

Eye and face protectors for protection against splashing materials or liquids. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 for more information.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:

Form: Liquid Colour: Blue

Odour: Weak characteristic odour Odour Threshold: No information available

**pH-Value:** 4.8- 5.2

Melting point/Melting range: Approximately 0° Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range: No information available

Flash Point: No information available

**Flammability:** Product is not flammable.

Auto-ignition Temperature: Not applicable

**Decomposition Temperature:** No information available

**Explosion Limits:** 

Lower: Not applicable Upper: Not applicable

Vapour Pressure: No information available

Specific gravity: 1.214 -1.220

Vapour Density:No information availableEvaporation Rate:No information available

Solubility in Water: Soluble in water

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

### **Chemical Stability:**

Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use. May be unstable at temperatures below 5℃

Conditions to Avoid: Extreme temperatures

Incompatible Materials: Oxidising agents, strong alkalis and alkaline materials such as lime.

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products:**

Oxides of carbon, nitrogen and phosphorous, hydrogen chloride and other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Toxicity:**

		elevant for Classification:	
38641-94-	0 N-(pho:	sphonomethyl)glycine, compound with 2-propylamine (1:1)	
Oral	LD <sub>50</sub>	>5000 mg/L (rat) (for similar formulations)	
Dermal	LD <sub>50</sub>	>5000 mg/kg (rabbit)	
Inhalation	LC50/4 h	>1.3 mg/L (rat)	

#### **Acute Health Effects**

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin: Causes skin irritation.

Eye: Causes serious eye irritation.

Ingestion:

May be harmful if swallowed. May cause nausea, vomiting, gastrointestinal discomfort and diarrhoea. Ingestion of large quantities of the product may result in hypotension and pulmonary oedema.

Skin Corrosion / Irritation: Causes skin irritation.

**Serious Eye Damage / Irritation:** Causes serious eye irritation.

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Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity: Glyphosate is classified by IARC as Group 2A - Probably carcinogenic to humans.

Reproductive Toxicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

# Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure:

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

### Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Repeated Exposure:

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration Hazard:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

#### **Chronic Health Effects:**

Prolonged eye contact may cause damage to the eye. Prolonged skin contact may cause irritation.

Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: No information available

#### Additional toxicological information:

The Australian Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI) for glyphosate for a human is 0.3 mg/kg/day, set for the public for daily, lifetime exposure. This is based on the NOEL of 30 mg/kg/day, the level determined to show no effects during long term exposure for the most sensitive indicators and the most sensitive species. (Ref: Comm. Dept. of Health and Ageing Office of Chemical Safety, 'ADI List', June 2014).

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity:**

Glyphosate is a non-selective contact herbicide. Spray drift may cause damage. Not toxic to birds or bees. LD50 >2000 mg/kg (mallard duck)

LD50 >100 µg/bee

### Aquatic toxicity:

## 38641-94-0 N-(phosphonomethyl)glycine, compound with 2-propylamine (1:1)

LC<sub>50</sub>/96 h ~8.2-26 mg/l (rainbow trout)

## Persistence and Degradability:

Half-life in soil is typically 47 days. Loss from soil is primarily by microbial degradation.

Bioaccumulative Potential: No information available

Mobility in Soil: Low mobility under normal conditions.

Other adverse effects: Spray drift can cause damage, read label for more information.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods and Containers: Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.

### **Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:**

Please consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**UN Number**None allocate

Proper Shipping Name Not regulated

**Dangerous Goods Class** Not regulated

Packing Group: Not regulated

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances:**

38641-94-0 N-(phosphonomethyl)glycine, compound with 2-propylamine (1:1)

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule:

Poisons Schedule: 5

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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#### Abbreviations and acronyms:

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society) LC<sub>50</sub>: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD₅o: Lethal dose, 50 percent

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit TWA:

Time Weighted Average

NES: National Exposure Standard (Safe Work Australia - Workplace Exposure Standards For Airborne Contaminants) Skin Irrit.

2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2

Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2A

#### **Disclaimer**

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