

### 1. Identification of Substance & Company

**Product** 

Product name Ezygreen Extra Granules

HSNO approval HSR100124 UN number Not regulated

Proper Shipping Name NA
DG class NA
Packaging group NA
Hazchem code NA

**Uses** fertiliser/herbicide

**Company Details** 

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## **Emergency Telephone Number: 0800 764 766**

#### 2. Hazard Identification

#### **Approval**

This product has been approved under the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act (HSNO, Approval HSR100124) and is classified as follows:

GHS 7 Classes Hazard Statements

Skin irritation cat 2 H315 - Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation cat 2 H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

Toxic towards soil organisms H421 - Very toxic to the soil environment.

#### **SYMBOLS**

## **WARNING**



### **HSNO Classifications effective until 30 April 2021**

6.3A
6.4A
9.2A
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H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.
H421 - Very toxic to the soil environment.

#### **Precautionary Statements**

P103 - Read label before use.

P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P280 - Wear protective gloves/eye protection.

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

P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.

P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P273 - Avoid release to the environment.

P391 - Collect spillage.

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulation.

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### 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS/ Identification	Conc (%)
Mecoprop	7085-19-0 or 93-65-2	<1%
MCPA (as DMA salt)	94-74-6	<1%
Dicamba (as DMA salt)	1918-00-9	0.02
Ingredients not contributing to HSNO classes	Proprietary	balance

This is a commercial product whose exact ratio of components may vary. Trace quantities of impurities are also likely.

#### 4. First Aid

#### **General Information**

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand. You should call the National Poisons Centre if you feel that you may have been harmed or irritated by this product. The number is 0800 764 766 (0800 POISON) (24 hr emergency service).

Recommended first aid

facilities

Ready access to running water is required. Accessible eyewash is required.

**Exposure** 

**Swallowed** 

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse

mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water to drink.

Eye contact

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/attention.

Skin contact

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical

advice/ attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.

Inhaled

Generally, inhalation of dusts is unlikely to result in adverse health effects. If coughing, dizziness or shortness of breath is experienced, remove the patient to fresh air immediately. If patient is unconscious, place in the recovery position (on the side) for

transport and contact a doctor.

**Advice to Doctor** 

Treat symptomatically

#### 5. Firefighting Measures

Fire and explosion hazards: Suitable extinguishing

Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol resistant foam.

substances: Unsuitable extinguishing

substances:

Unknown.

Products of combustion:

Carbon dioxide, and if combustion is incomplete, carbon monoxide and smoke. Water.

May form toxic mixtures in air and may accumulate in sumps, pits and other low-lying

There are no specific risks for fire/explosion for this chemical. It is non-flammable.

spaces, forming potentially explosive mixtures.

Protective equipment:

No special measures are required. NA

Hazchem code:

#### 6. Accidental Release Measures

Containment

In all cases design storage to prevent discharge to storm water.

**Emergency procedures** If a significant spill occurs:

Stop leak if safe/necessary; Isolate area. Collect spill – see below; Transfer to container

for disposal. Dispose of according to guidelines below (Section 13).

Clean-up method

Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Rags are not recommended for the clean-up of spills, as they may create fire or environmental hazard. Collect and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal. If contamination of crops, sewers or

waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

Disposal

Mop up and collect recoverable material into labelled containers for recycling or salvage. Recycle containers wherever possible. This material may be suitable for approved

landfill. Dispose of only in accord with all regulations.

**Precautions** No special protective clothing is normally necessary.

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#### 7. Storage & Handling

**Storage** Avoid storage of harmful substances with food. Store out of reach of children.

Containers should be kept closed in order to minimise contamination. Keep from extreme heat and open flames. Avoid contact with incompatible substances as listed in

Section 10.

Handling Keep exposure to a minimum, and minimise the quantities kept in work areas. See

section 8 with regard to personal protective equipment requirements.

#### 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protective Equipment

#### **Workplace Exposure Standards**

A workplace exposure standard (WES) has not been established by WorkSafe NZ for this product. There is a general limit of 3mg/m³ for respirable particulates and 10mg/m³ for inhalable particulates when limits have not otherwise been established.

NZ Workplace	Ingredient	WES-TWA	WES-STEL
Exposure Stds	calcium sulphate	10mg/m <sup>3</sup>	data unavailable
	glycerine	10mg/m³ (mist)	data unavailable
	ferrous sulphate monohydrate	1mg/m³ (as Fe)	data unavailable

#### **Engineering Controls**

In industrial situations, it is expected that employee exposure to hazardous substances will be controlled to a level as far below the WES as practicable by applying the hierarchy of control required by the Health and Safety at Work Act (2015) and the Health and Safety at Work (General Risk and Workplace Management) Regulations 2016. Exposure can be reduced by process modification, use of local exhaust ventilation, capturing substances at the source, or other methods. If you believe air borne concentrations of mists, dusts or vapours are high, you are advised to modify processes or increase ventilation.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eyes** 



Avoid contact with eyes. Use safety glasses and or chemical splash goggles if splashes are possible. Select eye protection in accordance with AS/NZS 1337.

Skin



Protective gloves are recommended. Nitrile or rubber gloves are recommended. Protective gloves or suitably resistant material must comply with AS 2161. Replace frequently. Gloves should be checked for tears or holes before use. Protective clothing must comply with AS 2919, AS3765.1 or AS3765.2. PVC or rubber boots must comply with AS/NZS 2210.2 and selected and maintained in accordance with AS/NS2210.1.

#### Respiratory

A respirator when airborne concentrations approach the WES (section 8). Respirators must have filters appropriate to the duty and comply with AS/NZS1716 and selected, used and maintained in accordance with AS/NS 1715. Use a respirator with a particulate filter. If using a respirator, ensure that the cartridges are correct for the potential air contamination and are in good working order. Fit testing and clear guidelines and training for use and maintenance of PPE are necessary.

#### **WES Additional Information**

Not applicable

### 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance free flowing beige granular mixture

Odour not specified pH no data
Vapour pressure no data
Viscosity no data
Boiling point no data
Volatile materials no data
Freezing / melting point no data

**Solubility** soluble in water

Specific gravity / density
Flash point
Danger of explosion
Auto-ignition temperature
Upper & lower flammable limits
Corrosiveness

no data
not explosive
no data
no data
non corrosive

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#### 10. Stability & Reactivity

Stability Stable

Conditions to be avoided Containers should be kept closed in order to avoid contamination. Keep from extreme

heat and open flames.

Oxides of sulphur and carbon

Incompatible groups Oxidising agents, strong acids and bases

**Substance Specific** none known

Incompatibility

Hazardous decomposition

products

Hazardous reactions none known

#### 11. Toxicological Information

Summary

IF IN EYES: may cause eye irritation. IF ON SKIN: may cause skin irritation.

**Supporting Data** 

**Acute** Oral Using LD50's for ingredients, the Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) (oral) for the mixture is

>2,000 mg/kg. Data considered includes: mecoprop 600mg/kg (mouse), MCPA (as DMA

salt) 439mg/kg (mouse), Dicamba (as DMA salt) 566-3000mg/kg (guinea pig).

Dermal Using LD50's for ingredients, the Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) (dermal) for the mixture

is >2000 mg/kg.

Inhaled Using LD<sub>50</sub>'s for ingredients, the Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE) (inhalation) for the

mixture is >5mg/L/4h.

The mixture is considered to be an eye irritant. Eye

Skin The mixture is considered to be a skin irritant. Chronic Sensitisation

No ingredient present at concentrations > 0.1% is considered a sensitizer. Mutagenicity No ingredient present at concentrations > 0.1% is considered a mutagen.

Carcinogenicity No ingredient present at concentrations > 0.1% is considered a carcinogen. Reproductive / No ingredient present at concentrations > 0.1% is considered a reproductive or

Developmental developmental toxicant or have any effects on or via lactation.

**Systemic** No ingredient present at concentrations > 1% is considered a target organ toxicant.

Aggravation of None known. existing conditions

**12**. Ecological Data

EPA have assessed this mixture as hazardous towards soil organisms.

**Supporting Data** 

Using EC<sub>50</sub>'s for ingredients, the calculated EC<sub>50</sub> for the mixture is > 100 mg/L. Data Aquatic

considered includes: MCPA (as DMA salt) 0.21mg/L (96hr, Navicula pelliculosa (Algae)) NOEC: <0.014mg/L (14 day (other aquatic plant), Dicamba (as DMA salt) 0.493mg ae/L (5 days. Skeletonema costatum), 28mg/L (96hr, rainbow trout), ferrous sulphate monohydrate 20.8mg/L (96hr, Rainbow trout Oncorhynchus mykiss), 7.1mg/L 948hr,

Water flea Daphnia pulex).

**Bioaccumulation** Not bioaccumulative Degradability Rapidly degradable.

Soil EPA has classified the mixture as ecotoxic to the soil environment, with a soil ecotoxicity

value between 1 and 10 mg/kg. Dicamba (as DMA salt) EC25: 0.0017mg ai / kg soil.

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**Terrestrial vertebrate** See acute toxicity.

Terrestrial invertebrate No evidence of toxicity towards terrestrial invertebrates.

**Biocidal** no data

**Environmental effect levels** No EELs are available for this mixture or ingredients



### 13. Disposal Considerations

**Restrictions** There are no product-specific restrictions, however, local council and resource consent

conditions may apply, including requirements of trade waste consents.

**Disposal method**Disposal of this product must comply with the Hazardous Substances (Disposal) Notice

2017 and the requirements of the Resource Management Act for which approval should be sought from the Regional Authority. The substance must be treated and therefore

rendered non-hazardous before discharge to the environment.

Contaminated packaging Disposal of contaminated packaging must comply with the Hazardous Substances

(Disposal) Notice 2017 clause 12. Ensure that the package is rendered incapable of containing any substance and is disposed in a manner that is consistent with the requirements of the substance it contained and the material of the package. If possible

reuse or recycle packaging.

#### 14. Transport Information

Land Transport Rule: Dangerous Goods 2005 - NZS 5433:2007
There are no specific restrictions for this product (not a dangerous good).

UN number:NAProper shipping name:NAClass(es)NAPacking group:NAPrecautions:NAHazchem code:NA

#### 15. Regulatory Information

This product is an approved substance under the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act (HSNO). Approval code: HSR100124. All ingredients appear on the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals NZIoC.

**Specific Controls** 

Key workplace requirements are:

SDS To be available within 10 minutes in workplaces storing any quantity.

Inventory An inventory of all hazardous substances must be prepared and maintained.

Packaging All hazardous substances should be appropriately packaged including substances

that have been decanted, transferred or manufactured for own use or have been

supplied

Labelling Must comply with the Hazardous Substances (Labelling) Notice 2017.

Emergency plan Not required.

Certified handler This hazardous substance must be under the personal

control of a certified handler when the substance is:

(a) applied in a wide dispersive manner; or

(b) used by a commercial contractor.

Tracking Not required. Bunding & secondary containment Not required.

Signage Required if > 10000kg is stored.

Location compliance certificate Not required.
Flammable zone Not required.
Fire extinguisher Not required.

Note: The above workplace requirements apply if only this particular substance is present. The complete set of controls for a location will depend on the classification and total quantities of other substances present in that location.

#### Other Legislation

In New Zealand, the use of this product may come under the Resource Management Act and Regulations, the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 and the Health and Safety at Work (General Risk and Workplace Management) Regulations 2016, local Council Rules and Regional Council Plans.



#### 16. Other Information

**Abbreviations** 

Approval CodeApproval HSR100124, Controls, EPA. www.epa.govt.nzCAS NumberUnique Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number

**EC**50 Ecotoxic Concentration 50% − concentration in water which is fatal to 50% of a test

population (e.g. daphnia, fish species)

**EPA** Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)

GHS Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, 7th revised

edition, 2017, published by the United Nations.

**HAZCHEM Code** Emergency action code of numbers and letters that provide information to emergency

services, especially fire fighters

**HSNO** Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (Act and Regulations)

International Agency for Research on Cancer

**LEL** Lower Explosive Limit

**LD**<sub>50</sub> Lethal Dose 50% – dose which is fatal to 50% of a test population (usually rats).

Lethal Concentration 50% – concentration in air which is fatal to 50% of a test population

(usually rats)

NZIoC New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

MSDS (SDS)

Material Safety Data Sheet (or Safety Data Sheet)

STEL Short Term Exposure Limit - The maximum airborne concentration of a chemical or

biological agent to which a worker may be exposed in any 15 minute period, provided the

TWA is not exceeded

**STOT RE**System Target Organ Toxicity – Repeated Exposure
STOT SE
System Target Organ Toxicity – Single Exposure

TWA Time Weighted Average – generally referred to WES averaged over typical work day

(usually 8 hours)

UEL Upper Explosive Limit
UN Number United Nations Number

WES Workplace Exposure Standard - The airborne concentration of a biological or chemical

agent to which a worker may be exposed during work hours (usually 8 hours, 5 days a week). The WES relates to exposure that has been measured by personal monitoring

using procedures that gather air samples in the worker's breathing zone.

References

Unless otherwise stated comes from the EPA HSNO chemical classification information

database (CCID).

Controls EPA notices, www.epa.govt.nz, Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances)

Regulations 2017, www.legislation.govt.nz

WES The latest NZ Workplace Exposure Standards, published by WorkSafe NZ and available

on their web site - www.worksafe.govt.nz.

Other References: Suppliers SDS

Review

DateReason for reviewMay 2021Not applicable – new SDS

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