

Safety Data Sheet

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1. Product and Company Identification

Company
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24 Hour Emergency Response Information
CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300
BASF HOTLINE: 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

Substance number: 000000062270
Molecular formula: C₁₉ H₁₈ N₃ O₄ Cl
Chemical family: strobilurine
Synonyms: pyraclostrobin

2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview

WARNING:
May be fatal if swallowed.
Causes substantial but temporary eye injury.
CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION.
HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS.
Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

See Product Label for additional precautionary statements.

State of matter: liquid
Colour: dark yellow
Odour: faint odour, aromatic

Potential health effects

Primary routes of exposure:

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

Acute toxicity:

Moderately toxic after single ingestion. Relatively nontoxic after short-term inhalation. Slightly toxic after short-term skin contact.

Irritation / corrosion:

Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. May cause moderate irritation to the skin.

Assessment other acute effects:

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Causes temporary irritation of the respiratory tract.

Sensitization:

Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

Chronic toxicity:

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

Medical conditions aggravated by overexposure:

Individuals with pre-existing diseases of the respiratory system, skin or eyes may have increased susceptibility to excessive exposures.

Signs and symptoms of overexposure:

Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia due to the ingredients. Because of the increased risk of chemical pneumonia or pulmonary edema caused by aspiration of the hydrocarbon solvent, vomiting should be induced only under professional supervision.

Potential environmental effects

Aquatic toxicity:

Very toxic (acute effect) to aquatic organisms.

Terrestrial toxicity:

With high probability not acutely harmful to terrestrial organisms.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Content (W/W)</u>	<u>Chemical name</u>
175013-18-0	< 24.0 %	Pyraclostrobin
91-57-6	< 15.0 %	Naphthalene, 2-methyl-
91-20-3	< 8.0 %	naphthalene
90-12-0	< 7.0 %	Naphthalene, 1-methyl-
	< 56.0 %	Proprietary ingredients

4. First-Aid Measures

General advice:

First aid providers should wear personal protective equipment to prevent exposure. Remove contaminated clothing. Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or physician for treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.

If inhaled:

Remove the affected individual into fresh air and keep the person calm.

If on skin:

Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 - 20 minutes.

If in eyes:

Hold eyes open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing.

If swallowed:

Never induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if the victim is unconscious or having convulsions. Do not induce vomiting. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.

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Note to physician

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

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Flash point:	approx. 104 °C	Information applies to the solvent.
Autoignition:	475 °C	(Directive 92/69/EEC, A.15)
Lower explosion limit:	approx. 0.7 %(V)	Information applies to the solvent.
Upper explosion limit:		not determined
Flammability:	Product is combustible.	
Self-ignition temperature:	approx. 491 °C	

Suitable extinguishing media:

water spray, foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide

Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxide, nitrogen dioxide, Hydrogen chloride, halogenated hydrocarbons, Hydrocarbons,

If product is heated above decomposition temperature, toxic vapours will be released. The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released if the product is involved in a fire.

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

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

Further information:

Evacuate area of all unnecessary personnel. Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not allow to enter drains or waterways.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions:

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 the subsoil/soil. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater. Contain contaminated water/firefighting water.

Cleanup:

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

Handling

General advice:

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL BLENDING, AND PACKAGING WORKERS. PESTICIDE APPLICATORS & WORKERS must refer to the Product Label and Directions for Use attached to the product for Agricultural Use Requirements in accordance with the EPA Worker Protection Standard 40 CFR part 170. Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide good ventilation of working area (local exhaust ventilation if necessary). Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep container tightly sealed.

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Protect contents from the effects of light. Protect against heat. Protect from air. Handle and open container with care. Do not open until ready to use. Once container is opened, content should be used as soon as possible. Avoid aerosol formation. Avoid dust formation. Provide means for controlling leaks and spills. Do not return residues to the storage containers. Follow label warnings even after container is emptied. The substance/product may be handled only by appropriately trained personnel. Avoid all direct contact with the substance/product. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of dusts/mists/vapours. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment.

Protection against fire and explosion:

The relevant fire protection measures should be noted. Fire extinguishers should be kept handy. Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear. Avoid extreme heat. Keep away from oxidizable substances. Electrical equipment should conform to national electric code. Ground all transfer equipment properly to prevent electrostatic discharge. Electrostatic discharge may cause ignition.

Vapours may form ignitable mixture with air. Prevent electrostatic charge - sources of ignition should be kept well clear - fire extinguishers should be kept handy.

Storage

General advice:

Keep only in the original container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from ignition sources, heat or flame. Protect containers from physical damage. Protect against contamination. The authority permits and storage regulations must be observed. Keep away from heat. Protect from direct sunlight.

Storage incompatibility:

General advice: Segregate from foods and animal feeds. Segregate from incompatible substances. Segregate from foods and animal feeds. Segregate from textiles and similar materials.

Temperature tolerance

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.

8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

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

Components with occupational exposure limits

naphthalene	OSHA ACGIH	PEL 10 ppm 50 mg/m3 ; TWA value 10 ppm ; STEL value 15 ppm ; Skin Designation ; The substance can be absorbed through the skin.
Naphthalene, 1-methyl-	ACGIH	TWA value 0.5 ppm ; Skin Designation ; The substance can be absorbed through the skin.
Naphthalene, 2-methyl-	ACGIH	TWA value 0.5 ppm ; Skin Designation ; The substance can be absorbed through the skin.

Advice on system design:

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

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Personal protective equipment

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Respiratory protection:

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) TC23C Chemical/Mechanical type filter system to remove a combination of particles, gas and vapours. For situations where the airborne concentrations may exceed the level for which an air purifying respirator is effective, or where the levels are unknown or Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH), use NIOSH-certified full facepiece pressure demand self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) or a full facepiece pressure demand supplied-air respirator (SAR) with escape provisions.

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves, Protective glove selection must be based on the user's assessment of the workplace hazards.

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles). Wear face shield 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:

Wear long sleeved work shirt and long work pants in addition to other stated personal protective equipment. Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye wash. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Personal protective equipment should be decontaminated prior to reuse. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks). Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Store work clothing separately. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. No eating, drinking, smoking or tobacco use at the place of work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	liquid	
Odour:	faint odour, aromatic	
Colour:	dark yellow	
pH value:	6.4	
solidification temperature:	approx. -17 °C	
onset of boiling:	approx. 180 °C	Information applies to the solvent.
Vapour pressure:	approx. 0.053 hPa	(20 °C) Information applies to the solvent.
Density:	1.05 g/cm ³	(20 °C)
	approx. 8.7627	(68 °F)
	Lb/USg	
Vapour density:		not determined
Viscosity, dynamic:	8.8 mPa.s	(40 °C)
	approx. 17.5	(20 °C)
	mPa.s	
Viscosity, kinematic:	8.5 mm ² /s	(40 °C)
Solubility in water:		emulsifiable
Molar mass:	387.3 g/mol	

10. Stability and Reactivity

Conditions to avoid:

Avoid sources of ignition. Avoid electro-static discharge. Avoid direct sunlight.

Substances to avoid:

Nitric Acid, Sulfuric acid, strong oxidizing agents, strong bases, strong acids

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Hazardous reactions:

The product is chemically stable.

Hazardous polymerization will not occur. No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated., Prolonged thermal loading can result in products of degradation being given off.

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

Thermal decomposition:

Possible thermal decomposition products:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxide, nitrogen dioxide, Hydrogen chloride, halogenated hydrocarbons, Hydrocarbons

Stable at ambient temperature. If product is heated above decomposition temperature toxic vapours may be released.

Oxidizing properties:

Not an oxidizer.

not fire-propagating

11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity

Oral:

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat (female)

Value: 200 - 500 mg/kg

Inhalation:

Type of value: LC50

Species: rat

Value: 3.51 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Dermal:

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat

Value: > 4,000 mg/kg

Irritation / corrosion

Skin:

Species: rabbit

Result: moderately irritating

Method: Primary skin irritation test

Eye:

Species: rabbit

Result: moderately irritating

Sensitization:

Buehler test

Species: guinea pig

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

Method: OECD Guideline 406

Repeated dose toxicity

Information on: Pyraclostrobin

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*Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:
After repeated exposure the prominent effect is local irritation. The substance may cause damage to the olfactory epithelium after repeated inhalation.*

*Information on: 2-ethylhexan-1-ol
Assessment of repeated dose toxicity:
Repeated exposure to high doses of the substance causes reversible liver changes in rodents. According to present knowledge, these effects do not occur in man.
May cause liver and kidney damage.*

Genetic toxicity

*Information on: naphthalene
The substance was not mutagenic in bacteria. The substance was mutagenic in a mammalian cell culture test system. The substance was not mutagenic in a test with mammals. Literature data.*

Carcinogenicity

*Information on: solvent naphtha
Long-term exposure to highly irritating concentrations resulted in skin tumors in animals. A carcinogenic effect in humans can be excluded after brief skin contact.
Information on: Naphthalene
Indication of possible carcinogenic effect in animal tests.*

Other Information:

Misuse can be harmful to health.

12. Ecological Information

Fish

*Information on: pyraclostrobin
Acute:
Cyprinus carpio/LC50 (96 h): > 0.0121 - < 0.0258 mg/l
Lepomis macrochirus/LC50 (96 h): > 0.0196 - < 0.0335 mg/l
Oncorhynchus mykiss/LC50 (96 h): 0.00616 mg/l*

Aquatic invertebrates

*Information on: pyraclostrobin
Acute:
Daphnia magna/EC50 (48 h): 0.0157 mg/l*

Aquatic plants

*Information on: pyraclostrobin
Toxicity to aquatic plants:
green algae/EC50 (96 h): > 0.843 mg/l*

Non-Mammals

*Information on: pyraclostrobin
Other terrestrial non-mammals:
bobwhite quail/LD50: > 2,000 mg/kg
bobwhite quail:
mallard duck/LC50: > 5,000 ppm*

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Honey bee/LD50: > 100 ug/bee

Environmental mobility:

Information on: Pyraclostrobin

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

Following exposure to soil, adsorption to solid soil particles is probable, therefore contamination of groundwater is not expected.

Other adverse effects:

The ecological data given are those of the active ingredient. Do not release untreated into natural waters.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste disposal of substance:

Pesticide wastes are regulated. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mix or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If pesticide wastes cannot be disposed of according to label instructions, contact the State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

Container disposal:

Rinse thoroughly at least three times (triple rinse) in accordance with EPA recommendations. Consult state or local disposal authorities for approved alternative procedures such as container recycling. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers. Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and disposed of in the same manner as the substance/product.

RCRA:

This product is not regulated by RCRA.

14. Transport Information

Land transport

USDOT

Hazard class:	6.1
Packing group:	III
ID number:	UN 2902
Hazard label:	6.1, EHSM
Proper shipping name:	PESTICIDE, LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (contains SOLVENT NAPHTHA, PYRACLOSTROBIN 23%)

Sea transport

IMDG

Hazard class:	6.1
Packing group:	III
ID number:	UN 2902
Hazard label:	6.1, EHSM
Marine pollutant:	YES
Proper shipping name:	PESTICIDE, LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (contains SOLVENT NAPHTHA, PYRACLOSTROBIN 23%)

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Air transport IATA/ICAO

Hazard class: 6.1
Packing group: III
ID number: UN 2902
Hazard label: 6.1
Proper shipping name: PESTICIDE, LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (contains SOLVENT NAPHTHA, PYRACLOSTROBIN 23%)

Further information

DOT: This product is regulated if the amount in a single receptacle exceeds the Reportable Quantity (RQ). Please refer to Section 15 of this MSDS for the RQ for this product.

15. Regulatory Information

Federal Regulations

Registration status:

Crop Protection TSCA, US released / exempt

Chemical TSCA, US blocked / not listed

OSHA hazard category: IARC 1, 2A or 2B carcinogen; NTP listed carcinogen; Chronic target organ effects reported; Acute target organ effects reported; Toxic - oral; Toxic - inhalation

EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories): Acute;

EPCRA 313:

<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Chemical name</u>
91-20-3	naphthalene

<u>CERCLA RQ</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Chemical name</u>
100 LBS	91-20-3	naphthalene

State regulations

State RTK

	<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Chemical name</u>
NJ, PA	91-57-6	Naphthalene, 2-methyl-
MA, NJ, PA	91-20-3	naphthalene
MA, PA	90-12-0	Naphthalene, 1-methyl-

16. Other Information

Refer to product label for EPA registration number.

Recommended use: fungicide

NFPA Hazard codes:

Health : 2 Fire: 1 Reactivity: 1 Special:

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