



Material Safety Data Sheet
PROSARO™ 421 SC FUNGICIDE

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SECTION 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Product Name PROSARO™ 421 SC FUNGICIDE
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SECTION 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Hazardous Component Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Average % by Weight</u>
Prothioconazole	178928-70-6	19.00
Tebuconazole	107534-96-3	19.00

SECTION 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

NOTE: Please refer to Section 11 for detailed toxicological information.

<u>Emergency Overview</u>	Caution! Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.
Physical State	liquid suspension
Appearance	off-white
Routes of Exposure	Ingestion, Inhalation, Eye contact, Skin Absorption
Immediate Effects	
Eye	Moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes.
Skin	May cause slight irritation. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin and clothing.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. Do not take internally.
Inhalation	Harmful if inhaled. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.
Chronic or Delayed Long-Term	This product contains ingredients that are considered to be probable or suspected human carcinogens (see Section 11 - Chronic). This product or its components may have target organ effects. This product or its components may have long term (chronic) health effects.



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Potential Environmental Effect Toxic to aquatic and estuarine invertebrates.

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General	When possible, have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.
Eye	Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Skin	Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Ingestion	Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse out mouth and give water in small sips to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not leave victim unattended.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Notes to Physician Treatment	There is no specific antidote. Appropriate supportive and symptomatic treatment as indicated by the patient's condition is recommended.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Water, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO2), Dry chemical
Fire Fighting Instructions	Keep out of smoke. Fight fire from upwind position. Cool containers / tanks with water spray. Dike area to prevent runoff and contamination of water sources. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses. Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions	Keep unauthorized people away. Isolate hazard area. Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces.
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Methods for Cleaning Up Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Collect and transfer the product into a properly labelled and tightly closed container. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly, observing environmental regulations.

Additional Advice Use personal protective equipment. Do not allow product to enter streams, sewers or other waterways.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Procedures Handle and open container in a manner as to prevent spillage.

Storing Procedures Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other pesticides, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area.

Work/Hygienic Procedures Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, using the toilet or applying cosmetics.

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

Remove Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately after handling this product. Before removing gloves clean them with soap and water. As soon as practical, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General Protection Follow all label instructions. Train employees in safe use of the product.

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and warm/tepid water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

Engineering Controls Maintain exposure levels below the exposure limit through the use of general and local exhaust ventilation.

Eye/Face Protection Goggles

Hand Protection Chemical resistant nitrile rubber gloves

Body Protection Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants and shoes plus socks.

Respiratory Protection When respirators are required, select NIOSH approved equipment based on actual or potential airborne concentrations and in accordance with the appropriate regulatory standards and/or industry recommendations.



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Exposure Limits

Glycerine	56-81-5	ACGIH	TWA		10 mg/m3
		Form of exposure		Mist.	
		OSHA Z1	PEL		5 mg/m3
		Form of exposure		Respirable fraction.	
		OSHA Z1	PEL		15 mg/m3
		Form of exposure		Total dust.	
		OSHA Z1A	TWA		5 mg/m3
		Form of exposure		Respirable fraction.	
		OSHA Z1A	TWA		10 mg/m3
		Form of exposure		Total dust.	
		US CA OEL	TWA PEL		5 mg/m3
		Form of exposure		Respirable fraction.	
		US CA OEL	TWA PEL		10 mg/m3
		Form of exposure		Total dust.	

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	off-white
Physical State	liquid suspension
pH	7.5 - 7.9 (10 %) aqueous suspension
Density	approx. 1.112 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Viscosity	413 mPa.s at 25 °C

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions.
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SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity data have been bridged from a similar formulation containing the active ingredients, tebuconazole and prothioconazole. The non-acute information pertains to the technical-grade active ingredients.

Acute Oral Toxicity	female rat: LD50: > 2,000 mg/kg
Acute Dermal Toxicity	rat: LD50: > 2,000 mg/kg



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Acute Inhalation Toxicity rat: LC50: > 2.0 mg/l
Exposure time: 4 h
Determined in the form of liquid aerosol.

rat: LC50: > 8.0 mg/l
Exposure time: 1 h
Determined in the form of liquid aerosol.
Extrapolated from the 4 hr LC50.

Skin Irritation rabbit: Slight irritation.

Eye Irritation rabbit: Minimally irritating.

Sensitization guinea pig: Non-sensitizing.

Chronic Toxicity Tebuconazole caused liver, spleen, adrenal and/or eye effects at high doses in chronic studies in rats and dogs.

Prothioconazole produced liver and kidney effects in chronic oral gavage studies in rats and dogs. In addition, secondary urinary bladder effects occurred at high dose levels in the rat.

Assessment Carcinogenicity

Tebuconazole is classified by EPA as a Group C carcinogen (possible human carcinogen) based on liver tumors in mice and no evidence of carcinogenicity in rats. As the liver tumors were seen only at a dose exceeding a Maximum Tolerated Dose (MTD), no significant carcinogenic risk is posed for human exposure.

Prothioconazole was not carcinogenic in oncogenicity studies in rats and mice.

- ACGIH**
None.
- NTP**
None.
- IARC**
None.
- OSHA**
None.

Reproductive & Developmental Toxicity REPRODUCTION: Tebuconazole is not considered a primary reproductive toxicant in rats. Reproductive effects (e.g., smaller litters) were observed at the highest concentration but were considered secondary to maternal toxicity.

REPRODUCTION: Prothioconazole caused decreases in litter size, pup body weight gains, and neonatal spleen weights at maternally toxic doses in a multi-generation study in rats.

DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Tebuconazole is not considered a primary developmental toxicant in laboratory animals. Developmental effects were observed only at doses that caused maternal toxicity.



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DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Prothioconazole produced developmental effects in conjunction with maternal toxicity in oral gavage developmental studies in rats and rabbits. Developmental toxicity was not observed in rats exposed dermally to prothioconazole.

Neurotoxicity

Tebuconazole caused only transient neurobehavioral effects (e.g., decreased motor activity) in acute, subchronic and/or developmental neurotoxicity studies in rats.

Prothioconazole produced slight transient neurobehavioral effects with no correlating morphological changes in the neural tissues or skeletal muscles in acute and subchronic neurotoxicity screening studies in rats. Prothioconazole is not neurotoxic.

Mutagenicity

Tebuconazole was not mutagenic or genotoxic in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

Prothioconazole was not mutagenic or genotoxic based on the overall weight of evidence from a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental Precautions

Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Drift or run-off from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate surface or ground water by cleaning equipment or disposal of wastes, including equipment wash water. Apply this product as specified on the label.



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SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

- General Disposal Guidance** Pesticide, spray mixture or rinse water that cannot be used according to label instructions may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.
- Container Disposal** Triple rinse containers. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or incineration, or if allowed by State and Local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

TRANSPORTATION CLASSIFICATION:
Not regulated for Domestic Surface Shipment

FREIGHT CLASSIFICATION:
Insecticides or Fungicides, N.O.I.; other than poison

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Federal Regulations

TSCA list

None.

US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt D)

None.

SARA Title III - Section 302 - Notification and Information

None.

SARA Title III - Section 313 - Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

None.

US States Regulatory Reporting

CA Prop65

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause cancer.

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause reproductive harm.

US State Right-To-Know Ingredients

None.

Canadian Regulations

Canadian Domestic Substance List

None.

Environmental

CERCLA

None.

Clean Water Section 307 Priority Pollutants



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None.
Safe Drinking Water Act Maximum Contaminant Levels
None.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA 704 (National Fire Protection Association):

Health - 2 Flammability - 0 Reactivity - 0 Others - none

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard

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