

# DuPont<sup>™</sup> Affinity<sup>®</sup> Tankmix Herbicide

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### **SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : DuPont<sup>™</sup> Affinity<sup>®</sup> Tankmix Herbicide

Tradename/Synonym : DPX-JMQ48 50SG

B11984502

THIFENSULFURON METHYL (Methyl 3-[[[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-

2-yl)amino]carbonyl]amino] sulfonyl]-2-thiophenecarboxylate)

TRIBENURON METHYL (Methyl 2-[[[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-I,3,5-triazin-2-

yl)methylamino]carbonyl]- amino]sulfonyl] benzoate)

MSDS Number : 130000015716 Product Use : Herbicide

Manufacturer : DuPont

1007 Market Street Wilmington, DE 19898

Product Information : 1-800-441-7515 (outside the U.S. 1-302-774-1000) Medical Emergency : 1-800-441-3637 (outside the U.S. 1-302-774-1139)

Transport Emergency : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (outside the U.S. 1-703-527-3887)

Other information : professional use

### **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### **Emergency Overview**

Caution

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

### Potential Health Effects

This section includes potential acute adverse effects which could occur if this material is not used according to the label.

Skin : May cause: Irritation with discomfort or rash., May cause allergic skin

reaction..

Eyes : May cause: Irritation with discomfort, pain, redness, or visual impairment.

Inhalation

Thifensulfuron methyl : May cause: Respiratory irritation, Discomfort, Cough.

### Carcinogenicity

None of the components present in this material at concentrations equal to or greater than 0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, or OSHA, as a carcinogen.



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#### **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration
Thifensulfuron methyl	79277-27-3	40 %
Tribenuron methyl	101200-48-0	10 %
Inert Ingredients		50 %

#### **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Skin contact : Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Rinse skin immediately with

plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for

treatment advice.

Eye contact : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be

hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.

Inhalation : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be

hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.

Ingestion : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be

hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.

General advice : Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control

center or doctor, or going for treatment.

For medical emergencies involving this product, call toll free 1-800-441-3637.

See Label for Additional Precautions and Directions for Use.

### **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Flammable Properties

Lower explosion limit : 0.1 - 0.25 g/l

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray, Dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: High volume water jet, (contamination risk)

Firefighting Instructions : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. (on small fires)

If area is heavily exposed to fire and if conditions permit, let fire burn itself out since water may increase the area contaminated. Cool containers / tanks with water spray.Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water

courses.



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#### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

NOTE: Review FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES and HANDLING (PERSONNEL) sections before proceeding with clean-up. Use appropriate PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT during clean-up.

Spill Cleanup : Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. If spill area is on

ground near valuable plants or trees, remove 5 cm of top soil after initial

clean-up.

Accidental Release Measures : Prevent material from entering sewers, waterways, or low areas. Never return

spills in original containers for re-use. Dispose of in accordance with local

regulations. Follow applicable Federal, State/Provincial and Local

laws/regulations.

### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Handling (Personnel) : Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating,

drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove

clothing/PPE immediately if material gets inside. Wash the outside of gloves

before removing. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

Handling (Physical Aspects) : Dust may form explosive mixture in air. Keep away from heat and sources of

ignition.

Storage : Do not contaminate water, other pesticides, fertilizer, food or feed in storage.

Store in original container. Keep tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-

ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering controls : When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner

that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240 (d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

IMPORTANT: When reduced PPE is worn because a closed system is being used, handlers must be provided all PPE specified for "Applicators and Other

Handlers" and have such PPE immediately available for use in an

emergency, such as a spill or equipment breakdown.

Personal protective equipment

Skin and body protection : Applicators and other handlers must wear:

Long sleeved shirt and long pants

Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material

Shoes plus socks

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has

been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:



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Coveralls

Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material

Shoes plus socks

Protective measures : Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such

instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and

wash PPE separately from other laundry.

Exposure Guidelines
Exposure Limit Values
Thifensulfuron methyl

AEL \* (DUPONT) 5 mg/m3 8 & 12 hr. TWA

Tribenuron methyl

AEL \* (DUPONT) 1 mg/m3 8 hr. TWA

### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Form : granular
Color : light brown
Odor : slight
pH : 8.2 - 9.2
Water solubility : soluble

### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability : Stable at normal temperatures and storage conditions.

Incompatibility : No materials to be especially mentioned.

Hazardous reactions : Polymerization will not occur.

## **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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Inhalation 4 h LC50 : > 6.0 mg/l, rat

Dermal LD50 Dermal : > 5,000 mg/kg, rat

Oral LD50 Oral : > 5,000 mg/kg , rat

Skin irritation : Species: rat, No skin irritation Eye irritation : Species: rat, No eye irritation

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<sup>\*</sup> AEL is DuPont's Acceptable Exposure Limit. Where governmentally imposed occupational exposure limits which are lower than the AEL are in effect, such limits shall take precedence.



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Sensitisation : Species: guinea pig, Causes sensitization.

Further information : Components influencing toxicology Thifensulfuron methyl

Repeated dose toxicity : The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly

exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.

Oral - feed, multiple species Reduced body weight gain

Carcinogenicity : Animal testing did not show any carcinogenic effects.

Mutagenicity : Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures did not show mutagenic

effects.

Reproductive toxicity : Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.

Teratogenicity : Did not show teratogenic effects in animal experiments., Animal

testing showed effects on embryo-foetal development at levels equal

to or above those causing maternal toxicity.

Tribenuron methyl

Repeated dose toxicity : The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly

exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.

Oral

Adverse body weight effects, altered blood chemistry

Carcinogenicity : An increased incidence of tumours was observed in laboratory

animals.

Target(s):, Mammary glands

Mutagenicity : Did not cause genetic damage in cultured bacterial cells., Did not

cause genetic damage in cultured mammalian cells., Did not cause

genetic damage in animals.

Reproductive toxicity : Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.

Teratogenicity : Animal testing showed effects on embryo-foetal development at levels

below those causing maternal toxicity.

### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Aquatic Toxicity** 

Thifensulfuron methyl

96 h LC50 : Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) > 100 mg/l

96 h LC50 : Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish) > 100 mg/l



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72 h EbC50 : Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) 14.5 mg/l

336 h EC50 : Lemna gibba (duckweed) 0.0016 mg/l

96 h EC50 : Anabaena flos-aquae (cyanobacteria) 0.840 mg/l

48 h EC50 : Daphnia magna (Water flea) > 970 mg/l

Tribenuron methyl

96 h LC50 : Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) > 1,000 mg/l

120 h EC50 : Scenedesmus capricornutum (fresh water algae) 2.6 - 13.1 mg/l

Toxicity to other organisms
Thifensulfuron methyl

LD50 : Anas platyrhynchos (Mallard duck) > 2,510 mg/kg

8 d LC50 : Anas platyrhynchos (Mallard duck) > 5,620 mg/kg

8 d LC50 : Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail) > 5,620 mg/kg

Tribenuron methyl

LD50 : Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail) > 2,250 mg/kg

Oral

5 d LC50 : Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail) > 5,620 ppm

Dietary

5 d LC50 : Anas platyrhynchos (Mallard duck) > 5,620 ppm

Dietary

Additional ecological information : Environmental Hazards: Do not apply directly to water, or to areas

where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment

or disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate. Do not apply

where/when conditions favour runoff.

### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste Disposal : Do not contaminate water, food or feed by disposal. Wastes resulting from the

use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste

disposal facility.

Container Disposal : Refer to the product label for instructions.

Container Refilling and Disposal:

The container must only be refilled with this pesticide product. DO NO REUSE THE CONTAINER FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE.

Do not transport if this container is damaged or leaking.



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In the event of a major spill, fire or other emergency, call 1-800-441-3637 day

or night.

### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

IATA C **UN-Number** : 3077

> : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. Proper shipping name

> > (Thifensulfuron-methyl, Tribenuron methyl)

: 9 Packaging group : 111 Labelling No. : 9MI : 3077 **UN-Number** 

Proper shipping name : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s.

(Thifensulfuron-methyl, Tribenuron methyl)

: 9 Class Packaging group : 111 Labelling No. : 9

Marine pollutant

**IMDG** 

Not regulated as a hazardous material by DOT.

#### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

SARA 313 Regulated

Chemical(s)

: Tribenuron methyl

Title III hazard : Acute Health Hazard: Yes classification Chronic Health Hazard: No.

Fire: No

Reactivity/Physical hazard: No

Pressure: No

EPA Reg. No. : 352-641

> In the United States this product is regulated by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA). It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read and follow all label directions. This product is excluded from listing requirements under EPA/TSCA.

#### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**NFPA HMIS** Health 1 1 Flammability 1 1 Reactivity/Physical hazard 0 0



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