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1. Product and Company identification

Product name: CASORON G-2

Chemical name: Agricultural herbicide

Use of substance/preparation: Herbicide

Supplier: Chemtura Canada Co./Cie

25 ERB STREET

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Elmira, Ontario N3B 3A3 Canada

Manufacturer: Chemtura Canada Co./Cie

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

NORMAL PRECAUTIONS COMMON TO SAFE MANUFACTURING PRACTICE SHOULD BE FOLLOWED IN HANDLING AND STORAGE.

HARMFUL TO AQUATIC ORGANISMS.

AVOID DISPERSION OF DUST IN AIR TO REDUCE POTENTIAL FOR DUST IGNITION/EXPLOSIONS.

MAY CAUSE EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION.

INHALATION OF DUSTS FROM THIS PRODUCT MAY CAUSE IRRITATION OF EYES, NOSE , THROAT AND RESPIRATORY

SYSTEM.

SEE SECTION 11 FOR INFORMATION ON CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT % BY WEIGHT

2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile CAS# 1194-65-6

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

<u>Swallowing</u>

If patient is fully conscious, give two glasses of water. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Obtain medical attention immediately. Do not give milk, oily products, fat or alcohol. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. Obtain medical attention.

Skin contact

Wash skin with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash clothing before re-use. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

Eve contact

Immediately flush eyes with water and continue washing for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

Notes to physician

ROUTES OF ENTRY:

Skin

Eyes

Ingestion Inhalation

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Hazardous combustion products

Burning can produce the following combustion products:

Oxides of carbon.

Oxides of nitrogen.

Oxides of sulfur.

Special fire fighting procedures

Do not discharge extinguishing waters into streams, rivers and lakes.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Body covering protective clothing, full "turn-out" gear.

Self-contained breathing apparatus.

Extinguishing media

Suitable: Large fires:

- alcohol-type foam or universal-type foams

Small fires: - CO2

dry chemicalwater spray

Unsuitable: - water jets

Unusual fire and explosion hazards

Avoid dispersion of dust in air to reduce potential for dust ignition/explosions.

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Personal precautions

Wear suitable protective equipment., Avoid contact with eyes and skin.

Environmental precautions

Prevent from entering sewer system, surface water or soil.

Methods for cleaning up

Sweep up and collect in a suitable container for disposal.

Avoid dust formation.

Observe government regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING

Handling precautions

Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing., Do not swallow., Avoid dispersion of dust to reduce fire and explosion potential., Do not eat, drink or smoke when handling.

Other precautions

If fine dust is formed from this product, avoid dispersion of dust in air to reduce fire and explosion hazard. Do not store near food, feed or fertilizers. Do not contaminate ponds, lakes, streams, or any source of water.

STORAGE

Storage requirements

Store in a cool, dry place., Keep container closed., Store in original containers away from incompatible materials.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES

Consult local authorities for acceptable provincial values.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

Respiratory protection

In the absence of engineering controls sufficient to maintain airborne concentrations below recommended occupational exposure limit values, appropriate respiratory protection should be utilized., The determination of appropriate respiratory protection is best performed, on a case by case basis, taking into consideration the exposure conditions of the particular operation., Use an approved full-face air-purifying respirator. For emergency and other conditions where the exposure limit may be greatly exceeded, use an approved positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus., The respirator manufacturer should be consulted to ensure that the air-purifying cartridges utilized will provide adequate protection for the exposure conditions and period of wear concerned.

Hand protection / protective gloves

Chemical resistant protective gloves

Eye protection

Wear suitable eye protection., Safety glasses with side shields., Face shield or chemical splash goggles in case of splashing.

<u>Skin protection</u>
Wear protective clothing, such as long sleeves to minimize skin contact.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Ventilation

Apply local exhaust ventilation at points of dust generation.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE

Physical state Granular solid

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Odor Characteristic
Odor threshold Not available

OTHER PROPERTIES

Boiling pointNot applicableMelting pointNot available

Solidification Not available

pH Not available

Specific gravity (H2O=1) Not available

Density Not available

Vapor pressure

Solubility in water Not available

Solubility in organic solvents Slightly soluble

Flash point

Partitioning coefficient

Not available

Not available

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Autoignition temperature 579 °C

 Upper explosion limits
 Not available

 Lower explosion limits
 Not available

 Percent volatiles
 Not available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Stability - Conditions to avoid:

Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible materials:

Strong alkalies.

Strong oxidizing agents.

<u>Hazardous reactions</u>: Dichlobenil may hydrolyze to 2,6-dichlorobenzamide in alkaline/alcoholic solutions.

<u>Hazardous combustion products</u>:

Burning can produce the following combustion products:

Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen. Oxides of sulfur.

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

SWALLOWING

Test results

Acute toxicity: LD50 Rat

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Result: > 5,000 mg/kg

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SKIN ABSORPTION

Test results

Acute toxicity: LD50 - Rabbit

Result: > 5,000 mg/kg

INHALATION

Test results

Acute toxicity: LC50 - Rat

Result: > 5.3 mg/l Exposure time: 4 h

SKIN CONTACT

Test results

Skin irritation: Species: Rabbit

Result: Mild irritation

EYE CONTACT

Test results

Eye irritation: Species: Rabbit

Result: Mild irritation

SENSITIZATION

<u>Test results:</u> Species: - Guinea pigs

Species: - Guinea pigs Remark: No data available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Component ecotoxicology	LC50 -
2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	Result: 4.93 - 12.7 mg/l
Acute toxicity fish:	Exposure time: 96 h
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Component ecotoxicology	LC50 - Fathead minnow (Pimephales promelas)
2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	Result: 6 ppm
Acute toxicity fish:	Exposure time: 96 h
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Component ecotoxicology	LC50 - Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	Result: 6.3 ppm
Acute toxicity fish:	Exposure time: 96 h
Component ecotoxicology	LC50 - Bluegill (Lepomis macrochirus)
Component ecotoxicology 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	LC50 - Bluegill (Lepomis macrochirus) Result: 8.3 ppm
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2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile Acute toxicity fish:	Result: 8.3 ppm Exposure time: 96 h
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2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile Acute toxicity fish: Component ecotoxicology 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	Result: 8.3 ppm Exposure time: 96 h LC50 - Sheepshead minnow (Cyprinodon variegatus): Result: 12.7 ppm
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Component ecotoxicology 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile Aquatic toxicity to plants:	IC50 - Algae Result: 2 - 2.7 mg/l Exposure time: 72 h
Component ecotoxicology 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile Acute toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:	EC50 - Water flea (Daphnia magna) Result: 6.2 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h
Component ecotoxicology 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile Acute toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:	LC50 - Mysid shrimp (Mysis litoralis) Result: 2.35 ppm Exposure time: 96 h

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	Component ecotoxicology 2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:	Water flea (Daphnia magna) Result: 1.5 ppm Life Cycle MATC
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Component ecotoxicology	- EC50 - Eastern Oyster (Crassostrea virginica)
2,6-Dichlorobenzonitrile	Result: 1.92 ppm
Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:	Shell Desposition
	Exposure time: 4 d

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General: Do not discharge to sewers and natural waters., Incinerate in a furnace where permitted under appropriate Federal,

State, and local regulations.Do not discharge to sewers and natural waters., Incinerate in a furnace where permitted

under appropriate federal, provincial, and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

TDG - Canada

This product is not regulated by TDG.

IMDG Classification

This product is not regulated by IMDG.

ICAO/IATA Classification

This product is not regulated by ICAO.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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CHEMICAL INVENTORY

All substances in this product are exempt from the DSL as this product is registered under the Pest Canada: Control Products Act., PCP# 20377

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

STP	Standard temperature and pressure
W/W	Weight/Weight

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