

# Safety Data Sheet

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### 1. Identification

#### Product identifier used on the label

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#### Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use

Recommended use\*: crop protection product, herbicide

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#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

##### Company:

BASF Agricultural Solutions Canada Inc.  
510, 28 Quarry Park Boulevard SE,  
Calgary, AB, T2C 5P9  
CANADA

Telephone: +1 (403) 523-3000

#### Emergency telephone number

##### 24 Hour Emergency Response Information

CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

BASF HOTLINE: (800) 454-COPE (2673)

#### Other means of identification

Molecular formula: C<sub>15</sub> H<sub>19</sub> N<sub>3</sub> O<sub>3</sub> · N H(4)

PCP# 23844

Synonyms: Imazethapyr ammonium

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### 2. Hazards Identification

#### According to Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) (SOR/2015-17)

#### Classification of the product

Flam. Liq.	4	Flammable liquids
Aquatic Acute	3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute
Aquatic Chronic	1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic

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### Label elements

Signal Word:  
Warning

Hazard Statement:

H227 Combustible liquid.  
H402 Harmful to aquatic life.  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements (Prevention):

P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.  
P280 Wear protective gloves and eye protection or face protection.

Precautionary Statements (Response):

P391 Collect spillage.  
P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use water spray, dry powder, foam or carbon dioxide for extinction.

Precautionary Statements (Storage):

P403 Store in a well-ventilated place.

Precautionary Statements (Disposal):

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

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## 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

### According to Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) (SOR/2015-17)

Imazethapyr

CAS Number: 81335-77-5

Content (W/W): 21.6 %

Synonym: 3-Pyridinecarboxylic acid, 2-[4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-5-oxo-1H-imidazol-2-yl]-5-ethyl-

Acetic acid

CAS Number: 64-19-7

Content (W/W): 0.1 - 1.0%

Synonym: Acetic acid; Glacial acetic acid

Ammonium hydroxide

CAS Number: 1336-21-6

Content (W/W): 0.1 - 3.0%

Synonym: Ammonium hydroxide; Aqueous ammonia

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## 4. First-Aid Measures

### Description of 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,

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then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. In case of intoxication, call a poison control center or physician for treatment advice, taking the packaging or the label of the product.

Remove contaminated clothing.

### **If inhaled:**

Remove the affected individual into fresh air and keep the person calm. Assist in breathing if necessary.

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air, seek medical attention.

### **If on skin:**

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

Wash thoroughly with soap and water

### **If in eyes:**

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open, consult an eye specialist.

### **If swallowed:**

Immediately rinse mouth and then drink 200-300 ml of water, seek medical attention.

## **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

Symptoms: (Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far

## **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

### Note to physician

Treatment:

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

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## **5. Fire-Fighting Measures**

### **Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing media:  
foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide, water spray

### **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Hazards during fire-fighting:  
carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides, ammonia oxides  
The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

### **Advice for fire-fighters**

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.

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### 6. Accidental release measures

#### **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

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.

#### **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

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.

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### 7. Handling and Storage

#### **Precautions for safe handling**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep container tightly sealed. Protect contents from the effects of light. Protect against heat. Protect from air. Handle and open container with care. 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:

No special precautions necessary. The substance/product is non-combustible. Product is not explosive.

#### **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

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

Further information on storage conditions: 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.

Protect from temperatures below: 5 °C

Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored below indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

Protect from temperatures above: 30 °C

Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored above indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

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### 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

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

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### Components with occupational exposure limits

Ammonium hydroxide	ACGIH, US:	STEL value 35 ppm ;
	ACGIH, US:	TWA value 25 ppm ;
	OSHA Z1:	PEL 50 ppm 35 mg/m3 ;

### **Advice on system design:**

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

### Personal protective equipment

#### **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

#### **Eye protection:**

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

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## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	liquid
Odour:	characteristic
Odour threshold:	Not determined due to potential health hazard by inhalation.
Colour:	green to dark brown
pH value:	approx. 6 - 8 (approx. 20 °C)
Melting point:	approx. 0 °C Information applies to the solvent.
Boiling point:	approx. 100 °C Information applies to the solvent.
Flash point:	93 °C
Flammability:	not applicable

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Lower explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.
Upper explosion limit:	As a result of our experience with this product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with the intended use.
Autoignition:	Based on the water content the product does not ignite.
Vapour pressure:	approx. 23.4 kPa ( 20 °C)
Density:	Information applies to the solvent. approx. 1.11 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ( 20 °C)
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	The statements are based on the properties of the individual components.
<i>Information on: Imazethapyr</i>	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	1.49 ( 25 °C)
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Thermal decomposition:	No decomposition if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.
Viscosity, dynamic:	approx. 1 mPa.s ( 20 °C)
Solubility in water:	Information applies to the solvent. miscible
Evaporation rate:	not applicable
Other Information:	If necessary, information on other physical and chemical parameters is indicated in this section.

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## 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Reactivity

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

Oxidizing properties:

Based on its structural properties the product is not classified as oxidizing.

### Chemical stability

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

The product is chemically stable.

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

### Conditions to avoid

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Avoid prolonged storage. Avoid contamination. Avoid prolonged exposure to extreme heat. Avoid extreme temperatures.

### Incompatible materials

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oxidizing agents

### Hazardous decomposition products

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.

Thermal decomposition:

No decomposition if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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## 11. Toxicological information

### Primary routes of exposure

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

### Acute Toxicity/Effects

#### Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity: Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact.

#### Oral

Type of value: LD50

Species: rat (male/female)

Value: > 5,000 mg/kg

#### Inhalation

Type of value: LC50

Species: rat (male/female)

Value: > 2.67 mg/l

Highest concentration technically achievable. No mortality was observed.

#### Dermal

Type of value: LD50

Species: rabbit (male/female)

Value: > 5,000 mg/kg

#### Assessment other acute effects

Assessment of STOT single:

Based on the available information there is no specific target organ toxicity to be expected after a single exposure.

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

#### Irritation / corrosion

Assessment of irritating effects: May cause slight but temporary irritation to the eyes. May cause slight irritation to the skin.

#### Skin

Species: rabbit

Result: non-irritant

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### Eye

Species: rabbit  
Result: non-irritant

### Sensitization

Assessment of sensitization: Skin sensitizing effects were not observed in animal studies.

### Buehler test

Species: guinea pig  
Result: Non-sensitizing.

## Chronic Toxicity/Effects

### Repeated dose toxicity

Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

### *Information on: Ammonium hydroxide*

*Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: After repeated administration the prominent effect is the induction of corrosion.*

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### Genetic toxicity

Assessment of mutagenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Mutagenicity tests revealed no genotoxic potential.

### Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of various animal studies gave no indication of a carcinogenic effect.

### Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

### Teratogenicity

Assessment of teratogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Animal studies gave no indication of a developmental toxic effect at doses that were not toxic to the parental animals.

### Other Information

Misuse can be harmful to health.

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## 12. Ecological Information

### Toxicity

#### Aquatic toxicity

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to fish. There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic invertebrates. Very toxic (acute effect) to aquatic plants.



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### Toxicity to fish

LC50 (96 h) > 112 mg/l, *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (Flow through.)

LC50 (96 h) > 110 mg/l, *Lepomis macrochirus*

### Aquatic invertebrates

EC50 (48 h) > 110 mg/l, *Daphnia magna* (Flow through.)

### Aquatic plants

EC50 (72 h) 21.5 mg/l, *Anabaena flos-aquae* (static)

No observed effect concentration (96 h) 7.19 mg/l, *Anabaena cylindrica* (static)

### Aquatic plants

*Information on: Imazethapyr*

EC50 (14 d) 0.0101 mg/l, *Lemna gibba*

No observed effect concentration 0.00438 mg/l, *Lemna gibba*

EC50 (96 h) 71 mg/l, *Selenastrum capricornutum*

No observed effect concentration (96 h) 50 mg/l, *Selenastrum capricornutum*

### Assessment of terrestrial toxicity

With high probability not acutely harmful to terrestrial organisms.

## **Persistence and degradability**

### Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H2O)

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

### Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H2O)

*Information on: Imazethapyr*

*Not readily biodegradable (by OECD criteria).*

## **Bioaccumulative potential**

### Assessment bioaccumulation potential

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

### Assessment bioaccumulation potential

*Information on: Imazethapyr*

*Because of the n-octanol/water distribution coefficient (log Pow) accumulation in organisms is not to be expected.*

## **Mobility in soil**

### Assessment transport between environmental compartments

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

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*Information on: Imazethapyr*

*Following exposure to soil, the product trickles away and can - dependant on degradation - be transported to deeper soil areas with larger water loads.*

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### Additional information

Other ecotoxicological advice:  
Do not discharge product into the environment without control.

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## 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste disposal of substance:

See product label for disposal and recycling instructions.

### Container disposal:

Rinse the container or liner as needed for disposal. Add rinsate to spray tank. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers. Consult the product label for additional details.

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## 14. Transport Information

### Land transport

TDG

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

### Sea transport

IMDG

Hazard class:	9
Packing group:	III
ID number:	UN 3082
Hazard label:	9, EHSM
Marine pollutant:	YES
Proper shipping name:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains IMAZETHAPYR)

### Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class:	9
Packing group:	III
ID number:	UN 3082
Hazard label:	9, EHSM
Proper shipping name:	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains IMAZETHAPYR)

### Further information

Exempt from regulation when transported by road or rail, in accordance with TDG Regulations 1.45.1. This exemption provides that this product does not require dangerous goods shipping documentation or safety marks when transported on land by road or rail.

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### 15. Regulatory Information

#### Federal Regulations

##### **Registration status:**

Crop Protection DSL, CA released / exempt

#### **Labeling requirements under Pest Control Products Act**

Read the label, authorized under the Pest Control Products Act, prior to using or handling the pest control product.

This chemical is a pest control product registered by Health Canada Pest Management Regulatory Agency and is subject to certain labelling requirements under the Pest Control Products Act. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for GHS-consistent safety data sheets. The following is the hazard information required on the pest control product label:

MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.

HARMFUL IF INHALED.

MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION.

MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION.

Do not get in eyes.

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

Avoid inhalation of mists/vapours.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

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There are Canada-specific environmental requirements for handling, use, and disposal of this pest control product that are indicated on the label.

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### 16. Other Information

#### **SDS Prepared by:**

BASF Agricultural Solutions Canada NA Product Regulations

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We support worldwide Responsible Care® initiatives. We value the health and safety of our employees, customers, suppliers and neighbors, and the protection of the environment. Our commitment to Responsible Care is integral to conducting our business and operating our facilities in a safe and environmentally responsible fashion, supporting our customers and suppliers in ensuring the safe and environmentally sound handling of our products, and minimizing the impact of our operations on society and the environment during production, storage, transport, use and disposal of our products.

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