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DuPont
Material Safety Data Sheet

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"DuPont" "Matrix"
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CHEMICAL PRODUCT/COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Material Identification

"MATRIX" is a registered trademark of DuPont.

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Corporate MSDS Number : DU008192

Tradenames and Synonyms

DPX-E9636 25 DF
RIMSULFURON
"SHADEOUT" Herbicide

Company Identification

MANUFACTURER/DISTRIBUTOR
DuPont
1007 Market Street
Wilmington, DE 19898

PHONE NUMBERS

Product Information : 1-800-441-7515 (outside the U.S.
302-774-1000)
Transport Emergency : CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300(outside U.S.
703-527-3887)
Medical Emergency : 1-800-441-3637 (outside the U.S.
302-774-1000)

COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components

Material	CAS Number	%
RIMSULFURON	122931-48-0	25
(N-[[(4,6-dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl)amino] carbonyl]-3-(ethylsulfonyl)-2- pyridinesulfonamide)		
INERT INGREDIENTS		75

HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Potential Health Effects

Based on animal data, eye contact may cause eye irritation with discomfort, tearing, or blurring of vision.

Based on animal data, prolonged exposure by ingestion or inhalation may cause abnormal liver function as detected by laboratory tests.

Based on animal data, significant skin permeation, and systemic toxicity, after contact appears unlikely. There are no reports of human sensitization.

Carcinogenicity Information

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

FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid

IF IN EYES: 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 poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

IF INHALED: No specific intervention is indicated, as the compound is not likely to be hazardous by inhalation. Consult a physician if necessary.

IF INGESTED: No specific intervention is indicated, as the compound is not likely to be hazardous by ingestion. Consult a physician if necessary.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-441-3637 for emergency medical treatment information.

FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES
-----**Flammable Properties**

Not a fire or explosion hazard.

Extinguishing Media

Water, Foam, Dry Chemical, CO2.

Fire Fighting Instructions

Evacuate personnel to a safe area. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear full protective equipment. Use water spray. Runoff from fire control may be a pollution hazard.

ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES
-----**Safeguards (Personnel)**

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

Initial Containment

Dike spill. Prevent material from entering sewers, waterways, or low areas.

Spill Clean Up

Shovel or sweep up.

HANDLING AND STORAGE
-----**Handling (Personnel)**

Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash clothing after use. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid breathing mist.

USERS SHOULD: Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

Storage

Store product in original container only. Do not contaminate water, other pesticides, fertilizer, food or feed in storage.

EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Personal Protective Equipment

Always follow the label instructions when handling this product.

Some materials that are chemical resistant to this product are listed below. If you want more options, follow the instructions for Category A on the EPA chemical resistance category selection chart.

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

Long-sleeved shirt and long pants.

Chemical Resistant Gloves Category A (such as butyl rubber, natural rubber, neoprene rubber, or nitrile rubber) greater than or equal to 14 mils.

Shoes plus socks.

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

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:

Coveralls.

Chemical Resistant Gloves Category A (such as butyl rubber, natural rubber, neoprene rubber, or nitrile rubber) greater than or equal to 14 mils.

Shoes plus socks.

Exposure Guidelines

Applicable Exposure Limits

RIMSULFURON

PEL (OSHA)	: None Established
TLV (ACGIH)	: None Established
AEL * (DuPont)	: 5 mg/m ³ , 8 & 12 Hr. TWA, total dust

* 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.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Data

pH : 7 (1% in water)
Density : 0.62-0.68 g/mL
Bulk Density (Loose) : 38.5-42.5 lb/cu ft
Odor : No Distinct Odor.
Color : Off-White to Tan.

Solubility in Water : Dispersible

STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability

Stable at normal conditions.

Incompatibility with Other Materials

None reasonably foreseeable.

Polymerization

Polymerization will not occur.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Animal Data

DuPont Matrix Herbicide

Oral LD50: > 5000 mg/kg in rats
Dermal LD50: > 2000 mg/kg in rabbits
4-Hour Inhalation LC50: > 7.5 mg/L in rats

DuPont Matrix Herbicide is not a skin irritant or skin sensitizer in animals. It produced moderate eye irritation in rabbit eyes but has been classified as a non-irritant according to the guidance provided in EEC Directive 83/467.

RIMSULFURON

Single inhalation exposures to Rimsulfuron caused nonspecific effects such as weight loss, and irritation.

Single dermal exposures to Rimsulfuron caused nonspecific effects such as weight loss.

(TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION - Continued)

Repeated and long-term ingestion exposures with Rimsulfuron resulted in decreased body weights, increased liver, kidney and spleen weights, mild hematological changes, and serum chemistry changes linked to liver effects. A repeated-dose teratogenicity study in rabbits resulted in maternal deaths at excessive doses. There were no effects observed in offspring. A 1-year feeding study in dogs resulted in mild tracheal effects.

Rimsulfuron did not demonstrate carcinogenic effects in long-term feeding studies in rats or mice. Rimsulfuron did not cause developmental or reproductive effects in animals. Rimsulfuron did not produce genetic damage in bacterial or mammalian cell cultures or in animals.

ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicological Information

AQUATIC TOXICITY:

96 hour LC50 - Bluegill sunfish: > 1000 mg/L.

96 hour LC50 - Rainbow trout: > 1000 mg/L.

48 hour EC50 - Daphnia magna: > 1000 mg/L.

AVIAN TOXICITY:

Acute Oral LD50 - Bobwhite Quail: > 2250 mg/kg.

Acute Oral LD50 - Mallard Duck: > 2250 mg/kg.

Acute Dietary LC50 - Bobwhite Quail: > 5620 ppm.

Acute Dietary LC50 - Mallard Duck: > 5620 ppm

DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal

Treatment, storage, transportation, and disposal must be in accordance with applicable Federal, State/Provincial, and Local regulations. Do not flush to surface water or sanitary sewer system.

Waste resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on-site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

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 by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

(DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS - Continued)

Container Disposal

Triple rinse (or equivalent) the container. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

Product Disposal

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage, disposal, or cleaning of equipment.

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Shipping Information

DOT/IMO
Proper Shipping Name : NOT REGULATED

REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal Regulations

In the United States this product is regulated by the US Environmental Protection Agency under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act. It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

EPA Reg. No. 352-556

OTHER INFORMATION

The data in this Material Safety Data Sheet relates only to the specific material designated herein and does not relate to use in combination with any other material or in any process.

Responsibility for MSDS : DuPont Crop Protection
Wilmington DE 19898
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Indicates updated section.

This information is based upon technical information believed to be reliable. It is subject to revision as additional knowledge and experience is gained.

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