

# **CASPER**

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : CASPER

Product code : CASPER

Design code : A14031E

## Manufacturer or supplier's details

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

Recommended use : Herbicide

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# Most important hazards

#### Other hazards

May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

## Components

Chemical name CAS-	No. Classification	Concentration (% w/w)				
sodium 3,6-dichloro-o- anisate	Acute Tox. 4; H332 Eye Irrit. 2; H319 Aquatic Acute 1; H400 Aquatic Chronic 3; H412	>= 50 - < 70				
prosulfuron 9412	Acute Tox. 4; H302 Aquatic Acute 1; H400 Aquatic Chronic 1; H410	>= 2,5 - < 10				
Substances with a workplace exposure limit :						
silica 6179	0-53-2	>= 20 - < 30				

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.



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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Have the product container, label or Safety Data Sheet with

you when calling the emergency number, a poison control

center or physician, or going for treatment.

If inhaled : Move the victim to fresh air.

If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial

respiration.

Keep patient warm and at rest.

Call a physician or poison control centre immediately.

In case of skin contact : Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash off immediately with plenty of water. If skin irritation persists, call a physician. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

In case of eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids,

for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses.

Immediate medical attention is required.

If swallowed : If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this

container or label.

Do NOT induce vomiting.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

Nonspecific

No symptoms known or expected.

Notes to physician : There is no specific antidote available.

Treat symptomatically.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Extinguishing media - small fires

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or

carbon dioxide.

Extinguishing media - large fires

Alcohol-resistant foam

or

Water spray

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread

fire.

Specific hazards during

firefighting

: As the product contains combustible organic components, fire

will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous

products of combustion (see section 10).

Exposure to decomposition products may be a hazard to

health.

Specific extinguishing

methods

Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water

courses.



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Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

Special protective equipment :

for firefighters

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing

apparatus.

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

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

Avoid dust formation.

Environmental precautions

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform

respective authorities.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, pick up with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and transfer to a container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Do not create a powder cloud by using a brush or compressed

Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Clean with detergents. Avoid solvents.

Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling

This material is capable of forming flammable dust clouds in air, which, if ignited, can produce a dust cloud explosion. Flames, hot surfaces, mechanical sparks and electrostatic discharges can serve as ignition sources for this material. Electrical equipment should be compatible with the flammability characteristics of this material. The flammability characteristics will be made worse if the material contains traces of flammable solvents or is handled in the presence of flammable solvents.

In general personnel handling this material and all conducting equipment should be electrically earthed or grounded. Consideration should be given to avoiding the use of insulating plastics.

Bulk bags (FIBC) used to contain this material should be Type C or Type D. Type C bags must be electrically grounded before powder is charged to or discharged from the bag. Bag filters used to scavenge dust from material handling processes should be conductive and electrically grounded during use. If metal or fibre drums are used to contain this product, make certain that the metal parts are bonded to the filling equipment and grounded.

This material can become readily charged in most operations.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. For personal protection see section 8.



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Conditions for safe storage : Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-

ventilated place.

Keep out of the reach of children.

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

Further information on

storage stability

Physically and chemically stable for at least 2 years when stored in the original unopened sales container at ambient

temperatures.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis	
silica	61790-53-2	TWA OEL- RL (Respirable dust)	3 mg/m3	ZA OEL	
	Further information: Recommended Limit				
		TWA OEL- RL (inhalable dust)	6 mg/m3	ZA OEL	
	Further information: Recommended Limit				
		TWA OEL- RL (Respirable dust)	1,5 mg/m3	ZA OEL	
	Further information: Recommended Limit				
prosulfuron	94125-34-5	TWA	4 mg/m3	Syngenta	

**Engineering measures** 

Containment and/or segregation is the most reliable technical protection measure if exposure cannot be eliminated.

The extent of these protection measures depends on the actual risks in use.

Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure

Where necessary, seek additional occupational hygiene

advice.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally

required.

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure

limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.

Hand protection



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Remarks : No special protective equipment required.

Eye protection : No special protective equipment required.

Skin and body protection : No special protective equipment required.

Select skin and body protection based on the physical job

requirements.

Protective measures : The use of technical measures should always have priority

over the use of personal protective equipment. When selecting personal protective equipment, seek

appropriate professional advice.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : granules

Colour : light grey to brown

Odour : characteristic

Odour Threshold : No data available

pH : 6 - 10

Concentration: 1 % w/v

Melting point/range : No data available

Boiling point/boiling range : No data available

Flash point : No data available

Evaporation rate : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

Burning number : 4 (20 °C)

4 (100 °C)

Upper explosion limit / Upper

flammability limit

No data available

Lower explosion limit / Lower

flammability limit

No data available

Vapour pressure : No data available

Relative vapour density : No data available

Density :  $1 \text{ g/cm} 3 (25 ^{\circ}\text{C})$ 



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Bulk density : 0,5 - 0,7 g/ml

Solubility(ies)

Solubility in other solvents : No data available

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

No data available

Auto-ignition temperature : No data available

Decomposition temperature : No data available

Minimum ignition temperature

Viscosity

: 500 °C

Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

Explosive properties : Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

Self-heating substances : The substance or mixture is not classified as self heating.

Minimum ignition energy : > 1.000 mJ

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : None reasonably foreseeable.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid : No decomposition if used as directed.

Incompatible materials : None known.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of:

exposure

Ingestion Inhalation

Skin contact Eye contact

**Acute toxicity** 

**Product:** 

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, female): > 2.000 mg/kg

Assessment: The component/mixture is minimally toxic after



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single ingestion.

Remarks: The toxicological data has been taken from

products of similar composition.

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male and female): > 5,02 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute

inhalation toxicity

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): > 2.000 mg/kg

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal

toxicity

Remarks: The toxicological data has been taken from

products of similar composition.

## **Components:**

#### sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): 4.600 mg/kg

The value is given in analogy to the following substances:

dicamba (ISO)

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male): 4,46 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

The value is given in analogy to the following substances:

dicamba (ISO)

LC50 (Rat, female): > 5,19 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

prosulfuron:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): 986 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat, male and female): > 5.400 mg/m3

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit, male and female): > 2.000 mg/kg

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal

toxicity

# Skin corrosion/irritation

**Product:** 

Species : Rabbit

Result : No skin irritation

Remarks : The toxicological data has been taken from products of similar

composition.



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#### **Components:**

prosulfuron:

Species : Rabbit

Result : No skin irritation

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

**Product:** 

Species : Rabbit

Result : No eye irritation

Remarks : The toxicological data has been taken from products of similar

composition.

#### Components:

## sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Species : Rabbit Result : Eye irritation

prosulfuron:

Species : Rabbit

Result : No eye irritation

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

**Product:** 

Test Type : Buehler Test Species : Guinea pig

Result : Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

Remarks : The toxicological data has been taken from products of similar

composition.

## **Components:**

#### sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Species : Guinea pig

Result : Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

prosulfuron:

Species : Guinea pig

Result : Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

#### **Components:**

## sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Germ cell mutagenicity - : Animal

Assessment

: Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.



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Germ cell mutagenicity -

Assessment

prosulfuron:

Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.

Carcinogenicity

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Carcinogenicity -

Assessment

No evidence of carcinogenicity in animal studies.

prosulfuron:

Carcinogenicity - Assessment

No evidence of carcinogenicity in animal studies.

Reproductive toxicity

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Reproductive toxicity -

Assessment

No toxicity to reproduction

prosulfuron:

Reproductive toxicity -

Assessment

No toxicity to reproduction

Repeated dose toxicity

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Remarks : No adverse effect has been observed in chronic toxicity tests.

prosulfuron:

Remarks : No adverse effect has been observed in chronic toxicity tests.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Product:** 

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): > 100 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Remarks: Based on test results obtained with similar product.

Toxicity to daphnia and other :

aquatic invertebrates

EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 100 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

Remarks: Based on test results obtained with similar product.



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Toxicity to algae : ErC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 0,319

mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Remarks: Based on test results obtained with similar product.

ErC50 (Lemna gibba (gibbous duckweed)): 0,0623 mg/l

Exposure time: 7 d

Remarks: Based on test results obtained with similar product.

NOEC (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 0,025

mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Remarks: Based on test results obtained with similar product.

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Toxicity to algae : EC50 (Skeletonema costatum (marine diatom)): 0,58 mg/l

The value is given in analogy to the following substances:

dicamba (ISO)

NOEC (Skeletonema costatum (marine diatom)): 0,011 mg/l The value is given in analogy to the following substances:

dicamba (ISO)

**Ecotoxicology Assessment** 

Acute aquatic toxicity : Very toxic to aquatic life.

prosulfuron:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): > 100 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other :

aquatic invertebrates

EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 120 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

Toxicity to algae : ErC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 0,074

mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

NOEC (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 0,008

mg/l

End point: Growth rate Exposure time: 72 h

EC50 (Lemna gibba (gibbous duckweed)): 0,00126 mg/l

Exposure time: 14 d

NOEC (Lemna gibba (gibbous duckweed)): 0,00083 mg/l

Exposure time: 14 d

M-Factor (Acute aquatic

toxicity)

100



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Toxicity to fish (Chronic

toxicity)

NOEC (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 5,8 mg/l

Exposure time: 21 d

Toxicity to daphnia and other :

aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)

NOEC (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 32 mg/l

Exposure time: 21 d

M-Factor (Chronic aquatic

toxicity)

100

Toxicity to microorganisms : EC50 (activated sludge): > 100 mg/l

Exposure time: 3 h

Persistence and degradability

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Biodegradability : Result: Not readily biodegradable.

Stability in water : Degradation half life: 35 - 46 d

Remarks: Product is not persistent.

prosulfuron:

Biodegradability : Result: Not readily biodegradable.

Stability in water : Degradation half life: 45 - 60 d

Remarks: Product is not persistent.

silica:

Biodegradability : Result: Not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: Low bioaccumulation potential.

Based on test results obtained with similar product.

prosulfuron:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: Low bioaccumulation potential.

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

log Pow: -0,76 (25 °C)

log Pow: -0,21 (25 °C)

log Pow: 1,5 (25 °C)



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Mobility in soil

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Distribution among : Remarks: Very highly mobile in soil.

environmental compartments Based on test results obtained with similar product.

Stability in soil : Dissipation time: 1,4 - 11 d

Percentage dissipation: 50 % Remarks: Product is not persistent.

prosulfuron:

Distribution among : Re

environmental compartments

Remarks: Highly mobile in soils

Stability in soil : Dissipation time: 11 d

Percentage dissipation: 50 % (DT50) Remarks: Product is not persistent.

Other adverse effects

**Components:** 

sodium 3,6-dichloro-o-anisate:

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating and toxic (PBT). This substance is not considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulating

(vPvB).

prosulfuron:

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating and toxic (PBT). This substance is not considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulating

(vPvB).

silica:

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating and toxic (PBT). This substance is not

considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulating

(vPvB).

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Disposal methods** 

Waste from residues : Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with

chemical or used container.

Do not dispose of waste into sewer.

Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or

incineration.

If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with



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local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.

Triple rinse containers.

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste

handling site for recycling or disposal. Do not re-use empty containers.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### International Regulations

**UNRTDG** 

UN number : UN 3077

Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,

N.O.S.

(PROSULFURON)

Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labels : 9

**IATA-DGR** 

UN/ID No. : UN 3077

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

(PROSULFURON)

Class : 9

Packing group : III

Labels : Miscellaneous

Packing instruction (cargo

aircraft)

Packing instruction : 956

(passenger aircraft)

Environmentally hazardous : yes

**IMDG-Code** 

UN number : UN 3077

Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID,

N.O.S.

956

(PROSULFURON)

Class : 9
Packing group : III
Labels : 9
EmS Code : F-A, S-F
Marine pollutant : yes

## Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

#### Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.



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#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

None known.

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

#### Full text of other abbreviations

ZA OEL : South Africa. Hazardous Chemical Substances Regulations,

Occupational Exposure Limits

ZA OEL / TWA OEL-RL : Long term occupational exposure limits - recommended limit

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR -Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; CPR - Controlled Products Regulations; DIN -Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC -International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods: IMO - International Maritime Organization: ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 -Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch -Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS -Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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