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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product information

Product name : GRANSTAR® PLATINUM SX

Synonyms : B12703552
: DPX-QKH37 38SG Blend

Use of the Substance/Mixture : Herbicide

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

May cause sensitization by skin contact.

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	EC-No.	Registration number	Classification	Concentration [%]
Tribenuron methyl	101200-48-0	401-190-1		R43 N; R50 -R53	30
Metsulfuron methyl	74223-64-6			N; R50 -R53	8
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	207-838-8		Xi; R36	5 - < 10
Trisodium phosphate dodecahydrate	10101-89-0			Xi; R36/38	5 - < 10
Lignosulfonic acid, sodium salt, sulfomethylated	68512-34-5			Xi; R36	1 - < 5



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For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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| General advice | : | Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. |
| Inhalation | : | Move to fresh air. Artificial respiration and/or oxygen may be necessary. Consult a physician after significant exposure. |
| Skin contact | : | Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. In the case of skin irritation or allergic reactions see a physician. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. |
| Eye contact | : | Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist. |
| Ingestion | : | Obtain medical attention. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. If victim is conscious: Rinse mouth with water. |

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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| Suitable extinguishing media | : | Water spray, Foam, Dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO ₂), |
| Extinguishing media which shall not be used for safety reasons | : | High volume water jet, (contamination risk), |
| Specific hazards during fire fighting | : | Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. Carbon dioxide (CO ₂) nitrogen oxides (NO _x) |
| Special protective equipment for fire-fighters | : | Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus. |
| Further information | : | Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

(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. |

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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| Personal precautions | : | Control access to area. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Use personal protective equipment. Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8. |
| Environmental precautions | : | Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Use appropriate container to avoid environmental contamination. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. If the |



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- spill area is porous, the contaminated material must be collected for subsequent treatment or disposal. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.
- Methods for cleaning up : Clean-up methods - small spillage Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.
- Clean-up methods - large spillage Avoid dust formation. 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).
- If spill area is on ground near valuable plants or trees, remove 5 cm of top soil after initial clean-up.
- Additional advice : Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

- Advice on safe handling : Use only according to our recommendations. Use only clean equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not breathe dust or spray mist. Wear personal protective equipment. For personal protection see section 8. Prepare the working solution as given on the label(s) and/or the user instructions. Use prepared working solution as soon as possible - Do not store. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Avoid exceeding of the given occupational exposure limits (see section 8).

- Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Avoid dust formation in confined areas. During processing, dust may form explosive mixture in air.

Storage

- Requirements for storage areas and containers : Store in original container. Keep in properly labelled containers. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only. Keep out of the reach of children.
- Advice on common storage : No special restrictions on storage with other products.
- Other data : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Type Form of exposure	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Sucrose	57-50-1	TWA	10 mg/m ³	1995	ZA REL



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		STEL	20 mg/m ³	1995	ZA REL

Engineering measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Provide for appropriate exhaust ventilation and dust collection at machinery.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Manufacturing and processing work: Half mask with a particle filter FFP1 (EN149)

Respiratory protection : Mixer and loaders must wear: Half mask with a particle filter FFP1 (EN149)

Respiratory protection : Spray application - outdoor: No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

Respiratory protection : Spray application - indoor: Half mask with a particle filter FFP1 (EN149)

Hand protection : Material: Nitrile rubber
 Glove thickness: 0,4 - 0,7 mm
 Glove length : Gauntlets
 Protection index: Class 6
 Wearing time: > 480 min
 The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it., Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion, and the contact time., The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed with the producers of the protective gloves., Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough., Before removing gloves clean them with soap and water.

Eye protection : Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166

Skin and body protection : Manufacturing and processing work: Full protective clothing Type 5 (EN 13982-2)

Mixer and loaders must wear: Full protective clothing Type 5 + 6 (EN ISO 13982-2 / EN 13034) Rubber apron Nitrile rubber boots (EN 13832-3 / EN ISO 20345).

Spray application - outdoor: Full protective clothing Type 4 (EN 14605) Rubber or plastic boots

Spray application - indoor: Full protective clothing Type 4 (EN 14605) Rubber or plastic boots

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing. Keep working clothes separately. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash hands and face before breaks and immediately after handling



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the product. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. For environmental protection remove and wash all contaminated protective equipment before re-use. Remove clothing/PPE immediately if material gets inside. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national regulations.

Protective measures : The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace. All chemical protective clothing should be visually inspected prior to use. Clothing and gloves should be replaced in case of chemical or physical damage or if contaminated. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : solid,
 Colour : brown, light brown,
 Odour : slight, acrid,
 Flash point : not applicable
 Explosive properties : Not explosive
 Bulk density : 570 - 670 kg/m³ , loose
 Bulk density : 650 - 750 kg/m³ , packed
 Water solubility : , dispersible

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to avoid : Exposure to moisture. Decomposes slowly on exposure to water.
 To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat. Under severe dusting conditions, this material may form explosive mixtures in air.

Materials to avoid : No materials to be especially mentioned.

Hazardous reactions : No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use. Polymerization will not occur. No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute oral toxicity
 • Tribenuron methyl : LD50/ rat : > 5 000 mg/kg
 • Metsulfuron methyl : LD50/ rat : > 5 000 mg/kg
 Acute inhalation toxicity
 • Tribenuron methyl : LC50/ 4 h/ rat : > 6,0 mg/l
 • Metsulfuron methyl : LC50/ 4 h/ rat : > 5,3 mg/l


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Acute dermal toxicity

- Tribenuron methyl : LD50/ rat : > 5 000 mg/kg
- Metsulfuron methyl : LD50/ rabbit : > 2 000 mg/kg

Skin irritation

- Tribenuron methyl : rabbit
Result: No skin irritation
- Metsulfuron methyl : rabbit
Result: No skin irritation

Eye irritation

- Tribenuron methyl : rabbit
Result: No eye irritation
- Metsulfuron methyl : rabbit
Result: No eye irritation

Sensitisation

- Tribenuron methyl : Maximisation Test guinea pig Result: Causes sensitization.
- Metsulfuron methyl : guinea pig Result: Animal test did not cause sensitization by skin contact.

Mutagenicity assessment

- Tribenuron methyl : 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.
- Metsulfuron methyl : Did not show mutagenic effects in animal experiments., Did not cause genetic damage in cultured bacterial cells., Genetic damage in cultured mammalian cells was observed in some laboratory tests but not in others.

Carcinogenicity assessment

- Tribenuron methyl : An increased incidence of tumours was observed in laboratory animals.
- Metsulfuron methyl : Did not show carcinogenic effects in animal experiments.

Toxicity to reproduction assessment

- Tribenuron methyl : Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.
 - Metsulfuron methyl : Animal testing did not show any effects on fertility.
- Further information : No data is available on the product itself.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION
Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

- Biodegradability : Not readily biodegradable. Estimation based on data obtained on active ingredient.
- Bioaccumulation : This mixture contains no substance considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT). This mixture contains no substance considered



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to be very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

Toxicity to fish

- Tribenuron methyl : LC50 / 96 h/ Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) : 738 mg/l
- Metsulfuron methyl : LC50 / 96 h/ Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) : > 150 mg/l

Toxicity to algae

- Tribenuron methyl : / EbC50/ 120 h/ Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae): 0,0221 mg/l
- Metsulfuron methyl : / EbC50/ 72 h/ Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae): 0,165 mg/l

Aquatic toxicity

- Tribenuron methyl : / EC50/ 48 h/ Daphnia magna (Water flea): > 894 mg/l
- Metsulfuron methyl : / EC50/ 48 h/ Daphnia magna (Water flea): > 120 mg/l

Chronic toxicity to fish

- Tribenuron methyl : / NOEC/ 21 d/ Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout): > 560 mg/l
- Metsulfuron methyl : / NOEC/ 21 d/ Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout): 68 mg/l

Chronic toxicity to aquatic Invertebrates

- Tribenuron methyl : / NOEC/ 21 d/ Daphnia magna (Water flea): 120 mg/l
- Metsulfuron methyl : / NOEC/ 21 d/ Daphnia magna (Water flea): 100 mg/l

Further information on ecology

Additional ecological information : No data is available on the product itself.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product : In accordance with local and national regulations. Must be incinerated in a suitable incineration plant holding a permit delivered by the competent

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authorities. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container.

Contaminated packaging : Do not re-use empty containers.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**ADR**

Class: 9
 Packaging group: III
 Classification Code: M7
 HI No.: 90
 UN number: 3077
 Labelling No.: 9
 Proper shipping name: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Tribenuron methyl, Metsulfuron methyl)

Further information : Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of sea and air transport regulations., Optional classification as per IMDG Special Provision 909., Optional classification as per IATA Special Provision A97.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**Labelling according to EC Directives**

Symbol(s) : Xi Irritant
 N Dangerous for the environment

Hazardous components: Metsulfuron methyl
 Tribenuron methyl

R-phrase(s) : R43 May cause sensitization by skin contact.
 R50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

S-phrase(s) : S 2 Keep out of the reach of children.
 S13 Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.
 S20/21 When using do not eat, drink or smoke.
 S24 Avoid contact with skin.
 S37 Wear suitable gloves.
 S46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.
 S35 This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.
 S57 Use appropriate container to avoid environmental contamination.
 SP 1 Do not contaminate water with the product or its container (Do not clean application equipment near surface water/Avoid contamination via drains from farmyards and roads).



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Special labelling of certain mixtures : To avoid risks to man and the environment, comply with the instructions for use.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of R-phrases mentioned in Section 3

R36	Irritating to eyes.
R36/38	Irritating to eyes and skin.
R43	May cause sensitization by skin contact.
R50	Very toxic to aquatic organisms.
R53	May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Further information

Before use read DuPont's safety information., Take notice of the directions of use on the label.

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