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Product Name Nufarm Weedmaster DST Herbicide

Classified as hazardous

#### 1. Identification

GHS Product

Nufarm Weedmaster DST Herbicide

Identifier

**Product Code** 0714

Product Type Group 9 Herbicide

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Water soluble herbicide for non selective control of many annual and perennial weeds in conservation tillage situations as per the Directions for Use table

on the label.

Other Names Name Product Code

Nufarm Weedmaster DST Herbicide 0960

Other Information 
This Safety Data Sheet describes the properties of the concentrated product.

The physical properties and the assessments may not apply to the properties of the product once it has been diluted for application.

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#### 2. Hazard Identification

GHS classification of Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 2A the Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Category 2

substance/mixture

Signal Word (s) WARNING

Hazard Statement (s) Causes serious eye irritation.

Causes skin irritation.

Read label before use.

Pictogram (s) Exclamation mark



Precautionary
statement - Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
Wear protective gloves, clothing, eye and face protection.

Prevention

Precautionary IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact

statement - Response lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Other Information Poisons Schedule S5

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredients	Name	CAS	Proportion
	Alkoxylated alkylamine surfactant	Proprietary	0-10 %
	Water	7732-18-5	Balance

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CAS **Ingredients** Name Proportion Glyphosate (present as 1071-83-6 470 g/L the potassium and mono-ammonium salts)

### 4. First-aid measures

Remove affected person to fresh air until recovered. Inhalation

If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting; seek medical advice immediately and show Ingestion this container or label or contact the Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26

Make every effort to prevent vomit from entering the lungs by careful (Aust). placement of the patient.

Do not give anything by mouth to a semi-conscious or unconscious person.

Give a glass of water.

Wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water. Skin

If irritation persists, seek medical advice.

If in eyes, hold eyelids open and wash with copious amounts of water for at Eye contact

least 15 minutes. Seek medical advice.

First Aid Facilities If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or the Poisons Information Centre

(Australia) on 13 11 26.

Treat symptomatically. **Advice to Doctor** 

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable If involved in a fire, the product will not burn. Choose extinguishing media extinguishing media

to suit the burning material. Water, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical.

Hazards from Keep upwind.

This product, or spray solutions of this product, react with galvanised Combustion

especially in confined spaces.

steel or unlined steel (except stainless steel) containers and tanks, to produce hydrogen gas which may form a highly flammable or explosive gas

mixture.

If involved in a major fire, could evolve oxides of nitrogen or phosphorus. Breathable air apparatus may have to be worn if material is involved in fires

**Special Protective Equipment for fire** fighters

Other Information

**Products** 

STOP FIRE WATER FROM ENTERING DRAINS OR WATER BODIES.

## 6. Accidental release measures

Contain spill and absorb with clay, sand, soil or proprietary absorbent (such Spills & Disposal

as vermiculite).

Collect in sealed open top containers for disposal.

Final clean-up with degreasing agent or detergent is advised.

Environmental

Prevent from entering drains, waterways or sewers.

**Precautions** 

#### 7. Handling and storage

For personal protective equipment (PPE) and hygiene advice, refer Section 8. **Precautions for Safe** 

Handling

Store in the closed, original container in a dry, well ventilated area out of **Conditions for safe** 

direct sunlight. storage, including

Keep container tightly sealed and do not store with seed, fertilisers or any incompatibilities

foodstuffs.

**Other Information** Always read the label and any attached leaflet before use.

#### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

No exposure standard has been established for this product. Occupational

exposure limit values

No special ventilation required. **Appropriate** 

engineering controls

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Personal Protective **Equipment** 

When opening the container, preparing the spray and using the prepared spray, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist (or equivalent clothing) and a washable hat, nitrile or elbow-length PVC gloves and face shield or

goggles.

After each day's use, wash contaminated clothing and safety equipment. **Hygiene Measures** 

After use and before eating, drinking or smoking, wash hands, arms and face

thoroughly with soap and water.

Requirements **Concerning Special** Training

Check State or Territory regulations that require people who use pesticides in their job or business to have training in the application of the materials.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Liquid **Form** 

Green viscous liquid **Appearance** Odour Slight ammonia odour.

**Melting Point** N/A >105°C **Boiling Point** 

**Solubility in Water** Soluble in water.

1.29 @ 20°C **Specific Gravity** 

pН N/A **Volatile Component Flash Point** None

**Flammability** Non combustible material.

10. Stability and reactivity

**Incompatible** Materials

Corrosive to mild steel, galvanised steel and zinc.

Non corrosive to stainless steel, polyethylene and plastics.

Do not mix, store or apply the product or spray solutions of the product in galvanised steel or unlined steel (except stainless steel) containers or spray

tanks.

Possibility of hazardous reactions Avoid contact of the concentrate with strong alkalis and alkaline materials

such as lime.

Such contact may release ammonia vapour with a strong characteristic odour, which is an irritant to eyes. Ammonia is moderately toxic, with a TLV of

25ppm (TWA) or 17mg/m3 which has been set. Hazardous polymerisation is not possible.

**Polymerization** 

Hazardous

11. Toxicological Information

No harmful effects are expected if the precautions on the label and this SDS **Toxicology** 

are followed. Information

Acute Toxicity - Oral LD50 (rat) >5000 mg/kg for a similar formulation

**Acute Toxicity -**

LD50 (rabbits) >5000 mg/kg for a similar formulation

**Dermal** 

Skin

The concentrate is of low toxicity if swallowed. Ingestion

Amounts swallowed incidental to normal handling procedures and use are not

expected to cause injury.

Possible symptoms of exposure include: nausea, vomiting and gastrointestinal

discomfort and diarrhoea.

Ingestion of a large quantity of the undiluted product may result in

hypotension and pulmonary oedema.

When applying the product as a spray avoid breathing in spray mist. Inhalation

May cause irritation to mucous membranes and respiratory tract. The concentrated product may cause slight irritation on contact.

Prolonged contact is likely to result in irritation.

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The concentrate may cause irritation of the eyes. Eye

Prolonged contact with the concentrate may cause damage to the eye.

Carcinogenicity

The Australian Pesticide and Veterinary Medicine Authority (APVMA) and other regulatory agencies classify glyphosate as non-carcinogenic based on the weight-of-evidence. In 2015 the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) concluded that glyphosate was probably carcinogenic to humans. This

finding was considered by the APVMA in its 2016 review (1).

**Chronic Effects** 

No information available, no chronic effects expected.

Serious eve damage/irritation The product is an eye irritant.

Skin corrosion/irritation The product is a skin irritant.

Other Information

The Australian Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI) for glyphosate for a human is 0.3 mg/kg/day, set for the public for daily, lifetime exposure. This is based on the NOEL of 30 mg/kg/day, the level determined to show no effects during long term exposure for the most sensitive indicators and the most sensitive species. (Ref: Aust Govt Dept. of APVMA, 'ADI List', Edition 3/2021).

### 12. Ecological information

Persistence and degradability

Adsorption studies indicate that glyphosate has very low mobility.

Average field half life of glyphosate is 47 days.

**Known Harmful** Effects on the

Harmful to fish and other aquatic organisms (mainly due to the surfactant).

**Environment** 

**Other Precautions** Do not spray in high winds.

Do not contaminate dams, waterways or sewers with this product.

**Environmental** 

Glyphosate is a non-selective contact herbicide. Spray drift can cause damage.

**Protection** 

The following is data for a similar product. **Acute Toxicity - Fish** 

LC50 (96hr) for rainbow trout is 3.13 mg/l.

TL50 (96hr) carp is 19.7 ppm

Acute Toxicity -

EC50 (48hr) for daphnia magna is 8.0 mg/l.

Daphnia

**Acute Toxicity -**

Algae

EC50 for 72hrs is 0.124 mg/l for Selenastrum capricornutum

Acute Toxicity -

The following data is for the active ingredient, glyphosate.

Birds: Not toxic to birds. LD50 for bobwhite quail is >3850 mg/kg Other Organisms

Bees: Not toxic to bees. LD50 >100 µg/bee.

### 13. Disposal considerations

**Product Disposal** 

On site disposal of the concentrated product is not acceptable.

Ideally, the product should be used for its intended purpose. If there is a need to dispose of the product, approach local authorities who hold periodic collections of unwanted chemicals (ChemClear®).

**Container Disposal** 

Triple or preferably pressure rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to the spray tank.

Do not dispose of undiluted chemicals on site.

If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or designated collection point.

If not recycling, break, crush or puncture and deliver empty packaging for appropriate disposal at an approved waste management facility.

If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury the empty packaging 500mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots, in compliance with relevant local, state or territory government regulations.

Returnable containers: empty contents fully into application equipment. Replace cap, close all valves and return to the point of supply for refill or storage.

Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

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QuikPour containers: DO NOT separate inner bladder from outer carton. Single rinse and add rinsings to the spray tank. Puncture outer carton and bladder. Follow recycling instructions for other containers as per the label.

### 14. Transport information

Transport It is good practice not to transport agricultural chemical products with

**Information** food, food related materials and animal feedstuffs.

Storage and Considered non dangerous for transport by the Australian Code for the

#### 15. Regulatory information

Regulatory Australia: WHS regulations (2011) - Schedule 11: classification not listed.

Information

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Packaging & CAUTION

Labelling KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

Other Information This product is registered with the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary

Medicines Authority (APVMA). APVMA product number: 62723.

### 16. Other Information

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or last revision of

This SDS replaces document dated May 2019.

SDS

Literature (1). APVMA 2016 Regulatory position: consideration of the evidence for a

References formal reconsideration of glyphosate

(https://apvma.gov.au/sites/default/files/publication/20701-glyphosate-regulat

ory-position-report-final.pdf)

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Revisions The SDS was reviewed. Minor changes were made to the information and product

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