

DANGER

Keep out of reach of children ECOTOXIC



Paramount 250

HERBICIDE

ACTIVE INGREDIENT
Contains 250 g/L Paraquat

as the dichloride salt in the form of a soluble concentrate

For weed control in clover seed and lucerne crops, drains, forestry nurseries, waterways and the control of barley grass

Paraquat is restricted to only horticultural and agricultural use. Some biosecurity use is allowed with permission.

Net contents: 20 L







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HAZARD CLASSIFICATION

Acute toxicity (oral) Category 3, Acute toxicity (inhalation) Category 2, Skin irritation Category 2, Eye irritation Category 2, Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure (Category 1, Hazardous to the aquatic environment (acute) Category 1, Hazardous to the aquatic environment (chronic) Category 1, Hazardous to terrestrial vertebrates.







TOXICITY

DANGER -Toxic if swallowed. Fatal if inhaled. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

ECOTOXICITY

Very toxic to aquatic life and with long lasting effects.

Hazardous to terrestrial vertebrates and terrestrial invertebrates.

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THIS PRODUCT MUST BE UNDER THE PERSONAL CONTROL OF A CERTIFIED HANDLER, THIS PRODUCT MUST BE TRACKED,

For information on the responsible handling of this product contact registrant or distributor.

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

Keep out of reach of children. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe spray mist. Wear protective clothing as detailed in the personal protection section of this label. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid unintended release into the environment.

PCBU RESPONSIBILITES

A PCBU with management or control of work using this substance must ensure that every worker who uses, handles, manufactures, or stores this hazardous substance (including hazardous waste) is, before the worker is allowed to carry out or supervise work involving those substances, provided with adequate information, training and instruction. This includes the use of personal protective equipment to be used to minimise risks to the health and safety of workers when carrying out work using this substance.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED FOR APPLICATION OF ECOTOXIC SUBSTANCES Anyone who mixes, loads, or applies this product, either by air or ground based methods, is required to be suitably qualified, or must receive guidance and, if required, assistance from a suitably qualified person. Refer to Schedule 10 of the Hazardous Substances (Hazardous Property Controls) Notice 2017 for a list of suitable qualifications.

RECORD KEEPING

A written record of each application of the substance must be kept in accordance with clause 13.4 of the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017.

EQUIPMENT

A PCBU with management or control of work using this substance must ensure that equipment used to handle this substance retains the substance, without leakage, at all of the temperatures and pressures at which the equipment is to be used; and dispenses or applies the substance, without leakage, at a rate and in a manner that the equipment is designed for. The PCBU must ensure that the equipment is accompanied by documentation that is readily available and readily understandable about the use and maintenance of the equipment.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

When mixing or applying wear appropriate protective clothing including elbow-length chemical resistant gloves, chemical resistant apron or spray suit, and a face shield. During application, except in an enclosed cab with filtration to protect against dust, aerosols and vapour, wear respiratory protection (air-purifying mask respirator with organic vapor cartridge(s) in combination with a particulate filter. Remove protective clothing and wash hands and exposed skin with soap and water before meals and after work.

STORAGE

Paramount 250 must be secured from access by persons other than a certified handler. Store locked up in the original, container tightly closed and in a dry, cool, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight and away from stockfeed, foodstuffs or seeds. There are requirements when storing this product in a workplace, relating to labelling, safety data sheets, stationary container systems, separation distances, secondary containment, emergency response plans, and signage. Secondary containment, signage and an emergency response plan are required where 100 L or more of this product are stored.

SHELF LIFE

When stored appropriately this product should show no significant degradation for two years from the date of manufacture. Contact your supplier for further information about the use of any product that is older than this.

SPILLAGE

Collect spill. Exclude all bystanders from the vicinity of the spill and prevent material from entering waterways. Wear appropriate protective clothing as in the personal protection section of this label to clean up spills. Absorb spills with an inert material (such as vermiculite, earth, sand or synthetic absorbent substance) and place in waste containers. Wash area with water and alkaline detergent. Then

absorb any remaining liquid with further inert material. Dispose of the waste safely in an approved facility.

DISPOSAL

Avoid contamination of any water supply with product or empty container.

Container Disposal - Triple rinse empty container and add rinsate to spray tank. Submit clean empty container to an agricultural recycling facility for recycling. Alternatively, puncture and bury in a suitable landfill.

Product Disposal - Dispose of this product only by using according to the label, or through the an agricultural recycling service or other approved facility.

Do not burn product or container.

FIRST AID

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

SYMPTOMS OF POISONING Immediate symptoms of poisoning may include vomiting. This may be followed by pain and swelling of the mouth and throat, abdominal pain and diarrhea.

Immediately contact the National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a doctor.

IF POISONING IS SUSPECTED, RUSH VICTIM TO THE NEAREST HOSPITAL AFTER

ALERTING THEM BY TELEPHONE.

IF SWALLOWED Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Take to the nearest hospital immediately after alerting them by telephone.

IF ON SKIN Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash the affected area with water and soap. If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.

IF IN EYES Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.

IF INHALED Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If breathing has stopped, DO NOT USE DIRECT MOUTH TO MOUTH METHOD. Use alternative respiratory or proper respiratory device. Take to the nearest hospital immediately after alerting them by telephone.

RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT

GROUP 22 HERBICIDE

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CONDITIONS OF SUPPLY

READ THESE CONDITIONS OF SUPPLY BEFORE BUYING AND USING. IF THESE CONDITIONS ARE UNACCEPTABLE, RETURN AT ONCE UNOPENED.

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24 HOUR EMERGENCY CONTACT

CALL 0800 243 622

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IN A TRANSPORT EMERGENCY

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