

SAFETY DATA SHEET

EMERGENCY CALL: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)



1. IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: Alligare MSM 60

DESCRIPTION: A dispersible granule herbicide.

EPA Reg. No.: 81927-7

COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:

Alligare, LLC

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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

WARNING

May be harmful in contact with skin (H313)

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects (H400+H410)



HAZARD CLASSIFICATION

Health Hazard

Acute Toxicity, Dermal

Category

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Physical Hazards

None

Category

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Environmental Hazards

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term

Category

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HAZARDS NOT REQUIRING CLASSIFICATION

None.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Avoid release to the environment not in accordance with the product label. (H273)

IF ON SKIN: Call a Poison Control Center or doctor if you feel unwell. (P302+P312)

Collect spillage. (H391)

Dispose of contents / container in accordance with local regulations. Refer to the product label for specific disposal instructions. (P501)

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Common Name

Metsulfuron-methyl

Chemical Name

Methyl 2-[[[[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)amino]-carbonyl]amino]sulfonyl]benzoate

CAS #

74223-64-6

Composition

60.0%

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-424-9300 for emergency medical treatment information.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Call a doctor or poison control center if you feel unwell.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point: N/A

Flammable Limits (LFL-UFL): N/A

Fire and Explosion Hazards: None known.

Means of Extinction: Use water spray, CO₂, foam or dry chemical.

Fire Fighting Instructions: Evacuate area. If area is exposed to fire and conditions permit, allow fire to burn itself out. Dike runoff and do not allow runoff to enter sewers, storm drains or waterways. Thoroughly decontaminate firefighting equipment after use.

Firefighting Equipment: Self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece and full bunker gear.

Hazardous Combustion Products: May produce irritating / toxic gasses and vapors.

NFPA Ratings: Health: 1 / Flammability: 1 / Instability: 0

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Clean up spills immediately observing the precautions in Section 8 of this SDS. Isolate the hazard area and keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Prevent material from contaminating soil or from entering sewage and drainage systems and bodies of water.

Small Spills: Scoop up material and place in a container for reuse or disposal. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly with water, observing all environmental regulations.

Large Spills: Avoid creating a dust cloud and take all possible measures to reduce airborne dust. Vacuum, shovel or sweep up material and place in a container for reuse or disposal. After removal, flush contaminated area thoroughly with water, observing all environmental regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Do not allow to come into contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors or mist. AVOID breathing dust. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

Storage: Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other pesticides, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a secured storage area. Keep away from heat, sparks or flames.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with adequate ventilation, an eyewash station and a safety shower.

Protective Clothing: Long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes plus socks, and chemical-resistant gloves made out of any waterproof material.

General: Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been heavily contaminated with this product; do not reuse them. Follow the manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	light brown granule	pH:	not available
Odor:	slight	Kinematic viscosity:	not available
Melting/freezing point:	not available	Solubility:	in water, dispersible
Boiling point/Boiling range:	not available	Partition coefficient:	not available
Flammability:	not available	Vapor pressure:	not available
Flammability limits (upper/lower):	not available	Density:	0.64-0.74 g/ml
Flash point:	not available	Relative vapor density:	not available
Auto-ignition temperature:	not available	Particle characteristics:	not available
Decomposition temperature:	not available		

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: None known.

CHEMICAL STABILITY: Stable under normal use and transportation conditions.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Data not available.

INCOMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER MATERIALS: None known.

HAZARDOUS REACTIONS: None known.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ORAL TOXICITY (rat LD₅₀): 5,000 mg/kg

DERMAL TOXICITY (rat LD₅₀): > 2,000 mg/kg

INHALATION TOXICITY (rat LC₅₀): > 5.3 mg/L (4-hour)

EYE IRRITATION: Slightly irritating

SKIN IRRITATION: None to slightly irritating

SKIN SENSITIZATION: Not a contact sensitizer

CARCINOGENICITY:

EPA: Not Listed

ACGIH: Not Listed

IARC: Not Listed

NTP: Not Listed

OSHA: Not Listed

MUTAGENIC TOXICITY: Metsulfuron-methyl produced genetic damage in a mammalian cell culture test. However, other tests in animals and in bacterial and mammalian cell cultures did not produce genetic damage. Therefore, the weight of the evidence suggests that metsulfuron-methyl does not cause genetic damage.

REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY: No evidence in animal studies.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This herbicide is injurious to plants at extremely low concentrations. Non-target plants may be adversely affected from drift and run-off. This product is very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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 when disposing of equipment wash water.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by disposal.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are toxic. Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Refer to the product label for specific container handling instructions.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number:	UN3077
Proper Shipping Name:	Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, N.O.S. (contains metsulfuron-methyl)
Transport Hazard Class:	9
Packing Group:	III
Hazard Zone:	A
Marine Pollutant:	Yes ¹
Hazardous Substance RQ:	None
Labels / Placards:	US-DOT: Class 9 Environmentally Hazardous Substance ² IMDG, IATA: Class 9 Environmentally Hazardous Substance ³
Emergency Guide:	171 (NAERG – North American Emergency Response Guide)
¹ Marine pollutant note:	Ground-only shipments are excluded from Marine Pollutant labeling requires as per 49CFR172.101 Appendix B(4). For any shipments involving all or part of the transport by vessel, the shipment must be classified as a Marine Pollutant unless a limited quantity exemption applies (see note 3 below).
² US-DOT Note:	Not regulated for “ground only” shipments.
³ IMDG / IATA Note:	Not regulated when shipped in single or inner packaging ≤1.32 gal. (5 L).

This information is not intended to convey all specific regulatory or operational requirements/information relating to this product. Transportation classifications may vary by container volume and may be influenced by regional or country variations in regulations. Additional transportation system information can be obtained through an authorized sales or customer service representative. It is the responsibility of the transporting organization to follow all applicable laws, regulations and rules relating to the transportation of the material.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

FIFRA –

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. The following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Causes moderate eye irritation. Harmful if absorbed through the skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

See inside label booklet for additional Precautionary Statements and Directions for Use including Storage and Disposal instructions.

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 when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment washwaters.

This herbicide is injurious to plants at extremely low concentrations. Nontarget plants may be adversely affected from drift and run-off.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION (CONT.)

All pesticides are governed under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA). The regulatory information presented below is pertinent only when this product is handled outside of the normal use and application as a pesticide. This product is excluded from listing requirements under EPA/TSCA.

SARA Title III – Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

Not listed

SARA Title III – Section 311/312 Hazard Categories

Immediate

SARA Title III – Section 312 Threshold Planning Quantity

N/A

SARA Title III – Section 313 Reportable Ingredients

None

CERCLA –

Not listed

CALIFORNIA PROP 65 STATUS –

This product does not contain any chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

CANADA –

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all of the information required by CPR.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

THIS INFORMATION IN THIS SDS IS BASED ON DATA AVAILABLE AS OF THE REVISION DATE GIVEN HEREIN, AND BELIEVED TO BE CORRECT. CONTACT ALLIGARE, LLC TO CONFIRM IF YOU HAVE THE MOST CURRENT MSDS. JUDGMENTS AS TO THE SUITABILITY OF THE INFORMATION HEREIN FOR THE INDIVIDUAL'S OWN USE OR PURPOSES IS NECESSARILY THE INDIVIDUAL'S OWN RESPONSIBILITY. ALTHOUGH REASONABLE CARE HAS BEEN TAKEN IN THE PREPARATION OF SUCH INFORMATION, ALLIGARE, LLC EXTENDS NO WARRANTIES, MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS, AND ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY AS TO THE ACCURACY OR SUITABILITY OF SUCH INFORMATION FOR APPLICATION TO THE INDIVIDUAL'S PURPOSES OR THE CONSEQUENCES OF ITS USE.

This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) serves different purposes than and DOES NOT REPLACE OR MODIFY THE EPA APPROVED PRODUCT LABELING (attached to and accompanying the product container). This SDS provides important health, safety, and environmental information for employers, employees, emergency responders and others handling large quantities of the product in activities generally other than product use, while the labeling provides that information specifically for product use in the ordinary course.

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