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# 1. Identification

#### Product identifier used on the label

# Termidor SC Termiticide/Insecticide

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

Recommended use\*: crop protection product, insecticide

# Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company:

BASF CORPORATION 100 Park Avenue Florham Park, NJ 07932, USA

Telephone: +1 973 245-6000

# **Emergency telephone number**

24 Hour Emergency Response Information

CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

BASF HOTLINE: 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

#### Other means of identification

Substance number: 256709

Registration number: EPA Registration number: 7969-210

Molecular formula: C12 H4 Cl2 F6 N4 O S

Synonyms: fipronil

# 2. Hazards Identification

# According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200

#### Classification of the product

Acute Tox. 4 (oral) Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute 1 Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute

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# **Safety Data Sheet**

# **Termidor SC Termiticide/Insecticide**

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STOT RE 1 Specific target organ toxicity — repeated

exposure

Aquatic Chronic 1 Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic

#### Label elements

# Pictogram:



# Signal Word:

Danger

Hazard Statement:

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H372 Causes damage to organs (Central nervous system) through prolonged

or repeated exposure.

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements (Prevention):

P273 Avoid release to the environment. P260 Do not breathe mist or vapour.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P264 Wash contaminated body parts thoroughly after handling.

Precautionary Statements (Response):

P314 Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you

feel unwell.

P330 Rinse mouth. P391 Collect spillage.

Precautionary Statements (Disposal):

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

# 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

# According to Regulation 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; 29 CFR Part 1910.1200

**Fipronil** 

CAS Number: 120068-37-3 Content (W/W): 9.1 %

Synonym: Fipronil (Active Ingredient)

Residues (petroleum), catalytic reformer fractionator, sulfonated, polymers with formaldehyde, sodium salts

CAS Number: 68425-94-5 Content (W/W): >= 1.0 - < 3.0%

Synonym: Residues (petroleum), catalytic reformer fractionator,

sulfonated, polymers with formaldehyde, sodium salts

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### 4. First-Aid Measures

# Description of first aid measures

#### General advice:

First aid personnel should pay attention to their own safety. If the patient is likely to become unconscious, place and transport in stable sideways position (recovery position). Immediately remove contaminated clothing.

#### If inhaled:

Keep patient calm, remove to fresh air, seek medical attention.

#### If on skin:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water

Immediately wash thoroughly with soap and water, seek medical attention.

#### If in eyes:

Wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open.

#### If swallowed:

Immediately rinse mouth and then drink 200-300 ml of water, seek medical attention.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms: CNS stimulation, tremors, convulsions

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

# Note to physician

Antidote:

No known specific antidote.

Treatment: Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no

known specific antidote. Anticonvulsant therapy as routinely administered to humans. Based on animal studies diazepam and phenobarbital prevented convulsions. Due to the slow elimination of the active compound and its metabolites, the treatment must be continued for several days, gradually decreasing the dose of anticonvulsant based

on the clinical response.

### 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

# **Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing media:

foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide, water spray

# Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazards during fire-fighting:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, hydrogen fluoride, Hydrogen chloride, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides, acid halides, organochloric compounds

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If product is heated above decomposition temperature, toxic vapours will be released. The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released if the product is involved in a fire.

#### Advice for fire-fighters

Protective equipment for fire-fighting:

Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turn-out gear.

#### **Further information:**

Evacuate area of all unnecessary personnel. Contain contaminated water/firefighting water. Do not allow to enter drains or waterways.

### 6. Accidental release measures

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Take appropriate protective measures. Clear area. Shut off source of leak only under safe conditions. Extinguish sources of ignition nearby and downwind. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater. Contain contaminated water/firefighting water.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Dike spillage. Pick up with suitable absorbent material. Place into suitable containers for reuse or disposal in a licensed facility. Spilled substance/product should be recovered and applied according to label rates whenever possible. If application of spilled substance/product is not possible, then spills should be contained, solidified, and placed in suitable containers for disposal. After decontamination, spill area can be washed with water. Collect wash water for approved disposal.

# 7. Handling and Storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL BLENDING, AND PACKAGING WORKERS. PESTICIDE APPLICATORS & WORKERS must refer to the Product Label and Directions for Use attached to the product for Agricultural Use Requirements in accordance with the EPA Worker Protection Standard 40 CFR part 170. Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide good ventilation of working area (local exhaust ventilation if necessary). Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep container tightly sealed. Protect contents from the effects of light. Protect against heat. Protect from air. Handle and open container with care. Do not open until ready to use. Once container is opened, content should be used as soon as possible. Avoid aerosol formation. Avoid dust formation. Provide means for controlling leaks and spills. Do not return residues to the storage containers. Follow label warnings even after container is emptied. The substance/ product may be handled only by appropriately trained personnel. Avoid all direct contact with the substance/product. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of dusts/mists/vapours. Wear suitable personal protective clothing and equipment.

### Protection against fire and explosion:

The relevant fire protection measures should be noted. Fire extinguishers should be kept handy. Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear. Avoid extreme heat. Keep away from oxidizable substances. Electrical equipment should conform to national electric code. Ground all transfer equipment properly to prevent electrostatic discharge. Electrostatic discharge may cause ignition.

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### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Segregate from incompatible substances. Segregate from foods and animal feeds. Segregate from textiles and similar materials.

Further information on storage conditions: Keep only in the original container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place away from ignition sources, heat or flame. Protect containers from physical damage. Protect against contamination. The authority permits and storage regulations must be observed. Keep away from heat. Protect from direct sunlight.

# 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Users of a pesticidal product should refer to the product label for personal protective equipment requirements.

### Components with occupational exposure limits

Fipronil TWA value 0.042 mg/m3;

#### Advice on system design:

Whenever possible, engineering controls should be used to minimize the need for personal protective equipment.

#### Personal protective equipment

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL BLENDING, AND PACKAGING WORKERS:

# Respiratory protection:

Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Wear a NIOSH-certified (or equivalent) organic vapour/particulate respirator. For situations where the airborne concentrations may exceed the level for which an air purifying respirator is effective, or where the levels are unknown or Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH), use NIOSH-certified full facepiece pressure demand self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) or a full facepiece pressure demand supplied-air respirator (SAR) with escape provisions.

# Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves, Protective glove selection must be based on the user's assessment of the workplace hazards.

#### Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Wear face shield or tightly fitting safety goggles (chemical goggles) if splashing hazard exists.

#### **Body protection**

Body protection must be chosen depending on activity and possible exposure, e.g. head protection, apron, protective boots, chemical-protection suit.

#### General safety and hygiene measures:

Wear long sleeved work shirt and long work pants in addition to other stated personal protective equipment. Work place should be equipped with a shower and an eye wash. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Personal protective equipment should be decontaminated prior to reuse. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks). Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Store work clothing

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separately. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. No eating, drinking, smoking or tobacco use at the place of work. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

# 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form: liquid

Odour: characteristic

Odour threshold: Not determined due to potential health hazard by inhalation.

Colour: off-white

pH value: approx. 6.5 - 8.5

(21 °C)

Melting point: < 0 °C

Information applies to the solvent.

Boiling point: approx. 100 °C

Information applies to the solvent.

Flash point: > 206.96 °F Flammability: not applicable

Lower explosion limit: As a result of our experience with this

product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with

the intended use.

Upper explosion limit: As a result of our experience with this

product and our knowledge of its composition we do not expect any hazard as long as the product is used appropriately and in accordance with

the intended use.

Autoignition: Information applies to the solvent. not

applicable

Vapour pressure: approx. 23.3 hPa

(20 °C)

Information applies to the solvent.

Density: approx. 1.06 g/cm3

(20°C)

Vapour density: not applicable Partitioning coefficient n- not applicable

octanol/water (log Pow):

Thermal decomposition: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxide, Hydrogen

chloride, hydrogen fluoride, Sulphur dioxide

Stable at ambient temperature. If product is heated above decomposition temperature toxic vapours may be released. If product is heated above decomposition temperature hazardous

fumes may be released.

Viscosity, dynamic: approx. 66 mPa.s Solubility in water: dispersible Molar mass: 437.15 g/mol pot applicable

Other Information: The product has not been tested. The statement has been

derived from substances/products of a similar structure or

composition.

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# 10. Stability and Reactivity

#### Reactivity

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

# **Chemical stability**

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

The product is chemically stable.

Hazardous polymerization will not occur. No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

#### Conditions to avoid

Avoid all sources of ignition: heat, sparks, open flame. Avoid prolonged storage. Avoid electro-static discharge. Avoid contamination. Avoid prolonged exposure to extreme heat. Avoid extreme temperatures.

#### Incompatible materials

strong oxidizing agents

#### Hazardous decomposition products

#### Decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated., Prolonged thermal loading can result in products of degradation being given off.

# Thermal decomposition:

Possible thermal decomposition products:

carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxide, Hydrogen chloride, hydrogen fluoride, Sulphur dioxide

Stable at ambient temperature. If product is heated above decomposition temperature toxic vapours may be released. If product is heated above decomposition temperature hazardous fumes may be released.

# 11. Toxicological information

#### Primary routes of exposure

Routes of entry for solids and liquids are ingestion and inhalation, but may include eye or skin contact. Routes of entry for gases include inhalation and eye contact. Skin contact may be a route of entry for liquefied gases.

#### **Acute Toxicity/Effects**

#### Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity: Slightly toxic after single ingestion. Slightly toxic after short-term skin contact. Slightly toxic after short-term inhalation.

Oral

Type of value: LD50 Species: rat Value: 1,999 mg/kg

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Type of value: LD50 Species: rat (male/female) Value: 1,999 mg/kg

<u>Inhalation</u>

Type of value: LC50 Species: rat Value: > 1.7 mg/l Exposure time: 4 h

Highest concentration technically achievable. No mortality was observed.

Type of value: LC50

Species: rat

Value: 6.8 mg/l (calculated)

Exposure time: 1 h

Dermal

Type of value: LD50 Species: rat

Value: > 2,000 mg/kg No mortality was observed.

### Assessment other acute effects

Assessment of STOT single:

Based on the available information there is no specific target organ toxicity to be expected after a single exposure.

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

#### Irritation / corrosion

Assessment of irritating effects: Not irritating to eyes and skin. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition.

<u>Skin</u>

Species: rabbit Result: non-irritant

Eye

Species: rabbit Result: non-irritant

#### Sensitization

Assessment of sensitization: No sensitizing effect. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from substances/products of a similar structure or composition.

modified Buehler test Species: guinea pig Result: Non-sensitizing.

Aspiration Hazard not applicable

## **Chronic Toxicity/Effects**

Repeated dose toxicity

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Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

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Assessment of repeated dose toxicity: Causes mortality and signs of neurotoxicity through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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#### Genetic toxicity

Assessment of mutagenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

#### Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

# Information on: Fipronil

Assessment of carcinogenicity: In long-term studies in rats the substance induced thyroid tumors. The effect is caused by an animal specific mechanism that has no human counter part. In long-term studies in mice in which the substance was given by feed, a carcinogenic effect was not observed.

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### Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of animal studies gave no indication of a fertility impairing effect.

#### **Teratogenicity**

Assessment of teratogenicity: The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Animal studies gave no indication of a developmental toxic effect at doses that were not toxic to the parental animals.

### Other Information

Misuse can be harmful to health.

#### Medical conditions aggravated by overexposure

Individuals with pre-existing diseases of the respiratory system, skin or eyes may have increased susceptibility to excessive exposures.

# 12. Ecological Information

### **Toxicity**

Aquatic toxicity
Assessment of aquatic toxicity:
Very toxic (acute effect) to aquatic organisms.

# Toxicity to fish

Information on: Fipronil LC50 (96 h) 0.0852 mg/l, Lepomis macrochirus

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### Aquatic invertebrates

Information on: Fipronil EC50 (48 h) 0.19 mg/l, Daphnia magna LC50 (48 h) 0.00017 mg/l, Mysidopsis bahia

#### Aquatic plants

Information on: Fipronil

EC50 (72 h) 0.103 mg/l (growth rate), Scenedesmus subspicatus

No observed effect concentration (72 h) >= 0.14 mg/l, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata

EC50 (14 d) > 0.16 mg/l (biomass), Lemna gibba

No observed effect concentration (14 d) > 0.16 mg/l (biomass), Lemna gibba

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#### Chronic toxicity to fish

Information on: Fipronil

No observed effect concentration (35 d) 0.0029 mg/l, Cyprinodon variegatus

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#### Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates

Information on: Fipronil

No observed effect concentration (28 d) 0.000008 mg/l, Mysidopsis bahia

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### Assessment of terrestrial toxicity

With high probability not acutely harmful to terrestrial organisms.

## Persistence and degradability

#### Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H2O)

Information on: Fipronil

Not readily biodegradable (by OECD criteria).

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#### Bioaccumulative potential

### Assessment bioaccumulation potential

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

# Mobility in soil

# Assessment transport between environmental compartments

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Information on: Fipronil

Following exposure to soil, adsorption to solid soil particles is probable, therefore contamination of groundwater is not expected.

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#### Additional information

Other ecotoxicological advice:

The ecological data given are those of the active ingredient. Do not release untreated into natural waters.

# 13. Disposal considerations

#### Waste disposal of substance:

Pesticide wastes are regulated. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mix or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If pesticide wastes cannot be disposed of according to label instructions, contact the State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

## Container disposal:

Rinse thoroughly at least three times (triple rinse) in accordance with EPA recommendations. Consult state or local disposal authorities for approved alternative procedures such as container recycling. Recommend crushing, puncturing or other means to prevent unauthorized use of used containers.

#### RCRA:

This product is not regulated by RCRA.

# 14. Transport Information

# Land transport

**USDOT** 

Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations

Sea transport

**IMDG** 

Hazard class: 9
Packing group: III
ID number: UN 3082
Hazard label: 9, EHSM

Marine pollutant: YES

Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S. (contains FIPRONIL)

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class: 9
Packing group: III
ID number: UN 3082
Hazard label: 9, EHSM

Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S. (contains FIPRONIL)

#### **Further information**

Product may be shipped as non-hazardous in suitable packages containing a net quantity of 5 L or less under the provisions of various regulatory agencies: ADR, RID, ADN: Special Provision 375; IMDG: 2.10.2.7; IATA: A197; TDG: Special Provision 99(2); 49CFR: §171.4 (c) (2) and also the Special Provision 375 in Appendix B which is regulated in China "Regulations Concerning Road"

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Transportation of Dangerous Goods Part 3: Index of dangerous goods name and transportation requirements" (JT/T 617.3)

# 15. Regulatory Information

### **Federal Regulations**

#### Registration status:

Crop Protection TSCA, US released / exempt

**EPCRA 311/312 (Hazard categories):** Refer to SDS section 2 for GHS hazard classes applicable for this product.

#### State regulations

State RTK	CAS Number	Chemical name
NJ	57-55-6	Propylene glycol
PA	57-55-6	Propylene glycol

#### Safe Drinking Water & Toxic Enforcement Act, CA Prop. 65:

#### BASF Risk Assessment, CA Prop. 65:

Based on an evaluation of the product's composition and the use(s), this product does not require a California Proposition 65 Warning.

#### **NFPA Hazard codes:**

Health: 2 Fire: 1 Reactivity: 1 Special:

# Labeling requirements under FIFRA

This chemical is a pesticide product regulated 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 workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label.

CAUTION:

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.

HARMFUL IF INHALED.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Do not breathe vapours/mists.

# 16. Other Information

# SDS Prepared by:

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