



Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification

Product Name: Apparent MCPA 750 Selective Herbicide

Other Means of Identification: Mixture

Other Name: MCPA. Group 4 Herbicide.

APVMA Number: 68355

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use:

Agricultural herbicide for use in cereals and other crops.

Details of Manufacturer or Importer:

AIRR Apparent Pty Ltd

15/16 Princes Street

Newport, NSW, 2106

Phone Number: 03 5820 8400

Emergency telephone number: 0437 303 689

2 Hazard(s) Identification

Hazardous Nature:

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (7th edition).



Corrosion

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.



Environment

Aquatic Acute 1

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Aquatic Chronic 1

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



Acute Toxicity (Oral) 4

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2

H315 Causes skin irritation.

Signal Word Danger

Hazard Statements

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H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves / eye protection / face protection.

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

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P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
P321	Specific treatment (see on this label).
P330	Rinse mouth.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P391	Collect spillage.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

Chemical Characterization: Mixtures**Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.**Hazardous Components:**

CAS: 94-74-6	MCPA (ISO)	70-80%
	 Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1, H318;  Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410;  Acute Toxicity (Oral) 4, H302; Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2, H315	

4 First Aid Measures

Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention if breathing problems develop.

Skin Contact:

In case of skin contact, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with water and soap. Seek medical attention if symptoms occur.

Eye Contact:

In case of eye contact, rinse with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.

Ingestion:

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek immediate medical attention.

Symptoms Caused by Exposure:

Inhalation: May cause mild irritation.

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. May cause irritation, burning sensation and redness of the mouth and throat.

5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:

Hazardous combustion products include toxic and noxious fumes and oxides of carbon.

Product is not flammable. However, it may burn in larger fire.

Containers close to fire should be removed only if safe to do so. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers.

Prevent run-off from fire fighting entering drains or water courses.

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Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:

When fighting a major fire wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective equipment.

6 Accidental Release Measures**Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:**

Wear approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe vapours. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions:

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up:

Stop leak if safe to do so and absorb spill with sand, earth, vermiculite or some other absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel or collect the spilled material and place into a suitable container for recycling and dispose of promptly. Decontaminate spill area, tools and equipment with a solution of soap, water and acetic acid/vinegar. Follow this with a neutralisation step of washing the area with a bleach or caustic soda ash solution. Finally, wash with a strong soap and water solution.

7 Handling and Storage**Precautions for Safe Handling:**

Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation of vapours. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Food, beverages and tobacco products should not be stored or consumed where this material is in use. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. Provide eyewash fountains and safety showers in close proximity to points of potential exposure.

Conditions for Safe Storage:

Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Protect from direct sunlight. Keep away from children, animals, food, feedstuffs, seeds and fertilisers. Keep away from strong acids, strong bases and strong oxidising agents.

8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection**Exposure Standards:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

Engineering Controls: Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area.**Respiratory Protection:**

Respiratory protection is not required under normal use conditions.

Use an approved vapour respirator under conditions where exposure to the substance is apparent (e.g. generation of high concentrations of mist or vapour, inadequate ventilation, development of respiratory tract irritation) and engineering controls are not feasible. See Australian Standards AS/NZS 1715 and 1716 for more information.

Skin Protection:

Chemical resistant PVC gloves are recommended. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2161 for more information. When selecting gloves for use against certain chemicals, the degradation resistance, permeation rate and permeation breakthrough time should be considered. Occupational protective clothing should be worn (depending on conditions in which it has to be used, in particular as regards the period for which it is worn, which shall be determined on the basis of the seriousness of the risk, the frequency of exposure to the risk, the characteristics of the workstation of each worker and the performance of the protective clothing). See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4501 for more information.

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Eye and Face Protection:

Eye and face protectors for protection against splashing materials or liquids. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 for more information.

9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Form:	Liquid
Colour:	Clear red-brown
Odour:	Ammonia-like
Odour Threshold:	No information available
pH-Value:	No information available
Melting point/freezing point:	No information available
Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range:	No information available
Flash Point:	No information available
Flammability:	Product is not flammable
Auto-ignition Temperature:	No information available
Decomposition Temperature:	No information available
Explosion Limits:	
Lower:	No information available
Upper:	No information available
Vapour Pressure:	No information available
Relative Density:	approx. 1.1
Vapour Density:	No information available
Evaporation Rate:	No information available
Solubility in Water:	Emulsifies into water.
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water):	No information available
Viscosity:	No information available

10 Stability and Reactivity

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

Chemical Stability: Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of storage and use.

Conditions to Avoid: Direct sunlight.

Incompatible Materials: Strong oxidising agents, strong acids and bases.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Oxides of carbon and smoke.

11 Toxicological Information

Toxicity:**LD50/LC50 Values Relevant for Classification:****CAS: 94-74-6 MCPA (ISO)**

Oral	LD50	700 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	>2,000 mg/kg (rat)
Inhalation	LC50/4 h	>3.1 mg/l (rat)

Acute Health Effects

Inhalation: May cause mild irritation.

Skin: Causes skin irritation.

Eye: Causes serious eye damage.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. May cause irritation, burning sensation and redness of the mouth and throat.

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Skin Corrosion / Irritation: Causes skin irritation.**Serious Eye Damage / Irritation:** Causes serious eye damage.**Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Carcinogenicity:**

Chlorophenoxy herbicides are classified by IARC as Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

Reproductive Toxicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure:**

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Repeated Exposure:

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration Hazard: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Chronic Health Effects:** No data associated with long term health effects.**Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** No information available**Additional toxicological information:**

The Australian Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI) for MCPA for a human is 0.01 mg/kg/day, set for the public for daily, lifetime exposure. This is based on the NOAEL of 1.1 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: Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority, 'Acceptable Daily Intakes for Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals', 2021).

12 Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: MCPA is moderately toxic to birds but non-toxic to bees.**Aquatic toxicity:**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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LC50/96 h	>135 mg/l (bluegill)
LC50/48 h	>190 mg/l (daphnia)
	50-560 mg/l (rainbow trout)

Persistence and Degradability:

In rice paddy water, MCPA is almost totally degraded by aquatic micro-organisms in two weeks.

Bioaccumulative Potential: No information available**Mobility in Soil:**

MCPA and its formulations are rapidly degraded in soil and have low persistence. Half life is 14 days to 1 month.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods and Containers:

Instructions concerning the disposal of this product and its containers are given on the product label.

Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:

Please consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information.

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14 Transport Information

UN Number ADG, IMDG, IATA	UN3082
Proper Shipping Name ADG, IATA	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (MCPA (ISO))
IMDG	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (MCPA (ISO)), MARINE POLLUTANT
Dangerous Goods Class ADG Class: Subsidiary Risk:	9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles.
Packing Group: ADG, IMDG, IATA	III
Marine pollutant:	Symbol (fish and tree)
EMS Number:	F-A,S-F
Hazchem Code:	•3Z
Special Provisions:	274, 331, 335, 375, AU01
Transport/Additional information:	Not subject to the ADG Code when transported in Australia by Road or Rail in packages 500kg(L) or less; or IBCs (refer to SP AU01)
Limited Quantities:	5L
Packagings & IBCs - Packing Instruction:	P001, IBC03, LP01
Packagings & IBCs - Special Packing Provisions:	PP1
Portable Tanks & Bulk Containers - Instructions:	T4
Portable Tanks & Bulk Containers - Special Provisions:	TP1, TP29

15 Regulatory Information

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals:

All components are on the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule:

Poisons Schedule: 6

Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority: 68355

16 Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADG: Australian Dangerous Goods

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

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LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TWA: Time Weighted Average

NES: National Exposure Standard (Safe Work Australia - Workplace Exposure Standards For Airborne Contaminants)

Acute Toxicity (Oral) 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4

Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (Acute). Category 1

Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (Chronic). Category 1

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