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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name Taipan® Herbicide

Product code (UVP) 05922259

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use Herbicide

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Bayer Cropscience Pty Ltd

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Hawthorn 3122

Victoria Australia

Telephone (03) 9248 6888 **Telefax** (03) 9248 6800

Responsible Department 1800 804 479 Technical Information Service

Website www.crop.bayer.com.au

1.4 Emergency telephone no.

Emergency telephone no. 1800 033 111 IXOM Operations Pty Ltd

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification in accordance with Australian GHS Regulation

Skin sensitisation: Category 1

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Acute aquatic toxicity: Category 1 H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to specific Australian legislation

Hazard label for supply/use required.

Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

Benzofenap

Signal word: Warning

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Hazard statements

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Precautionary statements

P261 Avoid breathing mist/ spray.
P280 Wear protective gloves.

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/ soap.

P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

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

2.3 Other hazards

No additional hazards known beside those mentioned.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical nature

Benzofenap 300g/l

Suspension concentrate (=flowable concentrate)(SC)

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration [%]
Benzofenap	82692-44-2	27.78
1,2-Propanediol	57-55-6	<= 5.00
Nonylphenol ethoxylate, branched	127087-87-0	<= 1.00
1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one	2634-33-5	>= 0.005 - <= 0.05
Other ingredients (non-hazardous) to 100%		

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If poisoning occurs, immediately contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (telephone 13 11 26), and follow the advice given. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the doctor.

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice Move out of dangerous area. Place and transport victim in stable

position (lying sideways). Remove contaminated clothing immediately

and dispose of safely.

Inhalation Move the victim to fresh air and keep at rest. If symptoms persist, call a

physician.

Skin contact Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off

thoroughly with plenty of soap and water, if available with

polyethyleneglycol 400, subsequently rinse with water. If symptoms

persist, call a physician.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at

least 15 minutes. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

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Ingestion Keep patient warm and at rest. Do NOT induce vomiting. Do not

induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Symptoms of Overexposure, Irritation, Sensitisation
4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment Treat symptomatically. There is no specific antidote.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Water, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Unsuitable High volume water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or

mixture

In the event of fire the following may be released: Carbon dioxide (CO2), Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon monoxide (CO), Chlorine

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

Further information Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Remove product from areas of fire,

or otherwise cool containers with water in order to avoid pressure being built up due to heat. Whenever possible, contain fire-fighting water by diking area with sand or earth. Do not allow run-off from fire

fighting to enter drains or water courses.

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SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Precautions Avoid contact with spilled product or contaminated surfaces. When

dealing with a spillage do not eat, drink or smoke. Use personal

protective equipment. Keep unauthorized people away.

6.2 Environmental

precautions

Contain contaminated water and fire fighting water. Do not allow to get into surface water, drains and ground water. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid

binder, universal binder, sawdust). Collect and transfer the product

into a properly labelled and tightly closed container.

6.4 Reference to other

sections

Information regarding safe handling, see section 7.

Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8.

Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

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SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use only in area provided

with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special precautions required.

Hygiene measures Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Before removing gloves

clean them with soap and water. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers

Keep out of the reach of children. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from direct sunlight.

Advice on common storage Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Update	Basis
1,2-Propanediol	57-55-6	474 mg/m3/150 ppm (TWA)	12 2011	AU NOEL
(Total vapour and particulates.)		,		
1,2-Propanediol	57-55-6	10 mg/m3 (TWA)	12 2011	AU NOEL
(Particulate.)		,		

8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory protection Respiratory protection is not required under anticipated

circumstances of exposure.

Breathing apparatus needed only when aerosol or mist is formed.

Use respiratory protection for organic vapours.

Hand protection PVC or nitrile rubber gloves

Eye protection Goggles

Skin and body protection Long-sleeved shirt and long pants

General protective measures In normal use and handling conditions please refer to the label

and/or leaflet. In all other cases the above mentioned

recommendations would apply.

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Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use only in area provided

with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form suspension

Colour beige

Odour characteristic

Odour Threshold No data available

pH 7.5 - 8.5 (100 %) (23 °C)

Melting point/rangeNo data availableBoiling PointNo data availableFlash pointNo data availableFlammabilityNo data availableAuto-ignition temperatureNo data available

Thermal decomposition No data available

Minimum ignition energy Self-accelarating

decomposition temperature

(SADT)

No data available No data available

Upper explosion limitNo data availableLower explosion limitNo data availableVapour pressureNo data availableEvaporation rateNo data availableRelative vapour densityNo data availableRelative densityNo data available

Density ca. 1.08 g/cm³ (20 °C)

Water solubility No data available

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Benzofenap: log Pow: 4.69

Viscosity, dynamic 130 - 210 mPa.s (20 °C)

Velocity gradient 68.3 /s

Viscosity, kinematic

Oxidizing properties

No data available

Explosivity

No data available

9.2 Other information Further safety related physical-chemical data are not known.

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SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity Stable under normal conditions.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility ofNo hazardous reactions when stored and handled according to

hazardous reactions prescribed instructions. Stable under normal conditions.

10.4 Conditions to avoid Elevated temperatures

10.5 Incompatible materials Strong acids, Strong bases, Strong oxidizing agents, Strong reducing

agents

10.6 Hazardous Thermal decomposition can lead to release of:

decomposition products Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Carbon oxides
Chlorine compounds

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity LD50 (Rat) > 15,000 mg/kg

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

Acute inhalation toxicity LC50 (Rat) > 1.93 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 (Rat) > 5,000 mg/kg

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

Skin corrosion/irritation slight irritation (Rabbit)

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

slight irritation (Rabbit)

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

Respiratory or skin

sensitisation

The results of a test on guinea pigs showed this substance to be a weak

skin sensitiser. (Guinea pig)

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

Assessment mutagenicity

Benzofenap was not mutagenic or genotoxic in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

Assessment carcinogenicity

Benzofenap was not carcinogenic in lifetime feeding studies in rats and mice.

Assessment toxicity to reproduction

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Benzofenap did not cause reproductive toxicity in a two-generation study in rats.

Assessment developmental toxicity

Benzofenap did not cause developmental toxicity in rats and rabbits.

Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Benzofenap: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Benzofenap did not cause specific target organ toxicity in experimental animal studies.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Information on likely routes of exposure

May be harmful if inhaled.

May cause skin irritation. May cause sensitisation by skin contact.

May cause eye irritation.

Harmful if swallowed.

Early onset symptoms related to exposure

Refer to Section 4

Delayed health effects from exposure

Refer to Section 11

Exposure levels and health effects

Refer to Section 4

Interactive effects

Not known

When specific chemical data is not available

Not applicable

Mixture of chemicals

Refer to Section 2.1

Further information

No further toxicological information is available.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 (Cyprinus carpio (Carp)) 0.762 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) 0.383 mg/l

Toxicity to aquatic

invertebrates Exposure time: 48 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

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Toxicity to aquatic plants EC50 (Raphidocelis subcapitata (freshwater green alga)) 0.148 mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

Toxicity to other organisms LD50 (Coturnix japonica (Japanese quail)) > 2,000 mg/kg

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Benzofenap:

Not rapidly biodegradable

Koc Benzofenap: Koc: 6405

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation Benzofenap: Bioconcentration factor (BCF) > 500

Does not bioaccumulate.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil Benzofenap: Immobile in soil

12.5 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological

information

No other effects to be mentioned.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Triple-rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to 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 to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury the empty packaging 500 mm 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. Do not burn empty containers or product.

Do not reuse container for any other purpose.

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SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADG

UN number 3082
Transport hazard class(es) 9
Subsidiary Risk None
Packaging group III

Description of the goods ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S.

(BENZOFENAP SOLUTION)

Hazchem Code •3Z

AU01: Environmentally Hazardous Substances meeting the descriptions of UN 3077 or UN 3082 are not subject to this Code when transported by road or rail in;

a) packagings that do not incorporate a receptacle exceeding 500 kg(L); or

b) IBCs

IMDG

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UN number 3082
Transport hazard class(es) 9
Subsidiary Risk None
Packaging group III
Marine pollutant YES

Description of the goods ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID,

N.O.S.

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IATA

UN number 3082
Transport hazard class(es) 9
Subsidiary Risk None
Packaging group III
Environm. Hazardous Mark YES

Description of the goods ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID.

N.O.S.

(BENZOFENAP SOLUTION)

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Registered according to the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Act 1994 Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority approval number: 50660

SUSMP classification (Poison Schedule)

Schedule 5 (Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons)

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Trademark information Taipan® is a Registered Trademark of the Bayer Group.

Abbreviations and acronyms

ADN European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Inland Waterways

ADR European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by

Road

ATE Acute toxicity estimate

AU OEL Australia. OELs. (Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric

Contaminants in the Occupational Environment)

CAS-Nr. Chemical Abstracts Service number

CEILING Ceiling Limit Value Conc. Concentration

EC-No. European community number ECx Effective concentration to x %

EINECS European inventory of existing commercial substances

ELINCS European list of notified chemical substances

EN European Standard EU European Union

IATA International Air Transport Association

IBC International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships Carrying Dangerous

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Chemicals in Bulk (IBC Code)
Inhibition concentration to x %

IMDG International Maritime Dangerous Goods

LCx Lethal concentration to x %

LDx Lethal dose to x %

LOEC/LOEL Lowest observed effect concentration/level

MARPOL: International Convention for the prevention of marine pollution from ships

N.O.S. Not otherwise specified

NOEC/NOEL No observed effect concentration/level

OECD Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

OES BCS OES BCS: Internal Bayer AG, Crop Science Division "Occupational Exposure

Standard"

PEAK: Exposure Standard - Peak means a maximum or peak airborne concentration

of a particular substance determined over the shortest analytically practicable period of

time which does not exceed 15 minutes.

RID Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

SK-SEN Skin sensitiser

SKIN_DES: Skin notation: Absorption through the skin may be a significant source of

exposure.

STEL: Exposure standard - short term exposure limit (STEL): A 15 minute TWA

exposure which should not be exceeded at any time during a working day even if the eight-hour TWA average is within the TWA exposure standard. Exposures at the STEL should not be longer than 15 minutes and should not be repeated more than four times per day. There should be at least 60 minutes between successive exposures at the

STEL.

TWA: Exposure standard - time-weighted average (TWA): The average airborne

concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal eight-hour

working day, for a five-day working week.

TWA Time weighted average

UN United Nations

WHO World health organisation

This SDS summarises our best knowledge of the health and safety hazard information of the product and how to safely handle and use the product in the workplace. Each user should read this SDS and consider the information in the context of how the product will be handled and used in the workplace including in conjunction with other products.

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