

Safety Data Sheet



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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name Sakura® 850 WG Herbicide
Product code (UVP) 79642040

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
ABN 87 000 226 022
Level 1, 8 Redfern Road
3123 Hawthorn East
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.

Carcinogenicity: Category 2

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure: Category 2

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Acute aquatic toxicity: Category 1

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

Chronic aquatic toxicity: Category 1

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

2.2 Label elements

Hazard label for supply/use required.

Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

Pyroxasulfone

Signal word: Warning



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Hazard statements

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Precautionary statements

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P260 Do not breathe dust.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing.
P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/ soap.
P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P405 Store locked up.
P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

2.3 Other hazards

No other hazards known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical nature

Pyroxasulfone 850g/kg
Chemical nature Water dispersible granules (WG)

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration [%]
Pyroxasulfone	447399-55-5	85.00
Diatomaceous earth	61790-53-2	<= 2.50
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

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. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.



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Ingestion Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms To date no symptoms are known.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment Treat symptomatically. There is no specific antidote. Gastric lavage is not normally required. However, if a significant amount (more than a mouthful) has been ingested, administer activated charcoal and sodium sulphate.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Water spray, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Foam, Sand

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture In the event of fire the following may be released: Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Nitrogen oxides (NO_x), Sulphur oxides, Hydrogen fluoride, Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information 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. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains.

Hazchem Code 2Z

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. Avoid dust formation.

6.2 Environmental precautions Contain contaminated water and fire fighting 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). Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

Additional advice Inform appropriate authorities immediately if contamination occurs.



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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.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Hygiene measures Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wear elbow length PVC gloves when handling product or treated seed. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, using the toilet or applying cosmetics. After each day's use, wash gloves, face shield or goggles and contaminated clothing.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers Keep out of the reach of children. Store in original container. 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
Diatomaceous earth (Inhalable dust.)	61790-53-2	10 mg/m ³ (TWA)	04 2013	AU NOEL

8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory protection Use respiratory protection for organic vapours.
Self-contained breathing apparatus (EN 133)

Hand protection Wear CE Marked (or equivalent) nitrile rubber gloves (minimum thickness of 0,4 mm). Wash when contaminated and dispose of when contaminated inside, when perforated or when contamination on the outside cannot be removed. Wash hands frequently and always before eating, drinking, smoking or using the toilet.

Eye protection Wear goggles (conforming to EN166, Field of Use = 5 or equivalent).

Skin and body protection Wear standard coveralls and Category 3 Type 4 suit.
If there is a risk of significant exposure, consider a higher protective type suit.
Wear two layers of clothing wherever possible. Polyester/cotton or cotton overalls should be worn under chemical protection suit and should be professionally laundered frequently.

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



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

Engineering Controls

Advice on safe handling Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form	water-dispersible granules, cylindrical
Colour	light brown
pH	7.0 - 10.0 at 1 % (23 °C) (deionized water)
Minimum ignition energy	> 30 - < 100 mJ measured without induction
Vapour pressure	0.0000024 Pa at 25 °C The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 2.39 at 25 °C The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Pyroxasulfone: log Pow: 2.39 at 25 °C at pH 8.7

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

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

Thermal decomposition Stable under normal conditions.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions No hazardous reactions known.

10.4 Conditions to avoid Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

10.5 Incompatible materials Strong acids, Strong bases

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products Thermal decomposition can lead to release of:
Oxides of carbon
Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)
Sulphur oxides
Hydrogen fluoride
Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid)



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SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity	LD50 (Rat) > 2,000 mg/kg
Acute inhalation toxicity	LC50 (Rat) 5.8 mg/l Exposure time: 4 h
Acute dermal toxicity	LD50 (Rat) > 2,000 mg/kg
Skin irritation	No skin irritation (Rabbit)
Eye irritation	Slight irritation (Rabbit)
Sensitisation	Sensitising (Guinea pig)

Assessment mutagenicity

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

Assessment carcinogenicity

Pyroxasulfone was not carcinogenic in lifetime feeding studies in mice. Pyroxasulfone caused an increased incidence of tumours in rats in the following organ(s): urinary bladder. The tumours seen with Pyroxasulfone were caused through a non-genotoxic mechanism, which is not relevant at low doses.

Assessment toxicity to reproduction

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

Assessment developmental toxicity

Pyroxasulfone did not cause developmental toxicity in rats and rabbits.

Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure

Pyroxasulfone caused specific target organ toxicity in experimental animal studies in the following organ(s): Liver, kidney, urinary bladder, heart.

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. Skin sensitiser
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



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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 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)) > 2.2 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h
	LC50 (Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish)) > 2.8 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h
Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates	EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) > 4.4 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h
Toxicity to aquatic plants	EC50 (Raphidocelis subcapitata (freshwater green alga)) 0.00079 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h
Toxicity to other organisms	LD50 (Colinus virginianus (Bobwhite quail)) > 2,250 mg/kg
	LD50 (Apis mellifera (bees)) 0.1 mg/bee Exposure time: 48 h

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Pyroxasulfone:
Not rapidly biodegradable

Koc Pyroxasulfone: Koc: 95

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation Pyroxasulfone:
Does not bioaccumulate.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil Pyroxasulfone: Mobile in soils

12.5 Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information No other effects to be mentioned.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Triple or preferably pressure rinse containers before disposal. Dispose of rinsings in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots. 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 for appropriate disposal to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available bury the empty



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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.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADG

UN number	3077
Transport hazard class(es)	9
Subsidiary Risk	None
Packaging group	III
Description of the goods	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (PYROXASULFONE MIXTURE)
Hazchem Code	2Z

According to AU01, Environmentally Hazardous Substances in packagings, IBC or any other receptacle not exceeding 500 kg or 500 L are not subject to the ADG Code.

IMDG

UN number	3077
Transport hazard class(es)	9
Subsidiary Risk	None
Packaging group	III
Marine pollutant	YES
Description of the goods	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (PYROXASULFONE MIXTURE)

IATA

UN number	3077
Transport hazard class(es)	9
Subsidiary Risk	None
Packaging group	III
Environm. Hazardous Mark	YES
Description of the goods	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (PYROXASULFONE MIXTURE)

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Registered according to the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Act 1994
Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority approval number: 63998

SUSMP classification (Poison Schedule)

Schedule 6 (Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons)



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SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Trademark information Sakura® is a Registered Trademark of Kumiai Chemical Industry Co. Ltd.

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.

If clarification or further information is needed to ensure that an appropriate risk assessment can be made, the user should contact this company.

Our responsibility for products sold is subject to our standard terms and conditions, a copy of which is sent to our customers and is also available on request.

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 Chemicals in Bulk (IBC Code)
ICx	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	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	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_DES: Skin notation: Absorption through the skin may be a significant source of exposure.
STEL	STEL: Exposure standard - short term exposure limit (STEL): A 15 minute TWA

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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 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

Changes since the last version are highlighted in the margin. This version replaces all previous versions.

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