

Safety Data Sheet
according to WHS Regulations

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1 Identification

Product Name: ProForce Geronimo 800 SL Herbicide

Other Means of Identification: Mixture

APVMA Approval Number: 88479

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use: Agricultural herbicide

Details of Manufacturer or Importer:

Indigo Specialty Products Pty Ltd
3/49 Donaldson Road
Rocklea QLD 4106

Phone Number: 0402 735 887

Emergency telephone number: National Poisons Information Centre: 13 11 26

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.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (7th edition), IATA and IMDG/IMSBC.



Skull and crossbones

Acute Toxicity (Inhalation) 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.



Health hazard

STOT RE 2 H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.



Environment

Aquatic Chronic 1 H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irritation 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Signal Word Danger

Hazard Statements

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Precautionary Statements

P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P264	Wash thoroughly after handling.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear eye protection / face protection.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
P311	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P321	Specific treatment (see on this label).
P312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
P314	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P391	Collect spillage.
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

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

CAS: 2163-80-6	Sodium methylarsonate	40-60%

4 First Aid Measures

Inhalation:

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

Skin Contact:

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

Eye Contact:

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

Ingestion:

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth with water. Give 1-2 glasses of water to drink in small sips. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek immediate medical attention.

Symptoms Caused by Exposure:

Inhalation: Toxic if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye irritation.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea and vomiting.

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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 oxides of carbon, smoke and arsenic compounds.

Product is not flammable.

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.

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 respiratory protection, chemical resistant gloves, protective clothing and safety boots.

Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe vapours or mists. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions:

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

Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.

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.

Collect the spilled material and place into a suitable container for disposal.

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 or mists.

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 heat, sparks, open flames, direct sunlight and other sources of ignition. Keep away from strong oxidising agents, strong acids and strong bases.

8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Exposure Standards:

CAS: 2163-80-6 Sodium methylarsonate

WES	TWA: 0.05 mg/m ³ Note (g); as As
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Engineering Controls:

Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area if the battery inner contents are exposed, keeping airborne concentrations below occupational exposure standards.

Respiratory Protection:

Use an approved particulate respirator (Filter type P) 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.

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Skin Protection:

PVC gloves. 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 (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.

Eye and Face Protection:

Safety glasses with top and side shields or goggles. See Australian/New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 1336 and 1337 for more information.

9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Form:	Liquid
Colour:	Light amber to brown
Odour:	Odourless
Odour Threshold:	No information available
pH-Value:	5.7-6.5 (5% in water)
Melting point/freezing point:	<0 °C
Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range:	110-113 °C
Flash Point:	Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas):	Not applicable
Auto-ignition Temperature:	No information available
Decomposition Temperature:	No information available
Explosion Limits:	
Lower:	No information available
Upper:	No information available
Vapour Pressure at 20 °C:	2.37 kPa (As for water)
Relative Density:	1.5-1.8
Vapour Density:	As for water
Evaporation Rate:	As for water
Solubility in Water:	Dispersible
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water):	No information available
Viscosity:	No information available

10 Stability and Reactivity

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: No dangerous reactions known under conditions of normal use.

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

Conditions to Avoid: Heat, sparks, open flames, direct sunlight and other sources of ignition.

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

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Oxides of carbon, smoke and arsenic compounds.

11 Toxicological Information

Toxicity:**LD50/LC50 Values:****CAS: 2163-80-6 Sodium methylarsonate**

Oral	LD50	2,449 mg/kg (Rattus norvegicus (rat))
Dermal	LD50	>2,000 mg/kg (Oryctolagus cuniculus (rabbit))

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Inhalation	LC50/4 h	2.2 mg/l (Rattus norvegicus (rat))
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Acute Health Effects**Inhalation:** Toxic if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation.**Skin:** Causes skin irritation.**Eye:** Causes serious eye irritation.**Ingestion:** May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea and vomiting.**Skin Corrosion / Irritation:** Causes skin irritation.**Serious Eye Damage / Irritation:** Causes serious eye irritation.**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:**

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

This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.

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

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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 data available.**12 Ecological Information****Ecotoxicity:****Aquatic toxicity:**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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LC50/96 h	>51 mg/l (Lepomis macrochirus (bluegill))
	>167 mg/l (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout))
LC50/48 h	77.5 mg/l (Daphnia magna (water flea))

Persistence and Degradability: No data available on finished product.**Bioaccumulative Potential:** No data available on finished product.**Mobility in Soil:** No data available on finished product.**Other adverse effects:** No further relevant information available.**13 Disposal Considerations****Disposal Methods and Containers:** Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.**Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:**

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

14 Transport Information**UN Number** Not regulated**Proper Shipping Name** Not regulated

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Dangerous Goods Class Not regulated**Packing Group:** Not regulated

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: 7

Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority:

This product is registered with the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority. APVMA approval number 88479.

16 Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

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

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) 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3

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

Eye Irritation 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2A

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 2

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

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