

# Safety data sheet

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## 1. Substance/preparation and manufacturer/supplier identification

### POLYRAM DF

Use: crop protection product, fungicide

Manufacturer/supplier:

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Emergency information:

BASF Emergency Advice Number: 1800 803 440 (24h) [within Australia]  
BASF Emergency Advice Number: + 61 3 8855 6666 [outside Australia]

## 2. Hazard identification

Classification of the substance and mixture:

- | Skin sensitization: Cat. 1B
- | Specific target organ toxicity — repeated exposure (Skeletal muscle): Cat. 2
- | Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute: Cat. 1
- | Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic: Cat. 1

Label elements and precautionary statement:

Pictogram:



Signal Word:

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## Warning

### Hazard Statement:

May cause an allergic skin reaction. May cause damage to organs (Skeletal muscle) through prolonged or repeated exposure. Very toxic to aquatic life. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### Precautionary Statements (Prevention):

Do not breathe dust. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves.

### Precautionary Statements (Response):

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Collect spillage.

### Precautionary Statements (Disposal):

Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

### Other hazards which do not result in classification:

See section 12 - Results of PBT and vPvB assessment.

If applicable information is provided in this section on other hazards which do not result in classification but which may contribute to the overall hazards of the substance or mixture.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

### Chemical nature

fungicide, water dispersible granules

### Hazardous ingredients

#### | metiram

Content (W/W): 70 %  
CAS Number: 9006-42-2

Skin Sens.: Cat. 1  
STOT RE (Skeletal muscle): Cat. 2  
Aquatic Acute: Cat. 1  
Aquatic Chronic: Cat. 1

#### | sodium diisobutyl naphthalene sulphonate

Content (W/W): < 5 %  
CAS Number: 27213-90-7

Acute Tox.: Cat. 4 (Inhalation - dust)  
Acute Tox.: Cat. 4 (oral)  
Skin Corr./Irrit.: Cat. 2  
Eye Dam./Irrit.: Cat. 1  
STOT SE: Cat. 3 (irr. to respiratory syst.)  
Aquatic Acute: Cat. 3  
Aquatic Chronic: Cat. 3

## 4. First-Aid Measures

### General advice:

| Remove contaminated clothing.

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If inhaled:

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

On skin contact:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

On contact with eyes:

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

On ingestion:

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

Note to physician:

Symptoms: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11., Further important symptoms and effects are so far not known.

Treatment: Treat according to symptoms (decontamination, vital functions), no known specific antidote.

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## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media:

dry powder, foam, water spray

Unsuitable extinguishing media for safety reasons:

carbon dioxide

Specific hazards:

carbon monoxide, hydrogen sulphide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides

The substances/groups of substances mentioned can be released in case of fire.

Special protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical-protective clothing.

Further information:

Keep containers cool by spraying with water if exposed to fire. In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Collect contaminated extinguishing water separately, do not allow to reach sewage or effluent systems. Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

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## 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions:

Avoid dust formation. Use personal protective clothing. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental precautions:

Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil. Do not discharge into drains/surface waters/groundwater.

Methods for cleaning up or taking up:

For small amounts: Contain with dust binding material and dispose of.

For large amounts: Sweep/shovel up.

Avoid raising dust. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations. Collect waste in suitable containers, which can be labeled and sealed. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly with water and detergents, observing environmental regulations.

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## 7. Handling and Storage

### Handling

No special measures necessary if stored and handled correctly. Ensure thorough ventilation of stores and work areas. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Avoid dust formation. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Prevent electrostatic charge - sources of ignition should be kept well clear - fire extinguishers should be kept handy.

### Storage

Segregate from foods and animal feeds.

Further information on storage conditions: Keep away from heat. Protect against moisture. Protect from direct sunlight.

Protect from temperatures above: 30 °C

Changes in the properties of the product may occur if substance/product is stored above indicated temperature for extended periods of time.

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## 8. Exposure controls and personal protection

### Components with occupational exposure limits

| No occupational exposure limits known.

### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Respiratory protection not required.

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves

Eye protection:

Eye protection not required.

Body protection:

Body protection not required.

**General safety and hygiene measures:**

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. In order to prevent contamination while handling, closed working clothes and working gloves should be used. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g. pinhole leaks). Before eating, drinking, or smoking, wash face and hands with soap and water.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Form:	granules	
Colour:	brown	
Odour:	moderate odour, smoky	
Odour threshold:	Not determined due to potential health hazard by inhalation.	
pH value:	approx. 5 - 7 (CIPAC standard water D, 10 g/l, 20 °C)	
Melting temperature:	approx. 156 °C The data given are those of the active ingredient.	
Boiling point:	The substance / product decomposes therefore not determined.	
Flash point:	not applicable	
Evaporation rate:	not applicable	
Flammability (solid/gas):	not highly flammable	(Regulation 440/2008/EC, A.10)
Lower explosion limit:	150 g/m <sup>3</sup>	(VDI 2263)
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.	
Thermal decomposition:	150 °C , 20 kJ/kg	(DSC (OECD 113))
	235 °C , 20 kJ/kg	(DSC (OECD 113))
	325 °C , > 830 kJ/kg	(DSC (OECD 113))
Self ignition:	Not a substance liable to self-decomposition according to UN transport regulations, class 4.1. not self-igniting	(Method: Regulation 440/2008/EC, A.16)

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Self heating ability:	It is not a substance capable of spontaneous heating.	
Explosion hazard:	not explosive	(Regulation 440/2008/EC, A.14)
Fire promoting properties:	not fire-propagating	(Regulation 440/2008/EC, A.17)
Vapour pressure:	The value has not be determined because of the high melting point.	
Bulk density:	approx. 603 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (20 °C)	
Relative vapour density (air):	not applicable	
Solubility in water:	dispersible	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	not applicable	
Information on: metiram		
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Pow):	0.33	
	(pH value: 7)	
	1.9	
	(pH value: 5)	
	-0.37	
	(pH value: 9)	
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Viscosity, dynamic:	not applicable, the product is a solid	

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

Conditions to avoid:  
See MSDS section 7 - Handling and storage.

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Thermal decomposition:	325 °C, > 830 kJ/kg (DSC (OECD 113))
Thermal decomposition:	Not a substance liable to self-decomposition according to UN transport regulations, class 4.1.

Substances to avoid:  
strong bases, strong acids, strong oxidizing agents

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

Hazardous decomposition products:

No hazardous decomposition products if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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## 11. Toxicological Information

### Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity:

Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation.

Experimental/calculated data:

LD50 rat (oral): > 5,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 401)

LC50 rat (by inhalation): > 2.71 mg/l 4 h (OECD Guideline 403)

No mortality was observed. An aerosol was tested.

LD50 rat (dermal): > 2,000 mg/kg (OECD Guideline 402)

No mortality was observed.

### Irritation

Assessment of irritating effects:

Not irritating to the eyes. Not irritating to the skin.

Experimental/calculated data:

Skin corrosion/irritation rabbit: (OECD Guideline 404)

Serious eye damage/irritation rabbit: (OECD Guideline 405)

### Respiratory/Skin sensitization

Assessment of sensitization:

Sensitization after skin contact possible.

Experimental/calculated data:

modified Buehler test guinea pig: (OECD Guideline 406)

### Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment of mutagenicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. Mutagenicity tests revealed no genotoxic potential.

### Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity:

The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components. The results of various animal studies gave no indication of a carcinogenic effect.

### 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.

**Developmental toxicity****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.

**Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure):****Assessment of STOT single:**

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

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

**Repeated dose toxicity and Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)****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:

Damages the skeletal muscle.  
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**Aspiration hazard**

No aspiration hazard expected.

**Other relevant toxicity information**

Misuse can be harmful to health.

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**12. Ecological Information****Ecotoxicity****Assessment of aquatic toxicity:**

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Toxicity to fish:**

LC50 (96 h) 0.473 mg/l, *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (OPP 72-1 (EPA-Guideline), Flow through.)

**Aquatic invertebrates:**

EC50 (48 h) 0.821 mg/l, *Daphnia magna* (Directive 79/831/EEC, semistatic)



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Aquatic plants:

EC50 (72 h) 0.157 mg/l (growth rate), algae (OECD Guideline 201, static)

No observed effect concentration (72 h) 0.002 mg/l (growth rate), algae (OECD Guideline 201)

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No observed effect concentration (28 d) 0.0236 mg/l, *Oncorhynchus mykiss*

Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:

No observed effect concentration (21 d), 0.00437 mg/l, *Daphnia magna*

### **Mobility**

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

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

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Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

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

### **Persistence and degradability**

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H<sub>2</sub>O):

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

Information on: metiram

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H<sub>2</sub>O):

According to OECD criteria the product is not readily biodegradable but inherently biodegradable.

### **Bioaccumulation potential**

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

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

Information on: metiram

Bioaccumulation potential:

Because of the n-octanol/water distribution coefficient (log Pow) accumulation in organisms is not to be expected.

### **Additional information**

Other ecotoxicological advice:

Do not discharge product into the environment without control.

### 13. Disposal Considerations

Must be sent to a suitable incineration plant, observing local regulations.

Contaminated packaging:  
Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and disposed of in the same manner as the substance/product.

### 14. Transport Information

#### Domestic transport:

Hazard class: 9  
Packing group: III  
ID number: UN 3077  
Hazard label: 9, EHSM  
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.  
(contains METIRAM)

#### Further information

Hazchem Code:2Z  
IERG Number:47

#### Sea transport

IMDG

Hazard class: 9  
Packing group: III  
ID number: UN 3077  
Hazard label: 9, EHSM  
Marine pollutant: YES  
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.  
(contains METIRAM)

#### Air transport

IATA/ICAO

Hazard class: 9  
Packing group: III  
ID number: UN 3077  
Hazard label: 9, EHSM  
Proper shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.  
(contains METIRAM)

#### Further information

Environmentally Hazardous Substances meeting the description of UN 3077 or UN 3082 are not subjected to the Australian Dangerous Goods Code when transported by road or rail in packagings not exceeding 500 kg(L) or IBCs.

## 15. Regulatory Information

### Other regulations

If other regulatory information applies that is not already provided elsewhere in this safety data sheet, then it is described in this subsection.

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

### **Registration status:**

AICS, AU released / listed  
APVMA Approval 30467

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## 16. Other Information

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