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**In Case of Emergency, Call**  
**1-800-888-8372**

**1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name: **BARRICADE 4FL HERBICIDE** Product No.: A12333D  
 EPA Signal Word: Caution  
 Active Ingredient(%): Prodiamine (40.7%) CAS No.: 29091-21-2  
 Chemical Name: N3,N3-Di-n-propyl-2,4-dinitro-6-(trifluoromethyl)-m-phenylenediamine  
 Chemical Class: Dinitroaniline Herbicide  
 EPA Registration Number(s): 100-1139 **Section(s) Revised: All sections**

**2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Material	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	Other	NTP/IARC/OSHA Carcinogen
Propylene Glycol	Not Established	Not Established	50 ppm TWA AIHA WEEL ****	No
Attapulgate Clay	Not Established	Not Established	Not Established	IARC Group 3
Crystalline Silica, Quartz	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> /(%SiO <sub>2</sub> +2) (respirable dust)	0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable silica)	Not Established	IARC Group 2A
Prodiamine (40.7%)	Not Established	Not Established	Not Established	No

\*\*\*\* Recommended by AIHA (American Industrial Hygiene Association)

Ingredients not precisely identified are proprietary or non-hazardous. Values are not product specifications.

**3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**
Symptoms of Acute Exposure

Causes mild eye and skin irritation. Allergic skin reactions are possible.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Can decompose at high temperatures forming toxic gases.

Physical Properties

Appearance: Yellow liquid  
 Odor: Weak odor of ammonia

Unusual Fire, Explosion and Reactivity Hazards

During a fire, irritating and possibly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

Have the product container, label or Material Safety Data Sheet with you when calling Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

Ingestion: If swallowed: Call Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have the person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so after calling 800-888-8372 or by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person.

- Eye Contact: If in eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Skin Contact: If on skin or clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Inhalation: If inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call Syngenta (800-888-8372), a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

#### Notes to Physician

There is no specific antidote if this product is ingested.

Treat symptomatically.

#### Medical Condition Likely to be Aggravated by Exposure

None known.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

### Fire and Explosion

Flash Point (Test Method):	> 212°F	
Flammable Limits (% in Air):	Lower: % Not Applicable	Upper: % Not Applicable
Autoignition Temperature:	Not Available	
Flammability:	Not Available	

### Unusual Fire, Explosion and Reactivity Hazards

During a fire, irritating and possibly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

### In Case of Fire

Use dry chemical, foam or CO<sub>2</sub> extinguishing media. Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus. Evacuate nonessential personnel from the area to prevent human exposure to fire, smoke, fumes or products of combustion. Prevent use of contaminated buildings, area, and equipment until decontaminated. Water runoff can cause environmental damage. If water is used to fight fire, dike and collect runoff.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### In Case of Spill or Leak

Control the spill at its source. Contain the spill to prevent it from spreading, contaminating soil, or entering sewage and drainage systems or any body of water. Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions outlined in Section 8. If a solid, sweep up material and place in a compatible disposal container. If a liquid, cover entire spill with absorbing material and place into compatible disposal container. Scrub area with hard water detergent (e.g. commercial products such as Tide, Joy, Spic and Span). Pick up wash liquid with additional absorbent and place into compatible disposal container. Once all material is cleaned up and placed in a disposal container, seal container and arrange for disposition.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store the material in a well-ventilated, secure area out of reach of children and domestic animals. Do not store food, beverages or tobacco products in the storage area. Prevent eating, drinking, tobacco use, and cosmetic application in areas where there is a potential for exposure to the material. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION ARE INTENDED FOR THE MANUFACTURE, FORMULATION, PACKAGING AND USE OF THIS PRODUCT.**

**FOR COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS AND/OR ON-FARM APPLICATIONS CONSULT THE PRODUCT LABEL.**

- Ingestion: Prevent eating, drinking, tobacco usage and cosmetic application in areas where there is a potential for exposure to the material. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

- Eye Contact: Where eye contact is likely, use chemical splash goggles. Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.
- Skin Contact: Where contact is likely, wear chemical-resistant (such as nitrile or butyl) gloves, coveralls, socks and chemical-resistant footwear. For overhead exposure, wear chemical-resistant headgear.
- Inhalation: Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below exposure limits. A NIOSH-certified combination air-purifying respirator with an N, P or R 95 or HE class filter and an organic vapor cartridge may be permissible under certain circumstances where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits. Protection provided by air-purifying respirators is limited. Use a pressure demand atmosphere-supplying respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, or under any other circumstances where air-purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Yellow liquid
Odor:	Weak odor of ammonia
Melting Point:	Not Available
Boiling Point:	Not Available
Specific Gravity/Density:	1.17 g/ml @ 68°F (20°C)
pH:	8 - 10(1% suspension in water)
<u>Solubility in H<sub>2</sub>O</u>	
Prodiamine:	0.013ppm @ 77°F (25°C)
<u>Vapor Pressure</u>	
Prodiamine:	1.0 x 10 <sup>(-6)</sup> mmHg @ 68°F (20°C)

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:	Stable under normal use and storage conditions.
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid:	Thermal, mechanical and electrical ignition sources.
Materials to Avoid:	Oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Can decompose at high temperatures forming toxic gases.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Toxicity/Irritation Studies (Finished Product)

Ingestion:	<u>Practically Non-Toxic</u>	
	Oral (LD50 Rat) :	> 5,000 mg/kg body weight
Dermal:	<u>Practically Non-Toxic</u>	
	Dermal (LD50 Rat) :	> 5,000 mg/kg body weight
Inhalation:	<u>Practically Non-Toxic</u>	
	Inhalation (LC50 Rat) :	> 2.55 mg/l air - 4 hours
Eye Contact:	Minimally Irritating (Rabbit)	
Skin Contact:	Slightly Irritating (Rabbit)	
Skin Sensitization:	Sensitizing (Guinea Pig)	

### Reproductive/Developmental Effects

Prodiamine:	Fetal toxicity at high dose levels (rats); developmental and maternal toxicity observed at 1g/kg/day.
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### Chronic/Subchronic Toxicity Studies

Prodiamine:	Liver (alteration and enlargement) and thyroid effects (hormone imbalances) at high dose levels (rats); decreased body weight gains.
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### Carcinogenicity

Prodiamine: Benign thyroid tumors (rat). None observed (mouse).

### Other Toxicity Information

Not Available

### Toxicity of Other Components

#### Attapulgite Clay

Listed as an IARC (Group 3) carcinogen not classifiable as human carcinogen (No Data Available) with limited animal evidence. Prolonged or repeated inhalation of dust may cause a disabling, progressive pulmonary fibrosis. Inhalation hazard may not exist in the liquid form. May cause eye irritation.

#### Propylene Glycol

Reported to cause central nervous system depression (anesthesia, dizziness, confusion), headache and nausea. Also, eye irritation may occur with lacrimation but no residual discomfort or injury. Prolonged contact to skin may cause mild to moderate irritation and possible allergic reactions. Chronic dietary exposure caused kidney and liver injury in experimental animals.

### Target Organs

#### Active Ingredients

Prodiamine: Liver, thyroid

#### Inert Ingredients

Attapulgite Clay: Respiratory tract, eye

Propylene Glycol: CNS, skin, eye, kidney, liver

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Summary of Effects

Prodiamine:

Highly toxic to fish and invertebrates. Practically non-toxic to birds and bees.

### Eco-Acute Toxicity

Prodiamine: Rainbow Trout 96-hour LC50 0.83 ppm  
Bluegill Sunfish 96-hour LC50 0.55 ppm  
Daphnia magna 48-hour LC50 0.66 ppm  
Bobwhite 8-day Dietary LC50 > 10,000 ppm  
Mallard 8-day Dietary LC50 > 10,000 ppm  
Bees LC50/EC50 > 100 ug/bee

### Eco-Chronic Toxicity

Prodiamine: Not Available

### Environmental Fate

Prodiamine:

No data available for the formulation. The information presented here is for the active ingredient, prodiamine. A thorough review of environmental information is not possible in this document. Stable in sterile water, in the dark at pH 5,7 and 9, but degrades rapidly in the light, in both water ( $t_{1/2} = 0.3$  hr @ pH 5.5) and soil ( $t_{1/2} = 50$  hr). Degradation in soil, in the dark is variable under aerobic conditions ( $t_{1/2} \sim 57 - 218$  d), more rapid under anaerobic conditions ( $t_{1/2} \sim 30$  d). Immobile in various soils ( $K_{oc} > 9000$ ). Bioaccumulation is high ( $BCF = 1300X$ , whole fish).

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Disposal

Do not reuse product containers. Dispose of product containers, waste containers, and residues according to local, state, and federal health and environmental regulations.

Characteristic Waste: Not Applicable

Listed Waste: Not Applicable

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT Classification

Not regulated by DOT.

### B/L Freight Classification

Herbicides, NOIBN

### Comments

International Transportation

Environmentally Hazardous Substance, Liquid, N.O.S. (prodiamine, 41%), Class 9, UN3082, PGIII, Marine Pollutant

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### EPCRA SARA Title III Classification

Section 311/312 Hazard Classes: Acute Health Hazard

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: Not Applicable

### California Proposition 65

Not Applicable

### CERCLA/SARA 302 Reportable Quantity (RQ)

None

### RCRA Hazardous Waste Classification (40 CFR 261)

Not Applicable

### TSCA Status

Exempt from TSCA, subject to FIFRA

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### NFPA Hazard Ratings

Health: 2  
Flammability: 1  
Instability: 0

### HMIS Hazard Ratings

Health: 2  
Flammability: 1  
Reactivity: 0

0	Minimal
1	Slight
2	Moderate
3	Serious
4	Extreme

For non-emergency questions about this product call:

1-800-334-9481

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