

## **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# PIRIGRO® 500WDG

## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE AND COMPANY

1.1 Identifiers

Product name: PiriGro® 500WDG

Other Name(s): 500g/kg pirimicarb in the form of a water dispersible granule.

1.2 Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Product Use: For aphid control in Fruit, Cereal, Vegetable and Flowering Crops.

1.3 Supplier contact details:

Company name: Grosafe Chemicals Limited

Address: 20 Jean Batten Drive Mt Maunganui, 3116

Telephone: 0800 220 002 Email: info@grosafe.co.nz

Emergency telephone number (24 hour) 0800 CHEMCALL (0800 243 622)

#### **SECTION 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

## 2.1 Classification of the substance

Hazardous substance according to Hazardous Substances and New Organisms (HSNO) Act 1996 HSNO Approval: HSR000703

**Hazard Classifications:** Acute oral toxicity Category 3, Acute inhalation toxicity Category 4, Skin sensitisation Category 1; Eye irritation Category 2, Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) Category 2, Hazardous to the aquatic environment acute Category 1, Hazardous to the aquatic environment chronic Category 1, Hazardous to terrestrial vertebrates, Hazardous to terrestrial invertebrates.

#### 2.2 Label elements:

## Pictograms:









Signal Word: DANGER

## **Hazard statements:**

H301 Toxic if swallowed. H332 Harmful if inhaled.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

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

H400 Very toxic to aquatic life



H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Hazardous to terrestrial vertebrates
Hazardous to terrestrial invertebrates

#### **Precautionary statements:**

Prevention

P102 Keep out of reach of children.

P103 Read label before use.

P260 Do not breathe dust, fumes, mist or vapours.

P264 Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

P280 Wear eye protection/face protection and protective gloves.

Response

P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P301 + P310 + IF SWALLOWED: IMMEDIATELY call the POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

P331

P330 Rinse mouth.

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

P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for

breathing.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P305 + P351 + IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

P338 present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P314 Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P391 Collect spillage.

Storage

P405 Store locked up.

Disposal

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

### Additional labelling statements required under Hazardous Substances (Labelling) Notice 2017

Do not apply directly into or onto water.

Take all reasonable steps to ensure that the substance does not cause any significant adverse effects to the environment beyond the application area

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Ingredients	CAS	Proportion %w/w
Pirimicarb	23103-98-2	50
Other ingredients that don't contribute to the hazard classifications of this product	-	50



## **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

## 4.1 Description of first aid measures

## **General Information:**

For advice, or if you feel unwell, call NATIONAL POISONS CENTRE (0800 POISON) for advice. Have product container or label at hand.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. IMMEDIATELY call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

**IF ON SKIN:** Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

**IF IN EYES:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

**IF INHALED:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

## Important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Poisoning produces effects associated with anticholinesterase activity which may include: Nausea Diarrhoea Vomiting.

## Medical attention and special treatment

Consider taking venous blood for determination of blood cholinesterase activity (use heparin tube). Administer atropine sulphate as antidote.

## SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

## 5.1 Suitable extinguishing media

Water fog, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical. Do not use direct jet of water.

### **5.2 Hazards from Combustion Products**

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

## 5.3 Specific hazards arising from this chemical

Do not allow washings to reach sewage or effluent systems. Keep containers cool with water spray.

#### 5.4 Precautions in connection with fire

Isolate fire area. Evacuate downwind. Firefighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk to of exposure to vapour or smoke. Keep containers cool by spraying with water. Do not breathe or contact smoke, gases or vapours generated. Contain all runoff.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Have this SDS available. In the event of an accidental spill, wear full protective clothing including respiratory, gloves and eye/face protection. Wash contaminated personal protective equipment and clothing, and dry before re-use.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent spillage from entering drains or waterways. If contamination of drains, streams, watercourses, etc. is unavoidable, advise the local water authority.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spilled material. Sweep up without generating dust and place in labelled containers for disposal. For small liquid spills, use absorbent material such as sand, soil, vermiculite and recover into labelled drums that can be sealed for safe disposal. For large liquid spills, recover liquid into labelled containers then absorb remaining liquid and transfer to drums for disposal. Clean area with water and detergent. Dispose of contaminated materials to approved landfill in accordance with local regulations.



## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Keep out of reach of children. Read the product label before use. Wear protective eye protection/face protection, protective gloves and protective clothing. Wash hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not breathe dust, fumes, mist or vapours. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage

Store locked up in the tightly closed, original container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Do not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. DO NOT store near foodstuffs, stock food or seed. It is recommended that storage is conducted in accordance with The New Zealand Standard for the Management of Agrichemicals (NZS 8409).

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

## 8.1 Occupational exposure limit values

No exposure limit established

### 8.2 Biological limit values

No exposure limits allocated.

## 8.3 Engineering controls

Use in well-ventilated areas only. Use local exhaust at all process locations. Ventilate all transport vehicles prior to unloading. Keep containers closed when not in use. Refer to relevant regulations for further information concerning ventilation requirements.

#### 8.4 Personal protective equipment (PPE)

The following Standards provide general advice regarding safety clothing and equipment: Respiratory equipment: **AS/NZS 1715**, Protective Gloves: **AS 2161**, Occupational Protective Clothing: **AS/NZS 4501**, Industrial Eye Protection: **AS1336** and **AS/NZS 1337**, Occupational Protective Footwear: **AS/NZS2210**.

**Eye/Face Protection:** Wear protective glasses, goggles or face shield when mixing or applying product. **Skin Protection:** Wear impervious gloves, coat, trousers, waterproof hat. Ensure all skin areas are covered. **Respirator:** Where product is being sprayed and a mist could be produced, a respirator should be worn. It should be fitted with a cartridge suitable for agricultural chemicals.

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance Off-white to brown granule

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Odour} & \mbox{No odour} \\ \mbox{Odour threshold} & \mbox{Not available} \\ \mbox{pH} & 6.0 - 9.0 \\ \mbox{Melting/Freezing Point} & 190 \ensuremath{^{\circ}\text{C}} \end{array}$ 

Boiling Point /Range Not available
Flash point Not available
Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits No data



Not available Vapour Pressure

Vapour density No data Relative density No data

Solubility Disperses in water.

Partition Co-efficient n-octanol/water No data No data Auto-ignition temperature No data Decomposition temperature No data Viscosity Particle characteristics No data

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### 10.1 Reactivity and stability

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling. Relatively stable in neutral, weakly acidic and weakly alkaline media.

#### 10.2 Conditions to Avoid

Do not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight.

#### 10.3 Incompatible materials

Explosives (class 1), oxidising gases, oxidising liquids, oxidising solids, organic peroxides.

#### 10.4 Hazardous decomposition products

Product is unlikely to decompose until heated to dryness. On further heating will emit unidentified toxic fumes.

### 10.5 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No information available.

## 10.6 Hazardous Polymerisation

No information available.

#### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 11.1 Health hazard information

The product is classified for health hazards according to an assessment of information on product components.

## 11.2 Toxicological information

Toxic if swallowed. Harmful if inhaled. Acute toxicity:

Not classified. **Aspiration hazard:** 

Respiratory or skin sensitisation: Classified as skin sensitiser.

Skin corrosion/irritation Not classified.

Serious eye damage/irritation Causes severe eye irritation.

Germ cell mutagenicity: No ingredients in product identified as presumed or suspected

mutagens.

Carcinogenicity No ingredients in product identified as presumed or suspected

carcinogens.

Reproductive toxicity No ingredients in product identified suspected of damaging fertility

or the unborn child.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single/repeated exposure

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated

exposure.

**Narcotic effects** Product contains no ingredient identified as causing narcotic

effects.



#### 11.3 Toxicological data

No data for formulated product.

### SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 12.1 Ecotoxicity

This product is classified as Hazardous to the aquatic environment acute Category 1, Hazardous to the aquatic environment chronic Category 1, Hazardous to terrestrial vertebrates, Hazardous to terrestrial invertebrates.

No data available for formulated product. The following data is for the active ingredient, pirimicarb tech.

**Aquatic life**: LC50 (96 hr) for rainbow trout is 79 mg/L, bluegill sunfish 55mg/L fathead minnows >100mg/L. EC50 (48hr) for daphnia is 0.017 mg/L. Algae EC50 (96 h) for Selenastrum sp. 140 mg/l.

Birds: Acute oral LD50 for mallard ducks 28.5, bobwhite quail 20.9 mg/kg

Bees: Not toxic to bees. LD50 (24H) oral 4µg/bee (tech); (contact) 53µg/bee (tech).

**Worms:** LC50 (14 d) >60 mg/kg

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Moderately persistent (pirimicarb). DT<sub>50</sub> (typical) 73.6.

#### 12.3 Mobility

Moderately mobile (pirimicarb).

## 12.4 Bioaccumulative Potential

Low potential (pirimicarb). BCF (I kg<sup>-1</sup>) 24.

#### 12.5 Other adverse effects

No data available for formulated product.

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1 Product Disposal

Dispose of this product only by using according to the label, or through a Chemical Recovery service or other licensed hazardous waste disposal facility.

## 13.2 Container Disposal

Triple rinse empty container and add rinsate to spray tank. Submit clean empty container to an Agrecovery® depot for recycling. Alternatively, puncture and dispose of at an approved landfill.

### 13.3 Precautions

Do not allow product or empty container to enter waterways.

#### 13.4 Disposal methods to avoid

Do not burn empty container. Do not allow product or empty container to enter waterways.

## **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMAITON**

#### **Road and Rail Transport:**

Classified as Dangerous Goods for the transport according to the New Zealand Standard NZS 5433:2012 Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land.

## Marine Transport (IMO/IMDG):

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea.

### Air Transport (ICAO/IATA):

Classified as Dangerous Good by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulation for transport by air.



UN Number: 2757

UN Proper Shipping Name: CARBAMATE PESTICIDE, SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S.

(PIRIMICARB 50%)

Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packing Group: III
Hazchem 2X

Special Precautions for User: Not available

IMDG Marine pollutant: Yes

Transport in Bulk: Not available

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Hazardous substance according to Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020.

Approval number: HSR000703

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Category 4, Skin sensitisation Category 1; Eye irritation Category 2, Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) Category 2, Hazardous to the aquatic environment acute Category 1, Hazardous to the aquatic environment chronic Category 1, Hazardous to terrestrial vertebrates, Hazardous to

terrestrial invertebrates.

HSW (HS) Regulations 2017 Trigger Quantity
Certified Handler Not required

Qualifications Qualifications needed for mixing or loading this

substance in preparation for application. Refer to Schedule 10 of the Hazardous Substances

(Hazardous Property Controls) Notice 2017.

Location Certificate100kgSignage Trigger Quantity (Schedule 3)100kgEmergency Response Plan (Schedule 5)100kgSecondary Containment (Schedule 16)100kg

Tracking (Schedule 26)

Tolerable Exposure Level (TEL)

None set

Environmental Exposure Level (EEL)

None set

International Agreements Not applicable

Additional controls

This product is restricted to workplaces only.

A person who applies this substance by a ground-based application method that is not listed in Table 2 of Schedule 10 of the Hazardous Substances (Hazardous Property Controls) Notice 2017 must have one of the qualifications listed in column 1 of the last

row of Table 2.

Additional information: Refer to HS Notices (www.epa.govt.nz) and HSW HS

Regulations (www.worksafe.govt.nz)

ACVM registration: Registered pursuant to the Agricultural Compounds

and Veterinary Medicines Act 1997; registration

number P010177.



## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

## 16.1 Date of preparation or last revision of SDS

SDS issued 03 September 2024

SDS supersedes N/A

Reason issued Initial SDS

#### **16.2 ABREVIATIONS**

ADI Acceptable Daily Intakes

**CAS number** Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number CCID Chemical Classification Identification Database

**EPA** Environmental Protection Authority **ErC**<sub>50</sub> Half maximal Effective Concentration

GHS Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

Hazchem Code Emergency action code of numbers and letters that provide information to

emergency services especially firefighters

**HSNO** Hazardous Substances and New Organisms

**HS** Health and Safety

**HSR** Hazardous Substances Register

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

**LC**<sub>50</sub> Median Lethal Concentration

LD<sub>50</sub> Median Lethal DoseSDS Safety Data Sheets

NOAEL No Observable Adverse Effect Level

NOEL
NO Observable Effect Level
NOS
Not otherwise specified
STEL
Short Term Exposure Limit
SWA
Safety Work Australia
TWA
Time-Weighted Average
UN Number
United Nations Number

## **16.3 REFERENCES**

Manufacturer information

EPA CCID and Approved Substance databases

University of Hertfordshire Pesticides Properties Database

#### **16.4 OTHER**

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