

### 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier** 

KELPIE® A-ZINE EASY FLOW 600 SC HERBICIDE

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restrictions on Use Agricultural herbicide.

**Details of Manufacturer or Importer** 

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

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This material is hazardous according to Safe Work Australia; HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL.

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Skin Sensitisation - Category 1

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) - Category 2

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Acute Aquatic Toxicity - Category 1 Chronic Aquatic Toxicity - Category 1

**SIGNAL WORD: WARNING** 







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### **Hazard Statement(s):**

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

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

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### **Precautionary Statement(s):**

#### Prevention:

P260 Do not breathe mist, vapours, spray.

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

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves / protective clothing / eye protection / face protection.

#### Response:

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

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

P321 Specific treatment (see First Aid Measures on Safety Data Sheet).

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

P314 Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

P391 Collect spillage.

### Storage:

No storage statements.

#### Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national, international regulations.

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP): S5 Caution.

### 3. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS Number	Proportion	Hazard Codes
Atrazine	1912-24-9	618.65 g/L	H317 H373 H400 H410
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	<10%	-
Other component(s)	-	to 100%	-

## 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 131 126; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

### Inhalation:

Remove victim from area of exposure - avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. Keep at rest until fully recovered. Seek medical advice if effects persist.

### **Skin Contact:**

If skin or hair contact occurs, immediately remove any contaminated clothing and wash skin and hair thoroughly with running water and soap. If swelling, redness, blistering or irritation occurs seek medical assistance.

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### **Eye Contact:**

If in eyes, wash out immediately with water. In all cases of eye contamination it is a sensible precaution to seek medical advice.

### Ingestion:

Rinse mouth with water. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water. Seek immediate medical assistance.

### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Not combustible, however, if material is involved in a fire use: Alcohol resistant foam is the preferred firefighting medium but, if it is not available, normal protein foam can be used.

Hazchem or Emergency Action Code: · 3Z

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical:

Non-combustible material. Environmentally hazardous.

## Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters:

Decomposes on heating emitting toxic fumes. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to products of decomposition. Prevent run off of fire water to avoid contaminating waterways.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### **Emergency procedures/Environmental precautions:**

Isolate spill or leak area immediately. Clear area of all unprotected personnel. Do not allow container or product to get into drains, sewers, streams or ponds. If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

Personal precautions/Protective equipment/Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contact and breathing in vapours. Work up wind or increase ventilation. Contain - prevent run off into drains and waterways. Use absorbent (soil, sand or other inert material). Collect and seal in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal. After cleaning, flush away any residual traces with water. Collect contaminated rinse water, do not allow to reach sewage or effluent systems.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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This material is a Scheduled Poison S5 and must be stored, maintained and used in accordance with the relevant regulations.

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### Precautions for safe handling:

Avoid skin and eye contact and breathing in vapour, mists and aerosols. Thoroughly clean equipment after use. Keep out of reach of children. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Store in the closed, original container in a well-ventilated area, as cool as possible and away from children, animals, food, feedstuffs, seed and fertilisers. Do not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10. Keep containers closed when not in use - check regularly for leaks.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Control Parameters:** No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia. However, Workplace Exposure Standard(s) for constituent(s):

Atrazine: 8hr TWA = 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Propane-1,2-diol (propylene glycol) (total: vapour & particulates): 8hr TWA = 474 mg/m³ (150 ppm); (particulates

only):  $8hr TWA = 10 mg/m^3$ 

As published by Safe Work Australia Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week.

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

### Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure ventilation is adequate and that air concentrations of components are controlled below quoted Workplace Exposure Standards. Keep containers closed when not in use.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to determine the minimum PPE requirements.

# Individual protection measures, such as Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, SAFETY GLASSES, GLOVES.







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Wear overalls, safety glasses and impervious gloves. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a suitable mist respirator meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state: Opaque Liquid

Colour: White Odour: Mild

Solubility: Forms a suspension in water.

Specific Gravity: 1.132

Relative Vapour Density (air=1):
Vapour Pressure (20 °C):
Flash Point (°C):
Flammability Limits (%):
Autoignition Temperature (°C):
Not available
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not available

pH: 4.8

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** Non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions of use.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions:

None known. Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Avoid exposure to light.

**Incompatible materials:** Incompatible with strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidising agents.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products:

Oxides of carbon. Oxides of nitrogen.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the

product label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Ingestion:** Swallowing can result in nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea, and gastrointestinal

irritation.

**Eye contact:** May be an eye irritant.

**Skin contact:** Contact with skin may result in irritation. A skin sensitiser. Repeated or prolonged

skin contact may lead to allergic contact dermatitis.

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**Inhalation:** Breathing in mists or aerosols may produce respiratory irritation.

**Acute toxicity:** No LD50 data available for the product. However, for the active constituent:

Oral LD50 (rat): 672-3090 mg/kg
Dermal LD50 (rat): >12500 mg/kg
Inhalation LC50 (rat): 5200 mg/m³/4hr

Skin corrosion/irritation:
Serious eye damage/irritation:
Respiratory or skin

No information available.
No information available.
A skin sensitiser (guinea pig).

sensitisation:

**Chronic effects:** 

Mutagenicity: No information available.

Carcinogenicity: Atrazine has been classified by the International Agency for Research on Cancer

(IARC) as a Group 3 agent. Group 3 - The agent is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans. Data available is insufficient for an assessment to be

made

**Reproductive toxicity:** No information available. **Specific Target Organ Toxicity** No information available.

(STOT) - single exposure:

Specific Target Organ Toxicity May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

(STOT) - repeated exposure:

**Aspiration hazard:** No information available.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** Avoid contaminating waterways.

Persistence/degradability: Persists in the soil.

**Bioaccumulative potential:** Has the potential to bioaccumulate.

**Mobility in soil:** No information available.

**Aquatic toxicity:** Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods:

Triple or preferably pressure rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to spray tank. Do not dispose of undiluted chemicals on site.

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 to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury the empty 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.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods **Transport Hazard Class:** 

**Packing Group:** 

**Proper Shipping Name or** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (CONTAINS

**Technical Name:** ATRAZINE)

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Code:

### **Marine Transport**

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

UN No: 3082

**Transport Hazard Class:** 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods

Packing Group: Ш

**Proper Shipping Name or** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (CONTAINS

**Technical Name:** ATRAZINE)

F-A IMDG EMS Fire: S-F IMDG EMS Spill: **Marine Pollutant** Yes

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### **Air Transport**

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**UN No:** 3082

Transport Hazard Class: 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods

Packing Group:

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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### Reason(s) for Issue:

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