

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

EMERGENCY CALL: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)



## 1. IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** Alligare Tebuthiuron 20 P

**DESCRIPTION:** A granular herbicide.

**EPA Reg. No.:** 81927-41

**COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:**

**Alligare, LLC**

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## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION



**WARNING**

Harmful if swallowed

Harmful if inhaled

Harmful in contact with skin

Causes eye irritation

## 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>Composition</u>
Tebuthiuron	N-[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl]-N-N'-dimethylurea]	34014-18-1	20.0%

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-424-9300 for emergency medical treatment information.

**IF INHALED:** Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor if you feel unwell.

**IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a doctor or poison control center if you feel unwell.

**IF SWALLOWED:** Immediately call a doctor or poison control center. Do not give any liquid to the person. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**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.

## 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

**Flash Point (PMA-4):** N/A

**Flammable Limits (LFL-UFL):** Not flammable

**Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Not a fire or explosion hazard.

**Extinguishing Medium:** Water fog, foam, dry chemical, or CO<sub>2</sub>.

**Fire Fighting Instructions:** Evacuate nonessential personnel to prevent exposure to fire, smoke, fumes or products of combustion. Prevent use of contaminated buildings, area and equipment until decontaminated. Dike and collect any runoff to prevent entry to drains or water bodies.

**Fire Fighting Equipment:** Firefighters should be equipped with self-contained positive pressure breathing apparatus and turnout gear.

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Thermal decomposition will produce nitrogen oxide, sulfur oxides, carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>), and aniline.

**NFPA Ratings:** Health – 1 / Flammability – 1 / Reactivity - 0

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Clean up spills immediately observing the precautions in Section 8 of this SDS. Control spill at the source and prevent material from entering soil, sewers, waterways or low areas. Recover materials for reuse or disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling:** Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wear long sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes, socks, and chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material when handling or applying this product.

**Storage:** The herbicidal properties of this product require caution in handling, storage, and transportation of this product. Store in original container only.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Engineering Controls:** Handle only with adequate ventilation. Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash station and a safety shower.

**Protective Clothing:** Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes, socks, chemical resistant gloves and protective eyewear.

**General:** Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Wash clothing and other absorbent materials that have been exposed to this product. Follow the manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Appearance:** Gray / Brown Granules

**Odor:** None

**pH:** 8.0 – 9.0

**Solubility:** Dispersible

**Bulk Density:** 0.655 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (40.9 lbs/ft<sup>3</sup>)

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Heat, flame and extreme temperatures.

**CHEMICAL STABILITY:** Stable under normal use and storage conditions.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** May release nitrogen oxide, sulfur oxides, carbon oxides (CO and CO<sub>2</sub>) and aniline when thermally decomposed.

**INCOMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER MATERIALS:** None Known.

**POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ORAL TOXICITY (rat LD<sub>50</sub>):** 644 mg/kg

**DERMAL TOXICITY (rat LD<sub>50</sub>):** > 5,000 mg/kg

**INHALATION TOXICITY (rat LC<sub>50</sub>):** 3.7 mg/L (4-hour)

**EYE IRRITATION:** Rabbit – Moderately irritating

**SKIN IRRITATION:** Rabbit – Non-irritating

**SKIN SENSITIZATION:** Guinea Pig – Not a contact sensitizer.

### **CARCINOGENICITY:**

**EPA:** Not Listed

**ACGIH:** Not Listed

**IARC:** Not Listed

**NTP:** Not Listed

**OSHA:** Not Listed

**MUTAGENIC TOXICITY:** No evidence of mutagenic effects during *in vivo* or *in vitro* studies.

**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY:** No evidence in animal studies.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product is known to leach through soil into ground water under certain conditions as a result of registered (rangeland and non-crop) uses. Use of this product in areas where soils have rapid to very rapid permeability, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in ground water contamination.

**The following information is for the active ingredient, Tebuthiuron:**

### **AQUATIC TOXICITY**

Rainbow Trout (96-hr LC<sub>50</sub>): 144 mg/L

Bluegill (96-hr LC<sub>50</sub>): 112 mg/L

Daphnia (48-hr EC<sub>50</sub>): 297 mg/L

Algae (72-hr EC<sub>50</sub>): < 0.1 L

### **AVIAN TOXICITY**

Bobwhite Quail (Oral LD<sub>50</sub>): > 500 mg/kg

### **OTHER**

Bees (LD<sub>50</sub>): Not toxic to bees.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Do not contaminate water, food or feed by disposal.**

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Open dumping is prohibited. Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Nonrefillable container, do not reuse or refill this container. Refer to product label for specific container disposal instructions.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### **US DOT:**

Not regulated by DOT.

### **IATA (Shipped by Air):**

Not classified as a Dangerous Good under IATA.

### **IMO (Shipped by Water):**

Not classified as a Dangerous Good under IMO.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### FIFRA –

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. The following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

##### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION.** Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and/or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

See inside label booklet for additional Precautionary Statements and Directions for Use including Storage and Disposal instructions.

##### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not use Alligare Tebuthiuron 20 P herbicide in any area where desirable species are in the vicinity of the plants to be controlled. A small amount of Alligare Tebuthiuron 20 P in contact with the roots of desirable trees or other woody species may cause severe injury or death. The roots of such plants may extend far beyond their drip lines.

Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

**Ground Water Advisory:** This product is known to leach through soil into ground water under certain conditions as a result of registered (rangeland and non-crop) uses. Use of this product in areas where soils have rapid to very rapid permeability, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in ground water contamination.

All pesticides are governed under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA). The regulatory information presented below is pertinent only when this product is handled outside of the normal use and application as a pesticide. This product is excluded from listing requirements under EPATSCA.

#### SARA Title III – Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances

Not listed

#### SARA Title III – Section 311/312 Hazard Categories

Immediate

#### SARA Title III – Section 312 Threshold Planning Quantity

N/A

#### SARA Title III – Section 313 Reportable Ingredients

Tebuthiuron (CAS #34014-18-1): 20.0%

#### CERCLA –

None

#### CALIFORNIA PROP 65 STATUS –

This product does not contain any chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

#### CANADA –

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all of the information required by CPR.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

THIS INFORMATION IN THIS SDS IS BASED ON DATA AVAILABLE AS OF THE REVISION DATE GIVEN HEREIN, AND BELIEVED TO BE CORRECT. CONTACT ALLIGARE, LLC TO CONFIRM IF YOU HAVE THE MOST CURRENT MSDS. JUDGMENTS AS TO THE SUITABILITY OF THE INFORMATION HEREIN FOR THE INDIVIDUAL'S OWN USE OR PURPOSES IS NECESSARILY THE INDIVIDUAL'S OWN RESPONSIBILITY. ALTHOUGH REASONABLE CARE HAS BEEN TAKEN IN THE PREPARATION OF SUCH INFORMATION, ALLIGARE, LLC EXTENDS NO WARRANTIES, MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS, AND ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY AS TO THE ACCURACY OR SUITABILITY OF SUCH INFORMATION FOR APPLICATION TO THE INDIVIDUAL'S PURPOSES OR THE CONSEQUENCES OF ITS USE.

This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) serves different purposes than and DOES NOT REPLACE OR MODIFY THE EPA APPROVED PRODUCT LABELING (attached to and accompanying the product container). This SDS provides important health, safety, and environmental information for employers, employees, emergency responders and others handling large quantities of the product in activities generally other than product use, while the labeling provides that information specifically for product use in the ordinary course.

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