

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Champ® Formula 2 Flowable

EPA Reg. No.: 55146-64

Product Type: Fungicide/Bactericide

Company Name: Nufarm Inc.

11901 S. Austin Avenue

Alsip, IL 60803 1-800-345-3330

Telephone Numbers: For Chemical Emergency, Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident,

Call CHEMTREC Day or Night: 1-800-424-9300 For Medical Emergencies Only, Call 1-877-325-1840

This product is an EPA FIFRA registered pesticide. Some classifications on this SDS are not exactly the same as on the FIFRA label. Certain sections are superseded by federal law governed by EPA for a registered pesticide. Please see Section 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION for explanation.

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

PHYSICAL HAZARDS

None

HEALTH HAZARDS:

Acute toxicity, inhalation

Category 4

Skin irritation

Eye irritation

Specific target organ toxicity – Repeated exposure

Category 2

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ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:

Hazardous to aquatic environment, acute

Category 1

Hazardous to aquatic environment, chronic

Category 1

SIGNAL WORD:

WARNING

HAZARD STATEMENTS:

Harmful if inhaled. Causes skin irritation. Causes eye irritation. May cause damage to organs (upper respiratory tract, liver, and kidney) through prolonged or repeated exposure. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.







PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:

Do not breathe vapor/mist/spray. Use only outdoors or in well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

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.

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Avoid unintended release to the environment. Collect spillage.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

COMPONENTS	CAS NO.	% BY WEIGHT
Copper hydroxide	20427-59-2	41.3 - 43.7
Trisodium phosphate	7601-54-9	0.9 - 1.1
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	5.7 - 6.3
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	0.7 - 0.9
Other Ingredients	Trade Secret	Trade Secret

Synonyms: Copper Hydrate, Cupric Hydroxide

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

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If in Eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If Swallowed: Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. 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 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 for further treatment advice.

If on Skin or Clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Most Important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed: May cause mild eye irritation. May cause slight skin irritation.

Indication of Immediate medical attention and special treatment if needed, if necessary: Respiratory distress, itchy skin, skin or eye irritation.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media suitable for surrounding materials. Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foam, water spray or fog.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Firefighters should wear NIOSH/MSHA approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turn out gear. Dike area to prevent runoff and contamination of None

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: If water is used to fight fire, contain runoff, using dikes to prevent contamination of water supplies. Dispose of fire control water later.

Hazardous Decomposition Materials (Under Fire Conditions): Decomposes to CuO and water above 140°F (60°C).

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions: Wear appropriate protective gear for the situation. See Personal Protection information in Section 8.

Environmental Precautions: Prevent material from entering public sewer systems or any waterways. Do not flush to drain. Large spills to soil or similar surfaces may necessitate removal of topsoil. The affected area should be removed and placed in an appropriate container for disposal.

Methods for Containment: Dike spill using absorbent or impervious materials such as earth, sand or clay. Collect and contain contaminated absorbent and dike material for disposal.

Methods for Cleanup and Disposal: Avoid creation of dusty conditions. Scrape up and place in appropriate closed container. Wash entire spill area with a detergent slurry, absorb and sweep into container for disposal. Decontaminate tools and equipment following cleanup. See Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS for more information.

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Other Information: Large spills may be reportable to the National Response Center (800-424-8802) and to state and/or local agencies.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING: Do not get in eyes or on clothing or skin. Users should wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove clothing/Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Remove Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

STORAGE: Store in a cool dry place. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls:

Where engineering controls are indicated by specific use conditions or a potential for excessive exposure, use local exhaust ventilation at the point of generation.

Eye/Face Protection: To avoid contact with eyes, wear chemical goggles or shielded safety glasses. An emergency eyewash or water supply should be readily accessible to the work area.

Skin Protection: To avoid contact with skin, wear long pants, long-sleeved shirt, socks and shoes. An emergency shower or water supply should be readily accessible to the work area.

Respiratory Protection: Not normally required. If vapors or mists exceed acceptable levels, wear NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with cartridges/canisters approved for use against pesticides.

General Hygiene Considerations: Personal hygiene is an important work practice exposure control measure and the following general measures should be taken when working with or handling this material: 1) do not store, use and/or consume foods, beverages, tobacco products, or cosmetics in areas where this material is stored; 2) wash hands and face carefully before eating, drinking, using tobacco, applying cosmetics or using the toilet.

Exposure Guidelines:

OSHA		HA	AC	GIH	
Component	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	Unit
Copper hydroxide	1*	NE	1*	NE	mg/m³
Trisodium phosphate	NE	5 (WEEL)	NE	NE	mg/m ³
Propylene glycol	10 (WEEL)	NE	NE	NE	mg/m³
Sodium hydroxide	2	NE	NE	2 (C)	mg/m³
Other Ingredients	NE	NE	NE	NE	

^{*}As copper dusts or mists (CAS No. 7440-50-8)

NE = Not Established

WEEL = Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

C = Ceiling

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Light blue liquid Odor: Light odor

Odor threshold:

No data available

pH: 8.58

Melting point/freezing point: No data available Initial boiling point and boiling range No data available Flash point: >225°F (107°C) **Evaporation rate:** No data available Flammability (solid, gas): No data available Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: No data available Vapor pressure: No data available Vapor density: No data available Relative density: 1.43 g/cm³ Dispersible Solubility(ies): Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: No data available

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Autoignition temperature:No data availableDecomposition temperature:No data availableViscosity:No data available

Note: Physical data are typical values, but may vary from sample to sample. A typical value should not be construed as a guaranteed analysis or as a specification.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Not reactive.

Chemical Stability: This material is stable under normal handling and storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Excessive heat. **Incompatible Materials:** Acids and sulfur.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Decomposes to CuO and water above 140°F (60°C).

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure: Dermal, inhalation

Symptoms of Exposure:

Eye Contact: Mildly irritating based on toxicity studies.

Skin Contact: Minimally toxic and slightly irritating based on toxicity studies.

Ingestion: Slightly toxic if ingested based on toxicity studies. **Inhalation:** Low inhalation toxicity based on toxicity studies.

Delayed, immediate and chronic effects of exposure: None reported.

Toxicological Data:

Data from laboratory studies conducted are summarized below:

Oral: Rat LD₅₀: > 2,000 mg/kg (females) **Dermal:** Rat LD₅₀: >5,000 mg/kg **Inhalation:** Rat 4-hr LC₅₀: >2.06 mg/L **Eye Irritation:** Rabbit: Mildly irritating

Skin Irritation: Rabbit: Slightly irritating (PDII = 0.7)

Skin Sensitization: Not a contact sensitizer in guinea pigs following repeated skin exposure.

Subchronic (Target Organ) Effects: Repeated ingestion of copper salts may result in anemia, liver, and kidney damage. Chronic inhalation exposure may cause a metallic taste in the mouth, irritation of the upper respiratory tract such as the nasal mucosa that may progress to perforation of the nasal septum. Chronic cough may also occur. Copper hydroxide, which comprises 37.5% of this product, governs the toxicity of the product. The remaining components have low to negligible toxicity.

Carcinogenicity / **Chronic Health Effects:** Low chronic toxicity unless excessive exposure is encountered. Excessive exposure to copper by inhalation may result in irritation of the upper respiratory tract which, if severe, may lead to perforation of the nasal septum after long periods of exposure.

Reproductive Toxicity: Copper hydroxide is not known to exhibit reproductive effects.

Developmental Toxicity: Copper hydroxide is not known to exhibit teratogenic (birth defect) effects.

Genotoxicity: There was no evidence of mutagenicity in *in vitro* and *in vivo* studies. **Assessment of Carcinogenicity:** None listed with ACGIH, IARC, NTP or OSHA.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:

Data on Copper Hydroxide:

96-hour LC_{50} Bluegill: 180 mg/l Bobwhite Quail Oral LC_{50} : >3400 mg/kg 96-hour LC_{50} Rainbow Trout: 0.023 mg/l Mallard Duck 8-day Dietary LD_{50} : >10,000 ppm

48-hour EC₅₀ Daphnia: 0.0065 mg/l

Environmental Fate:

Copper is a chemical element and therefore cannot be degraded or transformed into related metabolites. The degree of mobility of copper in the environment depends upon the pH of ambient soils and waters. The higher the

acidity, the more soluble copper salts are and, hence, the more mobile. Partitioning of copper into the air is negligible due to the low vapor pressure of copper salts.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method:

Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office for guidance.

Container Handling and Disposal:

Nonrefillable Containers 5 Gallons or Less: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. **Triple rinse as follows:** Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities. Plastic containers are also disposable by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke

Nonrefillable containers larger than 5 gallons: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container 1/4 full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times. Pressure rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and continue to drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Hold container upside down over application equipment or mix tank or collect rinsate for later use or disposal. Insert pressure-rinsing nozzle in the side of the container, and rinse at about 40 psi for at least 30 seconds. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Then offer for recycling if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities. Plastic containers are also disposable by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

Refillable containers: Refillable container. Refill this container with pesticide only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller. To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container about 10% full with water. Agitate vigorously or recirculate water with the pump for two minutes. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

<u>DOT</u>

< 119 gallons per completed package:

Not regulated by DOT unless shipped by water. See IMO / IMDG description.

≥ 119 gallons per completed package:

UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s., (Copper Hydroxide), 9, III, Marine Pollutant

IMO / IMDG

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IATA

Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

EPA FIFRA INFORMATION

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the United States 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 (SDS), and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. The hazard information required on the pesticide label is reproduced below. The pesticide label also includes other important information, including directions for use.

WARNING. Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Harmful if swallowed.

U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS

TSCA Inventory: This product is exempted from TSCA because it is solely for FIFRA regulated use.

SARA Hazard Notification/Reporting:

Hazard Categories Under Criteria of SARA Title III Rules (40 CFR Part 370):

Immediate and delayed

Section 313 Toxic Chemical(s):

None

Reportable Quantity (RQ) under U.S. CERCLA:

Trisodium phosphate (CAS No. 7601-54-9) 500 lb

Sodium hydroxide (CAS No. 1310-73-2) 1,000 pounds

RCRA Waste Code:

Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the product user to determine at the time of disposal, whether a material containing the product or derived from the product should be classified as a hazardous waste.

State Information:

Other state regulations may apply. Check individual state requirements.

California Proposition 65: Not Listed.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Hazard Rating:

Rating for this product: Health: 2 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 0

Hazards Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe

This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) serves different purposes than and DOES NOT REPLACE OR MODIFY THE EPA-ACCEPTED 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.

Use, storage and disposal of pesticide products are regulated by the EPA under the authority of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) through the product labeling, and all necessary and appropriate precautionary, use, storage, and disposal information is set forth on that labeling. It is a violation of Federal law to use a pesticide product in any manner not prescribed on the EPA-accepted label.

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