

SAFETY DATA SHEET
TALSTAR® PROFESSIONAL INSECTICIDE

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name TALSTAR® PROFESSIONAL INSECTICIDE

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) 1349-A

Synonyms BIFENTHRIN: (2-methyl[1,1'-biphenyl]-3-yl)methyl (1R,3R)-rel-3-[(1Z)-2-chloro-3,3,3-trifluoro-1-propenyl]-2,2-dimethylcyclopropanecarboxylate (CAS name); 2-methyl-3-phenylbenzyl (1RS)-cis-3-(2-chloro-3,3,3-trifluoroprop-1-enyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclopropanecarboxylate (IUPAC name)

Active Ingredient(s) Bifenthrin

Chemical Family Pyrethroid Pesticide

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use: Insecticide

Restrictions on Use: Use as recommended by the label.

Supplier Address

FMC Corporation
2929 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, PA 19104
(215) 299-6000 (General Information)
msdsinfo@fmc.com (E-Mail General Information)

Emergency telephone number

For leak, fire, spill or accident emergencies, call:
1 800 / 424-9300 (CHEMTREC - U.S.A.)
1 703 / 741-5970 (CHEMTREC - International)
1 703 / 527-3887 (CHEMTREC - Alternate)
1 202 / 483-7616 (CHEMTREC - Alternate International)

Medical Emergencies:
1 800 / 331-3148 (U.S.A. & Canada)
1 651 / 632-6793 (All Other Countries - Collect)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)


Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Carcinogenicity	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 1

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Danger

Hazard Statements
 H302 - Harmful if swallowed
 H332 - Harmful if inhaled
 H351 - Suspected of causing cancer
 H370 - Causes damage to organs
 H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure



Precautionary Statements - Prevention

- P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
- P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
- P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
- P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response

- P308 + P311 - If exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor
- P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
- P312 - Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell
- P301 + P312 - IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell
- P330 - Rinse mouth

Precautionary Statements - Storage

- P405 - Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

- P501 - Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

No hazards not otherwise classified were identified.

Other Information

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Family Pyrethroid Pesticide.

Chemical name	CAS-No	Weight %
Bifenthrin	82657-04-3	7.9
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	= or <20

Synonyms are provided in Section 1.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact	Hold eyes 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 further treatment advice.
Skin Contact	Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
Ingestion	Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	Central nervous system effects.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary	Treat symptomatically. This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, the stomach and intestines should be evacuated. Treatment is symptomatic and supportive. Digestible fats, oils, or alcohol may increase absorption and so should be avoided.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO ₂). Dry powder. Water spray.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Avoid heavy hose streams.
Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical	None known
Explosion data	
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	No information available.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge	No information available.
Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions	Isolate and post spill area. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. For personal protection see section 8.
Other	For further clean-up instructions, call FMC Emergency Hotline number listed in Section 1 "Product and Company Identification" above.
Environmental Precautions	Keep people and animals away from and upwind of spill/leak. Keep material out of lakes, streams, ponds, and sewer drains.
Methods for Containment	Dike to prevent runoff. Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Clean and neutralize spill area, tools and equipment by washing with water and soap. Absorb rinsate and add to the collected waste. Waste must be classified and labeled prior to recycling or disposal. Dispose of waste as indicated in Section 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Do not contaminate other pesticides, fertilizers, water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

Storage Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Keep out of reach of children and animals. Store in original container.

Incompatible products None known

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Chemical name	British Columbia	Quebec	Ontario TWAEV	Alberta
Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	-	-	TWA: 10 mg/m ³ aerosol only TWA: 50 ppm aerosol and vapor TWA: 155 mg/m ³ aerosol and vapor	-

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering measures Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits. When working in confined spaces (tanks, containers, etc.), ensure that there is a supply of air suitable for breathing and wear the recommended equipment.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection This product does not cause significant eye irritation or eye toxicity requiring special protection. Where there is significant potential for eye contact, wear chemical goggles and have eye flushing equipment available.

Skin and Body Protection Wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants, socks, and shoes.

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Respiratory Protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Hygiene measures Clean water should be available for washing in case of eye or skin contamination. Wash skin prior to eating, drinking, chewing gum or using tobacco. Shower or bathe at the end of working. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Launder work clothing separately from regular household laundry.

General information If the product is used in mixtures, it is recommended that you contact the appropriate protective equipment suppliers.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Beige Liquid
Physical State	Liquid
Color	Beige
Odor	Mild
Odor threshold	No information available
pH	6.7
Melting point/freezing point	Not applicable
Boiling Point/Range	No information available
Flash point	Does not flash
Evaporation Rate	No information available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available
Flammability Limit in Air	
Upper flammability limit:	No information available
Lower flammability limit:	No information available
Vapor pressure	No information available
Vapor density	No information available
Relative density	8.53 lb/gal
Specific gravity	1.024 @ 20°C
Water solubility	Dispersible in water
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Viscosity, kinematic	No information available
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available
Molecular weight	No information available
Bulk density	8.53 lb/gal

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	None under normal use conditions
Chemical Stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	None under normal processing.
Hazardous polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Heat, flames and sparks.
Incompatible materials	None known.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Carbon oxides (COx), Hydrogen chloride, Hydrogen fluoride, Chlorine, fluorine.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Information

LD50 Oral	632 mg/kg (rat)
LD50 Dermal	> 2000 mg/kg (rabbit)
LC50 Inhalation	1.60 mg/L 4 hr (rat)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Practically non-irritating.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Non-irritating.
Sensitization	Non-sensitizing.

Chemical name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Bifenthrin (82657-04-3)	55 mg/kg (rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (rat)	0.8 mg/L (female, rat) 4 h
Propylene glycol (57-55-6)	20000 mg/kg (Rat)	20800 mg/kg (Rabbit)	

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms Large doses of bifenthrin ingested by laboratory animals produced signs of toxicity including convulsions, tremors and bloody nasal discharge.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic toxicity Bifenthrin: Long-term exposure caused neurotoxicity (tremors and impaired gait) in the early exposure in animal studies, but tremors disappeared with continued exposure.

Mutagenicity Bifenthrin: Not genotoxic in laboratory studies.

Carcinogenicity Bifenthrin: Weak treatment-related response for liver adenocarcinomas and benign bladder tumors (lesion) in male mice.

Neurological effects Bifenthrin: Causes clinical signs of neurotoxicity (tremors, impaired gait, excessive salivation) following acute or subchronic exposure. Tremors disappeared with continued exposure.

Reproductive toxicity Bifenthrin: No toxicity to reproduction in animal studies.

Developmental toxicity Bifenthrin: Not teratogenic in animal studies.

STOT - single exposure Causes damage to organs. See listed target organs below.

STOT - repeated exposure Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. See listed target organs below.

Target organ effects Bifenthrin: Central Nervous System.

Neurological effects Bifenthrin: Causes clinical signs of neurotoxicity (tremors, impaired gait, excessive salivation) following acute or subchronic exposure. Tremors disappeared with continued exposure.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Bifenthrin (82657-04-3)				
Active Ingredient(s)	Duration	Species	Value	Units
Bifenthrin	96 h LC50	Fish	0.1	µg/L
	72 h EC50	Algae	0.822	mg/L
	48 h EC50	Crustacea	0.11	µg/L
	21 d NOEC	Fish	0.012	µg/L
	21 d NOEC	Crustacea	0.0013	µg/L

Persistence and degradability Bifenthrin: Moderately persistent. Does not readily hydrolyze. Not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulation Bifenthrin: The substance has a potential for bioconcentration.

Mobility Bifenthrin: Immobile. Not expected to reach groundwater.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal methods Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is prohibited. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact appropriate disposal authorities for guidance. Proper personal protective equipment, as described in Sections 7 and 8, must be worn while handling materials for waste disposal.

Contaminated Packaging Containers must be disposed of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Refer to the product label for container disposal instructions.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT This material is not a hazardous material as defined by U.S. Department of Transportation at 49 CFR Parts 100 through 185.

TDG Classification below is only applicable when shipped by vessel and is not applicable when shipped by road or rail only.

UN/ID no UN3082
Proper Shipping Name Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s.
Hazard class 9
Packing Group III
Marine Pollutant Bifenthrin.
Description UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Bifenthrin), 9, III

ICAO/IATA

UN/ID no UN3082
Proper Shipping Name Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s.
Hazard class 9
Packing Group III
Description UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Bifenthrin), 9, III
Limited quantity 30 kg G

IMDG/IMO

UN/ID no UN3082
Proper Shipping Name Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s.
Hazard class 9
Packing Group III
EmS No. F-A, S-F
Marine Pollutant Bifenthrin
Description UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Bifenthrin), 9, III

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372:

Chemical name	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Bifenthrin - 82657-04-3	82657-04-3	7.9	1.0

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard Yes
Chronic health hazard Yes
Fire hazard No
Sudden release of pressure hazard No
Reactive Hazard No

Clean Water Act

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42):

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Sodium Hydroxide 1310-73-2	1000 lb			X

CERCLA

