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This SDS adheres to the standards and regulatory requirements of Canada and may not meet the regulatory requirements in other countries.

**SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : PINNACLE<sup>®</sup> SG Herbicide  
Tradename/Synonym : B11646126  
Thifensulfuron Methyl 50SG Herbicide  
DPX-M6316 50SG

MSDS Number : 130000000398

Product Use : Herbicide  
Manufacturer : E.I. du Pont Canada Company  
P.O. Box 2200, Streetsville  
Mississauga, ON  
L5M 2H3  
Canada

Product Information : 1-800-387-2122  
Medical Emergency : 1-800-441-3637 (24 hours)

**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Potential Health Effects

Skin

Thifensulfuron methyl : May cause skin irritation.  
May cause: Irritation with discomfort or pain, redness or rash, itching or swelling.

Eyes

Thifensulfuron methyl : May cause eye irritation.  
May cause: Tearing, redness, or discomfort.

Inhalation

Thifensulfuron methyl : May cause: Respiratory irritation, Discomfort, Cough.

Carcinogenicity

None of the components present in this material at concentrations equal to or greater than 0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, or OSHA, as a carcinogen.


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**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	CAS-No.	Concentration
Thifensulfuron methyl	79277-27-3	50 %
Other Ingredients		50 %

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

- Skin contact : Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- Eye contact : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.
- Inhalation : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.
- Ingestion : No specific intervention is indicated as the compound is not likely to be hazardous. Consult a physician if necessary.
- General advice : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

**SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

- Flammable Properties
- Flash point : Not applicable
- Lower explosion limit/ lower flammability limit : 0.1 - 0.25 g/l



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- Fire and Explosion Hazard : Under severe dusting conditions, this material may form explosive mixtures in air.
- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray, Dry chemical, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO2)
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : High volume water jet, (contamination risk)
- Firefighting Instructions : Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus. (on small fires) If area is heavily exposed to fire and if conditions permit, let fire burn itself out since water may increase the area contaminated. Cool containers/tanks with water spray. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

NOTE: Review FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES and HANDLING (PERSONNEL) sections before proceeding with clean-up. Use appropriate PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT during clean-up.

- Safeguards (Personnel) : Evacuate personnel, thoroughly ventilate area, use self-contained breathing apparatus. Use personal protective equipment.
- Spill Cleanup : Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. For minor spills, leaks, etc., follow all precautions indicated on the label and clean up immediately. Take special care to avoid contamination of equipment and facilities during cleanup procedures and disposal of wastes.
- Accidental Release Measures : Prevent material from entering sewers, waterways, or low areas. Never return spills in original containers for re-use. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

- Handling (Personnel) : Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove clothing/PPE immediately if material gets inside. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Remove personal protective equipment immediately after



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handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

Storage : Do not contaminate water, other pesticides, fertilizer, food or feed in storage. Store in original container. Store in a cool, dry place. Keep out of the reach of children.

**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Engineering controls : When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240 (d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS. IMPORTANT: When reduced PPE is worn because a closed system is being used, handlers must be provided all PPE specified for "Applicators and Other Handlers" and have such PPE immediately available for use in an emergency, such as a spill or equipment breakdown.

Personal protective equipment  
Skin and body protection : Applicators and other handlers must wear:  
Long sleeved shirt and long pants  
Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material  
Shoes plus socks  
PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:  
Coveralls  
Chemical resistant gloves made of any waterproof material  
Shoes plus socks

Protective measures : Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

Exposure Guidelines  
Exposure Limit Values

None established.

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**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Form	: granules
Color	: light brown
Odor	: mild
pH	: 8.7 - 9.7
Melting point/range	: ca. 182 °C (360 °F)
Bulk density	: Tapped
Water solubility	: soluble

**SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Stability	: Stable at normal temperatures and storage conditions.
Conditions to avoid	: None reasonably foreseeable.
Incompatibility	: No materials to be especially mentioned.
Hazardous reactions	: Polymerization will not occur.

**SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**PINNACLE<sup>®</sup> SG Herbicide

Inhalation 4 h LC50	: > 5.3 mg/l , Rat
Dermal LD50	: > 5,000 mg/kg , Rabbit
Oral LD50	: > 5,000 mg/kg , Rat
Skin irritation	: No skin irritation, Rabbit
Eye irritation	: No eye irritation, Rabbit
Sensitisation	: Animal test did not cause sensitization by skin contact., Guinea pig

## Thifensulfuron methyl

Repeated dose toxicity	: The following effects occurred at levels of exposure that significantly exceed those expected under labeled usage conditions.
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Oral - feed  
multiple species

Reduced body weight gain

- Carcinogenicity : Animal testing did not show any carcinogenic effects.
- Mutagenicity : Tests on bacterial or mammalian cell cultures did not show mutagenic effects.  
Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.
- Reproductive toxicity : No toxicity to reproduction  
Animal testing showed no reproductive toxicity.
- Teratogenicity : Did not show teratogenic effects in animal experiments.  
Animal testing showed effects on embryo-fetal development at levels equal to or above those causing maternal toxicity.

**SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**
**Aquatic Toxicity**
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96 h LC50 : Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) > 120 mg/l

14 d EC50 : Lemna gibba (duckweed) 0.00130 mg/l

48 h EC50 : Daphnia magna (Water flea) > 120 mg/l

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28 d : NOEC Americamysis bahia (mysid shrimp) 7.93 mg/l

Additional ecological information : Environmental Hazards: Do not apply directly to water, or 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. Do not apply where/when conditions favour runoff.

**SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**



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Waste Disposal : Do not contaminate water, food or feed by disposal. Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container disposal: : Container Refilling and Disposal:  
Refer to the product label for instructions.

In the event of a major spill, fire or other emergency, call 1-800-441-3637 day or night.

**SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

IATA_C	UN number	: 3077
	Proper shipping name	: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (Thifensulfuron-methyl)
	Class	: 9
	Packing group	: III
	Labelling No.	: 9MI
IMDG	UN number	: 3077
	Proper shipping name	: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Thifensulfuron-methyl)
	Class	: 9
	Packing group	: III
	Labelling No.	: 9

Not regulated as a hazardous material by DOT.

DuPont internal recommendations and transport guidance:

ICAO / IATA cargo aircraft only

Marine Pollutants in single or combination packaging containing a net quantity per single or inner packaging of 5 L or less for liquids or having a net mass per single or inner packaging of 5 KG or less for solids may be transported as non-dangerous goods as provided in section 2.10.2.7 of IMDG code and IATA special provision A197.

**SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**



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PCP Registration # : 29349/ 30741  
Remarks : Regulated under the Pest Control Products Act - WHMIS exempt.

**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

MSDS preparation date : 03/30/2015

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