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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY:

PRODUCT NAME: **PROMINENT**
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 CHEMICAL FAMILY: Triazine USE: Selective herbicide

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION:

6.1E; Harmful - may be harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin.
 6.5B; Harmful - may cause skin sensitisation from prolonged skin contact. Avoid skin contact.
 6.9B; Harmful - may cause organ damage from repeated oral exposure at high doses.
 9.1A; Very Toxic to fish with long lasting effects.
 9.2A; Very toxic to the soil environment. [Selective herbicide].
 Refer to Section 15 for NZ EPA Requirements.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS:

COMMON NAME:	CAS NUMBER:	CONCENTRATION %:	HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS:
Prometryn	7287-19-6	<50	H303, H313, H320, H332, H400
Inerts		<15	
Surfactants (proprietary)		<10	
Water		Balance	

4. FIRST - AID MEASURES:

EYE CONTACT: Immediately flush with flowing water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation occurs or persists.
 SKIN CONTACT: Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Wash with soap and flowing water for at least 15 minutes. Wash clothing before reuse.
 INHALATION: If mist or vapor is inhaled, remove the victim to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Call a physician.
 INGESTION: If swallowed, rinse mouth with water immediately. DO NOT induce vomiting. Seek medical attention.
 NOTES TO DOCTOR: No specific antidote. Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES:

FLASHPOINT:	Not applicable.	HAZCHEM CODE:	2X
FLAMMABLE LIMITS:	No data		
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:	Dry chemical, water spray (fog), foam or carbon dioxide.		
THERMAL DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:	None.		
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING METHODS	Addition of water may cause excessive foaming. Vapours may be toxic. Self contained breathing apparatus required. Do not allow contaminated runoff to enter drains.		
UNUSUAL FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARDS:	None.		

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES:

Use appropriate protective equipment. Clear area of unnecessary personnel. Spills may be slippery and should be cleaned up immediately. Large spill: Dike and pump as much as possible to a salvage container. Absorb the remaining liquid and any small spills with clay granules, sand or other absorbent material and sweep to a waste container. Cover the spill area with water and absorb. Minimise runoff into waterways or drains.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Harmful - Keep out of reach of children.
 Store in original container, tightly closed away from food, food related materials, animal feedstuffs, seed or fertilizer.
 Wear personal protective equipment appropriate to the situation when handling product. Wash protective clothing daily after work.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION:

EXPOSURE LIMITS: No exposure limits (WES, TEL, or EEL's) have been specifically assigned for this product.
 EYE PROTECTION: Chemical goggles or face shield where splash may occur.
 RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Air respirator with organic vapour canister or self contained breathing apparatus when exposed to vapours from heated material.
 PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: PVC-coated gloves. Avoid skin contact.
 VENTILATION: General (mechanical) room ventilation is considered satisfactory.
 HYGIENE PRECAUTIONS: Do not eat drink or smoke while working with this product. Remove clothing that becomes soaked or contaminated and wash before reuse. Wash hands before breaks and after work. The use of a skin barrier cream is useful to give additional skin protection.

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9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

APPEARANCE / STATE / ODOUR: Off white suspension concentrate.
BOILING POINT: 100%. pH: 6.5 - 7.5.
DENSITY: 1.100. SETTING POINT: Not applicable.
DECOMPOSITION TEMP: Not available. AUTOIGNITION TEMP: Not applicable.
FLASHPOINT: Not applicable. VAPOUR DENSITY: Not available.
EXPLOSION PROPERTIES: Not applicable. VAPOUR PRESSURE: 0.169 mPa (25°C)
SOLUBILITY: 33 mg/L @ 25°C in water [Prometryn tech].
OTHER DATA:
OCTANOL / WATER PARTITION COEFFICIENT: Not available.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: None.
MATERIALS TO AVOID: None.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION: None.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

ACUTE ORAL: Low toxicity. LD50 (rats) >5235 mg/Kg (by calculation).
ACUTE DERMAL: LD50 (rats) >3100 mg/Kg, (rabbits) >2020 mg/Kg (by calculation).
ACUTE INHALATION: LC50 (rats) >5170 mg/m³ 4hrs (by calculation).
OTHER TOXICITY INFORMATION:
May be harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin.
May cause skin sensitisation from prolonged skin contact and may cause organ damage from repeated oral exposure at high doses.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Aquatic Toxicity: Very toxic to fish.
Soil Toxicity: Very toxic to the soil environment. Not toxic to earthworms.
Terrestrial Vertebrates - Birds: Not toxic to birds.
Terrestrial Invertebrates - Bees: Not toxic to bees.

Very Toxic to fish with long lasting effects. Avoid contamination of any water supply with this product or empty container.
Very toxic to the soil environment. Selective herbicide - very toxic to some plant species (certain plants may be killed or damaged from root uptake of this product).

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Triple rinse empty container and add rinsate to the spray tank. If recycling, discard cap and deliver clean container to an Agrecovery depot. Alternatively crush and bury in an approved landfill.
Dispose of product only by using according to this label, or at an approved disposal facility.
Avoid contamination of any water supply or stream with product or empty container.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION:

Proper Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S (Prometryn)
UN Number: 3082 UN Hazard Class: 9
Packing Group: III Hazchem Code: 2X
Additional Information: IATA Special Provision A197 applies for containers 5L or less (not restricted).
Do not carry more than 1 L of this product on a passenger service vehicle

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION:

APPROVED HANDLER: The product must be under the personal control of an approved handler when:
a) the product is applied in a wide dispersive manner; or
b) used by a commercial contractor.
However, it may be handled by a person who is not an approved handler if:
- an approved handler is present at the facility where the substance is being handled; and
- the approved handler has provided guidance to the person in respect to the handling of the product; and
- the approved handler is available at all times to provide assistance if necessary.

Prominent shall NOT be applied onto or into water.

RECORD KEEPING: A written record of use is required if 3 kg or more of this product is used within 24 hours in a place where:
a) public may lawfully be present; or
b) the substance is likely to enter air or water and leave the place where it is under control.
The information must be kept for a minimum of three [3] years.

This product DOES NOT have Tracking Requirements.

Approved pursuant to the HSNO Act 1996. NZ EPA Approval Code: HSR000559 See <www.epa.govt.nz> for controls.
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16. OTHER INFORMATION:

The data given here is based on current knowledge and experience. The purpose of this safety data sheet is to describe the products in terms of their safety requirements. The data does not signify any warranty with regard to the product's properties.