

### LIBERTY® 280 SL HERBICIDE

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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product identifier** 

Trade name LIBERTY® 280 SL HERBICIDE

Product code (UVP) 84918180

**SDS Number** 102000031468

**EPA Registration No.** 264-829

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Use** Herbicide

**Restrictions on use**See product label for restrictions.

Information on supplier

Supplier Bayer CropScience

2 T.W. Alexander Drive

Research Triangle PK, NC 27709

**United States** 

Responsible Department Email: SDSINFO.BCS-NA@bayer.com

Emergency telephone no.

Emergency Telephone Number (24hr/ 7 days) 1-800-334-7577

Product Information Telephone Number

1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937)

### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification in accordance with regulation HCS 29CFR §1910.1200

Skin sensitisation: Category 1 Reproductive toxicity: Category 1B

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure: Category 2

Eye irritation: Category 2A

Acute toxicity(Oral, Inhalation): Category 4

### Labelling in accordance with regulation HCS 29CFR §1910.1200





Signal word: Danger

**Hazard statements** 

Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled



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Causes serious eye irritation.

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

May damage fertility or the unborn child.

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

### **Precautionary statements**

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Do not breathe spray.

Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

Obtain special instructions before use.

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Rinse mouth.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/ soap.

If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

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.

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

### **Hazards Not Otherwise Classified (HNOC)**

No physical hazards not otherwise classified.

No health hazards not otherwise classified.

#### **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

| Hazardous Component Name       | CAS-No.    | Concentration % by weight |
|--------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| Glufosinate ammonium           | 77182-82-2 | 24.5                      |
| Alkylethersulfate, sodium salt | 68891-38-3 | 22.1                      |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol           | 107-98-2   | 1.0                       |
| Alkyl polysaccharide           | 68515-73-1 | 6.2                       |

#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### Description of first aid measures

General advice When possible, have the product container or label with you when

calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.



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**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 physician or poison control center immediately.

Skin contact Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off

immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a

physician or poison control center immediately.

**Eye contact** Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20

minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a physician or poison control center

immediately.

**Ingestion** Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Rinse out mouth

and give water in small sips to drink. DO NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a physician or poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not leave victim

unattended.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** Irritation, sensitising effects

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Treatment** Appropriate supportive and symptomatic treatment as indicated by the

patient's condition is recommended. There is no specific antidote.

#### **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Extinguishing media

**Suitable** Carbon dioxide (CO2), Dry powder, Foam, Water spray

**Unsuitable** High volume water jet

Special hazards arising from the substance or

mixture

Dangerous gases are evolved in the event of a fire.

Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters

Firefighters should wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing

apparatus and full protective clothing.

**Further information** Fight fire from upwind position. Keep out of smoke. Remove product

from areas of fire, or otherwise cool containers with water in order to avoid pressure being built up due to heat. Whenever possible, contain fire-fighting water by diking area with sand or earth. Do not allow run-

off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Flash point > 93.3 °C

Auto-ignition temperature No data available

Lower explosion limit No data available

Upper explosion limit No data available



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**Explosivity** Not applicable

### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Precautions Keep unauthorized people away. Isolate hazard area. Avoid contact

with spilled product or contaminated surfaces.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for cleaning up** Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid

binder, universal binder, sawdust). Keep in suitable, closed containers

for disposal. Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly,

observing environmental regulations.

Additional advice Do not allow product to contact non-target plants. Use personal

protective equipment.

**Reference to other sections** Information regarding safe handling, see section 7.

Information regarding personal protective equipment, see section 8.

Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

#### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle and open container in a manner as to prevent spillage. Use only

in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

**Hygiene measures** Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before

eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, using the toilet or

applying cosmetics.

Remove Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) immediately after

handling this product. Before removing gloves clean them with soap and

water. Wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers

Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other crop protection products, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area. Keep away from direct sunlight.

#### **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Control parameters**



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| Components                  | CAS-No.    | Control parameters             | Update  | Basis     |
|-----------------------------|------------|--------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Glufosinate ammonium        | 77182-82-2 | 0.9 mg/m3<br>(TWA)             |         | OES BCS*  |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 50 ppm<br>(TWA)                | 02 2013 | ACGIH     |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 100 ppm<br>(STEL)              | 02 2013 | ACGIH     |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 540 mg/m3/150 ppm<br>(STEL)    | 2010    | NIOSH     |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 360 mg/m3/100 ppm<br>(REL)     | 2010    | NIOSH     |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 360 mg/m3/100 ppm<br>(TWA)     | 1989    | OSHA Z1A  |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 540 mg/m3/150 ppm<br>(STEL)    | 1989    | OSHA Z1A  |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 540 mg/m3/150 ppm<br>(STEL)    | 06 2008 | TN OEL    |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 380 mg/m3/100 ppm<br>(TWA)     | 06 2008 | TN OEL    |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 370ug/m3<br>(AN ESL)           | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 3700ug/m3<br>(ST ESL)          | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 1000ppb<br>(ST ESL)            | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 100ppb<br>(AN ESL)             | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 540 mg/m3/150 ppm<br>(STEL)    | 08 2010 | US CA OEL |
| 1-Methoxy-2-propanol        | 107-98-2   | 360 mg/m3/100 ppm<br>(TWA PEL) | 08 2010 | US CA OEL |
| Sodium alkyl ether sulphate | 68585-34-2 | 5ug/m3<br>(AN ESL)             | 03 2014 | TX ESL    |
| Sodium alkyl ether sulphate | 68585-34-2 | 50ug/m3<br>(ST ESL)            | 03 2014 | TX ESL    |
| Dipropylene glycol          | 25265-71-8 | 1200ug/m3<br>(ST ESL)          | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |
| Dipropylene glycol          | 25265-71-8 | 120ug/m3<br>(AN ESL)           | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |
| Alkyl polysaccharide        | 68515-73-1 | 600ug/m3<br>(ST ESL)           | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |
| Alkyl polysaccharide        | 68515-73-1 | 60ug/m3<br>(AN ESL)            | 07 2011 | TX ESL    |

<sup>\*</sup>OES BCS: Internal Bayer AG, Crop Science Division "Occupational Exposure Standard"

# **Exposure controls**

# Personal protective equipment

In normal use and handling conditions please refer to the label and/or leaflet. In all other cases the



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following recommendations would apply.

**Respiratory protection** When respirators are required, select NIOSH approved equipment

based on actual or potential airborne concentrations and in

accordance with the appropriate regulatory standards and/or industry

recommendations.

**Hand protection** Chemical resistant nitrile rubber gloves

**Eye protection** Tightly fitting safety goggles

**Skin and body protection** Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants and shoes plus socks.

General protective measures Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If

no such instructions for washables, use detergent and warm/tepid

water.

Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance red
Physical State Liquid

**Odor** characteristic

Odour Threshold No data available

**pH** 6.6 - 7.8 at 100 % (23 °C)

Vapor PressureNo data availableVapor Density (Air = 1)No data availableDensity1.15 g/cm³ at 20 °CEvaporation rateNo data availableBoiling PointNo data availableMelting / Freezing PointNo data available

Water solubility miscible

Minimum Ignition EnergyNot applicableDecompositionNot applicable

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

temperature

No data available

Viscosity 100 - 300 mPa.s at 20 °C

Flash point > 93.3 °C

Auto-ignition temperatureNo data availableLower explosion limitNo data availableUpper explosion limitNo data availableExplosivityNot applicable



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#### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity

Thermal decomposition Not applicable

**Chemical stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**Conditions to avoid** Heat, flames and sparks.

Exposure to moisture.

**Incompatible materials** Strong acids, Bases, Strong oxidizing agents

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

Carbon oxides Sulphur oxides

### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Exposure routes** Eye contact, Ingestion, Inhalation, Skin Absorption

**Immediate Effects** 

**Eye** Severe eye irritation. Causes substantial but temporary eye injury.

**Skin** May cause skin irritation. Harmful if absorbed through skin.

IngestionHarmful if swallowed.InhalationMay cause irritation.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity LD50 (female Rat) > 300 - < 2,000 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity LC50 (male/female combined Rat) > 2.1 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Determined in the form of liquid aerosol.

(actual)

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 (male/female combined Rat) > 2,000 mg/kg

**Skin irritation** slight irritation (Rabbit)

**Eye irritation** Severe eye irritation. (Rabbit)

**Sensitisation** Sensitising (Guinea pig)

### Assessment STOT Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Glufosinate-ammonium caused neurobehavioral effects and/or neuropathological changes in animal studies. Glufosinate-ammonium was well tolerated in rats and mice but less well tolerated in the dog in subchronic studies.



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#### **Assessment mutagenicity**

Glufosinate-ammonium was not mutagenic or genotoxic in a battery of in vitro and in vivo tests.

#### Assessment carcinogenicity

Glufosinate-ammonium was not carcinogenic in lifetime feeding studies in rats and mice.

**ACGIH** 

1-Methoxy-2-propanol 107-98-2 Group A4

**NTP** 

None.

**IARC** 

None.

**OSHA** 

None.

### Assessment toxicity to reproduction

Implantation loss occurred in a rat multigeneration study with Glufosinate-ammonium. There were no effects on male fertility.

#### Assessment developmental toxicity

Glufosinate-ammonium caused developmental toxicity only at dose levels toxic to the dams. Glufosinate-ammonium caused an increased incidence of post implantation losses.

#### **Further information**

Acute toxicity studies have been bridged from a similar formulation(s). The non-acute information pertains to the active ingredient(s).

#### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Toxicity to fish** LC50 (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)) 461 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient glufosinate-

ammonium.

Toxicity to aquatic

invertebrates

LC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)) > 560 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient glufosinate-

ammonium.

**Toxicity to aquatic plants** EC50 (Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae)) 1,129 mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

The value mentioned relates to the active ingredient glufosinate-

ammonium.

**Biodegradability** Glufosinate-ammonium:



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Not rapidly biodegradable

Koc Glufosinate-ammonium: Koc: 2.3

**Bioaccumulation** Glufosinate-ammonium: Bioconcentration factor (BCF) < 1

Does not bioaccumulate.

Mobility in soil Glufosinate-ammonium: Highly mobile in soils

**Environmental precautions** 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 allow to get into surface water, drains and ground water. Do not contaminate surface or ground water by cleaning equipment or

disposal of wastes, including equipment wash water.

Do not apply when weather conditions favor runoff or drift.

Drift or runoff from treated areas may adversely affect non-target plants.

Apply this product as specified on the label.

### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste treatment methods

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

Pesticide, spray mixture or rinse water that cannot be used according to label instructions may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste

disposal facility.

**Contaminated packaging** Follow advice on product label and/or leaflet.

Triple rinse containers.

Dispose of empty container in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if

allowed by State/Provincial and local authorities, by burning.

If burned, stay out of smoke.

RCRA Information Characterization and proper disposal of this material as a special or

hazardous waste is dependent upon Federal. State and local laws and

are the user's responsibility. RCRA classification may apply.

### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

According to national and international transport regulations this material is not classified as dangerous goods / hazardous material.

### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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### **US Federal Regulations**

**TSCA list** 

Alkylethersulfate, sodium salt 68891-38-3 1-Methoxy-2-propanol 107-98-2 Alkyl polysaccharide 68515-73-1

US. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt D)

None

SARA Title III - Section 302 - Notification and Information

None.

SARA Title III - Section 313 - Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

None.

**US States Regulatory Reporting** 

CA Prop65

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause cancer.

This product does not contain any substances known to the State of California to cause reproductive harm.

#### **US State Right-To-Know Ingredients**

1-Methoxy-2-propanol 107-98-2 CA, CT, MN

**Canadian Regulations** 

**Canadian Domestic Substance List** 

None.

**Environmental** 

**CERCLA** 

None.

**Clean Water Section 307 Priority Pollutants** 

None

Safe Drinking Water Act Maximum Contaminant Levels

None.

#### **EPA/FIFRA Information:**

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. Following is the hazard information required on the pesticide label:

Signal word: Warning!

**Hazard statements:** Causes substantial but temporary eye injury.

Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic

reactions in some individuals.



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#### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

Abbreviations and acronyms

49CFR Code of Federal Regulations, Title 49 ACGIH US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

ATE Acute toxicity estimate

CAS-Nr. Chemical Abstracts Service number

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

EINECS European inventory of existing commercial substances

ELINCS European list of notified chemical substances IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer IATA International Air Transport Association IMDG International Maritime Dangerous Goods

N.O.S. Not otherwise specified

NTP US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens
OECD Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

TDG Transportation of Dangerous Goods

TWA Time weighted average

UN United Nations

WHO World health organisation

NFPA 704 (National Fire Protection Association):

Health - 2 Flammability - 1 Instability - 1 Others - none

HMIS (Hazardous Materials Identification System, based on the Third Edition Ratings Guide)

Health - 1 Flammability - 1 Physical Hazard - 0 PPE -

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard

Reason for Revision: New Safety Data Sheet.

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