

## Genfarm Glyphosate 540 Herbicide

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Trade name **Genfarm Glyphosate 540 Herbicide**

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

Relevant identified uses **Herbicide**

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Hazardous Substances (Hazard Classification) Notice 2020.

Classified as Dangerous Goods according to the New Zealand Standard NZS 5433:2020 - Transport of dangerous goods on land.

Classification acc. to GHS

Hazard class	Category	Classification code
Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic hazard	2	H411

For full text of abbreviations: see SECTION 16.

#### 2.2 Label elements

Signal word **not required**

Pictograms



Hazard statements

H411 **Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.**

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**Precautionary statements**

P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P391	Collect spillage.
P501	Dispose of contents/container to industrial combustion plant.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

**Mixture of substances as listed below.**

**Description of the mixture**

Mixture of substances listed below with ingredients not classified as hazardous.

Name of substance	CAS No	Wt%	Classification acc. to GHS
Glyphosate	1071-83-6	40 – 60	Eye Dam. 1 / H318 Aquatic Chronic 2 / H411

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**Following inhalation**

Provide fresh air. In case of respiratory tract irritation, consult a physician.

**Following skin contact**

After contact with skin, take off immediately all contaminated clothing, and wash immediately with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

**Following eye contact**

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Irrigate copiously with clean, fresh water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eyelids apart. Seek medical attention.

**Following ingestion**

Keep at rest. Rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious). Do NOT induce vomiting. Seek medical attention if feeling unwell.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

May cause eye irritation, redness and tearing. May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea and vomiting. Skin contact may cause mild irritation. Inhalation of mist may cause respiratory irritation.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Water spray, Alcohol resistant foam, BC-powder, Carbon dioxide (CO2)

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

Water jet

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products include oxides of carbon, when heated to dryness.  
HAZCHEM (Emergency Action) Code: 3Z

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Co-ordinate firefighting measures to the fire surroundings. Do not allow firefighting water to enter drains or water courses. Collect contaminated firefighting water separately. Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance.

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### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel

Ventilate affected area. Prevent skin contact. Wearing of suitable protective equipment (including personal protective equipment referred to under Section 8 of the safety data sheet) to prevent any contamination of skin, eyes and personal clothing. Collection and use of expertise.

For emergency responders

Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dust/spray/gases.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water. Retain contaminated washing water and dispose of it. If substance has entered a water course or sewer, inform the responsible authority.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Advice on how to contain a spill

Bunding, Covering of drains

Advice on how to clean up a spill

Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Collect spillage: sawdust, kieselgur (diatomite), sand, universal binder

Appropriate containment techniques

Use of adsorbent materials.

Other information relating to spills and releases

Place in appropriate containers for disposal. Ventilate affected area.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Recommendations

- Measures to prevent fire as well as aerosol and dust generation

Use only in well-ventilated areas. Handle and open container with care.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash hands after use. Do not eat, drink and smoke in work areas. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. Never keep food or drink in the vicinity of chemicals. Never place chemicals in containers that are normally used for food or drink. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed. Corrosive to mild steel, galvanised steel and zinc. Avoid contact of the concentrate with strong alkalis and alkaline materials such as lime. Such contact may release isopropylamine vapour with a strong fish like odour, which is an irritant, to eyes.

- Packaging compatibilities

Only packagings which are approved (e.g. acc. to the Dangerous Goods Regulations) may be used.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

Occupational exposure limit values (Workplace Exposure Limits)

This information is not available

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

General ventilation.

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Individual protection measures (personal protective equipment)

**Eye/face protection**

Wear eye/face protection. Use safety goggle with side protection. Use protective eyewear to guard against splash of liquids.

**Skin protection**

- Hand protection

Wear protective gloves. Recommended material: PVC or rubber. Check leak-tightness/impermeability prior to use. In the case of wanting to use the gloves again, clean them before taking off and air them well. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling.

**Respiratory protection**

In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. Type: A-P2 (combined filters against particles and organic gases and vapours) according to AS/NZS1716 standards.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	liquid
Colour	blue, clear
Odour	odourless
Boiling point	>105 °C
Flammability	non-combustible
Flash point	does not flash up to boiling point
Decomposition temperature	no data available
pH (value)	4.6 – 6.5
Density	1.14 – 1.26 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Water solubility	miscible in any proportion

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions of use.

#### 10.2 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No known hazardous reactions.

#### 10.3 Conditions to avoid

UV-radiation/sunlight. Keep away from incompatible materials.

#### 10.4 Incompatible materials

Corrosive to mild steel, galvanised steel and zinc. Avoid contact of the concentrate with strong alkalis and alkaline materials such as lime. Such contact may release isopropylamine vapour with a strong fish like odour, which is an irritant, to eyes.

#### 10.5 Hazardous decomposition products

Oxides of carbon, when heated to dryness.

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

##### Classification acc. to GHS

###### Acute toxicity

Shall not be classified as acutely toxic.

###### Skin corrosion/irritation

Shall not be classified as corrosive/irritant to skin.

###### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Shall not be classified as seriously damaging to the eye or eye irritant.

###### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Shall not be classified as a respiratory or skin sensitiser.

###### Germ cell mutagenicity

Shall not be classified as germ cell mutagenic.

###### Carcinogenicity

Shall not be classified as carcinogenic.

###### Reproductive toxicity

Shall not be classified as a reproductive toxicant.

###### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (single exposure).

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

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (repeated exposure).

###### Aspiration hazard

Shall not be classified as presenting an aspiration hazard.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Aquatic toxicity (chronic) of components of the mixture					
Name of substance	CAS No	Endpoint	Value	Species	Exposure time
Glyphosate	1071-83-6	NOEC	12.5 mg/l	water flea (Daphnia)	21 d
Glyphosate	1071-83-6	NOEC	32 mg/l	rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)	21 d

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Data are not available.

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Data are not available.

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Data are not available.

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Does not contain a PBT-/vPvB-substance at a concentration of  $\geq 0,1\%$ .

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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Sewage disposal-relevant information

Do not empty into drains. Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions.

Waste treatment of containers/packages

Only packagings which are approved (e.g. acc. to the Dangerous Goods Regulations) may be used. Completely emptied packages can be recycled. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

#### Remarks

Please consider the relevant national or regional provisions. Waste shall be separated into the categories that can be handled separately by the local or national waste management facilities.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### UN number

UN RTDG, IMDG, IATA UN 3082

#### UN proper shipping name

UN RTDG, IMDG, IATA ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains glyphosate)

#### Transport hazard class(es)

UN RTDG, IMDG, IATA 9

#### Packing group

UN RTDG, IMDG, IATA III

Danger label(s)



Special provisions (SP) 274, 331, 335, 363

Excepted quantities (EQ) E1

Limited quantities (LQ) 5 L

HAZCHEM (Emergency Action) Code 3Z

Marine pollutant YES (hazardous to the aquatic environment) (glyphosate)

ERG (ANZ 2024) Guide No. 171

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Agricultural Compounds and Veterinary Medicines Act 1997

Registered pursuant to the ACVM Act 1997, No. P10338.

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996

Approved pursuant to the HSNO Act 1996. Approval Code HSR100587.

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### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Abbreviations and acronyms

Aquatic Chronic	hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic hazard
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service (service that maintains the most comprehensive list of chemical substances)
Eye Dam.	seriously damaging to the eye
Eye Irrit.	irritant to the eye
GHS	"Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals" developed by the United Nations
NOEC	No Observed Effect Concentration
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB	very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

#### Key literature references and sources for data

Hazardous Substances (Safety Data Sheets) Notice 2017.

New Zealand Standard NZS 5433:2020 - Transport of dangerous goods on land.

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