1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name  
Talstar GC Granular Insecticide

Other means of identification

Product Code(s)  
1686-5-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-ynyl)-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, Miticide

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

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

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)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

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

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GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Danger

Hazard Statements
H350 - May cause cancer
H370 - Causes damage to organs
H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary Statements - Prevention
P201 - Obtain special instructions before use
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
P281 - Use personal protective equipment as required
P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Precautionary Statements - Response
P308 + P311 - If exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor

Precautionary Statements - Storage
P405 - Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal
P501 - Dispose of contents/container according to label directions

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.

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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.
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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, milk, cream, and other digestible fats and oils may increase absorption and so should be avoided.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Use CO₂, dry chemical, or foam.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical
Powdered material may form explosive dust-air mixtures

Explosion data
No information available.

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. Isolate fire area. Evaluate upwind.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions
Isolate and post spill area. Remove all sources of ignition. Ventilate the 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. Keep out of waterways.

Methods for Containment
Use a wet sweeping compound or water to prevent dust formation.

Methods for cleaning up
Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. 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
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**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**

If there is a potential for exposure to particles which could cause eye discomfort, wear chemical goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection**

Wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants, socks, and shoes.

**Hand Protection**

Use protective gloves made of chemical materials such as nitrile or neoprene. Wash the outside of gloves with soap and water before reuse. Check regularly for leaks.

**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. These recommendations apply to the product as supplied.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

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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: 50-53 lb/ft^3

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: Excessive heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.
Incompatible materials: None known.
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon oxides (COx), Hydrogen chloride, Hydrogen fluoride.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Information

LD50 Oral: > 5000 mg/kg (rat)
LD50 Dermal: > 2000 mg/kg (rabbit)
LC50 Inhalation: No information available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Non-irritating. Product dust may cause mechanical eye irritation.
Skin corrosion/irritation: Non-irritating.
Sensitization: Non-sensitizer

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<td>&gt; 2000 mg/kg (rat)</td>
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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: Chronic exposure to silica dust may increase the risk of developing pneumoconiosis or silicosis, chronic diseases affecting the lungs, characterized by labored breathing, cough, reduction of work capacity, reduction of lung capacity, heart enlargement and failure

Mutagenicity: Bifenthrin: Not genotoxic in laboratory studies.

Carcinogenicity: Bifenthrin: Weak treatment-related response for liver adenocarcinomas and benign bladder tumors (lesion) in male mice. This product contains crystalline silica (quartz) in a non-respirable form. Inhalation of crystalline silica is unlikely to occur from exposure to this product. However, if granules are pulverized or crushed into a fine, respirable powder, silica exposure via inhalation is probable.

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

STOT - repeated exposure
May cause 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.

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Legend:
ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)
A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen
IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)
Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans
NTP (National Toxicology Program)
Known - Known Carcinogen
OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)
X - Present

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

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Persistence and degradability

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.
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:

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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 does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA
This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

FIFRA Information
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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 as required on the pesticide label:

**CAUTION**
Harmful if absorbed through skin.
This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates.

**US State Regulations**

**California Proposition 65**
This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

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**Mexico - Grade**
Serious risk, Grade 3

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**CANADA**

**WHMIS Statement**
This product has been classified in accordance with the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

**WHMIS Hazard Class**
D2A - Very toxic materials
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*Indicates a chronic health hazard.

NFPA/HMIS Ratings Legend
Severe = 4; Serious = 3; Moderate = 2; Slight = 1; Minimal = 0

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Reason for revision: SDS sections updated

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