

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name: ORTHO® Home Defense® MAX® Insect Killer For Indoor & Perimeter1

Description: Insecticide

Company

The Scotts Company LLC 14111 Scottslawn Road Marysville, OH 43041 24-HOUR EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

CHEMTREC (U.S.): 1-800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (International): 1-703-527-3887 Non-Emergency Calls: 1-937-644-0011

EPA Registration No.: 279-9534-239

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Labelling

Signal word:

CAUTION

**Precautionary Statements** 

Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear long-sleved shirt, long pants, socks, shoes, impermeable gloves, and protective eyewear. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reaction in some individuals. Keep out of

reach of children.

Potential health effects

Eye contact: Skin contact: Ingestion: Irritating to eyes.

Irritation possible.

Moderately toxic if swallowed.

Inhalation:

May irritate respiratory tract tissues.

Aggravated Medical Conditions:

Inhalation may aggravate asthma.

Principle routes of exposure:

Skin, Eyes, Inhalation

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No	Weight %
Other Ingredients	No CAS#	99.9375
Bifenthrin	82657-04-3	0.05
Zeta-cypermethrin	52315-07-8	0.0125

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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 poison control center or doctor for

treatment advice

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 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 be a poison control center or doctor. Do not

give anything by mouth to an unconscious person

Inhalation: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial

respiration, preferabley by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further

treatment advice

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties:

Will not burn under fire conditions.

Suitable extinguishing media:

Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, chemical foam.

Explosion potential:
Hazardous combustion products:

None. Toxic fumes may be produced.

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# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Fire fighting procedures:

Select appropriate method to surround and extinguish fire.

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or

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equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: **Environmental precautions:**  Wear personal protective equipment Prevent product from entering drains

Control spill with dykes and absorb with inert absorbant material Methods for containment:

Detergent and water. Methods for cleaning up:

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid container breakage. Avoid inhalation or contact with skin, eyes, or clothing.

Storage: Store in original container in a safe place. Protect from freezing.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components	ACGIH:	OSHA:	
Bifenthrin	Not Listed	Not Listed	
Zeta-cypermethrin	Not Listed	Not Listed	

Use adequate ventilation to keep the airborne concentrations of this material below the recommended **Engineering controls** 

exposure standard

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side shields or goggles.

Skin and body protection:

Lightweight protective clothing.

If airborne levels are high or product does not remain intact, use a combination of engineering controls Respiratory protection:

(e.g. ventilation) and personal protection, e.g., NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator for dusts, mists, and

General hygiene considerations: Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Physical State:** Bulk density:

Liquid

8-8.5 lbs/gal

4.0 - 6.0

Color:

Clear

Flash point:

Does not flash

Solubility:

Miscible

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemically Stable:

Yes

Conditions to avoid:

Extreme heat. Application on electrical equipment.

Materials to avoid:

Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition products: Possibility of hazardous reactions:

Toxic fumes and gases may be generated.

Poses little or no immediate hazard.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD50/oral: 727.3 mg/kg LD50/dermal: >5.0 g/kg

LC50/inhalation: >2.11 (vapor), mg/L Eye effects: Moderate eye irritation Skin effects: Slight irritation Sensitization: Causes sensitization

#### **Chronic toxicity**

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Carcinogenic effects: The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any indgredient as a carcinogen.

Components	NTP:	IARC:	OSHA:
Bifenthrin	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
Zeta-cypermethrin	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Ingestion: Ingestion may cause irritation to mucous membranes.

Inhalation: May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

Other information: May produce tempory skin sensations such as numbness, burning, or tingling that subside within 12 hours.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity effects: Extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates.

Persistence and degradability:

Bioaccumulative potential:

Mobility:

Aquatic toxicity:

Inherently biodegradable.

Does not bioaccumulate.

Water contaminating.

No information available.

Additional ecological information: Do not contaminate water sources when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not apply directly to

lakes, streams, or ponds. Toxic to bees. Do not spray plants in flower or those in which bees are actively

foraging.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods: Read and follow label instructions. If partially filled, call the local solid waste agency for disposal

instructions. Do not place product down any indoor or outdoor drain. If empty, do not reuse container.

Contaminated packaging: Read and follow label instructions. If empty, place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The description shown may not apply to all situations. Consult 49 CFR, or appropriate dangerous goods regulations for additional description requirements (e.g. technical name) and mode-specific or quantity-specific shipping requirements.

DOT (Land)

DOT (AIR)

Not DOT regulated

Not DOT regulated

Not DOT regulated

Not DOT regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Components	CAS-No	CERCLA/SARA 313	CERCLA/SARA 302
Bifenthrin	82657-04-3	Not Listed	Not Listed
Zeta-cypermethrin	52315-07-8	Not Listed	Not Listed

General Information Contact local authorities for disposal of large quantities of product

#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA: Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

Hazard Rating: 0=Least; 1-Slight; 2=Moderate; 3=High; 4=Severe

**EPA FIFRA Comment:** Use of this product is regulated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) through the approved product label. It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

**General comment:** This document contains health, safety, and environmental information useful to emergency response agencies, health care providers, manufacturers, and workers/employees. It does not replace the precautionary language, use directions, or the storage and disposal information found on the product label.

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