

SECTION 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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PRODUCT NAME
CHEMICAL NAME
PRODUCT USE
PRODUCT CODE

: **METCLEAR 2L ST**
: Metalaxyl
: Fungicide
: EPA Reg. No 42750-317

SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION SUMMARY

(As defined by OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200)

Transparent amber liquid

HEALTH HAZARDS: Moderate eye irritant.

PHYSICAL HAZARDS: May release toxic fumes if burned.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Use of this chemical in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in groundwater contamination.



SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION, INFORMATION OF INGREDIENTS

COMPONENT	PERCENTAGE	CAS NUMBER
Metalaxyl	21.4%	57837-19-1
Other ingredients	88.6%	n/a

SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid responders should use protective equipment in Section 8 if there is a potential for exposure to product.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Do not give any liquid to person. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: 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.

IF IN EYES: 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.

IF INHALED: Move person 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.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Contains a petroleum distillate. Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia. Consideration should be given to gastric lavage with an endotracheal tube in place. A slurry of activated charcoal in water may be left in stomach. Give a saline laxative followed by symptomatic and supportive care.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

National Fire Protection Rating (NFPA)

HEALTH	2
FLAMMABILITY	1
REACTIVITY	0
4=Severe 3=Serious 2=Moderate 1=Slight 0=Minimal	

FLASHPOINT: 165° F

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Use foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or water spray when fires involve this material.

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD: Can burn in fire, releasing toxic gases from thermal decomposition or combustion.

FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS: Evacuate area and fight fire upwind from a safe distance to avoid hazardous vapors and decomposition products. Fire exposed containers can build up pressure and should be kept cool with water spray if possible. Dike and collect water used to fight fire to prevent environmental damage due to run off.

Minimize use of water to prevent environmental contamination. Contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance on disposal.

FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT: Self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece.

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

IN CASE OF SPILLS OR LEAKS: Clean up spills immediately, observing precautions in Section 8 of this document. Isolate hazard area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering.

SMALL SPILL: Absorb small spills on sand, vermiculite or other inert absorbent. Place contaminated material in appropriate container for disposal.

LARGE SPILL: Dike large spills using absorbent or impervious material such as clay or sand. Recover and contain as much free liquid as possible for reuse. Allow absorbed material to solidify, and scrape up for disposal. After removal, clean contaminated area thoroughly with water. Pick up wash liquid with additional absorbent and place in a disposable container. Minimize use of water to prevent environmental contamination

SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN!

Wear proper safety equipment specified in Section 8 when mixing, loading or otherwise handling concentrate.

HANDLING: Use only in a well-ventilated area. Wear appropriate safety equipment when handling.

STORAGE: Store in cool well ventilated area. Store in original container with lid tightly closed. Keep away from food, feed and drinking water.

Store in a cool, dry place and away from heat. Keep out of reach of children and animals. Keep away from food, feedstuffs, and water supplies.

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE LIMITS (8 hour TWA, ppm):

COMPONENT	OSHA PEL	ACIGH TLV
Metalaxyl	Not listed	Not listed

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: Proper ventilation is required when handling or using this product to minimize exposure to airborne contaminants. Local mechanical exhaust ventilation may be required. Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

EYE PROTECTION - Safety glasses or goggles.

CLOTHING - Coveralls over short-sleeved shirt and short pants, Socks and chemical-resistant footwear.

GLOVES – Chemical-resistant gloves, such as barrier laminate, or butyl rubber or nitrile rubber or neoprene rubber or polyvinyl chloride or viton.

Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS: Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Light yellow liquid
Odor:	Faint nut-like odor
pH:	5.5 - 6.5
Melting Point:	Not applicable
Boiling Point:	No data
Flash Point:	79.3° C
Evaporation Rate:	No data
Flammability:	No data
Flammability Limits:	No data
Vapor Pressure:	0.75 mPa (25°C) (metalaxyl)
Vapor Density:	Not applicable
Density:	1.06 - 1.08 g/ml (8.8 – 9.0 lb/gal)*
Solubility:	Emulsifies
Partition Coefficient:	log Pow = 1.75 (25°C) (metalaxyl)
Auto-Ignition Temperature:	No data
Decomposition Temperature:	No data
Viscosity:	35.9 cst at 20°C; 16.6 cst at 40°C

*Listed density is an approximate value and does not necessarily represent that of a specific batch.

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

PRODUCT REACTIVITY: None known

CHEMICAL STABILITY: Stable, however may decompose if heated.

HAZARDOUS REACTION/POLYMERIZATION: Product will not undergo polymerization.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Avoid temperatures above (115°F, 46°C) and below 25°F (-6°C).

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS: Acidic and oxidizing materials

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Hydrogen chloride, Oxides of nitrogen

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**ACUTE TOXICITY:**

Oral LD ₅₀ (rat)	1,750 mg/kg
Dermal LD ₅₀ (rat)	> 5,000 mg/kg
Inhalation LC ₅₀ (rat)	> 2.09 mg/L
Eye Irritation (rabbit)	Moderately irritating
Skin Irritation (rabbit)	Slightly irritating
Sensitization (guinea pig)	Not a contact sensitizer

CARCINOGEN STATUS:

OSHA	- Not listed
NTP	- Not listed
IARC	- Not listed

TERATOGENICITY: Not know to be a reproductive toxicant.

MUTAGENICITY: Not know to be mutagenic.

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ENVIRONMENTAL SUMMARY: Groundwater Advisory: This chemical is known to leach through soil into groundwater under certain conditions as a result of agricultural use. Use of this chemical in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in groundwater contamination.

FATE: Metalaxyl is moderately persistent with a soil half life of 60 - 180 days depending on soil type and weather conditions. It is highly mobile in certain soil types.

FISH TOXICITY: (technical)

96 hour LC ₅₀ , Rainbow trout –	> 100 mg/L
96 hour LC ₅₀ , Bluegill –	> 100 mg/L

AVIAN TOXICITY: (technical)

Dietary LC ₅₀ , Bobwhite quail –	> 5,000 ppm
Dietary LC ₅₀ , Mallard duck -	> 5,000 ppm

BEE TOXICITY: (technical) > 100 ug/bee

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE WASTE: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER HANDLING: Non-refillable containers (1, or 2.5 gallon): Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying.
 (non-refillable <5 gallons): Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.

Refer to the product label for additional and complete Container Handling instructions

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

SHIPPING DESCRIPTION: Not regulated for containers < 119 gallons.
 (Ground transport)

TRANSPORT HAZARD CLASS: N/A
UN NUMBER: N/A
DOT PACKING GROUP: PG III

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY: Not listed
SARA TITLE III STATUS:
 311/312 Hazard Categories – None known
 313 Toxic Chemicals – None known

CALIFORNIA PROP 65: Not listed

TSCA: This product is exempted from TSCA because it is solely for FIFRA regulated use.

SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS HAZARD RATINGS	HEALTH	2
	FLAMMABILITY	1
	PHYSICAL HAZARD	0
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This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) serves different purposes than and DOES NOT REPLACE OR MODIFY THE EPA APPROVED PRODUCT LABELING (attached to and accompanying the product container). This SDS provides important health, safety, and environmental information for employers, employees, emergency responders and others handling large quantities of the product in activities generally other than product use, while the labeling provides that information specifically for product use in the ordinary course. Use, storage and disposal of pesticide products are regulated by the EPA under the authority of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) through the product labeling, and all necessary and appropriate precautionary, use, storage, and disposal information is set forth on that labeling.

It is a violation of federal law to use a pesticide product in any manner not prescribed on the EPA-approved label.

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