

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### **PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION** 1

Product name:	ORTHO® Home Defense® MAX <sup>™</sup> Termite & Destructive Bug Killer, Non-Trenching (Concentrate)
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.: 279-3218-239 Formula No.: S9680

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Labelling	
Signal word:	CAUTION
Precautionary Statements	Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid breathing spray mist or vapors. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wash with soap and water after handling. Keep out of reach of children.
Potential health effects	
Eye contact:	Contact with eyes may cause irritation.
Skin contact:	May cause skin irritation in susceptible persons. Irritation possible.
Ingestion:	Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.
Inhalation:	May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
Aggravated Medical Conditions:	Inhalation may aggravate asthma.
Principle routes of exposure:	Skin, Eyes, Inhalation
Target organ effects:	Irritation.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No	Weight %
Inert Ingredients	PROPRIETARY	97.6
Bifenthrin	82657-04-3	2.4

### 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
Notes to physician:	This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, milk, cream, and other digestible fats and oils may increase absorption and should be avoided. Vitamine E oil applied dermally may relieve cutaneous paresthesia following skin contact.
5 FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES	

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Flammable properties:	May burn under fire conditions.
Suitable extinguishing media:	Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, chemical foam.

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Explosion potential:	None.
Hazardous combustion products:	Toxic fumes may be produced.
Fire fighting procedures:	Select appropriate method to surround and extinguish fire.
Special protective equipment for	As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or
firefighters:	equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions:	Wear personal protective equipment
Environmental precautions:	Prevent product from entering drains
Methods for containment:	Control spill with dykes and absorb with inert absorbant material
Methods for cleaning up:	Detergent and water.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid container breakage. Avoid inhalation or contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Do not contaminate water sources when disposing of equipment wash waters.

Storage: Store in a cool, dry area away from incompatible materials and heat sources. Protect from freezing. Keep out of the reach of children.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components	ACGIH:	OSHA:
Bifenthrin	Not Listed	Not Listed
Engineering controls	Use adequate ventilation to keep the airborne co exposure standard	ncentrations of this material below the recommended
Personal Protective Equipment Eye/face protection: Skin and body protection: Respiratory protection:	Safety glasses with side shields or goggles. Lightweight protective clothing. If airborne levels are high or product does not remain intact, use a combination of engineering contro (e.g. ventilation) and personal protection, e.g., NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator for dusts, mists, ar fumes.	
General hygiene considerations:	Wash hands before breaks and immediately afte	r bandling the product

General hygiene considerations: Re-entry Interval: Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product When dry.

Physical State:	Liquid	Color:	White
Flash point:	None detected at or below 210° F	Appearance:	Clear
Density:	8.52 lbs/gal	pH:	Neutral
Solubility:	Soluble	Specific gravity:	1.02

#### **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Chemically Stable: Conditions to avoid: Materials to avoid: Hazardous decomposition products: Possibility of hazardous reactions: Yes Extreme heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Strong oxidising agents. Combustion may produce irritating gases and vapors. Poses little or no immediate hazard.

#### **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Acute toxicity

LD50/oral: >5.0 g/kg, rat LD50/dermal: >5.0 g/kg, rat LC50/inhalation: 8.91 (vapor), mg/L, rat Eye effects: Mild eye irritation, rabbit Skin effects: Moderate skin irritation, rabbit Sensitization: No sensitization, guinea pig

#### **Chronic toxicity**

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
Ingestion: Inhalation: Target organ effects: Other information:	Ingestion may cause irritation May cause irritation of respirat Irritation. May produce tempory skin ser	ory tract.	or tingling that subside within 12 hours.

#### **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicity effects:	Toxic to aquatic organisms.
Persistence and degradability:	
<b>č</b> ,	Inherently biodegradable.
Bioaccumulative potential:	No information available.
Mobility:	Water contaminating.
Aquatic toxicity:	No information available.
Additional ecological information:	Toxic to fish Do not contaminate water sources when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not apply
	directly to lakes, streams, or ponds.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS		
Waste Disposal Methods:	If partially filled, call the local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Do not place product down any indoor or outdoor drain.	
Contaminated packaging:	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.

<u>DOT</u> Proper shipping name:	Not regulated
Other Shipping Information:	UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s., (bifenthrin, 2.4%), 9, PGIII, Marine Pollutant, when shipped in bulk or by vessel over water .

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Components	CAS-No	CERCLA/SARA 313	CERCLA/SARA 302
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Bifenthrin	82657-04-3	Not Listed	Not Listed

#### **General Information**

**16 OTHER INFORMATION** 

Contact local authorities for disposal of large quantities of product

NFPA:	Health: 1	Flammability: 1	Reactivity: 0	
HMIS:	Health: 1	Flammability: 1	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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