## SAFETY DATA SHEET

**HERO® INSECTICIDE** 

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier** 

Product Name HERO® INSECTICIDE

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) 6322-A

**Synonyms** BIFENTHRIN: (2-methyl[1,1'-biphenyl]-3-yl)methyl

3-(2-chloro-3,3,3-trifluoro-1-propenyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclopropanecarboxylate (CAS name);

2-methylbiphenyl-3-ylmethyl

(Z)-(1RS)-cis-3-(2-chloro-3,3,3-trifluoroprop-1-enyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclopropanecarboxylate

(IUPAC name);

ZETA-CYPERMETHRIN:  $(+/-)-\alpha$  -cyano(3-phenoxyphenyl)methyl (+/-) cis,

trans-3-(2,2-dichloroethenyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclopropanecarboxylate (CAS name); (RS)- α

-cyano-3-phenoxybenzyl

(1RS)-cis-trans-3-(2,2-dichlorovinyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclopropanecarboxylate (IUPAC name)

Active Ingredient(s) Bifenthrin, Zeta-cypermethrin

Chemical Family Pyrethroid Pesticide

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use: Insecticide

**Restrictions on Use:** Use as recommended by the label

**Manufacturer Address** 

FMC Corporation 1735 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19103

(215) 299-6000 (General Information)

msdsinfo@fmc.com (E-Mail General Information)

Emergency telephone number

Medical Emergencies:

1 800 / 331-3148 (PROSAR - U.S.A. & Canada)

1 651 / 632-6793 (PROSAR - All Other Countries - Collect)

For leak, fire, spill or accident emergencies, call:

1 800 / 424 9300 (CHEMTREC - U.S.A.)

1 703 / 527 3887 (CHEMTREC - Collect - All Other Countries)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

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#### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

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

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Skin sensitization	Category 1
Carcinogenicity	Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 1
Aspiration toxicity	Category 1

## GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

## Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

- H302 Harmful if swallowed
- H304 May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways
- H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction
- H332 Harmful if inhaled
- H351 Suspected of causing 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
- P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
- P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
- P280 Wear protective gloves

## **Precautionary Statements - Response**

- P308 + P311 IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor
- P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap
- P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention
- P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
- P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
- P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell
- P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor
- P331 Do NOT induce vomiting
- P330 Rinse mouth

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

P405 - Store locked up

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

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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.

Chemical name	CAS-No	Weight %
Bifenthrin	82657-04-3	11.25
Zeta-cypermethrin (F2700)	52315-07-8	3.75
Naphtha (petroleum), heavy aromatic	64742-94-5	40-50
Petroleum distillates, solvent dewaxed light paraffinic	64742-56-9	15-25
2-Methylnaphthalene	91-57-6	10-20
Naphthalene	91-20-3	5-10
1-Methylnaphthalene	90-12-0	5-10
Petroleum distillates, solvent dewaxed heavy paraffinic	64742-65-0	1-10

Synonyms are provided in Section 1.

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**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.

**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.

Immediately call a poison control center or doctor Do not induce vomiting unless told to do

so by a poison control center or doctor Do not give any liquid to the person Do not induce

vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Central nervous system effects. Allergic skin reactions.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment

needed, if necessary

Contains petroleum distillate. Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia. This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, the stomach and intestines should be evacuated. Treatment is symptomatic and supportive. Digestible fats, oils, or alcohol may increase absorption and so should be avoided.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Water spray or fog.

Specific Hazards Arising from the

Chemical

Hazardous Combustion Products Carbon oxides (COx), Hydrogen chloride, Hydrogen fluoride.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact
Sensitivity to Static Discharge
Not sensitive.
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Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Isolate fire

area. Evaluate downwind.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions** Isolate and post spill area. Remove all sources of ignition. 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** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

**Methods for Containment** Dike to prevent runoff. Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and

transfer to containers for later disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Clean and neutralize spill area, tools and equipment by washing with bleach 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.

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces Storage

and sources of ignition. Keep out of reach of children and animals. Keep/store only in

original container.

Incompatible products None known

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Control parameters

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH	Mexico
2-Methylnaphthalene 91-57-6	S* TWA: 0.5 ppm	-	-	-
Naphthalene 91-20-3	S* TWA: 10 ppm	TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 250 ppm TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 50 mg/m³ STEL: 15 ppm STEL: 75 mg/m³	Mexico: TWA 10 ppm Mexico: TWA 50 mg/m³ Mexico: STEL 15 ppm Mexico: STEL 75 mg/m³
1-Methylnaphthalene 90-12-0	S* TWA: 0.5 ppm	-	-	-
Chemical name	British Columbia	Quebec	Ontario TWAEV	Alberta
2-Methylnaphthalene 91-57-6	TWA: 0.5 ppm Skin	-	TWA: 0.5 ppm Skin	-
Naphthalene 91-20-3	TWA: 10 ppm STEL: 15 ppm Skin	TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 52 mg/m³ STEL: 15 ppm STEL: 79 mg/m³	TWA: 10 ppm STEL: 15 ppm Skin	TWA: 10 ppm TWA: 52 mg/m³ STEL: 15 ppm STEL: 79 mg/m³ Skin
1-Methylnaphthalene 90-12-0	TWA: 0.5 ppm Skin	-	TWA: 0.5 ppm Skin	-

**Appropriate engineering controls** 

Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits. When working in **Engineering measures** 

confined spaces (tanks, containers, etc.), ensure that there is a supply of air suitable for

breathing and wear the recommended equipment.

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#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** For dust, splash, mist or spray exposure, wear chemical protective goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection** Wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants, socks, shoes, chemical-resistant gloves and headgear.

Hand Protection Protective gloves

**Respiratory Protection** For dust, splash, mist or spray exposures wear full-face elastomeric half mask respirator

with appropriate cartridges and/or filters, which is approved for pesticides (U.S.

NIOSH/MSHA, EU CEN or comparable certification organization).

**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

Appearance Amber, liquid Physical State Liquid Color Amber

Odor Hydrocarbon-like
Odor threshold No information available

**pH** 4.2 (1% solution) at 24°C (75.2°F)

Melting point/freezing point Not applicable

Boiling Point/Range

Flash point

Flash point

Evaporation Rate

Flammability (solid, gas)

No information available

No information available

No information available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit: No information available Lower flammability limit: No information available Vapor pressure No information available Vapor density No information available Density 8.26 lbs/gal (990.4 g/L) Specific gravity 0.9224 @ 20 °C Water solubility No information available Solubility in other solvents No information available No information available Partition coefficient **Autoignition temperature** No information available No information available

Autoignition temperature
Decomposition temperature
Viscosity, kinematic
Viscosity, dynamic
Explosive properties
Oxidizing properties
Molecular weight
No information available

## 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.

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Conditions to avoid Heat, flames and sparks

Incompatible materials None known.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon oxides (COx). Hydrogen chloride. Hydrogen fluoride.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Information

Mutagenicity

LD50 Oral 550 mg/kg (rat) **LD50 Dermal** > 5000 mg/kg (rat) 1.8 mg/L (rat) (4-hr) LC50 Inhalation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Mild Irritant. Skin corrosion/irritation

Moderately irritating (rabbit).

Sensitization Sensitizer.

Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** Large doses of bifenthrin ingested by laboratory animals produced signs of toxicity including

> convulsions, tremors and bloody nasal discharge. Large doses of zeta-cypermethrin, ingested by laboratory animals, may produce signs of toxicity including tremors,

incoordination, convulsions, staggered gait, and oral discharge.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Bifenthrin: Long-term exposure caused neurotoxicity (tremors and impaired gait) in the early **Chronic toxicity** 

exposure in animal studies, but tremors disappeared with continued exposure.

Zeta-cypermethrin: Long-term exposure caused neurotoxicity (body tremors, decreased

motor activity), decreased body weight and increased liver weight. Bifenthrin, Zeta-cypermethrin: Not genotoxic in laboratory studies.

Carcinogenicity Bifenthrin: Weak treatment-related response for liver adenocarcinomas and benign bladder

tumors (lesion) in male mice. Cypermethrin caused an increase in benign lung tumors in mice, but not in rats. EPA has classified cypermethrin as a possible human carcinogen

based on this information, but does not regulate based on its low cancer risk.

**Neurological effects** Bifenthrin: Causes clinical signs of neurotoxicity (tremors, impaired gait, excessive

salivation) following acute or subchronic exposure. Tremors disappeared with continued exposure. Zeta-cypermethrin: Causes neurotoxicity (tremors and decreased motor activity)

following acute, subchronic or chronic exposure.

Reproductive toxicity Bifenthrin, Zeta-cypermethrin: No toxicity to reproduction in animal studies.

Bifenthrin, Zeta-cypermethrin; Not teratogenic in animal studies. **Developmental toxicity** STOT - single exposure Causes damage to organs. See listed target organs below.

STOT - repeated exposure Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. See listed target

Bifenthrin, Zeta-cypermethrin: Central Nervous System (CNS), blood. Target organ effects

Bifenthrin: Causes clinical signs of neurotoxicity (tremors, impaired gait, excessive **Neurological effects** 

salivation) following acute or subchronic exposure. Tremors disappeared with continued exposure. Zeta-cypermethrin: Causes neurotoxicity (tremors and decreased motor activity)

following acute, subchronic or chronic exposure.

No information available. **Aspiration hazard** 

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Petroleum distillates, solvent dewaxed light paraffinic 64742-56-9	A2			
Naphthalene 91-20-3	А3	Group 2B	Reasonably Anticipated	Х
Petroleum distillates, solvent dewaxed heavy paraffinic 64742-65-0	A2			

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Bifenthrin (82657-04-3)						
Active Ingredient(s)	Duration	Species	Value	Units		
Bifenthrin	96 h LC50	Fish	0.1	μg/L		
	72 h EC50	Algae	0.822	mg/L		
	48 h EC50	Crustacea	0.11	μg/L		
	21 d NOEC	Fish	0.012	μg/L		
	21 d NOEC	Crustacea	0.0013	μg/L		

Zeta-cypermethrin (F2700) (52315-07-8)					
Active Ingredient(s)	Duration	Species	Value	Units	
Zeta-cypermethrin	48 h EC50	Crustacea	0.14	μg/L	
	96 h LC50	Fish	0.69	μg/L	
	72 h EC50	Algae	>1	mg/L	
	21 d NOEC	Crustacea	0.01	μg/L	
	21 d NOEC	Fish	0.015	μg/L	

Persistence and degradability Bifenthrin: Moderately persistent. Does not readily hydrolyze. Not readily biodegradable.

Zeta-cypermethrin: Non-persistent. Readily hydrolyzed. Not readily biodegradable.

**Bioaccumulation** Bifenthrin: The substance has a potential for bioconcentration.

Zeta-cypermethrin: The substance does not have a potential for bioconcentration.

**Mobility** Bifenthrin, Zeta-cypermethrin: 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.

**Contaminated Packaging**Containers must be disposed of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

Refer to the product label for container disposal instructions. Do not reuse or refill this

container.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT**Not regulated for transportation if shipped in Non Bulk packaging. The classification below

pertains to the shipment in Bulk packaging.

UN/ID no UN3082

**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s.

Hazard class
Packing Group

Reportable Quantity (RQ) Naphthalene: RQ = 191 gal (1532 lb)

Marine Pollutant Zeta-cypermethrin.

**Description** UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Zeta-cypermethrin), 9, PGIII,

Marine Pollutant

<u>TDG</u> Classification below is only applicable when shipped by vessel and is not applicable when

shipped by road or rail only.

UN/ID no UN3082

**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s.

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**Packing Group** 

**Marine Pollutant** Zeta-cypermethrin, Bifenthrin.

UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Zeta-cypermethrin, Description

Bifenthrin), 9, PGIII, Marine Pollutant

ICAO/IATA

UN/ID no UN3082

**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s.

**Hazard class Packing Group** 

UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Zeta-cypermethrin, Description

Bifenthrin), 9, PGIII

IMDG/IMO

UN3082 UN/ID no

**Proper Shipping Name** Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s.

**Hazard class Packing Group** Ш EmS No.

F-A, S-F

**Marine Pollutant** Zeta-cypermethrin, Bifenthrin

UN3082, Environmentally hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s. (Zeta-cypermethrin, Description

Bifenthrin), 9, PGIII, Marine Pollutant

## 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:

Chemical name	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Bifenthrin - 82657-04-3	82657-04-3	11.25	1.0
Naphthalene - 91-20-3	91-20-3	5-10	0.1

## 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 contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42):

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Naphthalene 91-20-3	100 lb	Х	Х	Х

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302):

Che	emical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	RQ
N	aphthalene 91-20-3	100 lb		RQ 100 lb final RQ RQ 45.4 kg final RQ

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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 swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation.

This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish, aquatic invertebrates oysters and shrimp.

## US State Regulations

## **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:.

Chemical name	California Prop. 65	
Naphthalene - 91-20-3	Carcinogen	

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

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Bifenthrin 82657-04-3	X		
Zeta-cypermethrin (F2700) 52315-07-8		X	
Petroleum distillates, solvent dewaxed light paraffinic 64742-56-9		Х	
2-Methylnaphthalene 91-57-6	X		
Naphthalene 91-20-3	X	X	X
1-Methylnaphthalene 90-12-0	X	X	X

## **International Inventories**

Component	TSCA (United States)	DSL (Canada)	EINECS/ELI NCS (Europe)	ENCS (Japan)	China (IECSC)	KECL (Korea)	PICCS (Philippines)	AICS (Australia)
Bifenthrin 82657-04-3 ( 11.25 )				Х	Х	Х		
Zeta-cypermethrin (F2700) 52315-07-8 ( 3.75 )			Х		Х	Х	X	Х
Naphtha (petroleum), heavy aromatic 64742-94-5 ( 40-50 )	X	Х	X	X	X	X	X	X
Petroleum distillates, solvent dewaxed light paraffinic 64742-56-9 ( 15-25 )	X	Х	X	Х	X	Х	X	X
2-Methylnaphthalen e 91-57-6 ( 10-20 )	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х		Х	Х

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Naphthalene 91-20-3 ( 5-10 )	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	X	Х	Х
1-Methylnaphthalen e 90-12-0 ( 5-10 )	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х		Х	Х
Petroleum distillates, solvent dewaxed heavy paraffinic 64742-65-0 ( 1-10 )	Х	X	X	X	X	Х	X	X

Mexico - Grade

Serious risk, Grade 3

**WHMIS Hazard Class** 

D1B - Toxic materials D2A - Very toxic materials





# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health Hazards 3	Flammability 1	Instability 0	Special Hazards -
HMIS	Health Hazards 2*	Flammability 1	Physical hazard 0	Personal Protection X

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