

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

An Employee-Owned Company

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product identifier** 

Product Name Gordon's ATRIMMEC® Plant Growth Regulator

Other means of identification

Product Code PBI FP 662-5 EPA Pesticide Registration Number 2217-776

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use
Recommended Use Growth regulator.
Uses advised against No information available.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

SupplierManufacturerCompany NamePBI Gordon CorporationPBI Gordon CorporationPBI Gordon Corporation1217 West 12th Street1217 West 12th Street1217 West 12th StreetKansas City, MO 64101Kansas City, MO 64101Kansas City, MO 64101

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## Classification

#### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 3
Skin sensitization	Category 1
Flammable liquids	Category 3

#### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

## Danger

### Hazard statements

Toxic in contact with skin. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Flammable liquid and vapor.



Appearance Liquid Physical state Liquid Odor Odorless

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

- Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
- Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
- Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking
- · Keep container tightly closed

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

- · Call a POISÓN CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
- · Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
- If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
- IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

- Store locked up
- · Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

• Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Have the product label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going in for treatment. You may also contact 1-877-800-5556 for emergency medical treatment advice.

The low flash point of this product is due to a minor component in the mixture. Based on independent laboratory testing of similar products, this product would not sustain combustion as specified in DOT Regulation 49 CFR 173 Appendix H; however OSHA HCS 2012 flammable classifications are solely based on tested mixture flash points and boiling points.

#### Other Information

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
2,3:4,6-Bis-O-(1-methylethylidene)-alpha-L-xylo-2-h exulofuranosonic acid, sodium salt (Dikegulac sodium)	52508-35-7	18.5
Trade Secret	Proprietary	0-10*

<sup>\*</sup> The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### First aid measures

General advice In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for

use or safety data sheet if possible). If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. If

symptoms persist, call a physician. Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye

wide open while rinsing.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of vapors or

decomposition products. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

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**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Rinse mouth. Clean mouth with water and

drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Consult a physician if necessary.

**Self-protection of the first aider**Use personal protective equipment as required.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians** May cause sensitization of susceptible persons. Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

### **Explosion data**

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

## Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined

areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. Keep people away from and upwind

of spill/leak.

Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains. Do

not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. See Section 12 for additional

ecological information.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent

material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Take precautionary measures

against static discharges. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Use personal protective

equipment as required. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

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### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep tightly closed in a dry and cool place. Keep in properly labeled containers. Keep

containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Incompatible materials None known.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational

exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

Other Information Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962

(11th Cir., 1992).

Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles. Face protection shield.

**Skin and body protection** Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved

respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be

provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**General Hygiene Considerations** When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and

clothing is recommended.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical stateLiquidAppearanceLiquidOdorOdorless

Color Light blue Odor threshold No information available

Property Values Remarks • Method

**pH** 9.5

Melting point/freezing pointNo information availableBoiling point / boiling range100 °C / 212 °FFlash point44 °C / 111 °F

Evaporation rate >

Flammability (solid, gas) No information available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit: No information available Lower flammability limit: No information available

Vapor pressure <17 mm Hg Vapor density <1

Specific Gravity 1.0951
Water solubility Soluble in water

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Solubility in other solventsNo information availablePartition coefficientNo information availableAutoignition temperatureNo information available

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Decomposition temperature Oxidizing properties

No information available No information available

**Other Information** 

**Density** 9.12 pounds/gallon

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

## Reactivity

No data available

## **Chemical stability**

Stable.

### **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

## **Hazardous polymerization**

Will not occur.

#### Conditions to avoid

Keep from freezing.

### **Incompatible materials**

None known.

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

None known.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Product Information**

**Inhalation** May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

Eye contact May cause irritation.

Skin Contact May cause irritation.

**Ingestion** May cause irritation.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
2,3:4,6-Bis-O-(1-methylethylidene)- alpha-L-xylo-2-hexulofuranosonic acid, sodium salt (Dikegulac sodium) 52508-35-7	= 18 g/kg(Rat)	> 1 g/kg (Rat) > 1 g/kg (Rabbit)	-

## Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

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

Sensitization No information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.
Carcinogenicity

Reproductive toxicity
STOT - single exposure

No information available.
No information available.

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STOT - repeated exposure

No information available.

**Chronic toxicity** Repeated contact may cause allergic reactions in very susceptible persons. Avoid repeated

exposure.

No information available. **Aspiration hazard** 

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Oral LD50 > 5000 mg/kg body weight > 1000 mg/kg body weight **Dermal LD50** 25.24 mg/L Rat-male **Inhalation LC50** 

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Ecotoxicity**

Harmful to aquatic life

22% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

## Persistence and degradability

No information available.

#### Bioaccumulation

No information available.

### Other adverse effects

No information available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container, unless specified by the manufacturer.

**US EPA Waste Number** D001 See Section 2: Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

Description The following guidelines apply for domestic ground transport. If shipping by air or ocean,

please contact our Transportation Dept.

Inhibitors, Modifiers, or Regulators, Plant Growth - NMFC #101685

In our current available sizes, this product does not qualify as a Hazardous Material.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** 2217-776

## Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, Rodenticide Act Regulations

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:

#### **EPA Pesticide Label**

Caution. Keep out of the reach of children. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing.

## **International Inventories**

**TSCA** Not Listed DSL/NDSL Not Listed **EINECS/ELINCS** Not Listed **ENCS** Not Listed **IECSC** Not Listed **KECL** Not Listed **PICCS** Not Listed Not Listed **AICS** 

#### Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
2,3:4,6-Bis-O-(1-methylethyli				Х						Х
dene)-alpha-L-xylo-2-hexulof										
uranosonic acid, sodium salt										
(Dikegulac sodium)										
Trade Secret	Χ	Х		Х		Χ	Χ	Χ	Х	Х

### **US Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

## SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	Yes
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

### **CWA (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)

#### **CERCLA**

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)

### **US State Regulations**

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

## International Regulations

Mexico - Grade Moderate risk, Grade 2

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA Health hazards 2 Flammability 1 Instability 0 Physical and Chemical Properties 
HMIS Health hazards 2 Flammability 1 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

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