MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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I - Product Identification

SWK-102

PRODUCT CODE: 0350

CHEMICAL FORMULATION: Water based herbicide concentrate.

NFPA HAZARD IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM:

HEALTH: 2

FLAMMABILITY: 0

REACTIVITY: 0

HAZARD RATING:

4 - Extreme;

3 - High;

2 - Moderate:

1 - Slight;

0 - Insignificant

II - Hazardous Ingredients

Values reported as TWA unless noted.

OSHA ACGIH **APPROX** EPA 40 CFR: % PEL TLV CAS# **SUBSTANCE** 302 355 372 2008-39-1 N/E Y 25.00 10 mg/m3 Dimethylamine salt of 2,4 dichlorophenoxyacetic acid

Key:

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

C: Ceiling level

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

N/A: Not Applicable

N/D: Not Determined

N/E: Not Established

Y: Yes

302: CERCLA List of Hazardous Substances and Reportable Quantities (40 CFR 302.4).

355: SARA TITLE III / List of Extremely Hazardous Substances for Emergency Planning and Notification (40 CFR 355).

372: SARA TITLE III / List of Toxic Chemicals subject to Release Reporting (Community Right to Know) (40 CFR 372).

III - Physical Data

BOILING POINT (°F): N/D

VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg): N/D

VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1): N/D

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Soluble

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (WATER = 1): 1.08

VOC CONTENT (% by weight): N/D

EVAPORATION RATE (WATER = 1): N/D

pH: 7.5-8.50

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: Clear, dark brown liquid, characteristic odor.

IV - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

FLASH POINT (°F): None

(TEST METHOD): Closed cup

FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR (VOLUME %)

UPPER: N/A

LOWER: N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog, foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Firefighters should be equipped with full protective gear including self-contained breathing apparatus. Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers. Minimize water used to fight fire as run-off may cause pollution. Collect runoff for proper disposal.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD: None.

V - Reactivity Data

STABILITY: Stable

INCOMPATIBILITY: Strong oxidizers and acids. CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Elevated temperatures.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Thermal decomposition may produce hydrogen chloride and nitrogen oxides.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: None

VI - Health Hazard Data

ROUTES OF ENTRY INHALATION: X EYE CONTACT: X SKIN CONTACT: X INGESTION: X INGREDIENTS THAT ARE CONSIDERED BY OSHA, NTP, IARC TO BE SUSPECTED HUMAN CARCINOGENS: None.

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

IF IN EYES: Severe irritation, redness, possible irreversible corneal injury.

IF ON SKIN: Mild irritation, harmful if absorbed.

IF SWALLOWED: May cause muscle weakness, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, fall in blood pressure or myotonia (prolonged muscular spasm) under extreme exposure conditions.

IF INHALED: Irritation to respiratory tract, dizziness.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

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IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air. If breathing has stopped administer artificial respiration. Obtain immediate medical attention

VII - Spill or Leak Protection

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Ventilate area and contain spill. Soak up spilled material with inert absorbent material and store in a properly labeled closed container for disposal.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Consult local environmental authorities.

VIII - Special Protection Information

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Use with adequate ventilation. If recommended Exposure Limits are exceeded wear a NIOSH approved respirator following manufacturers recommendations. LOCAL: Recommended **MECHANICAL:** Recommended

VENTILATION PROTECTIVE GLOVES: Chemical resistant

EYE PROTECTION: Chemical goggles or safety glasses.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Protective clothing, emergency shower or eye wash station.

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE: Store in a cool, dry place away from heat or open flame. Do not contaminate water, food feed, or seed by storage or disposal. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: Keep out of reach of children.

IX - Transportation Information (ground transportation only)

DOT PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Environmentally hazardous substances, liquid, n.o.s. (RQ 2,4-D salt)

DOT CLASS: 9

DOT ID NUMBER: UN3082

DOT PACKING GROUP: III

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