

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## Ferti-lome® Wasp & Hornet Killer

In the event of a medical or chemical emergency contact ChemTel, Inc. North American 1-800-255-3924 or worldwide Intl. + 01-813-248-0585

Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.  
230 FM 87  
Bonham, Texas 75418

Effective Date: August 10, 2015

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:

**PRODUCT:** Ferti-lome Wasp & Hornet Killer  
**EPA Reg. No.:** 1021-1649-7401

#### COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:

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### 2. HAZARDOUS IDENTIFICATIONS:

#### GHS CLASSIFICATIONS

##### Health:

Acute Toxicity (Oral), Category 5  
Acute Toxicity (Inhalation), Category 5  
Aspiration Hazard, Category 2

##### Environmental:

Acute Hazards to the Aquatic Environment, Category 1

##### Physical:

Flammable Aerosols, Category 2

#### GHS LABEL



Exclamation mark (GHS 07)



Health hazard (GHS 08)



Gas cylinder (GHS 04)



Flame (GHS02)



Environment (GHS 09)

#### SIGNAL WORD: WARNING

#### HAZARD STATEMENTS

H223: Flammable aerosol.  
H280: Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated. H305:  
May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways. H333: May be  
harmful if inhaled.

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)

##### Prevention:

P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P261: Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.  
P270: Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.  
P273: Avoid release to the environment.  
P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

##### Response:

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

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P301+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.  
P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

### Storage:

P403+P233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. P411+P235: Store at temperatures not exceeding 54.4°C/130°F. Keep cool.

### Disposal:

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

**COMMENTS:** This material is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard [29 CFR 1910.1200(a)(1)], and the G.H.S.

### 3. COMPOSITION, INFORMATION OF INGREDIENTS:

Chemical Name	Wt.%	CAS
SUMITHRIN® (d-Phenothrin)	0.125	26002-80-2
Tetramethrin (NEO-PYNAMIN®)	0.2	7696-12-0
Petroleum Distillates	50 - 95	64742-47-8

**COMMENTS:** Ingredients not identified are proprietary or non-hazardous. Values are not product specifications.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES:

**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.

**SKIN:** 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:** If swallowed, IMMEDIATELY call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. DO NOT give any liquid to the person. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or a doctor. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** Remove affected 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.

**NOTES TO PHYSICIAN:** Contains Pyrethroids and Petroleum Distillates - vomiting may pose an aspiration pneumonia hazard. For skin effects, a highly efficient therapeutic agent for Pyrethroid exposure is topical application of Tocopherol Acetate (Vitamin E).

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES:

**FLAMMABLE CLASS:** This aerosol is classified as FLAMMABLE by the Flame-Extension Test method described in 16 CFR 1500.45.

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical.

**HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:** Under fire conditions this product will support combustion and may decompose to give off toxic gases such as carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and nitrogen oxides.

**EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** Contents under pressure. Exposure to temperatures above 130°F (54.4°C) may cause bursting.

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**FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Treat as an oil fire. Use a full-faced self-contained breathing apparatus along with full protective gear. Keep nearby containers and equipment cool with a water stream.

**SENSITIVITY TO IMPACT:** Forceful impacts can cause damage to aerosol unit and may cause a bursting or explosion hazard.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES:

**SMALL SPILL:** Shut off ignition sources. Stop release, if possible without risk. Dike or contain release, if possible, and if immediate response can prevent further damage or danger. Isolate and control access to the release area. Take actions to reduce vapors. Absorb with appropriate absorbent. Clean spill area of residues and absorbent.

**LARGE SPILL:** Shut off ignition sources. Stop release, if possible without risk. Dike or contain release, if possible, and if immediate response can prevent further damage or danger. Isolate and control access to the release area. Take actions to reduce vapors. Collect product into drums, etc. via drains, pumps, etc. Absorb with appropriate absorbent. Clean spill area of residues and absorbent.

### ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS

**WATER SPILL:** Contains Pyrethroids, which are toxic to fish and other aquatic invertebrates. Contaminated absorbent and wash water should be disposed of according to local, state/provincial and federal/national regulations.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE:

**GENERAL PROCEDURES:** Do not use or store near heat, sparks, open flame, or any other ignition sources.

**HANDLING:** Contents under pressure - DO NOT puncture or incinerate container. Do not use or store near heat, sparks, open flame, or any other ignition sources. Take prudent precautions to avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Mechanical ventilation should be used when handling this product in enclosed spaces. Do not contaminate water, food or feedstuffs by storage, handling, or disposal.

READ AND OBSERVE ALL PRECAUTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS ON THE PRODUCT LABEL.

**STORAGE:** Store containers upright and closed. Always store pesticides in the original container. Store away from food and pet-food. Store in areas that are cool, dry, and well-ventilated. **DO NOT expose to temperatures above 130°F (54.4°C), as bursting may occur.** DO NOT use or store near heat, sparks, open flame, near any ignition sources, or near strong acids, bases, and oxidizers. Emptied containers may retain product residues.

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION:

#### EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

OSHA HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (29 CFR1910.1200)							
		EXPOSURE LIMITS					
		OSHA PEL		ACGIH TLV		Supplier OEL	
Chemical Name		ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>
SUMITHRIN® (d-Phenothrin)	TWA	None		None		None	
Tetramethrin (NEO-PYRAMIN®)	TWA	None		None		None	
Petroleum Distillates	TWA	None		None		152 <sup>[1]</sup>	1200 <sup>[1]</sup>

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### OSHA TABLE COMMENTS:

1. Based on total hydrocarbon composition.

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Mechanical ventilation should be used when handling this product in enclosed spaces. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

**EYES AND FACE:** Take prudent precautions to avoid contact with eyes.

**SKIN:** Take prudent precautions to avoid contact with skin and clothing.

**WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** DO NOT SMOKE, EAT, OR DRINK, OR APPLY COSMETICS IN WORK AREA!

Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking, or using the toilet.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

**PHYSICAL STATE:** Pressurized Liquid

**ODOR:** Solvent odor.

**APPEARANCE:** Clear, yellow/ golden colored liquid.

**pH:** Not Applicable; Product not intended to be diluted in water.

**VAPOR DENSITY:** Heavier than air.

**FREEZING POINT:** Not Available

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Immiscible in water.

**Notes:** Water Solubility analysis is for the aerosol contents less the compressed gas propellant (i.e., Non-Volatiles).

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY:** 0.784 (Water = 1) at 20 °C (68 °F)

**Notes:** Specific Gravity is for the aerosol contents less the compressed gas propellant (i.e., Non-Volatiles).

**VISCOSITY #1:** 8.92 cPs at 20.6 °C (69.1 °F) Brookfield on Non-Volatiles

**(VOC):** < 2.000 %

### 10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY DATA:

**STABLE:** Yes

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** No

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Not compatible with strong acids or bases. Not compatible with strong oxidizers.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

#### ACUTE

**DERMAL LD<sub>50</sub>:** > 2.0 gm/kg

**Notes:** Albino rabbit. **ORAL**

**LD<sub>50</sub>:** > 5.0 gm/kg

**Notes:** Albino rat.

**INHALATION LC<sub>50</sub>:** > 5.14 mg/L

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**Notes:** Rats exposed for 4 hours to test atmosphere. The Acute Inhalation LC<sub>50</sub> of this material places it in EPA Toxic Category IV.

**EYE EFFECTS:** Irritation clearing within 72 hours.

**SKIN EFFECTS:** Slight irritation at 72 hours. Produced a primary skin Irritation Index = 1.1

**SENSITIZATION:** Negative; Not considered to be a dermal sensitizer to albino guinea pigs.

**COMMENTS:** None of the components present in this material at concentrations equal to or greater than 0.1% are listed by IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH as being carcinogens.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** This pesticide is extremely toxic to aquatic organisms, including fish and aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate. Drift and runoff may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. Applying this product in calm weather when rain is not predicted for the next 24 hours will help to ensure that wind or rain does not blow or wash pesticide off the treatment area.

**BEE WARNING:** This product is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment on blooming crops or weeds. Do not apply this product or allow it to drift to blooming crops or weeds while bees are actively visiting the area.

### 13. DISPOSAL INFORMATION:

**DISPOSAL METHOD:** DO NOT puncture or incinerate container!

**IF EMPTY:**

Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

**IF PARTLY FILLED:**

Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions.

**RCRA/EPA WASTE INFORMATION:** None of the ingredients in this product appear on the RCRA lists (40 CFR 261.24, 40CFR

251.33) or CERCLA Hazardous Substance list (40 CFR Part 302 Table 302.4)

### 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION:

**DOT (DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)**

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** UN1950, Aerosols, Flammable, N.O.S.

**PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION:** 2.1

**AIR (ICAO/IATA)**

**SHIPPING NAME:** UN1950, Aerosols, Flammable, N.O.S.

**PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION:** 2.1

**VESSEL (IMO/MDG)**

**SHIPPING NAME:** Not Available

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION:

**UNITED STATES**

**SARA TITLE III (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT)**

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**FIRE:** Yes **PRESSURE GENERATING:** Yes **REACTIVITY:** No **ACUTE:** Yes

**313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS:** This product contains no SARA Title III Section 313 chemicals that exceed the reporting limits.

### 302/304 EMERGENCY PLANNING

**EMERGENCY PLAN:** There are no SARA Title III Section 302 extremely hazardous substances present in this formulation (40 CFR 355).

There are no components that are subject to emergency requirements under CERCLA Section 103(a)(40 CFR 302.4) in this formulation.

### TSCA (TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT)

**TSCA STATUS:** All chemical substances found in this product comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act's inventory reporting requirements.

### REGULATIONS

#### STATE REGULATIONS:

#### VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOC):

This product contains less than 2% VOC's.

**CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65:** This product contains the following ingredient for which the State of California has found to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm, which requires a warning under the statute:

COMPONENT, CAS#, MAX %:

Cumene, 98-82-8, 0.010%

**FIFRA (FEDERAL INSECTICIDE, FUNGICIDE, AND RODENTICIDE ACT):** NOTE: This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the United States 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. The following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

**CAUTION.** Harmful if absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Contains petroleum distillates - Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing.

**PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS:** FLAMMABLE. Contents under pressure. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Exposure to temperatures above 130°F (54.4°C) may cause bursting.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION:

#### HMIS RATING

HEALTH	1
FLAMMABILITY	2
PHYSICAL HAZARD	1
PERSONAL PROTECTION	<input type="checkbox"/>

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**HMIS RATINGS NOTES:** We assign HMIS ratings to this product based on the hazards of its ingredients(s). Since the customer is most aware of the applications and conditions of use, he or she must ensure that the proper Personal Protective Equipment is provided, consistent with the information contained in Section's 2, 7, and 8 of this MSDS.

**COMMENTS:** The data contained herein are based on information currently available to Voluntary Purchasing groups, Inc. and, to the best of our knowledge, are accurate and based on sound expert opinion. Our statements herein, however, are not to be taken as a warranty or representation for which Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc. assumes legal responsibility.

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