

SAFETY DATA SHEET (GHS)

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: SPHYNX
PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: An Insecticide Formulation for use in Spraying Equipment.
EPA REG. NO. : 82074-11
ACTIVE INGREDIENT(S): Pyrethrins; Azadirachtin

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS CLASSIFICATIONS

Health:

Skin Irritation, Category 2
 Skin Sensitization, Category 1 B
 Acute Toxicity (Inhalation), Category 4
 Acute Toxicity (Oral), Category 5
 Aspiration Hazard, Category 2

Environmental:

Acute Hazards to the Aquatic Environment, Category 1

Physical:

Combustible Liquids, Category 4

GHS LABEL



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Health
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SIGNAL WORD: WARNING

HAZARD STATEMENTS

H227: Combustible liquid.

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H315: Causes skin irritation.
 H332: Harmful if inhaled.
 H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
 H305: May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways.
 H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

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.
 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.
 P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. – No smoking.

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 ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	Wt. %	CAS
Pyrethrins	1.4	8003-34-7
Azadirachtin	1.2	11141-17-6

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. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. 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.

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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: For skin effects, a highly efficient therapeutic agent for pyrethrin exposure is topical application of tocopherol acetate (Vitamin E).

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLAMMABLE CLASS: OSHA-COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID

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.

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.

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 Pyrethrins, which are toxic to fish and other aquatic invertebrates. Contaminated absorbent and wash water should be disposed of according to local, state, and federal regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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

HANDLING: Wear OSHA-approved safety glasses with side-shields, safety goggles, or a full face-shield. Wear chemical-resistant gloves such as Barrier Lamine, Neoprene Rubber, Nitrile Rubber, or Viton. Wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes and socks.

Applicators using hand-held foggers in an enclosed area must wear a half-face, full-face, or hood-style NIOSH-approved respirator with a dust/ mist filtering cartridge (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G), or a cartridge or canister with any R, P or HE filter.

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 in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Keep container closed. Do not use or store near heat, sparks, open flame, any ignition sources, or near strong acids, bases, and oxidizers. Always store pesticides in the original container. Store away from food and pet-food.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

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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 ³	ppm	mg/m ³	ppm	mg/m ³
Pyrethrins	TWA		5		5		
Azadirachtin	TWA	None		None		None	

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: Wear OSHA-approved safety glasses with side-shields, safety goggles, or a full-face shield.

SKIN: Wear chemical-resistant gloves such as Barrier Laminate, Neoprene Rubber, Nitrile Rubber, or Viton, and wear protective clothing.

RESPIRATORY: Applicators using hand-held foggers in an enclosed-area must also wear the following additional PPE: Wear a MSHA/ NIOSH-approved respirator, such as a half-face, full-face, or hood-style NIOSH-approved respirator with a dust/ mist filtering cartridge (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/ NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G), or a cartridge or canister with any R, P or HE filter.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: Wear a long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes and socks.

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.

OTHER USE PRECAUTIONS: AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS:

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR, Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on the label about personal protective equipment (PPE), notification to workers, and restricted-entry interval. The requirements listed below only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is: Coveralls; Chemical-resistant gloves such as Barrier Laminate, Nitrile Rubber, Neoprene Rubber, or Viton; Shoes plus socks.

COMMENTS: NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS:

The requirements in this section apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR, Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Keep unprotected persons out of treated areas until sprays have dried.

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Wear protective clothing when using or handling this product to help avoid exposure to eyes and skin. Gloves, a long-sleeved shirt and long-pants are recommended.

Allow spray to dry before allowing adults, children, or pets on treated areas.

For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE: Liquid

ODOR: Fruit-like odor.

APPEARANCE: Dark, amber-colored liquid.

COLOR: 18 on Gardner Scale.

pH: 5

Notes: Qa 5% in water.

FLASHPOINT AND METHOD: 67.2°C (153°F) TAG Closed Cup

VAPOR DENSITY: Heavier than air. **FREEZING**

POINT: Not Determined **SOLUBILITY IN WATER:**

Partially miscible in water.

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 0.941 (Water = 1) at 20 °C (68°F)

VISCOSITY #1: 34.7 CPS at 24.3°C (75.7°F) Brookfield

(VOC): < 6.000 %

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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 LD₅₀: > 5000 mg/kg

Notes: Albino rabbit.

ORAL LD₅₀: > 5000 mg/kg

Notes: Albino rat.

INHALATION LC₅₀: > 2.04 mg/L

Notes: Rats exposed for 4 hours to test atmosphere. The Acute Inhalation LC₅₀ of this material places it in EPA Toxic Category IV.

EYE EFFECTS: Irritation clearing within 72 hours.

SKIN EFFECTS: Moderate irritation at 72 hours. Produced a primary skin irritation index of 4.7

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SENSITIZATION: Positive.

GENERAL COMMENTS: Some or all of the toxicity data reported above was bridged from a substantially similar formula.

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.

Carcinogenicity/ Oncogenicity - Slightly elevated incidences of benign tumors of the thyroid and liver were seen in rats following lifetime administration of high doses of Pyrethrins. Further detailed scientific studies into the mode of action responsible for these effects show that:

- 1) Because of biological species differences, the rat thyroid tumors are not relevant to humans.
- 2) The rat liver tumors occur in animals *only* at doses greatly exceeding human exposure levels and that cause cell proliferation (mitogenesis).

Based on these data, the USEPA has classified Pyrethrins as "Not Likely to be Carcinogenic to Humans," at doses that do not cause a mitogenic response in the liver/ cell proliferation. Thus, Pyrethrins can be considered to be non-carcinogenic at exposure levels relevant to human use of Pyrethrins-containing products.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: This product is toxic to aquatic organisms, including fish and invertebrates. Drift and run-off may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. This product may contaminate water through run-off. This product has a potential for run-off for several weeks after application. Poorly draining soils and soils with shallow water tables are more prone to produce run-off that contains this product.

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 treatment area.

Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash-waters or rinsate. See the 'Directions for Use' on the product label for additional precautions and restrictions.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHOD: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

EMPTY CONTAINER: Non-refillable container. DO NOT reuse or refill this container.

Triple-rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying.

Triple-rinse as follows for containers of 5 gallons (18.9 Liters) or less: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix-tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¹/₄ full with water and re-cap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix-tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Offer for recycling if available, or reconditioning if appropriate, or puncture and dispose of container in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

RCRA/EPA WASTE INFORMATION: This product contains the following RCRA/CERCLA Hazardous wastes/substances:

Component, RCRA ID#, CERCLA RQ:

Pyrethrins, N/A, 1 Lb.

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17. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Insecticides, Insect or Animal Repellent, Liquid, N.O.S.

PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION: Non-Hazardous

REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ) UNDER CERCLA: 71.4 Lbs.

OTHER SHIPPING INFORMATION: This material is not regulated as a hazardous material by the DOT, IATA/ ICAO, nor by IMO/IMDG in quantities less-than < 71.4 Lbs.

Proper shipping name for quantities less-than < 71.4 Lbs.:
Insecticides, Insect or Animal Repellents, Liquid, N.O.S.

AIR (ICAO/IATA)

SHIPPING NAME: Insecticides, Insect or Animal Repellent, Liquid, N.O.S.

PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION: Non-Hazardous

VESSEL (IMO/IMDG)

SHIPPING NAME: Not Available

18. REGULATORY INFORMATION

UNITED STATES

SARA TITLE III (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT)

FIRE: Yes PRESSURE GENERATING: No 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).

See Section 13 of this MSDS for the components that are subject to emergency requirements under CERCLA Section 103(a)(40 CFR 302.4).

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 6% VOC's.

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:

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CAUTION. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

Mixer's, loaders, applicators, and other handlers:

Wear OSHA-approved safety glasses with side-shields, safety goggles, or a full face-shield.
Wear chemical-resistant gloves such as Barrier Laminate, Neoprene Rubber, Nitrile Rubber, or Viton.
Wear a long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes and socks.

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PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS: Combustible. Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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.

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

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