

bromobutide

Herbicide

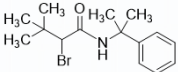
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Nomenclature

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Common name

bromobutide (BSI, E-ISO, (*m*) F-ISO)

IUPAC name

2-bromo-3,3-dimethyl-*N*-(1-methyl-1-phenylethyl)butyramide

CAS RN

[74712-19-9]

Chemical Abstracts name

2-bromo-3,3-dimethyl-*N*-(1-methyl-1-phenylethyl)butanamide

Development codes

S-4347 (Sumitomo)

SMILES code

CC(C)(C)C(Br)C(NC(C)(C)C1=CC=CC=C1)=O

InChI key

WZDDLAXUYIVMU-UHFFFAOYSA-N

InChI

InChI=1S/C15H22BrNO/c1-14(2,3)12(16)13(18)17-15(4,5)11-9-7-6-8-10-11/h6-10,12H,1-5H3,(H,17,18)

Physical chemistry

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Mol. wt.

312.2

M.f.

C₁₅H₂₂BrNO

Physical form

Tech. forms colourless to yellow crystals.

M.p. (°C)

179.5

V.p. (mPa)

0.0592 (25 °C)

log *K_{ow}*

3.46

Henry (Pa m³ mol⁻¹, calc.)

6.53

Water solubility (mg/l, 20-25 °C)

3.54

Organic solubility (g/l, 20-25 °C)

Soluble in hexane (0.5), methanol (35), xylene (4.7)

Stability

Aqueous photolysis DT₅₀ 13 w. Storage stable.

Commercialisation

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History

Reported by O. Kirino *et al.* (*Agric. Biol. Chem.*, 1981, **45**, 2669). Introduced by Sumitomo Chemical Co. Ltd and first registered in Japan in 1986.

Manufacturers

Sumitomo Chemical

Patents

US 4288244; GB 2031420.

Applications

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Spectrum and route of action

Selective herbicide.

Uses

Control of grass and sedge weeds, especially *Echinochloa* spp., *Eleocharis acicularis* and *Scirpus juncoides*, and some broad-leaved weeds in paddy and upland rice, at 600-900 g/ha.

Phytotoxicity

Rice injury may occur on sandy fields, or on rice which has been shallowly transplanted.

Formulation types

GR

Selected products

Sumiherb (Sumitomo Chemical)

Selected mixtures

Kumistar (+ bensulfuron-methyl+ fenoxasulfone) (Kumiai), Revolver Ace (+ mefenacet + pyrazosulfuron-ethyl+ cyhalofop-butyl) (Nissan), Shokinie (+ pentoxazone) (Kumiai), Topgun (+ bensulfuron-methyl+ pyriminobac-methyl + pentoxazone) (Kumiai)

Other mixtures

Alphapro (+ bensulfuron-methyl+ fenoxasulfone) (Mitsui Chemicals Agro), Gohwan (+ bensulfuron-methyl+ oxaziclomefone+ clomeprop) (Hokko), Hachiku (+ butachlor+ benzoferap) (Hokko), Homerunking (+ bensulfuron-methyl+ oxaziclomefone+ clomeprop) (Hokko), Innova DX (+ bensulfuron-methyl+ fentrazamide) (Bayer CropScience), Ippon D (+ bensulfuron-methyl+ pyraclonil+ dalmuron) (Nihon Nohyaku), Kuroobi (+ oxaziclomefone+ clomeprop) (Nihon Nohyaku), Onebest (+ thenylchlor+ pyrazoxyfen) (Ishihara Sangyo), Samourai (+ oxaziclomefone+ benzoferap) (Nihon Nohyaku)

Discontinued mixtures

Kusatori DX ((+ bensulfuron-methyl+ fentrazamide)), Niceshot-Jumbo ((+ pyrazolynate+ cafenstrole)), See-Z ((+ pyributicarb+ benzoferap)), Slasher ((+ pretilachlor+ dimethametryn+ pyrazolynate)), Topgan A ((+ bensulfuron-methyl+ pyriminobac-methyl + pentoxazone+ azimsulfuron)) (Kumiai)

Analysis

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Product

GLC-FID. Residues GLC.

Regulatory

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Toxicological & environmental reviews

Toxicity class: WHO (a.i.)

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Mammalian toxicology

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Acute oral (LD₅₀, mg/kg)

rats >5000

Acute percutaneous (LD₅₀, mg/kg)

rats >5000

Ecotoxicology

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Fish LC₅₀ (48 h) for carp

>5.0 mg/l.

Daphnia EC₅₀ (48 h)

>5.0 mg/l.

Algae E_rC₅₀ (72 h)

>5.0 mg/l.