



Herbicide mode of action (MoA) classifications have changed to capture new active constituents and ensure the MoA classification system is globally relevant.

The numerical classification system is now live and all labels should be updated by the end of 2024.

High resistance risk

Chemical family	Active constituent (first registered trade name)
GROUP 1: (previously A)	
Inhibition of acetyl co-enzyme A carboxylase (ACC'ase inhibitors)	
Aryloxyphenoxy-pro-pionates (FOPs)	clodinafop (Topik®), cyhalofop (Agixa®, Barnstorm®), diclofop (Cheetah® Gold* Decision®, Hoegrass®, fenoxaprop (Cheetah®, Gold*, Wildcat®), fluazifop (Fusilade®), haloxyfop (Verdict®), propaquizafop (Shogun®), quizalofop (Targa®)
Cyclohexanediones (DIMs)	butoxydim (Factor®*), clethodim (Select®), profoxydim (Aura®), sethoxydim (Cheetah® Gold*, Decision®*), tralkoxydim (Achieve®)
Phenylpyrazoles (DENs)	pinoxaden (Axial®)
GROUP 2: (previously B)	
Inhibition of acetolactate synthase (ALS inhibitors), acetohydroxyacid synthase (AHAS)	
Imidazolinones (IMIs)	imazamox (Intervix®, Raptor®), imazapic (Bobcat I-Maxx®, Flame®, Midas®*, OnDuty®*), imazapyr (Arsenal Xpress®, Intervix®*, Lightning®*, Midas®* OnDuty®*), imazethapyr (Lightning®*, Spinnaker®)

Chemical family	Active constituent (first registered trade name)
Pyrimidinyl-thio-benzoates	bispyribac (Nominee®), pyriproxyfen (Staple®)
Sulfonyleureas (SUS)	azimsulfuron (Gulliver®), bensulfuron (Londax®), chlorsulfuron (Glean®), ethoxysulfuron (Hero®), foramsulfuron (Tribute®), halosulfuron (Sempra®), iodosulfuron (Hussar®), mesosulfuron (Atlantis®), metsulfuron (Ally®), Harmony® M, Stinger®*, Trounce®*, Ultimate Brushweed®* Herbicide, prosulfuron (Casper®), rimsulfuron (Titus®), sulfometuron (Oust®, Eucomix Pre Plant®, Trimac Plus®*), sulfosulfuron (Monza®), thifensulfuron (Harmony® M), triasulfuron (Logran®, Logran B-Power®*), tribenuron (Express®), trifloxsulfuron (Envoke®, Krismat®*)
Triazolopyrimidines-Type 1	florasulam (Crest®*, Gangster®*, Paradigm®*, Vortex®*, XPand®*), flumetsulam (Broadstrike®, Thistrol® Gold*), metosulam (Eclipse®)
Triazolopyrimidines-Type 2	pyroxulam (Crusader® Rexade®*)

Moderate resistance risk

Chemical family	Active constituent (first registered trade name)
GROUP 3: (previously D)	
Inhibition of microtubule assembly	
Benzamides	propyzamide (Effig®*, Kerb®)
Benzoic acids	chlorthal (Dacthal®, Prothal®*)
Dinitroanilines: (DNAs)	oryzalin (Rout®*, Surflan®), pendimethalin (Freehand®*, Stomp®), prodiamine (Barricade®), trifluralin (Bolta Duo®*, Jetti Duo®*, Treflan®)
Pyridines	dithiopyr (Dimension®)
GROUP 4: (previously I)	
Disruptors of plant cell growth (Auxin mimics)	
Benzoates	dicamba (Banvel®, Banvel M®*, Barrel®*, Casper®*, Lawnweeder plus®, Lawn weedkiller*, Mecoban®, Methar Tri-Kombi®, Nuturf Millennium®, Sandoban®*)
Phenoxy-carboxylates (Phenoxy)	2,4-D (Actil DS®*, Amicide®, Fallow Boss Tordon®*, Methar Tri-Kombi®, Pyresta®*, Vortex®*), 2,4-DB (Trifolamine®), dichlorprop (Lantana 600®), MCPA (Agripe® MA*), Banvel M®*, Barrel®*, Basagran® M60*, Buctril® MA*, Buffalo Pro Weedkiller®, Condor®, Flight®, Lawnweeder plus®, Lawn weedkiller*, Midas®, Paragon®, Precept®, Quadrant®, Silverado®, Spearhead®, Thistrol Gold®, Tigrex®, Tordon 242®, Triathlon®, MCBP (Legume®), Thistrol Gold®*), mecoprop (Mecoban®, Mecopropamine®, Methar TriKombi®, Multiweed®*)
Pyridine carboxylates (Pyridines)	aminopyralid (Fallow Boss Tordon®*, ForageMax®, Grazon Extra®, Hotshot®, Stinger®, Vigilant II®*), clopyralid (Ontrel®, Nuturf Millennium®, Spearhead®, Trimac Plus®, Velmec Plus®*), florpyrauxifen (Agixa®, Ubeniq®, halaxifen (ForageMax®, Paradigm®, Pixxaro®, Rexade®), picloram (Fallow Boss Tordon®*, Grazon Extra®, Tordon®, Tordon 242®, Tordon Regrowth Master®, Trinoc®, Vigilant II®*),
Quinoline-carboxylates	quinclorac (Drive®)
Pyridyloxy-carboxylates	fluoroxypr (Crest®, Hotshot®, Pixxaro®, Starane®), triclopyr (Garlon®, Grazon Extra®, Tordon Regrowth Master®, Tough Roundup® Weedkiller®, Ultimate Brushweed®* Herbicide)
GROUP 5: (previously C)	
Inhibition of photosynthesis at photosystem II - D1 Serine 264 binders (and other non-histidine binders) (PS II Serine 264 inhibitors)	
Amides	propanil (Stam®)
Phenylcarbamates	phenmedipham (Betanal®)
Pyridazinones	chloridazon (Pyramin®)
Triazines	ametryn (Amigan®*, Gesapax® Combi*, Krismat®, Primatol Z®), atrazine (Gesapax® Combi*, Gesaprim®, Primextra® Gold*), cyanazine (Bladex®), prometryn (Bandit®, Cotogard®, Gesagard®), propazine (Agaprop®), simazine (Brunnings RTU Path Weeder®*), Gesatop®, Bantox®, Yates Once A Year Path Weeder®*), terbutylazine (Effig®*, Firestorm®, Palmero TX®, Terbyne®), terbutryn (Agtryne® MA*, Amigan®, Igran®)
Triazinones	amicarbazone (Amitron®*) hexazinone (Bobcat I-Maxx®, Velmac Plus®, Velpar® K4*, Velpar® L), metribuzin (Aptitude®, Sencor®)
Uracils	bromacil (Hyvar®, Krovar®*), terbacil (Eucmix Pre Plant®, Sinbar®, Trimac Plus®*)
Ureas	diuron (Karmex®, Krovar®, Velpar® K4*), fluometuron (Bandit®, Cotogard®, Cotoran®), linuron (Aflon®), methabenzthiazuron (Tribulin®), siduron (Tupersan®), tebuturon (Graslan®)

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GROUP 6: (previously C)	
Inhibition of photosynthesis at photosystem II - D1 Histidine 215 binders (PS II Histidine 215 inhibitors)	
Benzothiadiazinones	bentazone (Basagran®, Basagran® M60*, Lawnweeder Plus®*)
Nitriles	bromoxynil (Barrel®*, Buctril®, Buctril® MA*, Buffalo Pro Weedkiller®, Eliminar C®, Flight®, Jaguar®, Quadrant®, Talinor®, Triathlon®, Velocity®*), ioxynil (Actil DS®, Totril®)
GROUP 9: (previously M)	
Inhibition of 5-enolpyruvyl shikimate-3 phosphate synthase (EPSP inhibition)	
Glycines	glyphosate (Arsenal Xpress®, Bantox®, Broadway®, Firestorm®, Illico®, Resolva®, Roundup®, Sandoban®, Tough Roundup® Weedkiller®, Trounce®, Yates Pathweeder®*)
GROUP 10: (previously N)	
Inhibition of glutamine synthetase	
Phosphinic acids	glufosinate (Basta®, Liberty®)
GROUP 12: (previously F)	
Inhibition of carotenoid biosynthesis at the phytoene desaturase step (PDS inhibitors)	
N-Phenyl heterocycles	norflurazon (Solicam®)
Phenyl-ethers	diflufenican (Brodal®, Gangster®, Jaguar®, Quadrant®, Spearhead®, Tigrex®, Triathlon®, Yates Pathweeder®*), picolinolan (Eliminar C®, Flight®, Paragon®, Quadrant®, Sniper®)
GROUP 13: (previously Q)	
Inhibition of deoxy-D-xylulose phosphate synthase (DOXP inhibitors)	
Isoxazolidinones	bixazole (Overwatch®), clomazone (Altiplano®, Command®)
GROUP 14: (previously G)	
Inhibition of protoporphyrinogen oxidase (PPO inhibitors)	
Diphenyl ethers	acifluorfen (Blazer®), fomesafen (Reflex®), oxyfluorfen (Goal®, Rout®, Yates Pathweeder®)
N-Phenyl-oxadiazolones	oxadiargyl (Raft®), oxadiazon (Ronstar®)
Phenylpyrazoles	pyraflufen (Condor®, Ecopar®, Pyresta®*)
N-Phenyl-imides	butafenacil (B-Power®*), Logran® B-Power®, Resolva®, flumioxazin (Valor®, Terrain®), saflufenacil (Sharpen®, Voraxor®*), tifenacil (Terrad'Or®), trifludimoxazin (Voraxor®*)
N-Phenyl-triazolinones	carfentrazone (Affinity®, Aptitude®, Broadway®, Buffalo Pro Weedkiller®, Silverado®*)
GROUP 15: (previously J, K)	
Inhibition of very long chain fatty acid synthesis (VLCFA inhibitors)	
a-Chloroacetamides	dimethenamid (Freehand®, Frontier®-P, Outlook®), metazachlor (Butisan®), metolachlor (Boxer® Gold*, Dual® Gold, Primextra® Gold*), propachlor (Prothal®, Ramrod®)
Benzofurans	ethofumesate (Tramat®)
Isoxazolines	pyroxasulfone (Sakura®)
Thiocarbamates	EPTC (Eptam®), molinate (Ordrum®), pebulate (Tillam®), prosulfocarb (Arcade®), Bolta Duo®, Boxer® Gold*, Diablo Duo®*), thiobencarb (Saturn®), tri-allate (Avadex®, Diablo Duo®*), Jetti Duo®*), vernolate (Vernam®)
GROUP 16: (previously J, K)	
Inhibition of long-chain fatty acid synthesis (LCFAs)	
GROUP 17: (previously L)	
Inhibition of cellulose biosynthesis	
Alkylazaines	indaziflam (Specticle®)
Benzamides	isoxaben (Gallery®, X-Pand®*)
Nitriles	dichlobenil (Casoron®)
GROUP 18: (previously H)	
Inhibition of 4-hydroxyphenyl-pyruvate dioxygenase (HPPD inhibitors)	
Isoxazoles	isoxaflutole (Balance®, Palmero TX®*)
Pyrazoles	benzofenap (Taipan®), pyrasulfotole (Precept®, Velocity®*) topramezone (Frequency®)
Triketones	bicycloprone (Talinor®*), mesotrione (Callisto®)
GROUP 19: (previously P)	
Inhibition of auxin transport (ATIs)	
Aryl-carboxylates	naptalam (Alanap-L®)
GROUP 20: (previously I)	
Inhibition of photosynthesis at photosystem I via electron diversion (PSI electron diversion)	
Pyridiniums	diquat (Reglone®, Spray Seed®*), paraquat (Alliance®, Gramoxone®, Spray Seed®*)
GROUP 21: (previously E)	
Inhibition of microtubule organisation	
Carbamates	carbetamide (Carbetamex®), chlorpropham (Chlorpropham®)
GROUP 22: (previously R)	
Inhibition of dihydropteroate synthase (DHP inhibitors)	
Carbamates	asulam (Asulox®)
GROUP 23: (previously E)	
Inhibition of auxin transport (ATIs)	
Aryl-carboxylates	naptalam (Alanap-L®)
GROUP 24: (previously I)	
Inhibition of photosynthesis at photosystem I via electron diversion (PSI electron diversion)	
Pyridiniums	diquat (Reglone®, Spray Seed®*), paraquat (Alliance®, Gramoxone®, Spray Seed®*)
GROUP 25: (previously E)	
Inhibition of cellulose biosynthesis	
Alkylazaines	indaziflam (Specticle®)
Benzamides	isoxaben (Gallery®, X-Pand®*)
Nitriles	dichlobenil (Casoron®)
GROUP 26: (previously H)	
Inhibition of 4-hydroxyphenyl-pyruvate dioxygenase (HPPD inhibitors)	
Isoxazoles	isoxaflutole (Balance®, Palmero TX®*)
Pyrazoles	benzofenap (Taipan®), pyrasulfotole (Precept®, Velocity®*) topramezone (Frequency®)
Triketones	bicycloprone (Talinor®*), mesotrione (Callisto®)
GROUP 27: (previously H)	
Inhibition of cellulose biosynthesis	
Alkylazaines	indaziflam (Specticle®)
Benzamides	isoxaben (Gallery®, X-Pand®*)
Nitriles	dichlobenil (Casoron®)
GROUP 28: (previously H)	
Inhibition of 4-hydroxyphenyl-pyruvate dioxygenase (HPPD inhibitors)	
Isoxazoles	isoxaflutole (Balance®, Palmero TX®*)
Pyrazoles	benzofenap (Taipan®), pyrasulfotole (Precept®, Velocity®*) topramezone (Frequency®)
Triketones	bicycloprone (Talinor®*), mesotrione (Callisto®)
GROUP 29: (previously Q)	
Inhibition of cellulose biosynthesis	
Alkylazaines	indaziflam (Specticle®)
Benzamides	isoxaben (Gallery®, X-Pand®*)
Nitriles	dichlobenil (Casoron®)
GROUP 30: (previously T)	
Inhibition of fatty acid thioesterase	
Benzyl ether	cinnmethylin (Luximax®), methiozolin (PoaCure Turf®)
GROUP 31: (previously Z)	
Inhibition of serine-threonine protein phosphatase (STPP inhibitors)	
Unknown	endothal (Endothal®)
GROUP 32: (previously Q)	
Inhibition of lycopene cyclase	
Triazoles	amitrole (Alliance®, Amitrole®, Brunnings RTU Pathweeder®, Illico®, Firestorm®, Yates Onceyear Pathweeder®*)
GROUP 33: (previously Z)	
Herbicides with unknown mode of action	
Arylaminopropionic acids	flamprop (Mataven® L)
Acetamides	napropamide (Altiplano®, Devrinol®)
Organosulfuricals	DSMA (disodium methylsulfonate) (Methar®, Trinoc®*), MSMA (monosodium methylsulfonate) (Daconate®)
Fatty acids	Pelargonic acid (Nonanoic acid) (Slasher®)
Chlorocarbonic acids	dalapon (Dalapon®, Yates Onceyear Pathweeder®*), flupropanate (Frenock®)
Phosphorodithioates	bensulide (Prefar®)

Notes:
1 List of approved active constituents in each "Group" and, for ease of identification, at the discretion of the Expert Committee on Herbicide Resistance the trade name of the first registered product or successor.
2 Refer to the APVMA website (apvma.gov.au) to obtain a complete list of registered products from the PUBCRIS database. * This product contains more than one active constituent

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