

Common and Chemical Names of Herbicides^a

Common Name or Designation	Chemical Name
acetochlor (ə-sē-tō-klōr)	2-chloro-N-(ethoxymethyl)-N-(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)acetamide
acifluorfen (a-sē-floōr-fen)	5-[2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxy]-2-nitrobenzoic acid
acrolein (ə-kro-lē-ən)	2-propenal
alachlor ('al-ə-klōr)	2-chloro-N-(2,6-diethylphenyl)-N-(methoxymethyl)acetamide
ametryn ('am-ə-trēn)	N-ethyl-N'-(1-methylethyl)-6-(methylthio)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
amitrole ('am-ə-trōl)	1 <i>H</i> -1,2,4-triazol-3-amine
AMS	ammonium sulfate
asulam ('az-ü-lam)	methyl[(4-aminophenyl)sulfonyl] carbamate
atrazine ('a-trä-zēn)	6-chloro-N-ethyl-N'-(1-methylethyl)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
barban ('bär-bän)	4-chloro-2-butynyl 3-chlorophenylcarbamate
benefin ('ben-ə-fin)	N-butyl-N-ethyl-2,6-dinitro-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
bensulfuron (ben-sül-fūr-ən)	2-[1-[4,(6-dimethoxy-2-pyrimidinyl)amino] carbonyl amino] sulfonyl methyl benzoic acid
bensulide ('ben-sü-lid)	O,O-bis(1-methylethyl) S-[2-[1-phenylsulfonyl]amino] ethyl phosphorodithioate
bentazon ('ben-tä-zōn)	3-(1-methylethyl)-1 <i>H</i> -2,1,3-benzothiadiazin-4(3 <i>H</i>)-one 2,2-dioxide
benzofluor ('ben-zō-flōr)	N-[4-(ethylthio)-2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl] methanesulfonamide
benzoylprop ('ben-zō-il-prop)	N-benzoyl-N-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-DL-alanine
bifenox ('bi-fēn-oks)	methyl 5-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)-2-nitrobenzoate
bromacil ('brōm-ə-sil)	5-bromo-6-methyl-3-(methylpropyl)-2,4(1 <i>H</i> ,3 <i>H</i>)pyrimidinedione
bromoxynil (brom-'oks-ə-nil)	3,5-dibromo-4-hydroxybenzonitrile
butachlor ('büt-tä-klōr)	N-(butoxymethyl)-2-chloro-N-(2,6-diethylphenyl)acetamide
buthidazole (büt-thid-ə-zōl)	3-[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl]-4-hydroxy-1-methyl-2-imidazolidinone
butylate ('büt-ti-lät)	S-ethyl bis(2-methylpropyl)carbamothioate
cacdodylic acid ('ka-kō-'dil-ik 'as-id)	dimethyl arsanic acid
CDAA	2-chloro-N,N-di-2-propenylacetamide
chloramben (klör-'äm-bēn)	3-amino-2,5-dichlorobenzoic acid
chlorimuron (klör-'rim-ü-rōn)	2-[{[4-chloro-6-methoxy-2-pyrimidinyl)amino] carbonyl amino} sulfonyl] benzoic acid
chloroxuron (klör-'oks-ü-rōn)	N'-[4-(4-chlorophenoxy)phenyl]-N,N-dimethylurea
chlorphopham (klör-'prō-fām)	1-methylethyl 3-chlorophenylcarbamate
chlorsulfuron (klör-'sül-fū-rōn)	2-chloro-N-[{(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)amino] carbonyl] benzenesulfonamide
cinnmethynil (sin-'meth-ə-lin)	exo-1-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-2-[2-(methylphenyl)methoxy]-7-oxabicyclo[2.2.1]heptane
clethodim (klet-hō-dim)	(<i>E</i> , <i>E</i>)-(±)-2-[1-[3-chloro-2-propenyl]oxy] imino propyl-5-[2-(ethylthio)propyl]-3-hydroxy-2-cyclohexen-1-one
clomazone ('klō-mä-zōn)	2-[2-(chlorophenyl)methyl]-4,4-dimethyl-3-isoxazolidinone
cloproxydim (klör-'proks-ə-dim)	(E,E)-2-[1-[3-(chloro-2-propenyl)oxy] imino] butyl-5-[2-(ethylthio)propyl]-3-hydroxy-2-cyclohexen-1-one
clopypralid (klō-'pir-ə-lid)	3,6-dichloro-2-pyridinecarboxylic acid
CMA	calcium salt of MAA
cyanazine (sī-'an-ə-zēn)	2-[4-chloro-6-(ethylamino)-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl] amino-2-methylpropanenitrile
cycloate ('sī-klö-ät)	S-ethyl cyclohexylethylcarbamothioate
dalapon ('dal-ə-pon)	2,2-dichloropropanoic acid
dazomet ('daz-ə-met)	tetrahydro-3,5-dimethyl-2 <i>H</i> -1,3,5-thiadiazine-2-thione
DCPA	dimethyl 2,3,5,6-tetrachloro-1,4-benzenedicarboxylate
desmediphham (dez-'med-ə-fam)	ethyl [3-[(phenylamino)carbonyl oxy] phenyl] carbamate
diallate ('di-lä-lät)	S-(2,3-dichloro-2-propenyl) bis(1-methylethyl)carbamothioate
dicamba (di-'kam-bä)	3,6-dichloro-2-methoxybenzoic acid
dichlobenil (di-klö-bē-näl)	2,6-dichlorobenzonitrile
dichlorprop (di-klö-pröp)	(+)-2-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)propanoic acid
diclofop ('di-klö-fōp)	(±)-2-[4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)phenoxy] propanoic acid
diethylat (di-'eth-ə-til)	N-(chloroacetyl)-N-(2,6-diethylphenyl)glycine
difenoquat (di-'fen-zō-kwät)	1,2-dimethyl-3,5-diphenyl-1 <i>H</i> -pyrazolium
dinitramine (di-'nit-rä-mēn)	N ³ ,N ³ -diethyl-2,4-dinitro-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1,3-benzenediamine
dinoseb ('di-nō-seb)	2-(1-methylpropyl)-4,6-dinitrophenol
diphenamid (di-'fen-ə-mid)	N,N-dimethyl- α -phenyl benzeneacetamide
disopropetryn (di-'prōp-ə-trēn)	6-(ethylthio)-N,N'-bis(1-methylethyl)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
diquat ('di-kwät')	6,7-dihydrodipyrido[1,2-a;2',1'-c] pyrazinediium ion
diuron ('di-ü-rōn)	N'-[3,4-dichlorophenyl]-N,N-dimethylurea
DSMA	disodium salt of MAA
endothall ('en-do-thol)	7-oxabicyclo[2.2.1]heptane-2,3-dicarboxylic acid
EPTC	S-ethyl dipropylcarbamothioate
ethalfluralin (eth-əl-'flür-ə-lin)	N-ethyl-N-(2-methyl-2-propenyl)-2,6-dinitro-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
ethofumesate (eth-ə-'fü-mä-sät)	(±)-2-ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-3,3-dimethyl-5-benzofuranyl methanesulfonate
fenac ('fen-ak)	2,3,6-trichlorobenzeneacetic acid
fenoxaprop (fen-'oks-ə-prop)	(+)-2-[4-(6-chloro-2-benzoxazolyl)oxy] phenoxy] propanoic acid
fenuron ('fen-ü-rōn)	N,N-dimethyl-N'-phenylurea
fenuron TCA ('fen-ü-rōn)	Salt of fenuron and TCA
flamprop (fläm-prop)	N-benzoyl-N-(3-chloro-4-fluorophenyl)-DL-alanine
fluazifop (flü-'az-ə-fōp)	(+)-2-[4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl] oxy] phenoxy] propanoic acid
fluazifop-P (flü-'az-ə-fāp-P)	(R)-2-[4-[5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl] oxy] phenoxy] propanoic acid
fluchloralin (flüō-klö-rä-lin)	N-(2-chloroethyl)-2,6-dinitro-N-propyl-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
fluometuron (flöō-ə-mēt-ü-rōn)	N,N-dimethyl-N'-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl] urea
fluorochloridone (flöō-ə-klö-rä-dōn)	3-chloro-4-(chloromethyl)-1-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-2-pyrrolidinone
fluorglycofen (flü-'grō-ə-'glī-kä-fēn)	carboxymethyl 5-[2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxyl]-2-nitrobenzoate
fluridone (flür-i-dōn)	1-methyl-3-phenyl-5-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4(1 <i>H</i>)-pyridinone
tomesafen (tō-'mēs-ə-fēn)	5-[2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxy]-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-nitrobenzamide
fosamine (fōs-ə-mēn)	ethyl hydrogen (aminocarbonyl)phosphonate
glyphosate (gli-fō-sät)	N-(phosphonomethyl)glycine
haloxyfop (ha-'loks-ə-fōp)	2-[4-[(3-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl) oxy] phenoxy] propanoic acid
hexaflurite (hek-sə-'flür-ät)	potassium hexafluoroarsenate
hexazinone (hek-s-'äz-nōn)	3-cyclohexyl-6-(dimethylamino)-1-methyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4(1 <i>H</i> ,3 <i>H</i>)-dione
imazapyr (i-mäz-ə-'pēr)	(±)-2-[4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-5-oxo-1 <i>H</i> -imidazol-2-yl]-3-pyridinecarboxylic acid
imazaquin (i-'mäz-ə-kwin)	2-[4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-5-oxo-1 <i>H</i> -imidazol-2-yl]-3-quindolinecarboxylic acid

PRONUNCIATION KEY: *äpe*, *fat*, *cär*, *bâre*; *ëvil*, *ten*; *bîte*, *is*; *gô*, *lot*, *oil*, *out*, *tôol*, *look*; *cûre*, *cup*, *turn*; *ə* = *a* in *ago*.

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imazethapyr (im-ə-'zeth-ə-pir)	(\pm)-2-[4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-5-oxo-1 <i>H</i> -imidazol-2-yl]-5-ethyl-3-pyridinecarboxylic acid
ioxynil (i-'oks-n-il)	4-hydroxy-3,5-diodobenzonitrile
isopropalin (i-sō-'prō-pə-lin)	4-(1-methylethyl)-2,6-dinitro- <i>N,N</i> -dipropylbenzenamine
isouron (i-sō-'ū-ron)	<i>N'</i> -[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-isoxazolyl]- <i>N,N</i> -dimethylurea
isoxaben (i-'soks-a-ben)	<i>N</i> -[3-(1-ethyl-1-methylpropyl)-5-isoxazolyl]-2,6-dimethoxybenzamide
karbutilate (kär-'bū-tə-lāt)	3-[(dimethylamino)carbonyl] amino phenyl (1,1-dimethylethyl)carbamate
linuron ('lin-ū-ron)	<i>N'</i> -(3,4-dichlorophenyl)- <i>N</i> -methoxy- <i>N</i> -methylurea
MAA	methylarsonic acid
MAMA	monoammonium salt of MAA
MCPA	(4-chloro-2-methylphenoxy)acetic acid
MCPB	4-(4-chloro-2-methylphenoxy)butanoic acid
mecoprop ('mek-ō-prop)	(\pm)-2-(4-chloro-2-methylphenoxy)propanoic acid
mefluidide (me-'flōō-i-did)	<i>N</i> -[2,4-dimethyl-5-[(trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl] amino] phenyl acetamide
metham ('meth-am)	methylcarbamodithioic acid
methazole ('meth-a-zōl)	2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-1,2,4-oxadiazolidine-3,5-dione
metolachlor (mō-'tōl-ə-klōr)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)- <i>N</i> -(2-methoxy-1-methylethyl)acetamide
metribuzin ('me-tri-'bū-zēn)	4-amino-6-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-(methylthio)-1,2,4-triazin-5(4 <i>H</i>)-one
metsulfuron (met-'sul-fū-ron)	2-[[{[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)amino] carbonyl} amino] sulfonyl] benzoic acid
MH	1,2-dihydro-3,6-pyridinedione
molinate ('mō-lin-āt)	S-ethyl hexahydro-1 <i>H</i> -azepine-1-carbothioate
monuron ('mon-ū-ron)	<i>N'</i> -(4-chlorophenyl)- <i>N,N</i> -dimethylurea
monuron TCA ('mon-ū-ron)	Salt of monuron and TCA
MSMA	monosodium salt of MAA
napropamide (na-'prō-pā-mīd)	<i>N,N</i> -diethyl-2-(1-naphthalenyl)propanamide
naptalam ('nap-tā-lām)	2-[(1-naphthalenylamino)carbonyl] benzoic acid
nitrofen ('nī-trō-fen)	2,4-dichloro-1-(4-nitrophenoxy)benzene
norea (nōr-'ē-ə)	<i>N,N</i> -dimethyl- <i>N'</i> -(octahydro-4,7-methano-1 <i>H</i> -inden-5-yl)urea 3 α ,4 α ,5 α ,7 α ,7 α -isomer
norflurazon (nōr-'flūr-ə-zōn)	4-chloro-5-(methylamino)-2-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-3(2 <i>H</i>)-pyridazinone
oryzalin (ō-'riz-ə-lin)	4-(dipropylamino)-3,5-dinitrobenzenesulfonamide
oxadiazon (oks-ə-'dī-ə-zōn)	3-[2,4-dichloro-5-(1-methylethoxy)phenyl]-5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-(3 <i>H</i>)-one
oxyfluorfen (oks-ē-'flōōr-fen)	2-chloro-1-(3-ethoxy-4-nitrophenoxy)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene
paraquat ('pār-ə-kwāt)	1,1'-dimethyl-4,4'-bipyridinium ion
pebulate ('peb-ū-lāt)	S-propyl butylethylcarbamothioate
pendimethalin (pen-dī-'meth-ə-lin)	<i>N</i> -(1-ethylpropyl)-3,4-dimethyl-2,6-dinitrobenzenamine
perfluidalin (pur-'flooō-i-dōn)	1,1,1-trifluoro- <i>N</i> -[2-methyl-4-(phenylsulfonyl)phenyl] methanesulfonamide
phenmedipham (fen-'med-ə-fam)	3-[(methoxycarbonyl)amino] phenyl (3-methylphenyl)carbamate
picloram ('pik-lō-rām)	4-amino-3,5,6-trichloro-2-pyridinecarboxylic acid
profluralin (prō-'flūr-ə-lin)	<i>N</i> -(cyclopropylmethyl)-2,6-dinitro- <i>N</i> -propyl-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
prometon ('prō-mō-ton)	6-methoxy- <i>N,N</i> '-bis(1-methylethyl)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
prometryn ('prō-mā-trīn)	<i>N,N</i> '-bis(1-methylethyl)-6-(methylthio)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
pronamide ('prō-nā-mīd)	3,5-dichloro(<i>N</i> -1,1-dimethyl-2-propynyl)benzamide
propachlor ('prō-pā-klōr)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(1-methylethyl)- <i>N</i> -phenylacetamide
propanil ('prō-pā-nīl)	<i>N</i> -(3,4-dichlorophenyl)propanamide
propazine ('prō-pā-zēn)	6-chloro- <i>N,N</i> '-bis(1-methylethyl)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
propham ('prō-fam)	1-methylethyl phenylcarbamate
pyrazon ('pī-rā-zōn)	5-amino-4-chloro-2-phenyl-3(2 <i>H</i>)-pyridazinone
quizalofop (quiz-'al-ō-fop)	(\pm)-2-[4[(6-chloro-2-quinoxalinyl)oxy] phenoxy] propanoic acid
sethoxydim (seth-'oks-ē-dim)	2-[1-(ethoxyimino)butyl]-5-[2-(ethylthio)propyl]-3-hydroxy-2-cyclohexen-1-one
siduron ('sīd-ū-ron)	<i>N</i> -(2-methylcyclohexyl)- <i>N</i> '-phenylurea
simazine ('sim-ə-zēn)	6-chloro- <i>N,N</i> '-diethyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
sulfometuron (sul-fō-'met-ū-ron)	2-[[{[(4,6-dimethyl-2-pyrimidinyl)amino] carbonyl} amino] sulfonyl] benzoic acid
TCA	trichloroacetic acid
tebuthiuron (teb-ū-'thī-ū-ron)	<i>N</i> -[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl]- <i>N,N</i> '-dimethylurea
terbacil ('ter-bā-sil)	5-chloro-3-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-6-methyl-2,4(1 <i>H</i> ,3 <i>H</i>)-pyrimidinedione
terbutryn ('tur-bū-trīn)	<i>N</i> -(1,1-dimethylethyl)- <i>N</i> '-ethyl-6-(methylthio)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
thiameturon (thī-ō-'met-ū-ron)	3-[[{[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)amino] carbonyl} amino] sulfonyl]-2-thiophenecarboxylic acid
thiobencarb (thī-ō-'ben-kārb)	<i>S</i> -(4-chlorophenyl)methyl diethylcarbamothioate
triallate ('trī-ə-lāt)	5-(2,3,3-trichloro-2-propenyl) bis(1-methylethyl)carbamothioate
triclopyr ('trī-klö-pir)	[1,3,5,6-trichloro-2-pyridinyl]oxyl acetic acid
tridiphane ('tri-di-fān)	2-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)-2-(2,2,2-trichloroethyl)oxirane
trifluralin (trī-'flūr-ə-lin)	2,6-dinitro- <i>N,N</i> -dipropyl-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
2,4-D	(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)acetic acid
2,4-DB	4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)butanoic acid
vernolate ('vər-nō-lāt)	<i>S</i> -propyl dipropylcarbamothioate
xylachlor ('zī-lā-klōr)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(2,3-dimethylphenyl)- <i>N</i> -(1-methylethyl)acetamide
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cyometrinil (sī-ō-'met-ri-nil)	(<i>Z</i>)- α [(cyanomethoxy)imino] benzeneacetonitrile
dichlormid ('dī-klōr-mid)	2,2-dichloro- <i>N,N</i> -di-2-propenylacetamide
dietholate ('di-eth-ō-lat)	<i>O,O</i> -diethyl <i>O</i> -phenyl phosphorothioate
flurazole ('flūr-ə-zōl)	phenylmethyl 2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)-5-thiazolecarboxylate
mephenate ('mef-ə-nāt)	4-chlorophenyl methylcarbamate

^aHerbicides no longer in use in USA are omitted. Complete listing, including these, is in WEEDS 14(4), 1966 and in Weed Science 23(1), 1975.