

Common and Chemical Names of Herbicides^a

Common Name or Designation	Chemical Name
acetochlor (ə-ˈsē-tō-klōr)	2-chloro-N-(ethoxymethyl)-N-(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)acetamide
acifluorfen (as-ē-floōr-fen)	5-[2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxy]-2-nitrobenzoic acid
acrolein (ə-krō-lēn)	2-propenal
alachlor (ə-lā-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)	1H-1,2,4-triazol-3-amine
AMS	ammonium sulfamate
asulam ('az-ū-lam)	methyl[4-(aminophenyl)sulfonyl] carbamate
atrazine ('a-trō-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
bensulide ('ben-sü-lid)	O,O-bis(1-methylethyl) S-[2-[(phenylsulfonyl)amino] ethyl] phosphorodithioate
bentazon ('ben-tä-zon)	3-(1-methylethyl)-1H-2,1,3-benzothiadiazin-4(3H)-one 2,2-dioxide
benzofluor ('ben-zō-flōr)	N-[4-(ethylthio)-2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl] methanesulfonamide
benzoilprop ('ben-zō-il-prop)	N-benzoyl-N-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-DL-alanine
bifenox ('bi-fē-nōks)	methyl 5-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)-2-nitrobenzoate
bromacil ('brōm-ə-sil)	5-bromo-6-methyl-3-(1-methylpropyl)-2,4(1H,3H)pyrimidinedione
bromoxynil (brom-'oks-i-nil)	3,5-dibromo-4-hydroxybenzonitrile
butachlor ('bū-tä-klōr)	N-(butoxymethyl)-2-chloro-N-(2,6-diethylphenyl)acetamide
buthidazole (bū-'thīd-ə-zōl)	3-[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl]-4-hydroxy-1-methyl-2-imidazolidinone
butylate ('bū-ti-lāt)	S-ethyl bis(2-methylpropyl)carbamothioate
cacodylic acid ('ka-kō-'dil-ik 'as-id)	dimethyl arsanic acid
CDAA	2-chloro-N,N-di-2-propenylacetamide
chloramben (klōr-ə-'am-ben)	3-amino-2,5-dichlorobenzoic acid
chloroxuron (klōr-'oks-ü-rōn)	N'-[4-(4-chlorophenoxy)phenyl]-N,N-dimethylurea
chloropropham (klōr-'prō-fam)	1-methylethyl 3-chlorophenylcarbamate
chlorsulfuron (klōr-'sul-fū-rōn)	2-chloro-N-[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)amino] carbonyl] benzenesulfonamide
cinmethylin (sin-'meth-ə-lin)	exo-1-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-2-[(2-methylphenyl)methoxy]-7-oxabicyclo[2.2.1]heptane
cloproxydim (klō-prō-poks-e-dim)	(E,E)-2-[1-[(3-chloro-2-propenyl)oxy]imino] butyl]-5-[2-(ethylthio)propyl]-3-hydroxy-2-cylcohexen-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-klō-āt)	S-ethyl cyclohexylethylcarbamothioate
dalapon ('dal-ə-pon)	2,2-dichloropropanoic acid
dazomet ('daz-ō-met)	tetrahydro-3,5-dimethyl-2H-1,3,5-thiadiazine-2-thione
DCPA	dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate
desmedipham (dez-'med-ə-fam)	ethyl [3-[(phenylamino)carbonyl] oxy] phenyl] carbamate
diallate ('di-ə-lāt)	S-(2,3-dichloro-2-propenyl) bis(1-methylethyl)carbamothioate
dicamba (dī-'kam-bə)	3,6-dichloro-2-methoxybenzoic acid
dichlobenil (dī-klō-bēn-əl)	2,6-dichlorobenzonitrile
dichlorprop ('dī-klōr-prop)	(±)-2-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)propanoic acid
diclosop ('di-klōs-op)	(±)-2-[4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)phenoxy] propanoic acid
diethylat (dī-'eth-ə-til)	N-(chloroacetyl)-N-(2,6-diethylphenyl)glycine
difenzoquat (dī-'fen-zō-kwät)	1,2-dimethyl-3,5-diphenyl-1H-pyrazolium
dinitramine (dī-'nit-rā-mēn)	N ³ ,N ⁵ -diethyl-2,4-dinitro-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1,3-benzenediamine
dinoseb ('di-nō-seb)	2-(1-methylpropyl)-4,6-dinitrophenol
diphenamid (dī-'fen-ə-mid)	N,N-dimethyl- α -phenyl benzeneacetamide
diproetryn (dī-'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- α :2',1'- β] pyrazinediium ion
diuron ('di-ū-ron)	N'-[3,4-dichlorophenyl]-N,N-dimethylurea
DSMA	disodium salt of MAA
endothall ('en-dō-thol)	7-oxabicyclo[2.2.1]heptane-2,3-dicarboxylic acid
EPTC	S-ethyl dipropyl carbamothioate
ethalfluralin (eth-əl-'flūr-ə-lin)	N-ethyl-N-(2-methyl-2-propenyl)-2,6-dinitro-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
ethofumesate (eth-ə-'fū-mē-sat)	(±)-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 TCA ('fen-ü-rōn)	Salt of fenuron and TCA
flamprop ('flām-prop)	N-benzoyl-N-(3-chloro-4-fluorophenyl)-DL-alanine
fluazifop (flōōz-'äz-i-fop)	(±)-2-[4-[(5-trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl] oxy] phenoxy] propanoic acid
fluchloralin (flōōz-'klōr-ə-lin)	N-(2-chloroethyl)-2,6-dinitro-N-propyl-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
fluometuron (flōōz-'mēt-ü-rōn)	N,N-dimethyl-N'-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl] urea
fluorochloridone (flōōz-'klōr-ə-dōn)	3-chloro-4-(chloromethyl)-1-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-2-pyrrolidinone
fluridone ('flūr-i-dōn)	1-methyl-3-phenyl-5-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4(1H)-pyridinone
fomesafen (fō-'mēs-ə-fēn)	5-[2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxy]-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-nitrobenzamide
fosamine ('fōz-ə-mēn)	ethyl hydrogen (aminocarbonyl)phosphonate
glyphosate ('gli-fō-sāt)	N-(phosphonomethyl)glycine
haloxyfop (ha-'lōks-ə-fop)	2-[4-[(3-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl) oxy] phenoxy] propanoic acid
hexaflurate (heks-ə-'flūr-āt)	potassium hexafluoroarsenate
hexazinone (heks-ə-'az-ə-nōn)	3-cyclohexyl-6-(dimethylamino)-1-methyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4(1H,3H)-dione
imazaquin (ī-'maz-ə-kwin)	2-[4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-5-oxo-1H-imidazol-2-yl]-3-quinolinecarboxylic acid
ioxynil (ī-'oks-i-nil)	4-hydroxy-3,5-diodobenzonitrile
isopropalin (ī-sō-'prōp-ə-lin)	4-(1-methylethyl)-2,6-dinitro-N,N-dipropylbenzenamine

PRONUNCIATION KEY: *āpe*, fat, *căr*, bâre; *ēvil*, ten; *bīte*, is; *gō*, lot, oil, out, *tōtl*, look; *cūre*, cup, *tūen*; *ə* = a in ago.

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isouron (i-sō-ü-ron)	N'-(5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-isoxazolyl)-N,N-dimethylurea
isoxaben (i-sok-ə-ben)	N-[3-(1-ethyl-1-methylpropyl)-5-isoxazolyl]-2,6-dimethoxybenzamide
karbutilate (kär'-bü-tä-lät)	3-[(dimethylamino)carbonyl]amino[phenyl(1,1-dimethylethyl)carbamate]
linuron ('lin-ü-ron)	N'-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-N-methoxy-N-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-ə-prop)	(±)-2-(4-chloro-2-methylphenoxy)propanoic acid
mefluidide (me-'flōō-i-did)	N-[2,4-dimethyl-5-[(trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl]amino]phenylacetamide
metham ('meth-am)	methylcarbamodithioic acid
methazole ('meth-ə-zööl)	2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-1,2,4-oxadiazolidine-3,5-dione
metolachlor (ma-'töl-ə-klor)	2-chloro-N-(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)-N-(2-methoxy-1-methylethyl)acetamide
metribuzin ('me-tri-'bu-zən)	4-amino-6-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-(methylthio)-1,2,4-triazin-5(4 <i>H</i>)-one
metsulfuron (met-'sul-fü-ron)	2-[[[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)amino]carbonyl]amino]sulfonylbenzoic acid
MII	1,2-dihydro-3,6-pyridazine
molinate ('mō-lin-ät)	S-ethyl hexahydro-1 <i>H</i> -azepine-1-carbothioate
monuron TCA ('mon-ü-ron)	Salt of monuron and TCA
MSMA	monosodium salt of MAA
napropamide (na-'prō-pä-mid)	N,N-diethyl-2-(1-naphthalenylxyloxy)propanamide
naptalam ('nap-tä-lam)	2-[(1-naphthalenylamino)carbonyl]benzoic acid
nitrofen ('ni-trö-fen)	2,4-dichloro-1-(4-nitrophenoxy)benzene
norea (nōr-'ē-ə)	N,N-dimethyl-N'-(octahydro-4,7-methano-1 <i>H</i> -inden-5-yl)urea 3α,4α,5α,7α,7α-isomer
norflurazon (nōr-'flür-ə-zon)	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-'di-ə-zon)	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-'flōō-fen)	2-chloro-1-(3-ethoxy-4-nitrophenoxy)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene
paraquat ('pär-ə-kwät)	1,1'-dimethyl-4,4'-bipyridinium ion
pebulate ('peb-ü-lat)	S-propyl butylethylcarbamothioate
pendimethalin (pen-dī-'meth-ə-lin)	N-(1-ethylpropyl)-3,4-dimethyl-2,6-dinitrobenzenamine
perfluidone (pur-'flōō-i-dōn)	1,1,1-trifluoro-N-(2-methyl-4-(phenylsulfonyl)phenyl)methanesulfonamide
phenmediphos (fen-'med-ə-fam)	3-[(methoxy carbonyl)amino]phenyl(3-methylphenyl)carbamate
picloram ('pik-lō-ram)	4-amino-3,5,6-trichloro-2-pyridinecarboxylic acid
profluralin (prō-'flür-ə-lin)	N-(cyclopropylmethyl)-2,6-dinitro- <i>N</i> -propyl-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
prometon ('prō-mä-ton)	6-methoxy- <i>N,N'</i> -bis(1-methylethyl)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
prometryn ('prō-mä-trän)	<i>N,N'</i> -bis(1-methylethyl)-6-(methylthio)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
pronamide ('prō-nä-mid)	3,5-dichloro(<i>N</i> -1,1-dimethyl-2-propynyl)benzamide
propachlor ('prō-pä-klor)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> (1-methylethyl)- <i>N</i> -phenylacetamide
propanil ('prō-pä-nil)	<i>N</i> -(3,4-dichlorophenyl)propanamide
propazine ('prō-pä-zēn)	6-chloro- <i>N,N</i> '-bis(1-methylethyl)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
propham ('prō-fam)	1-methylethyl phenylcarbamate
pyrazon ('pi-rä-zon)	5-amino-4-chloro-2-phenyl-3(2 <i>H</i>)-pyridazinone
sethoxydim (seth-'oks-ē-dim)	2-[1-(ethoxyimino)butyl]-5-[2-(ethylthio)propyl]-3-hydroxy-2-cyclohexen-1-one
siduron ('sid-ü-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-fö-'met-ü-ron)	2-[[[(4,6-dimethyl-2-pyrimidinyl)amino]carbonyl]sulfonyl]benzoic acid
TCA	trichloroacetic acid
tebuthiuron (teb-ü-'thi-u-ron)	<i>N</i> -(5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl)- <i>N,N</i> '-dimethylurea
terbacil ('tur-bä-sil)	5-chloro-3-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-6-methyl-2,4(1 <i>H</i> ,3 <i>H</i>)-pyrimidinedione
terbutryn ('tur-bü-trän)	<i>N</i> -(1,1-dimethylethyl)- <i>N'</i> -ethyl-6-(methylthio)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
thiobencarb (thi-ō-'ben-kärb)	<i>S</i> -[(4-chlorobenzyl)methyl]diethylcarbamothioate
trallate ('tri-ə-lat)	S-(2,3,3-trichloro-2-propenyl)bis(1-methylethyl)carbamothioate
triclopyr ('tri-klö-pir)	[(3,5,6-trichloro-2-pyridinyl)oxy]acetic acid
tridiphane ('tri-di-fän)	2-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)-2-(2,2,2-trichloroethyl)oxirane
trifluralin (tri-'flür-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)butyric acid
vernolate ('vür-nö-lät)	S-propyl dipropylcarbamothioate
xylachlor ('zi-lä-klö-r)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(2,3-dimethylphenyl)- <i>N</i> -(1-methylethyl)acetamide

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cyometrinil (si-ō-'met-ri-nil)	(<i>Z</i>)- <i>α</i> [(cyanomethoxy)imino]benzenecetonitrile
dichlormid ('di-klö-r-mid)	2,2-dichloro- <i>N,N</i> -di-2-propenylacetamide
dietholate ('di-eth-ō-lät)	<i>O,O</i> -diethyl <i>O</i> -phenyl phosphorothioate
flurazole ('flür-ə-zööl)	phenylmethyl 2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)-5-thiazolecarboxylate
mephenate ('mef-ə-nät)	4-chlorophenyl methylecarbamate

^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.