

# Common and Chemical Names of Herbicides<sup>a</sup>

Common Name or Designation	Chemical Name
acetochlor (ə-'cē-tō-klōr)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> (ethoxymethyl)-6'-ethyl- <i>o</i> -acetotoluidide
acifluorfen (əs-ē-'flōōr-fēn)	5-[2-chloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxy]-2-nitrobenzoic acid
acrolein (ə-'krō-lē-ēn)	acrolein
alachlor ('al-ə-klōr)	2-chloro-2',6'-diethyl- <i>N</i> -(methoxymethyl)acetanilide
ametryn ('äm-ə-trīn)	2-(ethylamino)-4-(isopropylamino)-6-(methylthio)- <i>s</i> -triazine
amitrole ('äm-ə-trol)	3-amino- <i>s</i> -triazole
AMS	ammonium sulfamate
asulam ('az-ū-lam)	methyl sulfanilylcarbamate
atrazine ('ä-trä-zēn)	2-chloro-4-(ethylamino)-6-(isopropylamino)- <i>s</i> -triazine
barban ('bär-bän)	4-chloro-2-butynyl <i>m</i> -chlorocarbanilate
benefin ('ben-ə-fin)	<i>N</i> -butyl- <i>N</i> -ethyl- <i>α,α,α</i> -trifluoro-2,6-dinitro- <i>p</i> -toluidine
bensulide ('ben-sü-lid)	<i>O,O</i> -diisopropyl phosphorodithioate S-ester with <i>N</i> -(2-mercaptopethyl)benzenesulfonamide
bentazon ('ben-tä-zōn)	3-isopropyl-1/ <i>I</i> -2,1,3-benzothiadiazin-4(3 <i>H</i> )-one 2,2-dioxide (benzamidoxy)acetic acid
benzadox ('ben-za-doks)	3,5-dimethyl- <i>N</i> -(1-methylethyl)- <i>N</i> -(phenylmethyl)benzamide
benzipram ('ben-zi-pram)	<i>N</i> -benzoyl- <i>N</i> -(3,4-dichlorophenyl)- <i>DL</i> -alanine
benzoylprop ('ben-zō-il-prop)	methyl 5-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)-2-nitrobenzoate
bifenox ('bi-fē-nōks)	5-bromo-3-sec-butyl-6-methyluracil
bromacil ('brōm-ə-sil)	3,5-dibromo-4-hydroxybenzonitrile
bromoxynil (brom-'oks-ē-nil)	<i>N</i> -(butoxymethyl)-2-chloro-2',6'-diethylacetanilide
butachlor ('bū-tä-klōr)	2,2-dimethyl- <i>N</i> -(1-methylethyl)- <i>N</i> -(phenylmethyl)propanamide
butam ('bū-tam)	3-[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl]-4-hydroxy-1-methyl-2-imidazolidinone
buthidazole (bū-'thid-ə-zōl)	4-(1,1-dimethylethyl)- <i>N</i> -(1-methylpropyl)-2,6-dinitrobenzenamine
butralin ('bū-trä-lin)	<i>S</i> -ethyl diisobutylthiocarbamate
butylate ('bū-ti-lät)	
cacydlic acid ('ka-kō-'dil-ik'ā-sid)	hydroxydimethylarsine oxide
cambendichlor (kam-'ben-dä-klōr)	(phenylimino)di-2,1-ethanediyl bis (3,6-dichloro-2-methoxybenzoate)
carbetamide (kär-'bet-ə-mid)	<i>D</i> - <i>N</i> -ethyl lactamide carbanilate (ester)
CDAA	<i>N,N</i> -diallyl-2-chloroacetamide
CDEC	2-chloroallyl diethylthiocarbamate
chloramben (klōr-'äm-ben)	3-amino-2,5-dichlorobenzoic acid
chlorbromuron (klōr-'brōm-ü-ron)	3-(4-bromo-3-chlorophenyl)-1-methoxy-1-methylurea
chloroxuron (klōr-'oks-ü-ron)	3-[ <i>p</i> -( <i>p</i> -chlorophenoxy)phenyl]-1,1-dimethylurea
chlorpropham (klōr-'prō-fam)	isopropyl <i>m</i> -chlorocarbanilate
chlorsulfuron (klōr-'sul-fü-ron)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> [(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)amino] carbonyl] benzenesulfonamide
cisanilide (sis-'än-ə-lid)	<i>cis</i> -2,5-dimethyl- <i>N</i> -phenyl-1-pyrrolidinecarboxamide
CMA	calcium methaneisonate
cyanazine (sī-'än-ə-zēn)	2-[{4-chloro-6-(ethylamino)- <i>s</i> -triazin-2-yl} amino]-2-methylpropionitrile
cycloate ('sī-klö-ät)	<i>S</i> -ethyl <i>N</i> -ethylthiocyclohexanecarbamate
cycluron ('sī-kloo-ron)	3-cyclooctyl-1,1-dimethylurea
cyperquat ('sī-pär-kwät)	1-methyl-4-phenylpyridinium
cyprazine ('sī-prä-zēn)	2-chloro-4-(cyclopropylamino)-6-(isopropylamino)- <i>s</i> -triazine
cyprazole ('sī-prä-zōl)	<i>N</i> -[5-(2-chloro-1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl] cyclopropanecarboxamide
cypromid ('si-prō-mid)	3',4'-dichlorocyclopropanecarboxanilide
dalapon ('dal-ə-pon)	2,2-dichloropropionic acid
dazomet ('daz-ō-met)	tetrahydro-3,5-dimethyl-2 <i>H</i> -1,3,5-thiadiazine-2-thione
DCPA	dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate
desmedipham (dez-'med-ə-fam)	ethyl <i>m</i> -hydroxycarbanilate carbanilate (ester)
desmetryn ('dez-mä-trīn)	2-(isopropylamino)-4-(methylamino)-6-(methylthio)- <i>s</i> -triazine
diallate ('di-ə-lät)	<i>S</i> -(2,3-dichloroallyl) diisopropylthiocarbamate
dicamba (dī-'kam-bä)	3,6-dichloro- <i>o</i> -anisic acid
dichlobenil (dī-klö-'ben-äl)	2,6-dichlorobenzonitrile
dichlorprop ('dī-klö-rö-prop)	2-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)propionic acid
diclofop ('dī-klö-fop)	2-[4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)phenoxy] propanoic acid
diethatyl (dī-'eth-ə-til)	<i>N</i> -(chloroacetyl)- <i>N</i> -(2,6-diethylphenyl)glycine
difenopenten (dī-fēn-ō-'pen-ten)	4-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxy]phenoxy]-2-pentenoic
difenoquat (dī-'fen-ə-zō-kwät)	1,2-dimethyl-3,5-diphenyl-1 <i>H</i> -pyrazolium
dinitramine (dī-'nit-rä-mēn)	<i>N</i> <sup>4</sup> , <i>N</i> <sup>4</sup> -diethyl- <i>α,α,α</i> -trifluoro-3,5-dinitrotoluene-2,4-diamine
dinoserb ('dī-nō-seb)	2-sec-butyl-4,6-dinitrophenol
diphenamid (dī-'fēn-ə-mid)	<i>N,N</i> -dimethyl-2,2-diphenylacetamide
diprotryn (dī-'prō-pə-trīn)	2-(ethylthio)-4,6-bis(isopropylamino)- <i>s</i> -triazine
diquat ('dī-kwät)	6,7-dihydrodipyrido[1,2- <i>a</i> :2',1'- <i>c</i> ] pyrazinedium ion
diuron ('dī-ü-ron)	3-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea
DNOC	4,6-dinitro- <i>o</i> -cresol
DSMA	dodium methaneisonate
endothall ('en-dō-thol)	7-oxabicyclo[2.2.1]heptane-2,3-dicarboxylic acid
EPTC	<i>S</i> -ethyl dipropylthiocarbamate
erbon ('är-bōn)	2-(2,4,5-trichlorophenoxy)ethyl 2,2-dichloropropionate
ethafluralin (eth-əl-'flü-rə-lin)	<i>N</i> -ethyl- <i>N</i> -(2-methyl-2-propenyl)-2,6-dinitro-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzenamine
ethiolate (e-'thī-lō-lät)	<i>S</i> -ethyl diethylthiocarbamate
ethofumesate (eth-ō-'fū-mē-sät)	(±)-2-ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-3,3-dimethyl-5-benzofuranyl methanesulfonate
fenas ('fen-ak)	(2,3,6-trichlorophenyl)acetic acid
fenuron ('fen-ü-ron)	1,1-dimethyl-3-phenylurea
fenuron TCA	1,1-dimethyl-3-phenylurea mono(trichloroacetate)
flamprop ('flam-prop)	<i>N</i> -benzoyl- <i>N</i> -(3-chloro-4-fluorophenyl)- <i>DL</i> -alanine
fluchloralin (flōō-'klōr-ə-lin)	<i>N</i> -(2-chloroethyl)-2,6-dinitro- <i>N</i> -propyl-4-(trifluoromethyl)aniline
fluometuron (flooō-'ō-mēt-ü-ron)	1,1-dimethyl-3-( <i>α,α,α</i> -trifluoro- <i>m</i> -tolyl)urea
fluorodifen (flooō-'ō-'dī-fēn)	<i>p</i> -nitrophenyl <i>α,α,α</i> -trifluoro-2-nitro- <i>p</i> tolylurea
fluridone ('flü-rē-dōn)	1-methyl-3-phenyl-5-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4(1 <i>H</i> )-pyridinone
fosamine ('fōs-ə-mēn)	ethyl hydrogen (aminocarbonyl)phosphonate
glyphosate ('glī-fō-sät)	<i>N</i> -(phosphonomethyl)glycine
hexaflurate (heks-ə-'flü-rät)	potassium hexafluoroarsenate
hexazinone (heks-'az-ə-nōn)	3-cyclohexyl-6-(dimethylamino)-1-methyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4(1 <i>H</i> ,3 <i>H</i> )-dione
ioxynil (i-'oks-i-nil)	4-hydroxy-3,5-diiodobenzonitrile

<sup>a</sup>PRONUNCIATION KEY: *äpe*, *fat*, *cär*, *bärē*; *evil*, *ten*, *bīte*, *is*; *gō*, *lot*, *oil*, *out*, *tōsl*, *look*; *cūre*, *cup*, *terñ*; *ə* = *a* in ago.

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isopropalin (í-sóp'-próp-á-lín)	2,6-dinitro- <i>N,N</i> -dipropylcumidine
isouron (í-só-ú-rón)	<i>N</i> '-[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-isoxazoly]- <i>N,N</i> -dimethylurea
karbutilate (kár'-bú-tá-lát)	<i>tert</i> -butylcarbamic acid ester with 3( <i>m</i> -hydroxyphenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea
lenacil ('len-á-sil)	3-cyclohexyl-6,7-dihydro-1 <i>H</i> -cyclopentapyrimidine-2,4(3 <i>H</i> ,5 <i>H</i> )-dione
linuron ('lin-ú-rón)	3-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-1-methoxy-1-methylurea
MAA	methanearsonic acid
MAMA	monoammonium methanearsonate
MCPA	[4-chloro- <i>o</i> -tolyl]oxy acetic acid
MCPB	4-[4-chloro- <i>o</i> -tolyl]oxy butyric acid
mecoprop ('mek-ó-prop)	2-[4-chloro- <i>o</i> -tolyl]oxy propionic acid
mefluidide (me- flóó-dí-díd)	<i>N</i> -[2,4-dimethyl-5-[[(trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl] amino] phenyl] acetamide
methalpropalin (meth-ál-'pró-pá-lín)	<i>N</i> -(2-methyl-2-propenyl)-2,6-dinitro- <i>N</i> -propyl-4-(trifluoro-methyl)benzenamine
metham ('meth-am)	sodium methylthiocarbamate
methazole ('meth-á-zól)	2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-1,2,4-oxadiazolidine-3,5-dione
metolachlor (mə- tol-á-klöör)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)- <i>N</i> -(2-methoxy-1-methylethyl)acetamide
metribuzin ('me-tri- bù-zén)	4-amino-6- <i>tert</i> -butyl-3-(methylthio)- <i>as</i> -triazin-5(4 <i>H</i> )-one
MH	1,2-dihydro-3,6-pyridazinedione
molinate ('mó-lín-át)	<i>S</i> -ethyl hexahydro-1 <i>H</i> -azepine-1-carbothioate
monolinuron (mon-ó-'lin-ú-rón)	3-( <i>p</i> -chlorophenyl)-1-methoxy-1-methylurea
monuron ('mon-ú-rón)	3-( <i>p</i> -chlorophenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea
monuron TCA	3-( <i>p</i> -chlorophenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea mono(trichloroacetate)
MSMA	monosodium methanearsonate
napropamide (na- 'pró-pá-míd)	2-( <i>o</i> -naphthoxy)- <i>N,N</i> -diethylpropionamide
naptalam ('nap-tá-lám)	<i>N</i> -1-naphthylphthalamic acid
neburon ('neb-ú-rón)	1-butyl-3-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-1-methylurea
nitralin ('ní-trá-lín)	4-(methylsulfonyl)-2,6-dinitro- <i>N,N</i> -dipropylaniline
nitrofen ('ní-tró-fén)	2,4-dichlorophenyl <i>p</i> -nitrophenyl ether
nitrofluorfen (ní-tró- 'flóó-r-fén)	2-chloro-1-(4-nitrophenoxy)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene
norea (nó- 'ré-á)	3-(hexahydro-4,7-methanoindan-5-yl)-1,1-dimethylurea
norflurazon (nór- 'flú-ráz-ón)	4-chloro-5-(methylamino)-2-( <i>α,α,α</i> -trifluoro- <i>m</i> -tolyl)-3(2 <i>H</i> )-pyridazinone
oryzalin (ó- 'ríz-á-lín)	3,5-dinitro- <i>N<sup>4</sup>,N<sup>4</sup></i> -dipropylsulfanilamide
oxadiazon (oks-á- 'dí-á-zón)	2- <i>tert</i> -butyl-4(2,4-dichloro-5-isopropoxyphenyl)- $\Delta^2$ -1,3,4-oxadiazolin-5-one
oxyfluorfen (oks-é- 'flúó-r-fén)	2-chloro-1-(3-ethoxy-4-nitrophenoxy)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene
paraquat ('pár-á-kwát)	1,1'-dimethyl-4,4'-bipyridinium ion
PBA	chlorinated benzoic acid
pebulate ('peb-ú-lát)	<i>S</i> -propyl butylethylthiocarbamate
pendimethalin (pen-dí-'meth-á-lín)	<i>N</i> -(1-ethylpropyl)-3,4-dimethyl-2,6-dinitrobenzenamine
perfluidone (par- 'flóó-dí-é-dón)	1,1,1-trifluoro- <i>N</i> -[2-methyl-4-(phenylsulfonyl)phenyl] methanesulfonamide
phenmedipham (fen-'med-á-fam)	methyl <i>m</i> -hydroxycarbanilate <i>m</i> -methylcarbanilate
picloram ('pík-ló-rám)	4-amino-3,5,6-trichloropicolinic acid
procyzine (pró- 'sí-á-zé-n)	2-[4-chloro-6-(cyclopropylamino)-1,3,5-triazine-2-yl] amino-2-methylpropanenitrile
prodiamine (pró- 'di-á-mé-n)	2,4-dinitro- <i>N<sup>3</sup>,N<sup>3</sup></i> -dipropyl-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1,3-benzenediamine
profluralin (pró- 'flú-rá-lín)	<i>N</i> -(cyclopropylmethyl)- <i>α,α,α</i> -trifluoro-2,6-dinitro- <i>N</i> -propyl- <i>p</i> -toluidine
prometon ('pró-má-ton)	2,4-bis(isopropylamino)-6-methoxy- <i>s</i> -triazine
prometryn ('pró-má-trín)	2,4-bis(isopropylamino)-6-(methylthio)- <i>s</i> -triazine
pronamide ('pró-ná-míd)	3,5-dichloro( <i>N</i> -1,1-dimethyl-2-propynyl)benzamide
propachlor ('pró-pá-klöör)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -isopropylacetanilide
propanil ('pró-pá-nil)	3',4'-dichloropropionanilide
propazine ('pró-pá-zé-n)	2-chloro-4,6-bis(isopropylamino)- <i>s</i> -triazine
propham ('pró-fam)	isopropyl carbanilate
prosulfalin (pró- 'sul-fó-lín)	<i>N</i> -[1-(dipropylamino)-3,5-dinitrophenyl]sulfonilimine
prynachlor ('pri-ná-klöör)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(1-methyl-2-propynyl)acetanilide
pyrazon ('pi-rá-zón)	5-amino-4-chloro-2-phenyl-3(2 <i>H</i> )-pyridazinone
secbumeton (sek- 'bú-má-ton)	<i>N</i> -ethyl-6-methoxy- <i>N'</i> (1-methylpropyl)-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine
siduron ('síd-ú-rón)	1-(2-methylcyclohexyl)-3-phenylurea
silvex ('sil-véks)	2-(2,4,5-trichlorophenoxy)propionic acid
simazine ('sim-á-zé-n)	2-chloro-4,6-bis(ethylamino)- <i>s</i> -triazine
simetryn ('sim-á-trín)	2,4-bis(ethylamino)-6-(methylthio)- <i>s</i> -triazine
TCA	trichloroacetic acid
tebuthiuron (teb-ú- 'thí-ú-rón)	<i>N</i> -[5-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1,3,4-thiadiazol-2-yl]- <i>N,N</i> -dimethylurea
terbacil ('ter-bá-sil)	3- <i>tert</i> -butyl-5-chloro-6-methyluracil
terbuchlor ('ter-bú-klöör)	<i>N</i> -(butoxymethyl)-2-chloro- <i>N</i> -[2-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-6-methylphenyl] acetamide
terbutylazine (ter-bú- 'thí-lá-zé-n)	2-( <i>tert</i> -butylamino)-4-chloro-6-(ethylamino)- <i>s</i> -triazine
terbutol ('ter-bú-tol)	2,6-di- <i>tert</i> -butyl- <i>p</i> -tolyl methylcarbamate
terbutryn ('ter-bú-trín)	2-( <i>tert</i> -butylamino)-4-(ethylamino)-6-(methylthio)- <i>s</i> -triazine
tetrafluron (te-trá- 'flúó-rón)	<i>N,N</i> -dimethyl- <i>N'</i> -[3-(1,1,2,2-tetrafluoroethoxy)phenyl] urea
thiobencarb ('thí-ó- 'ben-kär-b)	<i>S</i> -[(4-chlorophenyl)methyl] diethylecarbamothioate
triallate ('tri-á-lát)	<i>S</i> -(2,3,3-trichloroallyl)diisopropylthiocarbamate
triclopyr ('tri-klö-pír)	1-(3,5,6-trichloro-2-pyridinyl)oxy acetic acid
trifluralin (trí- 'flú-rá-lín)	$\alpha,\alpha,\alpha$ -trifluoro-2,6-dinitro- <i>N,N</i> -dipropyl- <i>p</i> -toluidine
trimeturon (trí- 'met-ú-rón)	1-( <i>p</i> -chlorophenyl)-2,3,3-trimethylpseudoourca
2,3,6-TBA <sup>b</sup>	2,3,6-trichlorobenzoic acid
2,4-D	(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)acetic acid
2,4-DB	4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)butyric acid
2,4-DEP	<i>tris</i> [2-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)ethyl] phosphite
2,4,5-T	(2,4,5-trichlorophenoxy)acetic acid
vernolate ('ver-nó-lát)	<i>S</i> -propyl dipropylthiocarbamate
xylachlor ('zi-lá-klöör)	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(2,3-dimethylphenyl)- <i>N</i> -(1-methylethyl)acetamide

<sup>a</sup>Herbicides no longer in use in USA are omitted. Complete listing, including these, is in WEEDS 14(4), 1966 and Weed Science 23(1), 1975.

<sup>b</sup>This herbicide usually is available as mixed isomers. When possible, the isomers should be identified, the amount of each isomer mixture specified and the sources of the experimental chemicals given.