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Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under
No. 4-297

TURF & ORNAMENTAL HERBICIDE 50% W.P.

CONTAINS: DACTHAL®

CONTROLS VERONICA FILIFORMIS (CREEPING SPEEDWELL), ANNUAL BLUEGRASS (POA ANNUA), CRABGRASS AND OTHER WEEDS

Dacthal™ of Diamond Shamrock Corporation

EPA EST. NO. 4-NY-1 EPA REG. NO. 4-297

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate*	50.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	50.0%
	100.0%

*Use as a preemergence herbicide patented under U.S. Patent No. 2,923,634

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

SEE SIDE PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

NET WT. 1 LB.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS — CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes. In case of contact with eyes, flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Call a physician. Wash after handling.

Do not graze on treated areas or feed treated grass to livestock.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Keep out of lakes, streams and ponds. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Storage: Do not store near feed, seed or fertilizer. Do not store near other pesticides in order to prevent contamination.

Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP is a wettable powder and should be stored in a dry place. Wash out the spray tank thoroughly after use.

Disposal: Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container and place in trash can or bury.

Preparation and Application of the Spray: Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP should be thoroughly mixed in the spray tank with water to provide for broadcast application of at least 2 gallons of water per 1,000 square feet, depending on equipment and local practices. In order to insure uniform suspension in the spray tank, Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP should be premixed in a clean container at the rate of about 1 lb. pounds to 1 gallon of water. This material should be stirred until a slurry is formed and then added to the spray tank during or after filling. Adequate agitation should be maintained during filling and spraying to keep material in uniform suspension. Use nozzles suitable for applying wettable powders so that the spray can be uniformly distributed over turf or properly prepared soil surface. Any screen in the spray system should be no finer than 50 mesh to prevent clogging. It is essential that the sprayer be properly calibrated before making application. Standard low pressure (15-35 psi) boom type sprayers are recommended.

A minimum of one-fourth inch of water either as rainfall or irrigation is necessary to activate Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP and the soil retention preemergence control of weeds specified on this label. Water must be applied within 3 to 5 days of application if sufficient rainfall does not occur. However, when surface soil is dry, irrigate to a depth sufficient to provide enough moisture to germinate weeds; water must be applied immediately.

TURF: Application at the rate of 21 pounds of Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP in from 40-100 gallons of water per acre (1 lb. 3 to 7 gals. 3,000 sq. ft.) gives excellent control of crabgrass and other weeds as listed on this label. One application applied in early spring before weed seed germination usually provides season control. Crabgrass seed germination usually coincides with the time when forsythia blossoms start to fall. In areas where crabgrass and other annual weeds germinate over a long period, a second application at half the regular rate can be safely made two months after the first application in order to control annual bluegrass (Poa annua) and other erratic or late germinating grasses and weeds. In northern states, a late summer or early fall application before weed seed germination of 10 pounds of Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP in from 40-100 gallons of water per acre (¼ lb./1 to 2 gals./1000 sq. ft.) should supplement the early spring application. Earlier applications are required in southern United States. Consult agricultural experiment station or extension service weed specialist for date. Poa annua seed germinates in your area and make application at least two weeks prior to this date.

Early spring application of Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP may be made to new turfgrass seedings after the grasses have established a uniform growth, the new turfgrass preferably when up to 2 inches in height. Such Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP application gives control of crabgrass without injury to newly emerged grass. Fall sowing of permanent grasses can follow early spring application of Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP. Where some spring seeding is necessary, there should be a delay of approximately 60 days after the application of most preemergence herbicides, including Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP. This delay increases the number of desirable grasses.

Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP is not recommended for use on putting greens.

Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP is not recommended for use on bent grasses mowed at putting green height.

For control of creeping speedwell (Veronica filiformis), apply 2-4 pounds of Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP in 40 to 100 gallons of water per acre as a preemergence spray when creeping speedwell is growing vigorously. Spring or early fall applications are usually most suitable, since temperatures are between 65° and 95° F. and there is adequate moisture. Thorough coverage is essential. Delayed control of creeping speedwell is to be expected and will be manifested first by a gradual loss of color and vigor.

FOR USE ON TURF

	TO CONTROL	WHEN TO APPLY	RATE OF BONIDE TURF & ORNAMENTAL HERBICIDE 50% WP FOR TURF	REMARKS
Established turf	Crabgrass	Early spring before crabgrass and other spring annual weed seeds germinate	2-4 lbs. acre or 1 - 1½ lb. 3 to 7 gals. 3000 sq. ft.	Apply before Forsythia blossoms start to fall. A second application at half the recommended rate may be made 2 months after the first application if necessary.
	Annual Bluegrass (Poa annua)	Late summer or early fall in northern states before weed seed germination. Consult agricultural experiment station for date. Poa annua germinates in your area and make application at least 2 weeks prior to this date.	10 lbs. acre or ¼ lb. 3 to 7 gals. 1000 sq. ft.	Should be used following an early spring application for crabgrass control.
	Creeping speedwell (Veronica filiformis)	As a postemergence spray in spring or early fall when creeping speedwell is growing vigorously, there is adequate moisture and temperature is between 65° and 95° F.	2-4 lbs. acre or ½ to 1 lb. 2 gals. 1000 sq. ft.	Apply spray to obtain thorough coverage of foliage. Delayed control of creeping speedwell appears in approximately 30 days. It is to be expected and will be first evidenced by a gradual loss of color and vigor.
Newly seeded turf	Crabgrass	After new turfgrass seedlings have established a growing of the new grass, usually about 1½ inches high.	21 lbs. acre	A semi-crabgrass control without injury to new turf.

CAUTION: After Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP treatment, wait approximately 60 days before any new seeding is undertaken. **DO NOT** overdose. Do not mix.

NURSERY STOCK: Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP can be applied to a wide range of nursery stock at the rate of 21 to 24 lbs. per acre (1 lb. 3 to 7 gals. per 40 gallons water per acre treated) (1 lb. 3 to 7 gals. 3,000 sq. ft.).

Applications should be made to well rooted, established, uniform in texture. These can be made immediately following the digging out of stock with established plantings. Applications should be made following cultivation to remove existing weeds. Where possible, this should be done early in the spring. Later applications may prove beneficial for control of germinating weeds if made following cultivation. Weed control in the current crop may be expected to continue for later application.

Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP is specifically recommended for weed control in the following:

Abelia	Bentgrass	Euphorbia	Forsythia	Japanese Yew	Mockorange	Poplar	Sunflower
Ageratum	Pamesia	Fescue	Geranium	Juniper	Morningglory	Privet	Sweet pea
Alyssum	Candytuft	Daisy	Gladiolus	Lantana	Myrtle	Privet	Sycamore
Arborvitae	Chestnut	Daisy, Shasta	Grape Ivy	Larkspur	Mother of Thyme	Privet, variegated	Tree Peony
Aster	Chrysanthemum	Delphinium	Hydrangea	Lavender	Mountain Laurel	Redbud	Tulip Tree
Azalea	Clematis	Dogwood	Impatiens	Lilac	Mugho Pine	Rhododendron	Viburnum
Ash	Cole's	Evergreens	Gum	Locust	Nasturtium	Rose	Violet
Aster	Columbine	Elm	Heather	Lilac	Oak	Russian Olive	Walnut
Azalea	Cornflower	Euonymus	Holly, Japanese	Lily	Orchid	Sage, scarlet	Weigela
Babysbreath	Crocus	Evening Primrose	Holly, Inkberry	Locust	Pachysandra	Snapdragon	White Cedar
Barberry	Cypress	Feverfew	Honeysuckle	Magnolia	Peony	Sedum	Wormwood
Bellflower	Forsythia	Fir	Iris	Maple	Periwinkle	Spirea	Yarrow
Birch	Cypress	Forget-me-not	Ivy, Boston	Marigold	Petunia	Spruce	Yarrow, fernleaf
Boxwood	Dichondra	Fuchsia	Ivy, English	Marigold	Pfitzer Juniper	Stonecrop	Yew
Bridalwreath	Dogwood	Gladiolus	Ivy, Persian	Mugo Pine	Phlox, annual	Strawflower	Zinnia
Broadleaf	Elm, American	Gypsophila	Ivy, Baltic	Marigold	Pickerelweed	Sundrops	Pine

DO NOT USE on the following plants: Bugleweed, Carnation, Coleus, Germander, Pansy, Sweet William, Bittersweet, Geum, Mesembryanthemum, Phlox, Tetanthera.

GENERAL INFORMATION: Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP is a wettable powder formulation for use in preemergence application for control of crabgrass and certain other grassy weeds and broadleaved weeds in ornamental turf and nursery stock. The following weeds are generally controlled by Bonide Turf & Ornamental Herbicide 50% WP at the indicated rates: annual bluegrass (Poa annua), crabgrass, large crabgrass, dove grass, carpetweed, witchgrass, foxtail, knotweed, purslane, ground ivy, chickweed, spurge, lespedeza, common ragweed, pigweed, lambsquarters, smartweed, nutsedge, barnyard grass, goosegrass, brown top panicum, henbit, dandelion, plantain, oxalis, mouse-ear chickweed.

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