

Ontrack® 800

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FOR THE ABOVE PRODUCT REGISTERED
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TO ATTACHED COMMENTS.

Herbicide

For weed control on railroad rights-of-way and industrial sites
Controls johnsongrass, bindweed and other hard-to-kill weeds

Active Ingredient:

Prometon 2,4 bis(isopropylamino)-6-methoxy-s-triazine

80%

Inert Ingredients:

20%

Total:

100%

Ontrack 800 is a wettable powder.

Warning:

Keep out of reach of children.

Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash thoroughly after handling. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with skin. Inhalation of dust, and contamination of food and feed.

Do not contaminate water used for irrigation or domestic purposes.

Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

Do not use for weed control in greenhouses.

Do not reuse container. Destroy when empty.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE AND CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

IMPORTANT: Read the entire Directions for Use and the Conditions of Sale and Warranty before using this product.

Conditions of Sale and Warranty

The Directions for Use of this product reflect the opinion of experts based on field use and tests. The directions are believed to be reliable and should be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or the manner of use or application, all of which are beyond the control of CIBA-GEIGY or the Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer.

CIBA-GEIGY warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the Directions for Use, subject to the inherent risks referred to above. CIBA-GEIGY makes no other express or implied warranty of Fitness or Merchantability or any other express or implied warranty. In no case

shall CIBA-GEIGY or the Seller be liable for consequential, special, or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. CIBA-GEIGY and the Seller offer this product and the Buyer and user accept it, subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Warranty which may be varied only by agreement in writing signed by a duly authorized representative of CIBA-GEIGY.

General Information

Ontrack 800 is a nonselective herbicide that may be applied in water or phytotoxic oil before or after plant growth begins. When applied with water as the carrier, Ontrack 800 has minimal activity through foliar contact. Much of its activity is through plant roots; therefore, its effectiveness is dependent on rainfall to move it into the root zone. Very dry soil conditions and lack of sufficient rainfall may result in poor weed control.

Use only in areas where complete control of all vegetation is desired, such as industrial sites, rights-of-way, lumberyards, petroleum tank farms, around farm buildings, along fence lines, etc. When applied to the soil, this product usually inhibits plant growth for a year or more. Ontrack 800 should not be used on land to be cropped, or near adjacent desirable trees, shrubs or plants, or injury may occur.

Ontrack 800 is noncorrosive to equipment and materials, is nonflammable, and has low electrical conductivity.

Mixing Instructions

Ontrack 800 is a wettable powder that should be mixed with water or phytotoxic oil and applied as a spray. Make a slurry by adding Ontrack 800 to water or phytotoxic oil. Pour the slurry into the spray tank during or after filling. Sufficient hydraulic (jet) or mechanical agitation must be provided during mixing and application to keep the material in suspension. Wash sprayer thoroughly after use.

Directions for Use

Industrial Sites and Noncrop Areas

Apply Ontrack 800 prior to or up to 3 months after weed emergence. Application rates vary from 12½-74 lbs. of Ontrack 800 per acre, depending on climatic conditions, soil conditions, weeds present and the stage of growth of the weeds. In the following rate recommendations, the higher rates are intended for use on heavier soils where weed growth is heavy and where rainfall is expected to be relatively high. Use the higher rates also where longer residual control is desired in regions with a long growing season.

For best results, apply Ontrack 800 prior to weed emergence or when weeds are young and actively growing.

For control of annual and susceptible perennial weeds (including downy brome, oatgrass, goosegrass, quackgrass, puncturevine, goldenrod, and plantain): Broadcast 12½-18½ lbs. Ontrack 800 in 50-100 gals. of water per acre. For small areas, apply 4½-6½ oz. Ontrack 800 per 1,000 sq. ft. in sufficient water to give thorough and uniform coverage.

For control of hard-to-kill perennial weeds and grasses (including johnsongrass, bindweed, and wild carrot): Broadcast 50-74 lbs. Ontrack 800 in 50-100 gals. of water per acre. For small areas, use 1 lb. 2 oz.-1 lb. 11 oz. Ontrack 800 per 1,000 sq. ft. in sufficient water to give thorough and uniform coverage.

For faster top kill of existing vegetation, apply Ontrack 800 in diesel oil, fuel oil, or weed oil. Use 100-200 gals. of oil per acre. Tall dense vegetation including johnsongrass will generally require a minimum of 150 gals. of oil per acre for thorough coverage.

Under Asphalt Pavement

Ontrack 800 may be used to extend the useful life of asphalt pavement by preventing weeds from emerging through it. Ontrack 800 may be applied to the ground before laying asphalt.

Ontrack 800 should be used only where the area to be treated has been prepared according to good construction practices. The site should be disked, plowed or otherwise prepared in accordance with good construction practices and recompact to allow good penetration of the Ontrack 800 mixture.

Ontrack 800 does not control woody vegetation such as small trees, brush and woody vines. Roots of such species should be grubbed and removed from the site prior to application. If rhizomes, tubers or other vegetative parts are present in the site, they should be removed by scalping with a grader blade.

Ontrack 800 may be applied to the ground before laying rapid, medium, or slow curing asphalt coatings such as those used on parking lots, highway shoulders and median strips, roadways and other industrial sites. Ontrack 800 should be applied just prior to the laying of the asphalt coating to prevent possible lateral movement of the herbicide by rainfall or other mechanical means. Sprayers should be equipped to provide continuous agitation of the spray mixture during application to ensure application of a uniform spray emulsion.

Apply Ontrack 800 uniformly at the rate of 50-62 lbs. per acre (0.16-0.20 oz. per sq. yd.) in a minimum of 100 gals. of water. Use the lower rate to control annual and susceptible perennial weeds including downy brome, grass, oatgrass, goosegrass, quackgrass, puncturevine, goldenrod, and plantain; use the higher rate to control hard-to-kill perennial weeds and grasses including johnsongrass, bindweed and wild carrot.

Precaution: Do not use Ontrack 800 under asphalt coatings less than 3 inches thick.

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