



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Office of Pesticide Programs Registration Division (H7505C) 401 "M" St., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20460

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

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Reregistration

100-1182

EPA Req.

Number:

FEB - 5 2004

Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Touchdown HiTech

Herbicide

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.

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Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with section 3(c)(7)(A) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) provided that you:

- 1. Submit revised basic and alternate CSFs corrected as directed in enclosed product chemistry review.
- 2. Submit the result of the ongoing storage and stability (830.6317) and corrosion characteristics (830.6320) studies once they are complete.
- 3. Submit/cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.
- 4. Make the labeling changes listed below before you release the product for shipment.
- a. Add the phrase "EPA Registration No. 100-1182".
- b. For consistency with the CSFs revise the active ingredient statement to read "glyphosate, N-(phosphonomethyl)glycine, in the form of the **mono**potassium salt.
- c. Modify the footnote to the active ingredient statement to give the number of pounds per US gallon of glyphosate acid **equivalents**.

Signature of Approving Official:	Date:
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d. Add the restriction "Do not use this product on canola containing the Roundup Ready Gene planted in the following states: Alabama, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Maryland, New Jersey, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia." to the "Glyphosate Tolerant Canola" section of your label.

Submit two (2) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of labeling is enclosed for your records..

Touchdown HiTech™ Herbicide

Group 9 Herbicide

Nonselective Foliar Systemic Herbicide for Weed Control

Active Ingredient:	
*Glyphosate: N-(phosphonomethyl) glycine, in the form of the potassium salt	52.3%
Other Ingredients:	47.7%
Total:	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup>Contains 5 pounds per U.S. gallon of glyphosate acid.

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

## CAUTION

See additional precautionary statements and directions for use inside booklet.

EPA Reg. No. 100-EPA Est.

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fengicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 100-1152

2.5 gallons Net Contents

30 gallons Net Contents

110 gallons Net Contents

220 gallons Net Contents

\_\_\_\_ gallons [Bulk] Net Contents

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FIRST AID			
If in eyes:	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>		
If on skin or clothing:	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>		
If swallowed:	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>		
If inhaled:	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>		
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.			
HOT LINE NUMBER			
For 24 Hour Medical Emergency Assistance (Human or Animal)			
	Or Chemical Emergency Assistance (Spill, Leak, Fire or Accident). Call		
1-800-888-8372			

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

## Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

## CAUTION

Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

## PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- · Long sleeved shirt and long pants
- Socks and shoes

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d) (4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

## **User Safety Recommendations**

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

## **Environmental Hazards**

Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment wash waters.

## **Physical and Chemical Hazards**

Do not store, mix or apply this product or spray solutions of this product in unlined steel (except stainless steel), galvanized steel containers, or sprayer tanks. This product or spray solutions of this product will react with these containers and tanks and produce hydrogen gas which may form a highly combustible mixture. This gas mixture could flash or explode, causing serious personal injury, if ignited by spark, open flame, lighted cigarette, welder torch, or other ignition source.

Spray solutions of this product should be mixed, stored and applied using only stainless steel, aluminum, fiberglass, plastic, or plastic-lined steel containers.

# CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITATION OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY

**NOTICE:** Read the entire Directions for Use and Conditions of Sale and Limitation of Warranty and Liability before buying or using this product. If the terms are not acceptable, return the product at once, unopened, and the purchase price will be refunded.

The Directions for Use of this product should be followed carefully. It is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as manner of use or application, weather or crop conditions, presence of other materials or other influencing factors in the use of the product, which are beyond the control of SYNGENTA CROP PROTECTION, Inc. or Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by Buyer and User, and Buyer and User agree to hold SYNGENTA and Seller harmless for any claims relating to such factors.

SYNGENTA warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated in the Directions for Use, subject to the inherent risks referred to above, when used in accordance with directions under normal use conditions. This warranty does not extend to the use of this product contrary to label instructions, or under abnormal conditions or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to or beyond the control of Seller or SYNGENTA, and Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. SYNGENTA MAKES NO WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE.

in no event shall SYNGENTA or Seller be liable for any incidental, consequential or special damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF THE USER OR BUYER, AND THE EXCLUSIVE LIABILITY OF SYNGENTA AND SELLER FOR ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, LOSSES, INJURIES OR DAMAGES (INCLUDING CLAIMS BASED ON BREACH OF WARRANTY, CONTRACT, NEGLIGENCE, TORT, STRICT LIABILITY OR OTHERWISE) RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT, SHALL BE THE RETURN OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF THE PRODUCT OR, AT THE ELECTION OF SYNGENTA OR SELLER, THE REPLACEMENT OF THE PRODUCT.

SYNGENTA and Seller offer this product, and Buyer and User accept it, subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Limitations of Warranty and of Liability, which may not be modified except by written agreement signed by a duly authorized representative of SYNGENTA.

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Touchdown HiTech should be used only in accordance with recommendations on this label or in separately published supplemental labeling recommendations for this product.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

## AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:

- Coveralls
- Chemical resistant gloves Category A, such as butyl rubber, or natural rubber, or neoprene rubber
- Shoes plus socks

## NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are **NOT** within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Keep people and pets off treated areas until spray solution has dried.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

## **Pesticide Storage**

Keep container closed to prevent spills and contamination.

#### **Pesticide Disposal**

Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

## **Container Disposal**

Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

#### For Recyclable/Refillable Containers

Before refilling, inspect thoroughly for damage such as cracks, punctures, bulges, dents, abrasions, and damaged or worn threads on closure devices. After filling and before transporting, check for leaks. Do not refill or transport damaged or leaking container.

## Container Disposal for Recyclable/Refillable Containers

Reseal container and offer for reconditioning, or triple rinse (or equivalent) and offer for recycling or reconditioning, or clean in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

## CONTAINER IS NOT SAFE FOR FOOD, FEED, OR DRINKING WATER!

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Touchdown HiTech is a nonselective foliar systemic herbicide used to control a broad spectrum of emerged grass and broadleaf weeds, both annual and perennial, in:

- alfalfa, clover, and other legumes
- · berries, fruits, nuts, and vines
- · canola, including glyphosate-tolerant
- · Christmas trees
- conservation compliance/conservation reserve program (CRP)
- · corn, including glyphosate tolerant
- · cotton, including glyphosate tolerant
- fallowland and postharvest
- farmsteads
- grasses and grass seed production
- herbs
- pastures
- peanuts
- · small grains
- sorghum
- soybeans, including glyphosate-tolerant
- sugarcane
- sunflower
- vegetables

Touchdown HiTech is formulated as a liquid concentrate which contains 5 pounds acid equivalent per gallon.

## **GENERAL USE PRECAUTIONS**

 Touchdown HiTech requires actively growing green plant tissue to function. Application to droughtstressed weeds or weeds with little green foliage (i.e. mowed, cut, or hailed on weeds); weeds covered with dust; weeds damaged by insects or diseases may result in reduced weed control.

- Touchdown HiTech does not provide soil residual control of weeds. Weeds emerging after application will require retreatment.
- Heavy rainfall or irrigation shortly after application may require retreatment.
- Tillage or mowing within 3 days following application may reduce weed control.
- Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.
- DO NOT spray if conditions of thermal inversion exist, or if wind direction and speed may cause spray
  to drift onto adjacent nontarget areas. Drift minimization is the responsibility of the applicator.
  Consult with local and state agricultural authorities for information regarding avoiding or minimizing
  spray drift.
- Touchdown HiTech is not volatile and cannot move as a vapor after application onto nontarget vegetation.
- It is recommended that the spray system be thoroughly cleaned with water and a commercial tank cleaner after each use.
- Spray solutions of Touchdown HiTech should be mixed, stored, and applied using only plastic, plastic-lined steel, stainless steel, aluminum, or fiberglass containers. Concentrate should not be stored in galvanized steel, carbon steel, aluminum, or unlined steel containers.
- There are no rotational crop restrictions following application of this product.
- Severe damage or destruction may be caused by contact of Touchdown HiTech to any vegetation (including leaves, green stems, exposed non-woody roots, or fruit) of crops, trees, and other desirable plants to which treatment is not intended, except as specified for glyphosate—tolerant crops.
- In crop areas, do not exceed a total of 4.8 qts./A. In noncrop areas, do not exceed a total of 6.33 qts./A.
- Do not exceed 0.6 qt./A by air unless otherwise specified on this label.
- For broadcast postemergence treatments, do not harvest or feed treated vegetation for 8 weeks following application, unless otherwise specified.
- The maximum use rates stated throughout this product's labeling apply to this product combined with the use of all other herbicides containing glyphosate or sulfosate as the active ingredient, whether applied as mixtures or separately. Calculate the application rates and ensure that the total use of this and other glyphosate or sulfosate containing products does not exceed maximum use rate.

#### RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

Touchdown HiTech is a Group 9 Herbicide (contains the active ingredient glyphosate). Some naturally occurring weed biotypes resistant to glyphosate may exist through normal genetic variability in any weed population. The repeated use of herbicides with the same mode of action is known to lead under certain conditions to a selection of resistant weeds. Certain agronomic practices reduce the likelihood that resistant weed populations will develop and integrated strategies are known to manage such problem weeds.

Glyphosate is the active ingredient in the herbicide TouchdownHiTech. The primary mode of action of glyphosate involves inactivation of the target enzyme 5-enolpyruvylshikimate-3-phosphate synthase (EPSPS). This enzyme is involved in the synthesis of several essential amino acids, that are the building

blocks for proteins needed for plant growth and development. In susceptible weeds glyphosate binds tightly to EPSPS rendering the enzyme inactive. With the inactivation of EPSPS, the plant is unable to produce certain essential amino acids resulting in plant death. Within the USA specific biotypes of horseweed/marestail, *Conyza canadensis* and rigid ryegrass, *Lolium rigidum* have become resistant to glyphosate.

Following is a list of Best Weed Management practices to be considered in glyphosate-based programs.

- Rotate glyphosate with herbicides with different modes of action.
- Rotate glyphosate tolerant Roundup Ready® (RR™) crops with conventional crops to reduce resistant volunteers.
- Use alternative burndown and/or residual herbicide chemistry for RR crops likely to require more than
  one application of glyphosate.
- Do not use more than two applications of a glyphosate based herbicide over a two year period in RR
  corn and RR soybeans production. Up to three in crop applications may be used in RR cotton per
  year if glyphosate application is rotated with in-crop cultivation.
- Use full labeled rates of glyphosate and/or tank mix partners to minimize tolerant escapes and do not allow weed escapes to produce seeds or vegetative propagules.
- Monitor treated weed populations for loss of field efficacy.
- Contact your local extension specialist, certified crop advisors, and/or manufacturer for herbicide resistant management and/or integrated weed management recommendations for specific crops and resistant weed biotypes.

Since the occurrence of resistant weeds is difficult to detect prior to use, Syngenta Crop Protection accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of Touchdown HiTech to control resistant weeds.

## **APPLICATION AND MIXING DIRECTIONS**

#### **TIMING**

Touchdown HiTech should be applied to actively growing emerged weeds. Annual weeds of 6 inches or less in height are typically the easiest to control. Generally, more effective control of perennial weeds-is achieved at the flowering or seedhead stage. Refer to the **Weeds Controlled, Woody Brush and Trees Controlled** sections, for specific application timing.

When annual weeds have been mowed or grazed, wait for 3-4 inches of new growth to appear prior to application. When perennial weeds have been mowed or grazed, allow new growth to reach recommended stage prior to application.

Visible effects on annual weeds occur within 2-4 days after application; effects on perennial weeds may take 7 days or longer. Extremely cool or cloudy weather following treatment may slow activity.

## **RATES**

Follow recommended rates for Touchdown HiTech listed in the **Weeds Controlled, Woody Brush and Trees Controlled** sections. Use the higher label rates when weeds are dense or large. Also, use higher application volumes and pressures when weed vegetation is dense.

#### **SPRAY ADDITIVES**

Surfactants/Wetting Agents – This product does not contain a surfactant. A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. The nonionic surfactant or wetting agent used should

contain at least 75% active ingredient.

Ammonium Sulfate (AMS) – Control of annual and perennial weeds with Touchdown HiTech may be improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water. In the High Plains where water sources contain Ca, Mg, Mn levels exceeding 150 ppm, use a minimum of 8.5 lbs. AMS per 100 gallons of spray mixture. Liquid formulations of AMS may be used at an equivalent rate. Do not reduce use rates of Touchdown HiTech when using AMS.

Drift Control Agents - Drift control agents may be used with TouchdownHiTech.

#### TANK MIXES WITH RESIDUAL HERBICIDES

Refer to crop sections for recommended tank mixes. Tank mixes of Touchdown HiTech with other pesticides, fertilizers, or any other additives except as specified on this label or other approved Syngenta supplemental labeling may result in tank mix incompatibility or unsatisfactory performance. It is recommended that the compatibility of any tank mix combination be tested on a small scale such as a jar test before actual tank mixing.

Always refer to labels of other pesticide products for mixing directions and precautions which may differ from those outlined here. Use in accordance with the most restrictive of label limitations and precautions. No label dosage rates should be exceeded. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing.

## Tank Mixing Recommendations:

- 1. Fill spray tank ½ full with clean water.
- 2. Begin tank agitation and continue throughout mixing and spraying.
- Add AMS (if used).
- 4. Add dry formulations (WP, DF, etc.) to tank.
- 5. Add liquid formulations (SC, EC, L, etc.) to tank.
- Add TouchdownHiTech.
- 7. Add nonionic surfactant or wetting agent.
- Fill remainder of spray tank.

## **APPLICATION EQUIPMENT AND TECHNIQUES**

- Avoid drift. Applications should not be made in low level inversion conditions, when winds are gusty
  or under any other conditions which favor drift. Inversions are characterized by stable air and
  increasing temperatures with height above the ground. The applicator may detect the presence of an
  inversion by producing smoke and observing a smoke layer. Drift may cause damage to any
  vegetation contacted to which treatment is not intended.
- Compatibility with drift control additives may vary. It is recommended that the combination be tested
  on a small scale such as a jar test. Read and follow manufacturer's directions for use. A reduction in
  weed control may occur when drift control agents are used.
- All equipment must be properly maintained and washed to remove product residues after use.

#### **Broadcast Applications**

#### Ground

Applications should be made in 3-40 gals, of water per acre.

When foliage is dense, spray volume should be increased to ensure coverage of the target weeds. Flat-

fan nozzles will result in the most effective application of TouchdownHiTech. Spray boom and nozzle heights must be adjusted to provide coverage of target weed. Flood nozzles may result in reduced weed control due to inadequate coverage.

#### Air

Applications should be made in 3-15 gals, of water per acre.

Spray should be released at the lowest height consistent with effective weed control and flight safety. Applications more than 10 ft. above the canopy should be avoided.

Use the largest droplet size consistent with good weed control. Formation of very small droplets may be minimized by appropriate nozzle selection, by orienting nozzles away from the air stream as much as possible, and by avoiding inappropriate spray boom pressure. Solid stream or low shear nozzles may be utilized to reduce small droplet formation. These nozzles direct the fluid parallel to the existing airflow to reduce shear effects. Other techniques may include reducing the fan angle of flat fan nozzles if used, or reducing the deflector plate angle if deflector type nozzles are used. Ensure the spray is released at an appropriate distance below the airfoil.

For best results, each specific aerial application vehicle used should be quantifiably pattern tested for aerial application of Touchdown HiTech initially and every year thereafter. To minimize drift, it is suggested aerial application equipment produce the following minimum spray deposition characteristics:

Volume Median Diameter (VMD) → 400 microns Volume Diameter (VD) {0.9} → 200 microns

Prolonged exposure of Touchdown HiTech to uncoated steel surfaces may result in corrosion and possible failure of the part. The maintenance of an organic coating (paint) which meets aerospace specification MIL-C-38413 may prevent corrosion. To prevent corrosion of exposed parts, thoroughly wash aircraft after each day of spraying to remove residues of Touchdown HiTech accumulated during spraying or from spills. Landing gear are most susceptible.

# Shielded/Hooded Application

Use shielded/hooded sprayers to control weeds between rows while protecting the crop from the herbicide. Keep shields/hoods as close to the ground as possible and avoid ground speed in excess of 5 mph. Use appropriate nozzles, spacing, and pressure to achieve coverage without allowing spray to touch or drift onto the crop. Maintain equipment in good operating condition to prevent leakage or dripping onto the crop. Refer to state extension service recommendations and equipment manufacturers' guidelines for more information on proper operation of shielded/hooded sprayers.

## **Spot Treatments**

For annual weeds less than 6 inches, use a 0.33-0.6% v/v solution. For annual weeds over 6 inches, use a 0.6-0.9% v/v solution. Use a 0.6-1.25% v/v solution for most perennials (see Table 3 for specific rates and timing). When using motorized spot spray equipment (rider bar), use a 1.8% v/v solution. See Spot Spray Dilution Table below for rates of Touchdown HiTech/volume of finished spray solution. Spray the solution on actively growing weeds until uniformly wet but not to the point of runoff. Retreat 14-21 days later if regrowth occurs.

# Touchdown HiTech Spot Spray Dilution Table

	To Make This Volume			, , ,
Solution Strength	1 gallon	10 gallons	25 gallons	100 gallons
0.33%	0.4 fl. oz.	4.2 fl. oz.	10.5 fl. oz.	2.6 pts.
0.6%	0.8 fl. oz.	8 fl. oz.	1.2 pts.	4.8 pts.
0.9%	1.2 fl. oz.	12 fl. oz.	1.9 pts.	3.8 gts.
1.25%	1.6 fl. oz,	1.0 pt.	2.5 pts.	5.0 qts.
1.5%	1.9 fl. oz.	1.2 pts.	3 pts.	1.5 gals.
1.8%	2.3 fl. oz.	1.4 pts.	3.6 pts.	1.8 gals.

#### Wiper Application

Touchdown HiTech may be applied using a wiper or "wick" applicator (e.g. rope, sponge, or porous plastic applicators) for selective control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds which become taller than the crop or desirable vegetation. Mix 2.5 quarts of Touchdown HiTech in 2 gals, of water unless directed otherwise in this label (See **General Use Precautions** for Berries, Fruits, Nuts, and Vines). Precautions should be taken to avoid contact with crops or desirable vegetation. Equipment should be operated at speeds of 5 mph or less. Use slower speeds where weeds are dense. For improved control, make two applications in opposite directions.

#### **CDA Equipment**

For control of annual weeds with hand held equipment, apply a 17% solution of Touchdown HiTech at a flow rate of 2 fl. oz. per minute and a walking speed of 1.5 mph (0.8 qt./A). For perennial weeds, use a 17 to 25% solution of Touchdown HiTech at a flow rate of 2 fl. oz. per minute and a walking speed of 0.75 mph (1.67-2.5 qts./A). For vehicle mounted equipment, apply in 3-15 gals. of water per acre. Refer to the **Weeds Controlled, Woody Brush and Trees Controlled** sections, for application rates and timing.

Precautions should be taken to avoid contact with crops or desirable vegetation.

# **CROP USE DIRECTIONS**

This section is organized alphabetically by crop categories. There may be several crops listed in a crop category.

## ALFALFA, CLOVER, AND OTHER LEGUMES

Touchdown HiTech may be used on the legume crops listed below:

Alfalfa	Lespedeza	Trefoil
Clover	Lupine	Velvetbean
Kudzu	Sainfoin	Vetch

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence, renovation, spot spray (alfalfa and clover only), wiper/wick (alfalfa and clover only), preharvest (alfalfa only), and postharvest.



## Preplant/Preemergence, Dormant, or Renovation

Deep tillage following treatment of weeds with Touchdown HiTech or a sequential application of Touchdown HiTech may be required to control well established perennials.

## Preharvest (Alfalfa Only)

Use this treatment to eliminate or destroy declining alfalfa stands. Up to 2.5 pts./A of Touchdown HiTech may be applied as a broadcast spray with ground or aerial equipment at least 36 hours before harvest. Applications may be made any time of the year when the alfalfa crop is in the bud to flower stage of growth. Deep tillage following preharvest treatment or a postharvest application of Touchdown HiTech may be required to provide control of well established perennials.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for rates and timing.

## General Use Precautions for Alfalfa, Clover, and Other Legumes

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Spot and wiper/wick application must be made at least 14 days before grazing or harvest of forage and hay.
- Preharvest and renovation applications can be made with no more than 1.25 pts./A at least 36 hours before grazing or harvest of forage or hay.
- Do not apply a preharvest treatment on alfalfa grown for seed as a reduction in germination or vigor may occur.

# Tank Mixtures for Preplant/Preemergence, Dormant, or Renovation Use for Alfalfa, Clover, and Other Legumes

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds provided that the tank mix product label allows use of the product. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 0.6-4.8 pts./A in these tank mixes for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. For control or suppression of dense populations of weeds greater than 12 inches in height or weeds under stress, consider use rates at the higher end of the rate range.

Buctril®	Kerb®	Pursuit®
Eptam®	Lexone	Sencor®
Karmex®	Prowl®	Velpar®

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, approved uses, and a list of weeds controlled.



## BERRIES, FRUITS, NUTS, AND VINES

Touchdown HiTech may be used on both bearing and nonbearing crops listed below.

Almond Lemon
Apple Lime
Apricot Loganberry
Atemoya Longan
Avocado Loquat
Banana Lychee
Barbados cherry (Acerola) Macadamia

Barbados cherry (Acerola) Macadamia
Beechnut Mandarin
Blackberry Mango
Blueberry Mangosteen

Boysenberry Marmaladebox (genip)

Breadfruit Mayhaw
Brazil nut Nectarine
Butternut Olallieberry

Calamondin Olive (postdirected only)

Canistel Orange (all)
Carambola Oriental pear
Cashew Papaya
Cherimoya Passion fruit
Cherry (sweet, sour, tart)
Peach

ChestnutPearChinquapinPecanChironjaPersimmonCitron (postdirected only)PineappleCitrus hybridsPistachio

Citrus hybrids Pistachio
Cocoa bean Plantain
Coconut Plum
Coffee Plumcot
Crabapple Pomegranate
Cranberry Prune (all)
Currant Pummelo
Date Quince

Dewberry Rambutan
Durian Raspberry (black, red)

Elderberry Sapodilla

Fig Sapote (black, mamey, white)

Filbert (Hazelnut)
Gooseberry
Grapefruit
Grapes (all)
Satsuma mandarin
Soursop
Sugar apple
Tamarind

Grapes (all) Tamarind
Guava Tangelo
Hickory nut Tangerine
Huckleberry Tangor
Jaboticaba Tea

Jackfruit Walnut (black, English)

Kiwi fruit Youngberry

Kumquat

**Method of Application:** Preplant; preemergence; directed spray (except cranberry); middles (between rows of trees); strips (in rows of trees); perennial grass suppression (chemical mowing); post harvest (cranberry); and wiper/wick applicator equipment.

## General Use

Applications may be made with boom equipment; shielded sprayers; CDA; hand-held and high-volume wands; lances; orchard guns; or wiper/wick application equipment, except as directed in the General Use

Precautions for Berries, Fruits, Nuts, and Vines section. Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections of this label. Refer to the Weeds Controlled, Woody Brush and Trees Controlled sections, for application rates and timing.

Multiple applications may be necessary to control certain perennial weeds. For residual weed control, tank mix Touchdown HiTech with residual herbicides as prescribed in the **Tank Mixtures** for Berries, **Fruits**, **Nuts**, and **Vine** section, or make multiple applications.

## General Use Precautions for Berries, Fruits, Nuts, and Vines

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Do not allow the spray, spray drift, or mist to contact foliage, fruit, shoots, branches, canes, suckers, open wounds, or green parts of crops. Contact with any crop part other than mature brown woody bark can result in severe crop injury.
- Avoid contact with stumps as injury to adjacent trees may occur from root grafting.
- Do not apply in a tank mix in Puerto Rico.
- For peaches grown in Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee, apply Touchdown HiTech with a shielded applicator which prevents contact with foliage, suckers, or bark of trees. Apply no later than 90 days after first bloom to avoid severe damage. Avoid application to peach trees with recent mechanical injury or pruning wounds. Apply only near trees which have been planted in the orchard for two or more years. SEVERE INJURY WILL OCCUR IF ANY PORTION OF THE PEACH TREE IS CONTACTED WITH SPRAY OR SPRAY DRIFT.
- For apricots, nectarines, peaches, plums, and prunes grown in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, New Jersey, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, Utah, and Washington, any application equipment listed for these crops may be used.
- For apricots, nectarines, peaches, plums, and prunes grown in all other states not previously listed, use only wiper/wick application equipment.
- For grapes grown in the Great Lakes and Northeast regions, apply Touchdown HiTech prior to the end of bloom stage to avoid injury, or apply with shielded equipment.
- For coffee and banana, delay application 3 months after transplanting to allow the new plants to become established.
- · For all other crops in this section, allow a minimum of 3 days between application and transplanting.
- For blackberry, blueberry, boysenberry, cranberry, currant, dewberry, elderberry, gooseberry, huckleberry, loganberry, olallieberry, raspberry, and youngberry, mix 2.5 qts.of Touchdown HiTech in 4 gals. of water for wiper/wick applications.
- Allow at least 17 days from the last application to harvest of stone fruit or olives. For olive groves, apply only as a directed spray.
- Allow at least 3 days from last application to harvest of nuts.

- Allow at least 30 days from last application to harvest of cranberries.
- Allow at least 28 days from last application to harvest of coffee.
- Allow at least 1 day from the last application to harvest of banana, citrus, guava, papaya, plantain, or pome fruit (except mayhaw).
- Allow at least 14 days from last application to harvest of acerola, atemoya, avocado, breadfruit, canistel, carambola, cherimoya, cocoa beans, coconuts, dates, figs, genip, grapes, jaboticaba, jackfruit, longan, lychee, mango, mayhaw, passion fruit, persimmon, pomegranate, sapodilla, sapote, small berries, soursop, sugar apple, tamarind, and tea.

## Post-Harvest Cranberry

Application of Touchdown HiTech may be made following harvest of cranberries to control troublesome annual and perennial weeds. Do not apply directly to cranberry vines. Vines that are sprayed will be injured and may die. Apply Touchdown HiTech in a 0.33-0.6% solution if using hand-held equipment after the vines are dormant. Use properly calibrated precision application equipment; wiper wisk, spot sprayer which protects the cranberry plant from Touchdown HiTech spray. Do not treat more than 10% of the bog.

## Tank Mixtures with Residual Herbicides and 2,4-D for Berries, Fruits, Nuts, and Vines

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds provided that the tank mix product label allows use of the product. Refer to the **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 0.6-3 qts./A in these tank mixes for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. For control or suppression of dense populations or weeds greater than 12 inches in height or weeds under stress, consider use rates at the higher end of the rate range.

Direx® Goal®	Princep® 4L Princep® Caliber 90®	Sinbar® Solicam®
Karmex	Prowl	Surflan®
Kerb	Simazine	2,4-D
Krovar® I DF	Sim-Trol®	

Refer to the individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, recommended rates, approved crops, and a list of weeds controlled.

#### Tank Mix with Goal Herbicide in Row Middles

Apply Touchdown HiTech at 10-20 fl. oz./A in a tank mix with 3-12 oz. of Goal™ 2XL herbicide for the control of annual weeds that are a maximum of 6 inches in height or diameter including annual sowthistle; crabgrass; common groundsel; common lambsquarters; common purslane (suppression); common ryegrass; filaree (suppression); horseweed/marestail; junglerice; London rocket; redroot pigweed; shepherdspurse; and stinging nettle. For control of common cheeseweed (malva) and hairy fleabane up to 3 inches in height or diameter, apply 10-20 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech with 3-12 oz./A of Goal 2XL.

Refer to the Goal 2XL label for precautionary statements, restrictions, and approved crops.

# Hard to Control Weed Recommendations in Citrus (Florida and Texas Only)

To control or suppress the perennial weeds listed in the following table, apply the recommended rate of Touchdown HiTech in 3-30 gals, of water per acre. Use 10-30 gals, per acre if weed foliage is dense. Apply when weeds are actively growing. Refer to the **Perennial Weed Control** section, Table 3, for application timing. If weeds have been mowed or grazed, allow new growth to reach recommended growth stage prior to application.

	Rate of Touchdown HiTech (Quarts per Acre)			
Weed Species	0.6	1.2	1.8	3
Bermudagrass	В	В	PC	С
Guineagrass Texas and Florida Ridge Florida Flatwoods	B NR	C B	C C	C C
Paragrass	В	С	С	C
Torpedograss	NR	S	PC	С

B = Burndown

C = Control

NR = Not Recommended

PC = Partial Control

S = Suppression

For goatweed, apply 1.2-1.8 qts. of Touchdown HiTech per acre. Apply in 20-30 gals. of water per acre when plants are actively growing. Use the 1.2 qts. rate on plants less than 8 inches tall and 1.8 qts. on plants greater than 8 inches tall. When plants are greater than 8 inches tall, the addition of Krovar I DF or Karmex may improve control. If using a tank mix, refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## Perennial Grass Suppression (Chemical Mowing) of Orchard Floors

For best results, mow to an even height and apply Touchdown HiTech 3 or 4 days later. Do not add AMS to the spray solution. Application must be made 1-3 weeks ahead of seedhead emergence.

## **Bahiagrass**

Touchdown HiTech can be used to inhibit seedhead emergence and suppress vegetative growth for approximately 40-50 days with a single application. By using a sequential application, suppression of vegetative growth and inhibition of seedhead emergence can be extended to 120 days. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 20-30 days after complete green-up or after mowing to 4 inches tall. When a single application is planned, use 2.5-5 fl. oz. of Touchdown HiTech per acre in 10-20 gals. of water. When a sequential application is planned, use 2.5-5 fl. oz./A for the first application followed by another application of 1.25-3.33 fl. oz./A 40-50 days later.

#### Bermudagrass

#### For Suppression Only:

**East of the Rocky Mountains** – Apply 3.33-10 fl. oz. of Touchdown HiTech in 3-20 gals. of water per acre. Make the application 2 weeks after complete green-up or after 3-4 inches of regrowth following mowing. Use 1.67-5 fl. oz./A if a lesser degree of suppression is desired. A sequential application can be used when regrowth occurs.

West of the Rocky Mountains – Apply 3.33-10 fl. oz. of Touchdown HiTech in 3-20 gallons of water per acre. Make the application 2 weeks after complete green-up or after 3-4 inches of regrowth following mowing. A sequential application of 3.33-6 fl. oz. can be used when regrowth occurs.

#### For Partial Control and Burndown:

Touchdown HiTech can be used for burndown and partial control of bermudagrass at 1.2-2.4 pts. in 3-20 gals, of water per acre. Use 1.2 pts. east of the Rocky Mountains and 2.4 pts. west of the Rocky Mountains.

Use this treatment only if reduction of the bermudagrass stand can be tolerated. Allow at least 14-21 days for complete burndown.

Cool Season Grass Covers (Fine Fescue, Kentucky Bluegrass, Orchardgrass, Quackgrass, Tall Fescue)

For suppression of orchardgrass, fine fescue, tall fescue, and quackgrass, apply 2.5-5 fl. oz. of Touchdown HiTech in 10-20 gals, of water per acre. See **Spray Additives** section for rates.

For suppression of Kentucky bluegrass, use 1.67-3.33 fl. oz. of Touchdown HiTech.

## **CANOLA (NOT GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT)**

Method of Application: Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

#### General Use Precautions for Canola

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Up to 2.5 pts./A of Touchdown HiTech may be applied per year as broadcast sprays with ground or aerial equipment.
- Avoid contact with canola foliage.

# CANOLA, GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT (INCLUDING ROUNDUP READY CANOLA)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting; and postemergence in canola varieties which have been genetically modified to be tolerant to glyphosate based herbicides.



Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

## General Use Precautions for Glyphosate-Tolerant Canola

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Up to 2.5 pts./A of Touchdown HiTech may be applied per year as broadcast preplant or preemergence sprays with ground or aerial equipment.
- Up to 1.25 pts./A of Touchdown HiTech may be applied postemergence per cropping season from crop emergence until the 6-leaf stage. Applications made later during bolting or flowering may result in crop injury and yield loss.
- A single postemergence application of this product may be made over glyphosate-tolerant canola up
  to the 6-leaf stage at a rate of 0.6-0.9 pt./A. Avoid spray overlaps which may result in temporary
  yellowing of the canola, delayed flowering, or growth reduction. Similar symptoms may occur if rates
  above 0.6 pt./A are applied after the 4-leaf stage of the canola.
- Split (sequential) postemergence applications may be made by applying 0.6 pt./A at the 1-3 leaf stage of glyphosate-tolerant canola, followed by a second application of 0.6 pt./A at a minimum split of 10 days, but the second application must not be later than the 6-leaf stage. No more that two postemergence over-the-top applications may be made from crop emergence to the 6-leaf stage of the glyphosate-tolerant canola.
- The last application must be made at least 60 days before harvest of canola.

#### **CHRISTMAS TREES**

Method of Application: Postdirected spray; site preparation; and spot spray.

Touchdown HiTech may be used prior to planting Christmas trees; or as a postdirected spray and spot treatment around established Christmas trees.

Follow the directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled, Woody Brush and Trees Controlled sections, for application rates and timing.

#### **General Use Precautions for Christmas Trees**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- · Avoid contact of spray, drift, or mist with foliage or green bark of established Christmas trees.
- This product is not recommended for broadcast applications over the top of Christmas trees.

## CONSERVATION COMPLIANCE/CONSERVATION RESERVE PROGRAM (CRP)

**Method of Application:** Rotating out of CRP, site preparation (sequential herbicide applications), dormant beneficial plant management, postemergence, and wiper/wick.



- Site Preparation: Prior to application, removal of excessive vegetation by grazing, mowing, burning, etc. may improve control. When annual weeds have been mowed or grazed, wait for 3-4 inches of new growth before application. When perennial weeds have been mowed or grazed, allow regrowth to reach recommended stage (see Perennial Weed Control section, Table 3, for rates and timing).
- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1 to 2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.

Sequential applications of Touchdown HiTech and Gramoxone® HiTech herbicides are effective in controlling established CRP grasses. Refer to the Gramoxone HiTech herbicide label for recommended rates and tank mixes.

## Touchdown HiTech/Gramoxone HiTech Herbicide Sequential Program (Spring Application)

Weed Species	Program A	Program B
Fescue	Gramoxone HiTech at 1.7 to 2.7	Touchdown HiTech at 1.2 to 2.5
Orchardgrass	pts./A followed 7-10 days later with	pts./A followed 10-14 days later with
Ryegrass	Gramoxone HiTech at 2 0 to 2.7	Gramoxone HiTech at 2 to 2.7 pts./A
	pts./A	

- Dormant Beneficial Plant Applications: Apply 7.5-10 oz./A in early spring before desirable species, such as crested and tall wheatgrass, break dormancy. Late fall applications can be made after desirable grasses have reached dormancy. If perennial grasses are not dormant at time of application, stunting can occur.
- Touchdown HiTech may be tank mixed with other herbicides registered for this use such as atrazine, dicamba, and 2,4-D.
- There are no rotational crop restrictions following application of Touchdown HiTech. Read and follow crop rotation label restrictions for all tank mix products.

# CORN (FIELD CORN, POPCORN, SEED CORN, AND SWEET CORN – NOT GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting but before crop emergence; hooded sprayers; spot spray; preharvest; and postharvest.

Follow the directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

## **General Use Precautions for Corn**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Crop plants contacted by Touchdown HiTech will be injured or killed.
- Spot application must be made prior to corn silking.
- For hooded sprayer applications, do not exceed 20 fl. oz./A per application; nor 1.8 qts./A per year.

- Do not graze or feed corn forage or fodder following hooded sprayer applications.
- Preharvest application must be made at least 7 days before harvest.
- Apply no more than 20 fl. oz./A by air; and 1.8 qts./A by ground preharvest.

#### **Tank Mixtures for Corn**

For Control of Annual Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Annual Weeds Controlled section, Tables 1 and 2, for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 5-36 fl. oz./A for the control of annual weeds that are less than 6 inches tall and actively growing. When annual weeds are taller than 6 inches or under stress, use 5-48 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech.

For Control or Suppression of Perennial Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Perennial Weeds Controlled section, Table 3, for application rates and timing. Use rates at the higher end of the rate range when weed populations are dense or plants are under stress. Perennial weeds may require multiple applications for control.

UAN may be used as a carrier at 10-70 gals./A with 2,4-D, dicamba, or any residual herbicides on the following list. Use 1.25-2.5 pts./A of Touchdown HiTech when UAN is used as a carrier. For use with 2,4-D and dicamba on annual and perennial weeds, consult Tables 2 and 3. Reduced weed control may occur on certain weeds as a result of UAN foliar burn which can reduce uptake of Touchdown HiTech.

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Aim™ Ambush® Atrazine Axiom™ Balance® Basis®

Bicep Lite II MAGNUM®

Bicep MAGNUM®

Distinct™
Dicamba
Dual MAGNUM®
Dual II MAGNUM®
Frontier®
Fultime™
Guardsman®
Harness®
Harness® Xtra
Hornet™

Lorox® Lumax™ Marksman® Micro-Tech® Prowl Simazine Surpass® EC Topnotch® Warrior® 2,4-D

Bicep II MAGNUM® Harness® >
Bullet® Hornet™
Callisto™ Lariat®
Clarity® Lasso®
Degree™ Lightning™
Degree Xtra™ Linex®

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## **Hooded Sprayers**

Touchdown HiTech may be used through hooded sprayers that completely enclose the spray pattern for weed control between the rows. Adjust the hooded sprayer in raised seedbeds to ensure the front and rear flaps touch the ground to completely enclose the spray solution.

Crop injury may occur when the foliage of treated weeds comes in direct contact with the leaves of the crop. Do not apply Touchdown HiTech when the leaves of the crop are growing in direct contact with weeds to be treated.

## Application Requirements:

- The spray hoods must be operated on the ground or skimming across the ground.
- Corn must be at least 12 inches tall, measured without extending leaves.
- Leave at least an 8 inch untreated strip over the drill row.
- Maximum allowable application speed is 5 mph.
- Maximum allowable wind speed at application is 10 mph.
- Use low drift nozzles.

Gramoxone HiTech herbicide may be considered for Hooded Sprayer applications in corn. Use Gramoxone HiTech at 0.75-1.3 pts./A for control of actively growing weeds. Read and follow directions for this use on the Gramoxone HiTech herbicide label.

#### **Preharvest**

Touchdown HiTech may be applied as a broadcast spray with ground or aerial equipment as a harvest aid. Touchdown HiTech should be applied at 35% grain moisture or less. Ensure corn has reached physiological maturity (black layer formed) and that maximum kernel fill is complete. Do not apply a preharvest treatment on corn grown for seed as a reduction in germination or vigor may occur.

## CORN, GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT (INCLUDING ROUNDUP READY CORN)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting; and postemergence in corn varieties which have been genetically modified to be tolerant to glyphosate based herbicides.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

#### General Use Precautions for Glyphosate-Tolerant Corn

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Applications of Touchdown HiTech to corn hybrids which are not glyphosate tolerant will result in severe crop injury and reduced yields.
- Maximum preplant/preemergence rate is 3 qts./A.
- Make postemergence applications from emergence through the V8, V12 stage of corn at a maximum of 40 ft. oz./season with no more than 20 ft. ozs./A for any single application.
- Allow a minimum of 50 days between postemergence application and harvest of forage.
- Make preharvest applications at least 7 days before harvest with no more than 20 fl. oz./A.

#### **Tank Mixtures**

For Control of Annual Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Annual Weeds Controlled section, Tables 1 and 2, for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 5-36 fl. oz./A for the control of annual weeds that are less than 6 inches tall and actively growing. When annual weeds are taller than 6 inches or under stress, use 5-48 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech.

For Control or Suppression of Perennial Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Perennial Weeds Controlled section, Table 3, for application rates and timing. Use rates at the higher end of the rate range when weed populations are dense or plants are under stress. Perennial weeds may require multiple applications for control.

UAN may be used as a carrier at 10-70 gals./A with 2,4-D, dicamba, or any residual herbicides on the following list. Use 1.25-2.5 pts./A of Touchdown HiTech when UAN is used as a carrier. For use with 2,4-D and dicamba on annual and perennial weeds, consult Tables 2 and 3. Reduced weed control may occur on certain weeds as a result of UAN foliar burn which can reduce uptake of Touchdown HiTech.

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Aim Degree Xtra Lasso Ambush Distinct Lightning Atrazine Dicamba Linex Axiom Dual Magnum Lorox Balance Dual II Magnum Lumax Basis Frontier Marksman **Fultime** Bicep Lite II MAGNUM Micro-Tech Bicep MAGNUM Prowl Guardsman Bicep II MAGNUM Harness Simazine Bullet Harness Xtra Surpass EC Callisto Hornet Topnotch Clarity Warrior Karate® Degree Lariat 2.4-D

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## Postemergence

## **Annual Weeds**

Touchdown HiTech will control annual broadleaf weeds and grasses when applied as directed. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 20-40 fl. oz./A from emergence through the V8 to V12 stage (8 leaves) or until the corn height reaches 30 inches, whichever comes first. Refer to Table 1 for specific rate information. For any single in-crop application, use a minimum of 20-40 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech. Touchdown HiTech alone will not provide residual control. To control new weed flushes, repeat applications may be required.

#### Perennial Weeds

Touchdown HiTech will control or suppress perennial weeds with one or more applications. Successful control of perennial weeds is affected by proper timing of application. Refer to Table 3 for specific rate and timing information.



Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Ambush
Atrazine
Bicep MAGNUM
Bicep Lite II MAGNUM
Bicep II MAGNUM
Clarity
Dicamba
Dual II MAGNUM

Harness Harness Xtra Karate Marksman Surpass EC Topnotch Warrior 2,4-D

Fultime

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled

#### **Preharvest**

Touchdown HiTech may be applied as a broadcast spray with ground or aerial equipment as a harvest aid. Touchdown HiTech should be applied at 35% grain moisture or less. Ensure corn has reached physiological maturity (black layer formed) and that maximum kernel fill is complete.

### COTTON (NOT GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence; hooded sprayer; recirculating sprayer; spot spray; wiper/wick applicators; preharvest; and postharvest.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section, for application rates and timing.

#### **General Use Precautions for Cotton**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Spot applications must be made prior to boll opening.
- Preharvest, hooded, and wiper/wick applications must be made at least 7 days before harvest.
- Do not apply more than 20 fl. oz./A by air; nor more than 40 fl. oz./A by ground for preharvest.
- Do not feed or graze treated cotton forage or hay following preharvest application.

#### Tank Mixtures for Cotton (Preplant/Preemergence)

For Control of Annual Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Annual Weeds Controlled section, Tables 1 and 2, for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 5-36 fl. oz./A for the control of annual weeds that are less than 6 inches tall and actively growing. When annual weeds are taller than 6 inches or under stress, use 5-48 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech.

For Control or Suppression of Perennial Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Perennial Weeds Controlled section, Table 3, for application rates and timing. Use rates at the higher end of the rate range when weed populations are dense or plants are under stress. Perennial weeds may require multiple applications for control.

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Caparol® Command® Cotoran®

Dual MAGNUM Dual II MAGNUM Karmex Staple® Zorial® 2-4.D

Cotton-Pro® Direx Meturon® Prowl

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates and a list of weeds controlled.

## **Hooded Sprays**

Touchdown HiTech may be used through hooded sprayers that completely enclose the spray pattern for weed control between the rows. Adjust the hooded sprayer in raised seedbeds to ensure the front and rear flaps touch the ground to completely enclose the spray solution.

Apply in 10-20 gals, of water per acre and do not exceed 30 psi spray pressure. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

Crop injury may occur when the foliage of treated weeds comes in direct contact with the leaves of the crop.

Application Requirements:

- Spray hoods must be operated on the ground or skimming across the ground.
- Maximum allowable application speed is 5 mph.
- Maximum allowable wind speed at application is 10 mph.
- · Use low drift nozzles

# Tank Mixtures (Hooded)

Touchdown HiTech can be applied in a tank mix with most cotton herbicides which are labeled for hooded, shielded, or postdirected applications. Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## **Preharvest**

Development of immature bolls will be inhibited and yield potential will be affected when applications are made too early. Apply after bolls to be harvested are mature. Do not apply a preharvest treatment on cotton grown for seed as a reduction in germination or vigor may occur.

For **defoliation**, **desiccation**, **or regrowth control** of cotton, apply 20 fl. oz./A to 40 fl. oz./A. Apply in 3 to 30 gals. of water per acre by ground or in 3-15 gals. of water per acre by air.

Refer to the **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing.

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products for improved defoliation or boll opening: DEF®, Dropp®, Folex®, Prep™.



Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

# COTTON, GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT (INCLUDING ROUNDUP READY COTTON)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting; postemergence; postdirected; hooded; and preharvest in cotton varieties which have been genetically modified to be tolerant to glyphosate based herbicides.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

## General Use Precaustions for Glyphosate-Tolerant Cotton

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Applications of Touchdown HiTech to cotton varieties which are not glyphosate tolerant will result in severe crop injury and reduced yields.
- Maximum preplant/preemergence rate is 3 qts./A.
- Make postemergence applications from ground cracking until the 4-leaf (node) stage of development (until the fifth true leaf reaches the size of a quarter) at a maximum of 40 fl. oz./A per season with no more than 20 fl. oz./A for any single application.
- Apply no more than 40 fl. oz./season by precision, postdirected, or hooded application methods between the 5-leaf stage and lay-by. Apply no more than 20 fl. oz./A for any single application by these methods.
- Apply a maximum of 2.4 qts./A by postemergence and directed/hooded applications from cracking to lay-by.
- Do not apply more than 20 fl. oz./A by air; nor more than 40 fl. oz./A by ground for preharvest.
- Preharvest applications must be made at least 7 days before harvest.
- · Drift control agents may be used.

## TANK MIXTURES (PREPLANT/PREEMERGENCE)

For Control of Annual Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Annual Weeds Controlled section, Tables 1 and 2, for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 5-36 fl. oz./A for the control of annual weeds that are less than 6 inches tall and actively growing. When annual weeds are taller than 6 inches or under stress, use 5-48 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech.

For Control or Suppression of Perennial Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Perennial Weeds Controlled section, Table 3, for application rates and timing. Use rates at the higher end of the rate range when weed populations are dense or plants are under stress. Perennial weeds may require multiple applications for control.

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

CaparolDual MAGNUMStapleCommandDual II MAGNUMZorialCotoranKarmex2-4,DCotton-ProMeturonDirexProwl

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## Postemergence

Make postemergence applications from ground cracking until the 4-leaf (node) stage of development (until the fifth true leaf reaches the size of a quarter) at a maximum single application rate of 20 fl. oz./A with no more than 40 fl. oz./A per season. Sequential over the top applications of Touchdown HiTech must be at least 10 days apart and cotton must have at least two nodes of incremental growth between applications.

## Post-Directed or Hooded Applications

Touchdown HiTech may be used through precision postdirected or hooded sprayers through the lay-by stage of cotton. Applications that contact the cotton leaves may result in boll loss, delayed maturity, and/or loss of yield. Crop injury may occur when the foliage of treated weeds comes in direct contact with the leaves of the crop.

Apply in 10-20 gallons of water per acre and do not exceed 30 psi spray pressure. Refer to **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing.

## Application Requirements:

- Postdirected applications should be used that directs the spray towards the base of the cotton plant.
   For best results, apply to weeds less than 3 inches tall being careful to minimize contact of the spray with cotton leaves.
- Spray hoods must be operated on the ground or skimming across the ground.
- Maximum allowable application speed is 5 mph.
- Maximum allowable wind speed at application is 10 mph.
- Use low drift nozzles.

## Tank Mixtures (Post-Directed or Hooded)

Touchdown HiTech can be applied in a tank mix with most cotton herbicides which are labeled for hooded, shielded, or postdirected applications. Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.



#### Tank Mixtures with Dual MAGNUM

Touchdown HiTech can be applied with Dual MAGNUM from cotton emergence through the 4-leaf (node) stage of development (until the 5<sup>th</sup> true leaf reaches the size of a quarter). Do not use additional AMS or other adjuvants with this tank mixture. Do not use this mixture if cotton plants are under any type of stress including, but not limited to drought, insect, disease, or mechanicals. Occasionally following application, cotton leaves may exhibit necrotic spotting which will not affect normal plant development.

For use in the following states: AL, AR, AZ, CA, FL, GA, KS, KY, LA, MD, MO, MS, NC, NM, OK, SC, TN, TX, and VA.

Refer to the Dual MAGNUM label for precautions and restrictions.

## Salvage Treatment

Touchdown HiTech may be used after the four-leaf stage of development and should only be used where weeds threaten to cause a loss of crop. A rate of 20 fl. oz./A may be applied either as a postemergence spray to the crop or a postdirected spray.

SALVAGE TREATMENTS WILL RESULT IN SIGNIFICANT BOLL LOSS, DELAYED MATURITY, AND/OR YIELD LOSS.

#### **Preharvest**

Development of immature bolls will be inhibited and yield potential will be affected when applications are made too early. Apply after bolls to be harvested are mature. No enhancement of harvest aids will occur on glyphosate tolerant cotton. Refer to the **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing.

#### **FALLOW LAND AND POST-HARVEST USE**

Method of Application: Chemical fallow; fallow beds; stale seedbeds; aid to tillage; and postharvest.

Touchdown HiTech may be applied by ground or air during the fallow period prior to planting or emergence of any crop listed on this label. There are no rotational crop restrictions following application of this product.

## Chemical Fallow - Ecofallow

Touchdown HiTech may be used in place of tillage to control annual weeds or volunteer wheat in fallow fields. Repeat applications may be necessary to control weeds emerging after application. Refer to Table 1 for use rates and timing. Broadcast or spot treatments of Touchdown HiTech will control or suppress perennial weeds. Refer to Table 3 for use rates and timing. Follow directions listed in the **Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives**, and **Application Equipment and Techniques** sections of this label.

Tank mixes with 2,4-D or dicamba may be used for additional control of annual weeds listed in Table 2. Tank mixing with atrazine may provide residual control.

#### **Postharvest Chemical Fallow for Cereals**

Touchdown HiTech may be applied after harvest to control newly emerged weeds, volunteer cereals, or weeds which were present at harvest. Allow sufficient time after harvest for weed regrowth to occur before making application. Refer to Table 1 for use rates and annual weeds controlled. Higher rates may be required for control of large weeds which were present at the time of harvest. Repeat applications may be necessary for fall germinating weeds. Broadcast or spot treatments of Touchdown HiTech will control or suppress perennial weeds. Refer to Table 3 for use rates and timing. Follow directions listed

in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections of this label.

Tank mixes with 2,4-D or dicamba may be used for additional control of weeds listed in Table 2. A postharvest tank mix with atrazine may be used if the field will be planted to corn or sorghum or laid fallow the following season. A tank mix with atrazine may be applied for residual control of certain annual weeds such as common lambsquarters, kochia, mustards, pigweeds, and volunteer wheat. Tank mixing with atrazine may result in reduced performance.

## Aid to Tillage

Touchdown HiTech may be used in conjunction with tillage operations in fallow systems to control cheat, downy brome, foxtails, tansy mustard, and volunteer cereals. Apply 3.33-7.5 oz./A of Touchdown HiTech in 3-10 gals. of water/A. Apply before weeds exceed 6 inches in height. Application must be followed by tillage no later than 15 days after treatment or before weed regrowth. Allow at least one day after application before tillage. Tank mixes with residual herbicides may reduce performance. Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections of this label.

#### Fallow Beds/Stale Seedbeds

Touchdown HiTech may be used to control weeds in fallow or stale seedbeds, including preplant/preemergence of any crop. Follow directions listed in the **Application and Mixing Directions**, **Spray Additives**, and **Application Equipment and Techniques** sections of this label. Refer to **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing. Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with 2,4-D, dicamba, or Goal herbicide for improved control of certain weeds.

#### Tank Mixture with Goal Herbicide

Apply Touchdown HiTech at 5-10 oz. with Goal 2XL herbicide at 2-3 oz./A for control of chickweed, common cheeseweed, and common groundsel that are less than 3 inches in height or diameter. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 10-15 fl. oz. with Goal 2XL at 2-3 oz./A for control of common cheeseweed, common groundsel, and horseweed/marestail that are a maximum of 6 inches in height and length; or chickweed, London rocket, and shepherdspurse that are a maximum of 12 inches in height or length.

#### Post-harvest Use

Touchdown HiTech may be applied after harvest of any crop to control newly emerged weeds, volunteer crops, or weeds which were present at harvest. Refer to **Weeds Controlled**, **Woody Brush and Trees Controlled** sections, for use rates. Repeat applications may be necessary to control weeds emerging after application. Use the higher rate on heavy or sodded infestations.

#### General Use Precautions for Fallow Land and Post-harvest Use

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Allow sufficient time for weed regrowth to occur after harvest before making applications.
- · Avoid application after plants have been exposed to a severe frost.
- Refer to the individual labels of all products used in a tank mix for precautionary statements, recropping intervals, restrictions, and a list of weeds controlled.



- Touchdown HiTech will not control volunteer glyphosate-tolerant crops.
- There are no rotational crop restrictions following application of this product.

## **FARMSTEADS (NONCRÓP)**

**Method of Application:** General nonselective weed control, trim-and-edge, chemical mowing, cut stumps, and habitat management.

Applications can be made in noncrop areas on the farm such as:

Barrier strips Farmyards
Ditchbanks Fence rows
Dry ditches and canals Fuel storage areas
Equipment areas Rights-of-way
Farm buildings Shelterbetts
Farm roads Soil bank land

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled, Woody Brush and Trees Controlled sections for rates and timing.

A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
(1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.

#### **Tank Mixtures for Farmsteads**

Refer to the **Annual Weeds Controlled** section, Table 1, for application rates and timing. For annual weeds, rates of Touchdown HiTech are generally 0.5-2 pts./A when weeds are less than 6 inches tall and 1- 2.25 pts./A when weeds are greater than 6 inches tall.

Refer to the **Perennial Weeds Controlled** section, Table 3, for application rates and timing. For perennial weeds, apply 0.33-3 qts./A of Touchdown HiTech alone or tank mixed with one of the herbicides listed below. For tank mixtures with these products through backpack sprayers, handguns, or other high-volume spray-to-wet applications, see the **Application Equipment and Techniques** section of this label for recommended rates.

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Banvel® Simazine
Direx Surflan
Diuron 2,4-D

Princep Caliber 90

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

#### **Chemical Mowing**

Touchdown HiTech will suppress perennial grasses listed in this section to serve as a substitute for mowing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at a rate of 2.5-5 fl. oz./A. Use 2.5-3.33 fl. oz. of this product per acre when treating Kentucky bluegrass. Apply treatments in 10-20 gals. of spray solution per acre. Chemical mowing applications may be made along farm ditches and other parts of farmsteads.

Use only in areas where some temporary injury or discoloration of perennial grasses can be tolerated.

## **Cut Stumps**

Alder Eucalyptus Madrone Oak

Reed, giant

Salt-cedar Sweetgum Tan oak Willow

Touchdown HiTech will control regrowth of cut stumps and resprouts of many types of woody brush and tree species, some of which are listed. Apply Touchdown HiTech using suitable equipment to ensure coverage of the entire cambium. Cut trees or resprouts close to the soil surface. Apply a 40-100% solution of Touchdown HiTech completely covering the freshly-cut surface immediately after cutting. Application delay may result in reduced performance. For best results, applications should be made during periods of active growth and full leaf expansion.

## **Habitat Management**

## **Habitat Restoration and Maintenance**

Touchdown HiTech may be used to control exotic and other undesirable vegetation in habitat management areas. Applications can be made to allow recovery of native plant species, prior to planting desirable native species, and for similar broad spectrum vegetation control requirements in habitat management areas. Spot treatments can be made to selectively remove unwanted plants for habitat maintenance and enhancement. Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Banvel Simazine
Direx Surflan
Diuron 2,4-D
Princep Caliber 90

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

#### Wildlife Food Plots

Touchdown HiTech may be used for site preparation for control of annual and perennial weeds prior to planting wildlife food plots. Any wildlife food species may be planted or native species may be allowed to repopulate the area after applying Touchdown HiTech. If tillage is needed to prepare a seedbed, wait 7 days after application before tillage.

#### General Use Precautions for Farmsteads

- Avoid contact with the foliage of ornamentals or other desirable plants.
- · Repeat applications may be necessary.
- Avoid making cut stump applications as injury to adjacent trees may occur from root grafting.



#### **GRASS SEED PRODUCTION**

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence; renovation; site preparation; shielded/hooded sprayers; wiper/wick applicators; spot treatments; creating rows in annual ryegrass.

Apply to turf or forage grass areas grown for seed production. Applications **MUST** be made prior to the emergence of the crop to avoid crop injury. For maximum control of existing vegetation, delay planting to determine if any regrowth from escaped underground plant parts occurs. Where repeat treatments are necessary, sufficient regrowth must be attained prior to application. For warm-season grasses, such as bermudagrass, summer or fall applications provide best control.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for rates and timing.

#### **General Use Precautions**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Do not disturb soil or underground plant parts before treatment. Tillage or renovation techniques such as vertical mowing, coring, or slicing should be delayed for 7 days after application to allow proper translocation into underground plant parts.
- Do not feed or graze treated areas for 8 weeks following application.
- Vegetation contacted by Touchdown HiTech will be injured or killed.
- For spot treatments, apply prior to heading of grasses.

#### Shielded/Hooded Sprayers

Use Instructions: Apply 0.6-1.8 qts. of Touchdown HiTech in 10-20 gals. of water per acre to control weeds in the rows. Uniform planting in straight rows aids in shielded/hooded applications. Best results are obtained when the grass seed crop is small enough to easily pass by or through the protective shields/hoods.

# Wiper/Wick Applicators

Applicators should be adjusted so that the wiper contact point is at least 2 inches above the desirable vegetation. Weeds should be a minimum of 6 inches above the desirable vegetation. Better results may be obtained when more of the weed is exposed to the herbicide solution. Weeds not contacted by the herbicide solution will not be affected. This may occur in dense clumps, severe infestations, or when height of weeds varies so that not all weeds are contacted. In these instances, repeat treatments may be necessary. Better results may be obtained if two applications are made in opposite directions.



## **GRASSES**

Touchdown HiTech can be used in the production of grasses listed below:

BahiagrassOrchardgrassBermudagrassRyegrassBluegrassTimothyBromegrassWheatgrassFescue

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting but before emergence; renovation; spot spray; and wiper/wick.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for rates and timing.

#### **General Use Precautions for Grasses**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Remove domestic livestock and wait 8 weeks before grazing or harvesting for forage and hay following preplant, preemergence, or pasture renovation applications.
- If using spot or wiper/wick application, remove domestic livestock before application and wait 14 days before grazing or harvesting for forage or hay.

## Tank Mixtures for Grasses Preplant/Preemergence, Dormant, or Renovation

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides: 2,4-D, Dicamba for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds provided that the tank mix product label allows use of the product. Refer to the **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 0.6-4.8 pts./A in these tank mixes for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. For control or suppression of dense populations of weeds greater than 12 inches in height or weeds under stress, consider use rates at the higher end of the rate range.

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, approved uses, and a list of weeds controlled.

#### HERBS (PEPPERMINT, SPEARMINT)

Method of Application: Spot spray

Touchdown HiTech may be applied as a spot spray in peppermint and spearmint. Apply spray-to-wet with hand-held equipment, such as backpack and knapsack sprayers, pump-up pressure sprayers, handguns, handwands, or any other hand-held or motorized spray equipment used to direct the spray solution on to a limited area.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for rates and timing.

#### **General Use Precautions**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Apply at least 7 days before harvest.
- Plants contacted by Touchdown HiTech will be injured or killed.

#### **PASTURES**

Touchdown HiTech can be used on pastures of the following types:

Alfalfa Bahiagrass Bermudagrass Bluegrass Bromegrass Clover Fescue Orchardgrass Ryegrass Timothy Wheatgrass

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting but before emergence; renovation; spot spray; and wiper/wick.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled, Woody Brush and Trees Controlled sections for rates and timing.

For best results, remove domesticated livestock 14 days before treatment. Allow 2-6 inches of new growth prior to treatment.

To aid in renovation of pastures, Touchdown HiTech may be applied at 6-36 oz./A to dormant pastures. Applications of Touchdown HiTech to green, nondormant plant tissue of desirable species will cause stunting, plant injury, or plant death.

## **General Use Precautions for Pastures**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Remove domestic livestock and wait 8 weeks before grazing or harvesting for forage and hay following preplant, preemergence, or pasture renovation applications.
- If using spot or wiper/wick application, remove domestic livestock before application and wait 14 days before grazing or harvesting for forage or hay.



#### **Tank Mixtures for Pastures**

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides: 2,4-D, Dicamba for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds provided that the tank mix product label allows use of the product. Refer to the **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 0.6-4.8 pts./A in these tank mixes for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. For control or suppression of dense populations of weeds greater than 12 inches in height or weeds under stress, consider use rates at the higher end of the rate range.

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, approved uses, and a list of weeds controlled.

## **PEANUTS**

Method of Application: Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives. and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for rates and timing.

#### **General Use Precautions for Peanuts**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Avoid contact of spray mixture with foliage, shoots or stems. Applications must be made prior to ground cracking and crop emergence to avoid crop injury.

#### **SMALL GRAINS**

Touchdown HiTech may be used on the small grain crops listed below:

Barley Rye
Buckwheat Teosinte
Millet (pearl, proso) Triticale
Oats Wheat (all)
Rice Wild rice

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence; as a spot spray (except rice); preharvest (wheat only); postharvest; and wiper/wick (wheat only).

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

#### **General Use Precautions for Small Grains**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1 to 2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Apply at least 7 days before harvest at no more than 20 fl. oz./A preharvest in wheat and feed barley.
- For wiper/wick applications in wheat, allow at least 35 days between application and harvest.



- Crop plants contacted by Touchdown HiTech will be injured or killed.
- · Avoid treating rice fields or levees when the field contains flood water.

## Tank Mixtures for Preplant/Preemergence Use for Small Grains

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides: 2,4-D, Dicamba for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. Under certain conditions, the mixture of Touchdown HiTech with one or more herbicide tank mix combinations may result in a reduction of activity.

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## Preharvest (Wheat and Feed Barley Only)

Touchdown HiTech may be applied as a broadcast spray with ground or aerial equipment as a harvest aid. Touchdown HiTech should be applied after the hard dough stage of grain (30% or less grain moisture). Cool, wet, and/or cloudy weather conditions following application may slow down the activity of this product. Do not apply a preharvest treatment on grain grown for seed as reduction in germination or vigor may occur.

# Red Rice Control Prior to Planting Rice

Prior to application, flush fields to promote uniform germination of red rice. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 30-40 fl. oz./A on red rice with at least 2 leaves and which is no more than 4 inches tall. Red rice with less than 2 developed leaves at the time of application may be only partially controlled.

Do not reflood rice fields for 8 days following application.

## SORGHUM (MILO)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence; spot spray; wiper/wick; hooded sprayers; preharvest; and postharvest.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

#### General Use Precautions for Sorghum

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1 to 2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals, of water.
- · Contact with sorghum foliage may result in crop injury.
- Spot applications must be made before heading of milo.
- Wiper and wick applications must be made 40 days before harvest. Do not feed or graze wiper/wick treated milo fodder. Do not ensile wiper/wick treated foliage.
- Apply no more than 1.8 qts./A per season by hooded applications.
- Do not feed or graze sorghum forage and fodder after hooded applications.

Preharvest applications must be made at least 7 days prior to harvest with a maximum of 1.2 qts./A.

# Tank Mixtures for Sorghum (Preplant/Preemergence)

For Control of Annual Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Annual Weeds Controlled section, Tables 1 and 2, for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 5-36 fl. oz./A for the control of annual weeds that are less than 6 inches tall and actively growing. When annual weeds are taller than 6 inches or under stress, use 5-48 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech.

For Control or Suppression of Perennial Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Perennial Weeds Controlled section, Table 3, for application rates and timing. Use rates at the higher end of the rate range when weed populations are dense or plants are under stress. Perennial weeds may require multiple applications for control.

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Atrazine Dual II MAGNUM Karate
Bicep Lite II MAGNUM Frontier Prowl
Bicep II MAGNUM Guardsman Warrior

Dicamba

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and weeds controlled.

### **Hooded Sprays**

Touchdown HiTech may be used through hooded sprayers that completely enclose the spray pattern for weed control between the rows. Adjust the hooded sprayer in raised seedbeds to ensure the front and rear flaps touch the ground to completely enclose the spray solution.

Crop injury may occur when the foliage of treated weeds comes in direct contact with the leaves of the crop. Do not apply Touchdown HiTech when the leaves of the crop are growing in direct contact with weeds to be treated.

## Application Requirements:

- The spray hoods must be operated on the ground or skimming across the ground. Treat before tillers
  extend between the drill rows as spray contacting these tillers may kill the main plant.
- Sorghum must be at least 12 inches tall, measured without extending leaves.
- Leave at least an 8 inch untreated strip over the drill row.
- Maximum allowable application speed is 5 mph.
- Maximum allowable wind speed at application is 10 mph.
- Use low drift nozzles.

Gramoxone Max herbicide may be considered for hooded sprayer applications in sorghum. Use Gramoxone Max at 0.75 to 1.25 pts./A for control of actively growing weeds. Read and follow directions for this use on the Gramoxone Max herbicide label.



## Preharvest (Except California)

For weed control and desiccation of sorghum, apply 20-40 fl. oz./A. Apply in 3-30 gallons of water per acre by ground or in 3-15 gallons of water per acre by air.

Apply after most of the heads have matured. Apply when grain moisture is 30% or less. Development of immature heads will be interrupted and yield potential will be affected when applications are made too early. Do not apply a preharvest treatment on sorghum grown for seed as a reduction in germination or vigor may occur.

## SOYBEANS (NOT GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence; spot spray; wiper/wick; preharvest; postharvest.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

# **General Use Precautions for Soybeans**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Soybeans, except glyphosate-tolerant varieties, will be injured or killed when contacted with Touchdown HiTech.
- · Spot application must be made prior to initial pod set.
- Wiper/wick application must be made at least 7 days before harvest.
- Make preharvest applications at least 7 days before harvest of soybeans with no more than 3.6 qts./A by ground; and no more than 20 fl. oz./A by air.
- Allow at least 25 days before grazing or harvesting for livestock feed following harvest aid application.

## Tank Mixtures for Soybeans (Preplant/Preemergence)

For Control of Annual Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Annual Weeds Controlled section, Tables 1 and 2, for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 5-36 fl. oz./A for the control of annual weeds that are less than 6 inches tall and actively growing. When annual weeds are taller than 6 inches or under stress, use 5-48 fl. oz./A of Touchdown HiTech.

For Control or Suppression of Perennial Weeds in a Residual Herbicide Tank Mix: Refer to the Perennial Weeds Controlled section, Table 3, for application rates and timing. Use rates at the higher end of the rate range when weed populations are dense or plants are under stress. Perennial weeds may require multiple applications for control.

For use with 2,4-D on perennial weeds, consult Table 3.



Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Dual II MAGNUM Scepter® Authority® Lexone FirstRate™ Sencor Authority<sup>M</sup> Broadleaf Linex Boundary™ Lorox Squadron® Flexstar® Steel™ Broadstrike Lorox Plus Frontier Canopy® Fusilade® DX Prowl Warrior 2.4-D Canopy XL® Fusion® Pursuit Command 2.4-DB Karate Pursuit® Plus **Dual MAGNUM** Lasso Reflex®

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## Preharvest

Touchdown HiTech may be applied preharvest as a broadcast spray with ground or aerial equipment as a harvest aid. Touchdown HiTech provides weed control when applied preharvest to soybeans and may aid in crop dry down. Apply to mature soybeans when pods have lost their color. Do not apply a preharvest treatment to soybeans grown for seed as a reduction in germination or vigor may occur.

### SOYBEANS, GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT (INCLUDING ROUNDUP READY SOYBEANS)

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting; postemergence; and preharvest in soybean varieties which have been genetically modified to be tolerant to glyphosate based herbicides.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

## General Use Precautions for Glyphosate-Tolerant Soybeans

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% x/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Applications of Touchdown HiTech prior to soybean emergence should not exceed a total of 3 qts./A.
- Make postemergence applications from cracking throughout flowering of soybeans at a maximum of 1.8 qts. per season with no more than 40 fl. oz./A for any single application.
- Make preharvest applications at least 14 days before harvest with no more than 20 fl. oz./A.
- All Touchdown HiTech applications for a soybean crop should not exceed a total of 4.8 qts./year.
- Do not graze or harvest for forage or hay.
- Drift control agents may be used.



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## Preplant/Preemergence

Touchdown HiTech may be used as a broadcast spray to control emerged annual and perennial weeds. Apply before, during, or after planting of soybeans. Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following products:

Authority FirstRate Lorox Authority Broadleaf Lorox Plus Flexstar Boundary Frontier Prowl Pursuit Broadstrike Fusilade DX Pursuit Plus Canopy **Fusion** Canopy XL Reflex Karate Command Scepter Lasso Dual MAGNUM Sencor Lexone Dual ILMAGNUM Squadron Linex

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## Postemergence

### **Annual Weeds**

Apply Touchdown HiTech at 10-40 fl. oz./A from cracking through full flowering of soybean plants to control annual weeds. For best results, make the first application of Touchdown HiTech at 20 fl. oz./A within 30 days after planting on weeds up to 6 inches tall. Refer to Table 1 for specific rate information. Touchdown HiTech will not provide residual control. To control new weed flushes, repeat applications may be required.

## Perennial Weeds

Apply Touchdown HiTech at 20-40 fl. oz./A to actively growing perennial grasses, sedges, and broadleaf weeds. Applications in crop on glyphosate-tolerant soybeans normally occur before perennial weeds reach the most desirable growth stage for control. Treatments made prior to the timing designated in Table 3 may require retreatment. Best control will be obtained when perennial broadleaf weeds are treated in the early bud to flowering stage and when perennial grasses are in the boot to seedhead stage. Refer to Table 3 for additional rate and timing information.

## **Tank Mixtures**

Touchdown HiTech may be tank mixed with one or more of the following products:

Basagran® Pursuit
Classic® Raptor™
FirstRate Reflex

Flexstar Reliance™ STS®

Fusilade DX Scepter

Fusion Synchrony® STS®

Karate Warrior Pinnacle® 2,4-DB

Use a minimum of 10-14 fl. oz./A Touchdown HiTech in mixture with postemergent tank mix herbicides on 3 inch tall weeds. Use a minimum of 14-20 fl. oz./A Touchdown HiTech in mixture with postemergent tank mix herbicides on 3-6 inch tall weeds. Under certain conditions, the mixture of Touchdown HiTech with one or more of the above mentioned herbicides may result in a reduction of activity. Tank mixes can



result in increased crop injury as compared to either product used alone. Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and list of weeds controlled.

#### **Preharvest**

Touchdown HiTech may be applied preharvest as a broadcast spray with ground or aerial equipment as a harvest aid. Touchdown HiTech provides weed control when applied preharvest to soybeans. Apply to mature soybeans when pods have lost their color.

#### SUGARCANE

**Method of Application:** Before, during, or after planting, but before emergence of plant cane; spot spray; hooded sprayers; postharvest.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

## **General Use Precautions for Sugarcane**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Activity may also be increased
  by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Do not apply to vegetation in or around ditches, canals, or ponds containing water.
- · Do not feed or graze treated sugarcane foliage following spot spray application.
- Avoid contact with sugarcane foliage, as severe damage or destruction may result.

## Tank Mixtures for Preplant/Preemergence Use for Sugarcane

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds provided that the tank mix product label allows use of the product. Refer to the . Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 0.6-4.8 pts./A in these tank mixes for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. For control or suppression of dense populations of weeds greater than 12 inches in height or weeds under stress, consider use rates at the higher end of the rate range.

Atrazine	Lexone
Banvel	Sencor
Clarity	Prowi
Karmex	2,4-D

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

## **Hooded Sprays**

Touchdown HiTech may be used through hooded sprayers that completely enclose the spray pattern for weed control between the rows. Adjust the hooded sprayer in raised seedbeds to ensure the front and rear flaps touch the ground to completely enclose the spray solution.

Crop injury may occur when the foliage of treated weeds comes in direct contact with the leaves of the crop.



## Application Requirements:

- The spray hoods must be operated on the ground or skimming across the ground.
- Maximum allowable application speed is 5 mph.
- Maximum allowable wind speed at application is 10 mph.
- Use low drift nozzles.

## Sugarcane Ripening

To hasten ripening and extend the period of high sucrose levels in sugarcane see the following recommended use rates and application timing for each state listed.

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LA - Apply 2, 3, 5–11 fl. ozs./A 3–5 weeks before harvest of ratoon cane only.
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- TX Apply 2, 3, 5-11 fl. ozs./A 3-5 weeks before harvest of ratoon cane only.
- FL Apply 2, 3, 5–11 fl. ozs./A 3–5 weeks before harvest of **last ration cane only**.
- HI Apply 2, 3, 5-11 fl. ozs./A 4-10 weeks before harvest.
- PR Apply 2, 3-5 fl. ozs./A 3-5 weeks before harvest of ratoon cane only.

Use of this product may not increase sucrose content control under conditions of good natural ripening.

#### **Fallow Treatments**

For removal of the last stubble of ration cane between sugarcane crops, apply 2.5-3 qts. in 10-40 gals. of water per acre to new growth having at least 7 new leaves. Allow 7 days between application and tillage.

## **SUNFLOWER**

Method of Application: Before, during, or after planting, but before crop emergence.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application Equipment and Techniques sections. Refer to Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing.

## **General Use Precautions for Sunflower**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- Make only one preplant or preemergence application with no more than 1.25 pts./A.
- Do not graze or feed sunflower forage.
- Avoid contact with sunflower foliage.

# Tank Mixtures for Preplant/Preemergence Use for Sunflower

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides: Eptam, Prowl for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds provided that the tank mix product label allows use of the product. Refer to the **Weeds Controlled** section for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at up to 1.25 pts./A in these tank mixes for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. For control or suppression of dense populations of weeds greater than 12 inches in height or weeds

under stress, consider use rates at the higher end of the rate range.

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, and a list of weeds controlled.

#### VEGETABLE CROPS

Touchdown HiTech may be used on the vegetable crops listed below:

Amaranth Guar

Horseradish Arrugula

Artichoke (Jerusalem) Kale Asparagus Kohlrabi Beans (all) Leeks Beet, garden Lentils Beet, sugar Lettuce

Melons (all including citron, crenshaw, honey balls, Broccoli (all)

honeydew, mango, musk, Persian) **Brussels Sprouts** 

Cabbage (all) Mizuna

Cabbage (Chinese) Mustard greens

Cantaloupe Okra

Cardoon Onions (green, spring, Japanese bunching)

Carrot Parsley, turnip-rooted

Casaba Parsnip Peas (all) Cavalo Broccolo **Pepinos** Cauliflower Celeriac Pepper (all) Celery Potato (Irish) Celery (Chinese) Pumpkin Purslane Celtuce Chard (Swiss) Radish

Chayote Radish, oriental (daikon)

Chervil Rape greens Chick peas Rhubarb Chicory Rutabaga Chrysanthemum Salsify, black Collards Salsify (oyster plant) Corn salad Salsify (Spanish) Cress Shallots

Cucumber Spinach (all) Dandelion Spinach, mustard

Dock (sorrel) Squash (summer, winter)

Eggplant Sweet potato Endive Tomatillo Tomato Fennel (Florence) Garlic Turnip Gherkin Watercress Ginsena Watermelon Gourd, edible Yams

Groundcherry

Method of Application: Broadcast application before transplanting or before, during, or after planting but prior to crop emergence if direct seeded; spot spray; wiper/wick (rutabaga only); postharvest.

Follow directions listed in the Application and Mixing Directions, Spray Additives, and Application

Equipment and Techniques sections of this label. Refer to Weeds Controlled for application rates and timing.

## **General Use Precautions for Vegetable Crops**

- A nonionic surfactant (NIS) or wetting agent (approved for intended use) must be added at 0.25% v/v
  (1 quart NIS or wetting agent/100 gallons) of finished spray volume. Control of weeds may also be
  improved by adding dry ammonium sulfate at 1-2% by weight or 8.5-17 lbs./100 gals. of water.
- For Asparagus, do not apply broadcast within one week of emergence of first spears. Spot applications can be made immediately after cutting, but before emergence. Spears can be harvested 5 days after spot application. Postharvest applications can be made as a directed or shielded spray avoiding contact of the spray with the ferns, stems, or spears.
- Wait 3 days after application before planting cantaloupe, casaba, chayote, Chinese okra, Chinese waxgourd, cucumber, cucuzza, edible gourd, eggplant, gherkin, gourds, groundcherry, melons (all), pepper (all), pumpkin, squash, tomatillo, watercress, and watermelon.
- If transplanting into plastic mulch, ensure residues of this product are removed from the plastic prior to transplanting. Residues can be removed by a minimum of ½ inch of sprinkler irrigation or rainfall.
- Wiper/wick applications to rutabagas must be made at least 14 days before harvest.

## Tank Mixtures With Residual Herbicides for Preplant/Preemergence Use in Vegetables

Touchdown HiTech can be tank mixed with the following herbicides for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds provided that the tank mix product label allows use of the product. Refer to the Weeds Controlled section for application rates and timing. Apply Touchdown HiTech at 0.6-4.8 pts./A in these tank mixes for control or suppression of annual and perennial weeds. For control or suppression of dense populations of weeds greater than 12 inches in height or weeds under stress, consider use rates at the higher end of the rate range.

Command Lexone
Dual MAGNUM Lorox
Dual II MAGNUM Matrix®
Fusilade DX Prefar®
Goal Prowl
Kerb Sencor

Refer to individual product labels for precautionary statements, restrictions, rates, approved uses, and a list of weeds controlled.

## **Weeds Controlled**

Water volumes of 3-40 gallons per acre by ground equipment and 3-15 gallons by air are recommended. Use the minimum spray volume that provides adequate coverage.

When tank mixing with residual herbicides, refer to the individual crop section for recommendations.

Apply to actively growing weeds.



Table 1. Annual Weed Control - Touchdown HiTech Rates

Use the higher end of the rate range when stressful growing conditions or dense plant populations exist.

			Touchdown HiTech Fluid Ounces Per Acre					
		Maximum Weed (Height/Length)						
Weed Species	Scientific Name	3"	6"	12"	18"	24"		
Anoda, spurred	Anoda cristata	14–20	20–24					
Barley	Hordeum vulgare				10-14	14-20		
Barnyardgrass	Echinochloa crus-galli	20	14-20	20–30				
Bassia, fivehook	Bassia hyssopifolia		20					
Bittercress	Cardamine spp.			5–10	1014			
Bluegrass, annual	Poa annua			5-10				
Bluegrass, bulbous	Poa bulbosa			5–10		MII 7		
Bristly starbur	Ancanthospornum hispidum		10–14	14-20				
Brome, downy	Bromus tectorum		8–10	10-14				
Brome, Japanese	Bromus japonicus		5–10	10–14		14–20		
Browntop panicum	Panicum fasciculatum		5–10	14–20		22–30		
Buckwheat, wild <sup>2</sup>	Polygonum convolvulus	20						
Buffalobur	Solanum rostratum	14–20	20-30	22-30				
Burcucumber	Sicyos angulatus		10–14	14-20				
Burgherkin	Cucumis anguria	14–20	20–30					
Buttercup <sup>3</sup>	Ranunculus spp.			5–10	10-14			
Camphorweed	Heterotheca subaxillaris		20-30					
Canarygrass	Phalaris canariensis		14-20					
Carolina geranium <sup>4</sup>	um <sup>4</sup> Geranium carolinianum		20–30					
Carpetweed	Mullugo verticillata		10–14	14-20				
Cheat	Bromus secalinus		5–10		10–14			
Chervil	Anthriscus cerefolium				5–10			



			Touchdown HiTech Fluid Ounces per Acre					
		Maximum Weed (Height/Length)						
Weed Species	Scientific Name	3"	6"	12"	18"	24"		
Chickweed, common	Stellaria media			5–14	14-20			
Chickweed, mouseear	Cerastium vulgatum	-	5-10	5-14	14-20			
Citronmelon	Citrullus lanatus	14–20	20–30					
Cocklebur, common	Xanthium strumarium			5–10	10-14	14-20		
Coffee senna	Cassia occidentalis	14-20	20–30					
Corn <sup>5</sup>	Zea mays		5–10	1014		14-20		
Corn speedwell	Veronica arvensis		]	5–10				
Cowpea	Vigna unguiculata	14-20	20-30					
Crabgrass <sup>6</sup>	Digitaria spp.	10	10–14	14-20				
Crotalaria, showy	Crotalaria spectabilis	10–14	14–20	20-30				
Croton, tropic	Croton glandulosus	14-20	20–30					
Crowfootgrass	Dactyloctenium aegyptium	5–10	10–20	24-48				
Cutleaf eveningprimrose <sup>4</sup>	Oenothera laciniata	14-20	24–36					
Devil's-claw (unicorn plant)	Proboscidea louisianica	14	20					
Dwarfdandelion	Krigia cespitosa				5-10			
Eastern mannagrass			5–10	10–14				
Eclipta	Eclipta prostrata	10–14	14–20	20-30				
Fall panicum	Panicum dichotomiflorum	5–10	14–20	20–30		22-30		
Falsedandelion	Pyrrhopappus carolinianus				10–14			
Falseflax, smallseed	Camelina microcarpa			5–10				
Fiddleneck	Amsinckia spp.		14	20–30				
Filaree	Erodium spp.		14–20	20–30				
Fleabane, annual	Erigeron annus		5–10		10–14			
Fleabane, hairy	Conyza bonariensis		14–20	20-30		West of the second seco		
Fleabane, rough	Erigeron strigosus	5–10	10–14	14–20				
Florida beggarweed	Desmodium tortuosum		10–14	14-20				

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		Maximum Weed (Height/Length)						
Weed Species	Scientific Name	3"	6"	12"	18"	24"		
Florida pusley	Richardia scabra	14–20	20-30	:				
Foxtails	Setaria spp.		5–10	10–14	14–20			
Goatgrass, jointed	Aegilops cylindrica		5–10	10–14				
Goosefoot, neetleleaf	Chenopodium murale		20–30					
Goosegrass	Eleusine indica	10-14	14–20	20–30				
Grain sorghum (milo)	Sorghum bicolor		5–10	10–14	14–20			
Groundcherry	Physalis sp.		20-30					
Groundsel, common	Senecio vulgaris		10-14					
Hemp sesbania	Sesbania exaltata	10–14	24-30	24-30				
Henbit	Lamium amplexicaule		14–20	24–36				
Hophornbeam copperleaf	Acalypha ostryifolia	14-20	24–36					
Horseweed/Marestail <sup>8</sup>	Conyza canadensis		10–14	14–20	20–30			
Itchgrass	Rottboellia cochinchinensis	}	5–10	14–20	20-30			
Jimsonweed	Datura stramonium			14–20	20–30			
Johnsongrass, seedling	Sorghum halepense		510	10–14	14–20	20–30		
Junglerice	Echinochloa colona	10-14	14-20	20-30				
Knotweed	Polygonum aviculare		14–20	20–30				
Kochia <sup>3</sup>	Kochia scoparia		10–14	14–20				
Lambsquarters, common	Chenopodium album		10–14	14–20	20-30			
Lettuce, prickly	Lactuca serriola		10–14	14–20				
Little barley	Hordeum pussillum		5–10	10–14				
London rocket	Sisymbrium irio		5–10			14–20		
Mayweed	Anthemis cotula	10-14	14-20		20–30			
Morningglory 4,7	Ipomoea spp.	14–20	20-30					
Mustard, blue	Chorispora tenella		5–10	10–14	14–20			
Mustard, tansy	Descurainia pinnata		5–10	10–14	14-20			

		Touchdown HiTech Fluid Ounces per Acre Maximum Weed (Height/Length0						
Weed Species	Scientific Name	3"	6"	12"	18"	24"		
Mustard, tumble	Sisymbrium altissimum		5–10	10–14	14-20			
Mustard, wild	Brassica kaber		5–10	10-14	14-20			
Nightshade, black	Solanum nigrum	14	14–20	20–30				
Nightshade, hairy	Solanum sarrachoides Sendtner	14	14-20	20–30				
Oats	Avena sativa	10	10–14		14-20			
Oats, wild	Avena fatua	10	10–14		14-20	2011 0 1-1		
Panicum, Texas	Panicum texanum		5–10	14–20		20-30		
Pennycress, field	Thlaspi arvense		5–10	10–14				
Pigweed	Amaranthus spp.			1014	14-20	24-30		
Poinsettia, wild	Euphorbia heterophylla	1014	20–30					
Prickly sida (Teaweed) <sup>4 ,7</sup>	Sida spinosa	1420	20–30					
Puncturevine	Tribulus terrestris	14-20	20-30					
Purslane, common	Portulaca oleracea	14–20	20–30		P words of			
Rabbitfootgrass	Polypogon monspeliensis		14–20					
Ragweed, common	Ambrosia artemisiifolia		10–14	14–20	20-30			
Ragweed, giant	Ambrosia trifida		10–14	14-20	20-30			
Red rice	Oryza sativa	14–20						
Redweed	Melochia corchorifolia	14-20	20–30					
Rockpurslane Redmaids	Calandrinia sp.		14–20		essificity.			
Rye	Secale cereale	-	5–10		14–20	20-30		
Ryegrass, Italian	Lolium multiflorum		14–20	20–30				
Sandbur, field	Cenchrus incertus		10	10-14				
Sandbur, southern	Cenchrus echinatus	5–10	10–14	14-20				
Shattercane	Sorghum bicolor		5–10	10–14	14-20			
Shepherdspurse	Capsella bursa-pastoris		5–10	10–14				
Sicklepod	Cassia obtusifolia	14–20	20–30					
Signalgrass, broadleaf	Brachiaria platyphylla	10–14	14-20	20-30				

		Touchdown HiTech Fluid Ounces Per Acre Maximum Weed (Height/Length)						
Weed Species	Scientific Name	3"	6"	12"	18"	24"		
Smartweed (ladysthumb)	Polygonum persicaria		14–20	20-30				
Smartweed, Pennsylvania	Polygonum pensylvanicum		14–20	20-30				
Sowthistle, annual	Sonchus oleraceus		14–20	20-30				
Spanishneedles	Bidens bipinnata		14-20	20-30				
Speedwell, purslane	Veronica peregrina			5–10				
Sprangletop	Leptochloa spp.		5-10	10-14	14-20			
Spurge, prostrate	Euphorbia spp.		10-14	14-20				
Spurge, spotted	Euphorbia maculata		10-14	14-20				
Spurry, umbrella	Holosteum umbellatum		10–14		1.00			
Stinkgrass	Eragrostis cilianensis	,,,,,		10-14				
Sunflower, common	Helianthus annuus			5–10	10–14			
Thistle, Russian	Salsola iberica	<b>,</b>	14-20	20-30				
Velvetleaf <sup>7</sup>	Abutilon theophrasti		14–20	2030				
Virginia copperleaf	Acalypha virginica	14-20	20-30					
Virginia pepperweed	Lepidium virginicum				10–14			
Waterhemp	Amaranthus spp.		14-20	20-30				
Wheat	Triticum aestivum		5–10	10–14	14–20			
Wild Buckwheat	Polygonum convolvulus	<u> </u>	14–20	20-30		- <del> </del>		
Wild-proso millet	Panicum miliaceum		14	20	30			
Witchgrass	Panicum capillare	- Mr. Agranda		10–14				
Woolly cupgrass	Eriochloa villosa	H	10–14	14–20				
Yellow rocket	Barbarea vulgaris			10–14	14–20			

In no-till systems, use 14 oz./A.

Maximum runner length. For control of wild buckwheat >3" in runner length, use sequential applications of 20 oz./A.

Control will be reduced at the button stage.

When the predominant weed species include Carolina geranium, cutleaf eveningprimrose, and henbit that are less than 6 inches tall, Gramoxone Max should be considered as an alternative.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Will not control glyphosate-tolerant volunteer corn.

Plant diameter.

Multiple applications may be required.

Will not control glyphosate-tolerant marestail/horseweed. Glyphosate-tolerant biotypes can be controlled by timely application of Gramoxone Max plus either 2,4-D and/or a PSI herbicide prior to planting.

Table 2. Annual Weed Control – Touchdown HiTech Rates in a Tank Mix with 0.25 lbs. a.i./A of Dicamba or 0.5 lbs. a.i./A of 2,4-D

Weed Species	Scientific Name	Maximum Height/Length	Touchdown HiTech Fluid Ounces Per Acre
Kochia (dicamba only)	Kochia scoparia	6"	10–14
Lettuce, prickly	Lactuca serriola		
Morningglory	Ipomoea spp.		
Ragweed, common	Ambrosia artemisiifolia		
Ragweed, giant	Ambrosia trifida		
Smartweed, Pennsylvania	Polygonum pensylvanicum		
Velvetleaf	Abutilon theophrasti		
Cocklebur, common	Xanthium strumarium	12"	
Fleabane, rough	Erigeron strigosus		
Horseweed/Marestail*	Conyza canadensis		
Kochia	Kochia scoparia		
Lambsquarters, common	Chenopodium album		
Pigweed	Amaranthus spp.		
Sunflower, common	Helianthus annuus		
Thistle, Russian	Salsola iberica		

Read and follow dicamba and 2,4-D labels

<sup>\*</sup> Glypyhosate-tolerant biotypes less than 3 inches tall can be controlled by Gramoxone Max plus either 2,4-D or a triazine-based herbicide.

Table 3. Perennial Weed Control and Weed Management – Touchdown HiTech Rates Used Alone or in Tank Mix with 0.25 lbs. a.i./A of Dicamba or 0.5 lbs. a.i./A of 2,4-D

Weed Species	ScientificName	Spot Spray % v/v	Quarts Per Acre	Tank Mix With 2,4-D or Dicamba	Application Timing and Remarks
Alfalfa	Medicago sativa	1.25	0.83-1.25		At 6-8 inch stage or more after final cutting in fall.  Deep till 7 days after treatment.
Artichoke, Jerusalem	Helianthus tuberosus	1.25	1.8–3		At or after flowering.
Balsam-apple	Momordica charantia	1.25			Apply at or beyond bloom,
Bahiagrass	Paspalum notatum	1.25	1.8–3		Early seedhead stage.
Barley, foxtail	Hordeum jubatum	1.25	0.6–1.33		4-6 inch stage.
Bentgrass	Agrostis spp.	1.25	1		Should have at least 3 inches of growth. Ensure entire crown area has resumed growth prior to fall application. Till 7-10 days after application.
Bermudagrass	Cynodon dactylon	1.25	1.8–3		Seedheads present; may require retreatment.
Bermudagrass, water (knotgrass)		1.25	1		Apply when water bermudagrass is 12-18 inches in length. Allow 7 days before flushing or flooding the field. Not registered for use in California on this weed.
Bindweed, field	Convolvulus arvensis	1.25	2.25–3		At or after flowering, west of Mississippi River, in late summer for best results.
	1		1.8–2.25		At or after flowering, east of Mississippi River, in late summer for best results
			1.2	Yes	At or after flowering for control, multiple applications may be required. Do not apply by air.
			0.6–1.2	Yes	For suppression on irrigated agricultural land, by ground equipment only. Apply in fall or following harvest on runners 12 inches or more in length.

Weed Species	Scientific Name	Spot Spray % v/v	Quarts per Acre	Tank Mix With 2,4-D or Dicamba	Application Timing and Remarks
Bindweed, field (continued)	Convolvulus arvensis		0.4	Yes	For suppression by ground or aerial applications. Apply by air in fallow and reduced tillage systems only. Applications should be delayed until maximum emergence has occurred and when vines are between 6-18 inches in length.
			0.6–3		In California: Apply at 12 inches or greater runner length. Use high end of rate range where dense populations exist. For suppression on land which is irrigated and tilled, use 0.6 qt./A.
Bluegrass, Kentucky	Poa pratensis	1.25	0.6–1.2 0.6–1		Apply at boot to early seedhead stage.  For partial control in pasture or hay crop renovation, apply when
Blueweed, Texas	Helianthus ciliaris	1.25	2.25–3		plants are 4-12 inches.  Apply at or beyond bloom west of the Mississippi River. For best results, apply in late summer or fall,
			1.8–2.25		but before a killing frost.  Apply at or beyond bloom east of the Mississippi River. For best results, apply in late summer or fall, but before a killing frost.
Brackenfern	Pteridium aquilinum	0.6–1	1.8–2.75		Fronds fully expanded and at least 18 inches long.
Bromegrass, smooth	Bromus inermis	1.25	0.6–1.33		Apply when most plants are at the boot to early seedhead stage.
			0.6–1		For partial control in pasture or hay crop renovation, apply to actively growing plants 4-12 inches in height.
Bursage, woollyleaf	Ambrosia grayi	1.25	1.2	Yes	Apply to actively growing plants at or beyond flowering.
			0.6	Yes ¹	Apply to actively growing plants at or beyond flowering.
Canarygrass, reed	Phalaris arundinacea	1.25	1.33–1.8		Boot to head.
Cattail	Typha spp.	1.25	1.8–3		Early head to early bud.

Weed Species	Scientific Name	Spot Spray % v/v	Quarts Per Acre	Tank Mix with 2,4-D or Dicamba	Application Timing and Remakrs
Clover, red	Trifolium pratense	1.25	1.8–3		Early head to early bud.
Clover, white	Trifolium repens	4.05	400		May require retreatment.
Cogongrass	Imperata cylindrica	1.25	1.8–3		Late summer/fall, greater than 18 inches in height.
					May require retreatment.
Dallisgrass	Paspalum dilatatum	1.25	1.8–3		Early head to early bud.
Dandelion	Taraxacum officinale	1.25	1.8-3		Early bud.
	}		0.33	Yes	Early bud.
Dayflower <sup>1</sup>	Commelina spp.	1.25	1–1.33		Less than 4 inches in height.
Dock, curly	Rumex crispus	1.25	1.8–3		Early bud.
	1		0.33	Yes	Early bud.
Dogbane, hemp	Apocynum cannabinum	1.25	2.75		Late bud to flower. May require retreatment.
	Carriabilium		0.33	Yes	Actively growing at 6-12 inch stage for suppression.
Dogfennel	Eupatorium capillifolium	1.25	1.8–3		Actively growing, less than 12 inches in height.
Fescue	Festuca spp.	1.25	1.8-3		Apply when most plants have reached the early head stage.
Fescue, tall	Festuca arundinacea	1.25	0.6–1.8		Apply 1.8 qts./A when most plants have reached boot to early seedhead stage. Fall applications only: Apply 0.6 qt./A when plants are 6-12 inches in height. A spring applied sequential treatment of 0.6 pt./A will improve long term control.
Goatweed	Scoparia dulcis	1.25	1.2-1.8		Less than 8 inch stage.
Guineagrass	Panicum maximum	0.6	1.33-1.8		7-10 leaf stage.
Horsenettle	Solanum carolinense	1.25	1.8–3		Early bud stage
Horseradish	Armoracia rusticana	1.25	2.75		Apply when most plants have reached the late bud to early flower stage in late summer or fall.
Iceplant	Mesembryanthemum crystallinum	11.25			At or beyond the early bud stage.
Johnsongrass	Sorghum halepense	0.6	0.33–1.8		Apply at boot to head stage and in the fall prior to frost. Use 0.6 to 1.2 qts./A for annual tillage systems. Use 1.2 to 1.8 qts./A on notill acres. Allow 3-7 days before tillage.
			0.33		For burndown, apply when plants are 12 inches in height and allow 3 days before tillage.



		Spot Spray	Quarts	Tank Mix With 2,4-D or	Application timing and
Weed Species	Scientific Name	% v/v	Per Acre	Dicamba	Remarks
Kikuyugrass	Pennisetum clandestinum	1.25	1.33–1.8		Spray when most kikuyugrass is at least 8 inches in height. Allow 3 or more days after application before tillage.
Knapweed	Centaurea spp.	1.25	2.75		Apply in fall at late bud to flower stage.
Lantana, largeleaf	Lantana camara	0.83	_		Apply at or beyond bloom stage.
Lespedeza	Lespedeza spp.	1.25	1.8–3		Apply when most plants have reached the early bud stage.
Milkweed, common	Asclepias syriaca	1.25	1.8	Yes	Apply when most plants have reached the early bud stage.
Milkweed, honeyvine	Ampelamus albidus	1.25	1.33–2.75	Yes	Late bud to early flower. May require retreatment.
Muhly, wirestem	Muhlenbergia frondosa	1.25	0.6–1.33		Use 0.6 to 1.33 qts./A in pasture, sod, or noncrop areas. Spray plants 8 inches or more in height. Do not till between harvest and fall applications or in the fall or spring prior to spring applications. Allow 3 or more days after application before tillage.
Mullein, common	Verbascum thapsus	1.25	1.8-3		Early bud.
Napiergrass	Pennistum purpureum	1.25	1.8–3		Early head stage.
Nightshade, silverleaf	Solanum eleagnifolium	1.25	1.33	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Apply when 60% of plants have berries. Apply fall treatments before a killing frost.



Weed Species	Scientific Name	Spot Spray % v/v	Quarts Per Acre	Tank Mix with 2,4-D or Dicamba	Application Timing and Remarks
Nutsedge, purple Nutsedge, yellow	Cyperus rotundus Cyperus esculentus	0.6-1.25	0.33-1.8		Apply 1.8 qts./A for control of nutsedge plants and immature nutlets attached to treated plants. Treat when plants are in flower or when new nutlets can be found at rhizome tips. Nutlets which have not germinated will not be controlled and may germinate following treatment. Sequential applications: 0.6–1.2 qts./A applied to plants in the 3-5 leaf stage or less than 6 inches tall. Repeat treatments at this stage for long term control. For partial control: apply 0.33–1.2 qts. per acre. Treat when plants have 3-5 leaves or less than 6 inches tall. Repeat treatments at this stage for long term control to inches tall. Repeat treatments at this stage for long term control.
Orchardgrass	Dactylis glomerata	1.25	0.6–1.33		Apply 1.2 qts./A on plants at early boot to seedhead stage. For partial control in pasture or hay crop renovation, apply 0.6–1 qts./A. Apply to actively growing plants 4-12 inches in height. In orchardgrass sods rotated to no-till corn: Apply 0.6–1 qts. Apply to orchardgrass that is a minimum of 12 inches tall for spring applications and 6 inches tall for fall applications. Allow at least 3 days following application before planting. A sequential application of atrazine will be required for optimum results.
Pampasgrass	Erianthus ravennae	0.83-1.25			Apply at or beyond boot stage.
Paragrass	Brachiaria mutica	1.25	1.8–3		Early seedhead stage.



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Phaseybean <sup>1</sup>	Phaseolus lathyroides	1.25	1.33–2.75		Less than 8 inches tall.
Phragmites <sup>1</sup>	Phragmites spp.	0.83-1.25	1.8–3		For best results, treat during late summer or fall months or when plants are actively growing and in full bloom. Repeat treatments may be necessary. Visual control symptoms will be slow to develop.
Poison hemlock	Conium maculatum	0.83-1.25			Apply as a spray to wet treatment. Optimum results are obtained when plants are treated at the bud to full-bloom stage of growth.
Pokeweed, common	Phytolacca americana	1.25	1		Apply to actively growing plants up to 24 inches in height.
Quackgrass	Agropyron repens	1.25	1.33–1.8		Apply 0.6–1.8 qts./A in annual cropping systems, or in pastures and sods where deep tillage is used. Do not tank mix with a residual herbicide at the 0.6 qt. rate. Spray when quackgrass is 6-8 inches in height. Do not till between harvest and fall applications or in the fall or spring prior to spring application. Allow 3 or more days after application before tillage.  Apply in pastures, sod, or noncrop areas where deep tillage will not follow the application. Spray when quackgrass is at least 8 inches in height.
Redvine <sup>1</sup>	Brunnichia ovata	1.25	0.4–1.33		For suppression, apply 0.4 qt./A at each of two applications 7-14 days apart or a single application of 1.33 qts./A. Apply to plants greater than 18 inches tall in September/October to plants which have been growing 45-60 days since the last tillage. Make application at least 1 week prior to killing frost.



Weed Species	Scientific Name	Spot Spray % v/v	Quarts Per Acre	Tank Mix With 2,4-D or Dicamba	Application Timing and Remarks
Ryegrass, perennial	Lolium perenne	0.83	0.6–1.8		Apply 0.6–1.8 qts./A when most plants are in the boot to head stage or prior to frost. In noncrop or areas where no tillage is practiced, use 1.33–1.8 qts./A. Do not tank mix with residual herbicides when using the 0.6 qt./A per acre rate.
Smallflowered Alexandergrass	Brachiaria subquadripara	1.25	1.33–2.75		Less than 4 inches in height, actively growing.
Smartweed, swamp	Polygonum coccineum	1.25	1.8–3		Early bud, 12 inch stage.
			0.33	Yes	Early bud, 12 inch stage.
Sowthistle, perennial	Sonchus arvensis	1.25	1.33–1.8		Apply when most plants are at or beyond the bud stage of growth. After harvest, mowing, or tillage in the late summer or fall, allow at least 4 weeks for initiation of active growth and rosette development prior to application. Fall treatments must be applied before a killing frost. Allow 3 or more days before tillage.
Spurge, leafy	Euphorbia esula	1.25	0.33	Yes	For suppression: greater than 12 inches tall in late summer.
Sweet potato, wild 1	ipomea pandurata	1.25			Apply at or beyond flowering stage.
Switchgrass	Panicum virgatum	1.25	1–1.8		Boot to head stage.
Thistle, artichoke 1	Cynara cardunculus	1.25			Apply when plants are beyond the bloom stage.

Weed Species	Scientific Name	Spot Spray % v/v	Quarts Per Acre	Tank Mix With 2,4-D or Dicamba	Application Timing and Remarks
Thistle, Canada	Cirsium arvense	1.25	1.33–1.8		Apply when most plants are at or beyond the bud stage of growth. After harvest, mowing, or tillage in the late summer or fall, allow at least 4 weeks for initiation of active growth and rosette development prior to application. Fall treatments must be applied before a killing frost. Allow 3 or more days before tillage. For fall applications or following mowing, allow a minimum of 6-8 inches rosette development.
			0.33-0.6	Yes	For suppression: Apply in late summer or fall after harvest, mowing, or tiliage. Allow rosette regrowth to be a minimum of 6 inches in diameter before treating. Allow 3 or more days before tillage.
Timothy	Phleum pratense	1.25	1.33–1.8		Boot to head; wait 3 days before tillage.
Torpedograss <sup>1</sup>	Panicum repens	1.25	2.25–3		At or beyond seedhead. Repeat applications will be required to maintain control. Fall treatments must be made prior to a killing frost.
Trumpetcreeper <sup>3</sup>	Campsis radicans	1.25	1.33		Late September/October applications on actively growing plants at least 18 inches in height; retreatment may be required. Make applications at least one week before killing frost.
Vaseygrass	Paspalum urvillei	1.25	1.8–3		Apply at early head stage.
Vetch	Vicia spp.	1.25	1.2-2.42	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Boot to head.
Virginia creeper	Parthenocissus quinquefolia	1.25	2.75		Full leaf expansion.
Velvetgrass	Holcus spp.	1.25	1.8–3		Early head stage
Wheatgrass, western	Agropyron smithii	1.25	1.33-1.8	M	Boot to head.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Partial control



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## Table 4. Woody Brush and Trees Controlled

Apply Touchdown HiTech after full leaf expansion, unless otherwise directed. Use the higher rate for larger plants and/or dense areas of growth. On vines, use the higher rate for plants that have reached the woody stage of growth. In most areas, best results are obtained when application is made in late summer or fall after fruit formation.

In arid areas, best results are obtained when applications are made in the spring to early summer when brush species are at high moisture content and are flowering.

Symptoms may not appear prior to frost or senescence with fall treatments.

Allow 7 or more days after application before tillage, mowing, or removal. Repeat treatments may be necessary to control plants regenerating from underground parts or seed. Reduced performance may result if fall treatments are made following a frost.

When plants are growing under stressed conditions, or where infestations are dense, Touchdown HiTech may be used at 3-6.3 qts./A or a 0.6-1.25% solution for spot spray clean-up.

The following are controlled with 1.33 to 1.8 q	s. The state of th
Birch	Rose, multiflora
Cherry; bitter, black, pin	Salmonberry
Elderberry	Sweetgum
Hawthorn	Thimbleberry
Hazel	Trurnpetcreeper
Oak, southern red	
The following are controlled with 1.8 to 2.75 q	
Alder	Oak, post
Blackberry	Quaking Aspen
Honeysuckle	Willow
The following are controlled with 2.25 to 3 qts	1
Kudzu	•
Poison ivy/Poison oak	
The following are controlled with 1.33 to 3 qts	
Ash <sup>2</sup>	Oak; black, white <sup>2</sup>
Bearmat (Bearclover) <sup>2</sup>	Oak; northern, pin
Beech <sup>2</sup>	Oak, scrub <sup>2</sup>
Blackgum	Persimmon <sup>2</sup>
Bracken	Pine
Cascara <sup>2</sup>	Poplar, yellow <sup>2</sup>
Ceanothus <sup>2</sup>	Redbud, eastern
Chamise <sup>2</sup>	Russian olive <sup>2</sup>
Dogwood <sup>2</sup>	Sage, white <sup>2</sup>
Elm <sup>2</sup>	Saltcedar
Florida holly (Brazilian peppertree) <sup>2</sup>	Sassafras <sup>2</sup>
Gorse <sup>2</sup>	Sourwood <sup>2</sup>
Hickory <sup>2</sup>	Sumac; poison, smooth, winged <sup>2</sup>
Hornbeam, American <sup>2</sup>	Swordfern <sup>2</sup>
Locust, black <sup>2</sup>	Vine maple <sup>2</sup>
Manzanita <sup>2</sup>	Virginia creeper
Maple, red	Waxmyrtle, southern <sup>2</sup>

The following are controlled with 3	qts. <sup>1</sup>
Broom; French, Scotch	Maple, sugar
Buckwheat, California <sup>2</sup>	Monkey flower <sup>2</sup>
Catsclaw <sup>2</sup>	Sage, black
Coyote brush	Sage brush, California
Eucalyptus	Tallowtree, Chinese
Hasardia <sup>2</sup>	Tan oak resprouts <sup>2</sup>
Madrone resprouts <sup>2</sup>	Tobacco, tree <sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Alternatively, use a 1.25% solution for spot spray clean-up.

<sup>2</sup> Provides partial control

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Touchdown HiTech™ Herbicide

Group 9 Herbicide

Nonselective Foliar Systemic Herbicide for Weed Control

Active Ingredient:

*Glyphosate: N-(phosphonomethyl) glycine, in the form of the potassium salt	52.3%
Other Ingredients:	47.7%
Total:	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup>Contains 5 pounds per U.S. gallon of glyphosate acid.

### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

### CAUTION

See additional precautionary statements and directions for use in attached booklet.

## AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. Refer to supplemental labeling under "Agricultural Use Requirements" in the Directions for Use section for information about this standard.

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### CAUTION

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	FIRST AID
If in eyes:	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
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Keep container closed to prevent spills and contamination.

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Reseal container and offer for reconditioning, or triple rinse (or equivalent) and offer for recycling or reconditioning, or clean in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

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