

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, DC 20460

OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Subject: Label Amendment – Add marketing claims

Product Name: Scotts Halts

EPA Registration Number: 538-192 Application Date: February 11, 2019

Decision Number: 551135

Dear Ms. Slack:

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

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Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. If you have any questions, please contact Lydia Crawford by phone at 703-347-0622, or via email at Crawford.Lydia@epa.gov.

Sincerely,
Emily Schmid

Emily Schmid, Product Manager 25

Herbicide Branch

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Office of Pesticide Programs

Enclosure

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### ACCEPTED

3/2/2020

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No.

538-192

# Scotts Halts®

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

TOTAL 100.00%

†CAS# 40487-42-1

#### **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION**

See back/side/top/ bottom [panel/ label] for additional precautionary statements

NET WEIGHT/WT. 10.06 lbs./XX.XX lbs. (4.56 kg)/(X.XX kg)

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#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. May be harmful if swallowed. Avoid inhalation.

#### **USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS**

Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

#### **FIRST AID**

**If in eyes:** Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.

**If on skin or clothing:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.

**If swallowed:** Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**If inhaled:** Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.

Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is toxic to fish. Runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. To protect the environment, do not allow pesticide to enter or run off into storm drains, drainage ditches, gutters or surface waters. Applying this product in calm weather when rain is not predicted for the next 24 hours will help to ensure that wind or rain does not blow or wash pesticide off the treatment area. Sweeping any product that lands on a driveway, sidewalk, or street, back onto the treated area of the lawn or garden will help to prevent run off to water bodies or drainage systems. In case of spills, either collect for use or dispose of properly.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in a dry place. Reseal opened bag [by folding top down and securing.] **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL AND CONTAINER HANDLING:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. **If empty:** Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

Note to PM: The following Storage and Disposal section will appear on those products intended for use with the Shaker Jug.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**PESTICIDE STORAGE**: Store in a dry place for your next application. Product can be used until [container is] empty.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL AND CONTAINER HANDLING**: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. **If empty**: Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled**: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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Optional Company Identifier: Scotts®

Optional Product Descriptors: Crabgrass Preventer

**Grassy Weed Preventer** 

Note to PM: the optional company identifier and product descriptors are for the sole use of Scotts Company branded products.

Alternate Brand Names: Halts Crabgrass and Grassy Weed Preventer

Halts Crabgrass and Weed Preventer

Halts Weed Preventer Roundup® Weed Preventer

Roundup® Garden Weed Preventer Roundup® Ornamental Weed Preventer Roundup® Landscape Weed Preventer

Roundup® Garden & Landscape Weed Preventer Roundup® Weed Preventer For Landscapes

Roundup® Pre-Emergent Roundup® Weed Barrier

Scotts Landscape Weed Preventer

#### SUBLABEL 1 - LAWNS

#### **Example Application Rates:**

Bag Weight (lbs.)	Coverage (sq. ft.)	# AI per acre Pendimethalin	# Product per 1000 sq ft
2.01	1,000	1.5 lbs	2.01
10.06	5,000	1.5 lbs	2.01
20.12	10,000	1.5 lbs	2.01
30.18	15,000	1.5 lbs	2.01

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE - OPTION #1**

#### **Directions for Use**

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

#### Where to use

For use on all lawns and grass types except dichondra or bentgrass lawns.

#### When to use

- Apply in early spring before crabgrass germinates in your area.
- Apply in the fall to prevent moss (except California) or germination of Poa annua, Henbit, Corn Speedwell and Chickweed.
- Apply when the grass blades are dry.
- When crabgrass germinates -or- When to Apply
  [Optional Crabgrass Germination Map]
  [Note to PM: APPLICATION DATES ARE FOR PLACEMENT ONLY AND WILL BE PROVIDED WITH FINAL PRINTED LABEL SUBMISSION]
  - January 10 March 10
  - March 11 March 30
  - April 1 April 20
  - April 21 May 10
  - May 11 May 30

#### [With other products

- Does not interfere with the performance of other lawn products such as fertilizers, weed controls and insect controls.
- Allow at least one week before applying other products to the lawn.]

#### With new lawns or seeding

- Do not use on newly seeded lawns until after the fourth mowing. On newly sprigged areas, wait five months before applying.
- Do not plant grass seed for four growing months or sprig for five months after use of this product.

#### Reapplication

- For areas where crabgrass germinates between January through March (see map [Note to PM: this
  reference will only be made when map is included]), reapply after 8 weeks for best results.
- For goosegrass control, repeat application in 8 weeks.

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 Do not apply this product more than twice annually. Allow at least a two month interval between applications.

#### Restrictions

Do not enter or allow others to enter the treated area until dust has settled. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact any person or pet, either directly or through drift. Keep people and pets out of the area during application.

Staining Note: Can cause staining to cement, stone, metallic surfaces (such as automobiles and garden furniture), closing or shoes. If contact occurs, brush off particles to prevent staining and/or unwanted tracking into the house. If necessary, rinse off with water.

#### Instructions

- 1. When to Mow
  - If grass is tall enough to touch the bottom of the spreader, mow before application.
  - Mow tall grass a day or two before application.
- 2. How to apply
  - Apply with a drop or rotary spreader when grass blades are dry. For best results, use a Scotts Spreader.
- 3. Set Spreader
- 4. Fill Spreader
  - Fill spreader over bare ground or hard surface.
  - Sweep or brush any particles off of hard surfaces and apply on lawn or dispose of properly.
- 5. Apply Product
  - Apply one or two header strips, then apply product in longest direction of lawn.
  - Shut off spreader each time you reach the header strip, or stop.
- 6. Watering
- It is not necessary to water-in immediately after application. For best results, lightly water the lawn to rinse particles from grass blades (up to ½ to ½ inch) within 2-3 days after application.
  - Rain, snow or freezing weather after application will not affect product performance.
- 7. What to Avoid
  - Avoid heavy raking or aeration of the soil for 4 months after application to prevent disturbing the crabgrass barrier.

This product applies 1.5 lbs. of active ingredient per acre. Maximum application rate of 2.0 lbs. active ingredient per acre.

### Note to PM: The following optional claim will be listed on the FPL followed by any or all weeds may be listed below

[Prevents germination] [of the following [X X] [weeds]:

Barnyardgrass Henbit
Corn Speedwell Goosegrass

Chickweed Oxalis (common yellow sorrel)

Crabgrass Poa annua Fall Panicum Purslane Foxtail Spurge

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#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE - OPTION #2**

#### **Directions for Use**

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#### Application/Apply

- In early spring, apply when lawn is dry to prevent germination of crabgrass, foxtail, spurge, barnyardgrass, fall panicum, goosegrass\*, and oxalis (common yellow woodsorrel). \*for goosegrass control, repeat application in 8 weeks.
- [Apply] before March 1 in southern California. For best results on thin lawns apply by mid-February.
- [Apply] before mid-March in northern California.
- [Apply in] early Spring (up to time dandelions are in puffball stage) in all other states.
- Apply in the fall (August-October) to prevent moss (except in California), or to prevent germination of Poa annua, Henbit, Corn Speedwell and Chickweed.
- For use on all lawns and grass types except dichondra or bentgrass lawns.
- It is not necessary to water-in immediately after application. For best results, lightly water the lawn to rinse particles from grass blades (up to ½ to ½ inch) within 2-3 days after application.
- Rain, snow or freezing weather after application will not affect the performance of this product.
- This product controls crabgrass in its early stages of growth. This product does not control mature crabgrass and other existing weeds. Growing [-or- Established/Mature] broadleaf weeds can be killed with Scotts® Turf Builder® with Plus2® Weed Control /(insert product name).

#### Restrictions

- Do not enter or allow others to enter the treated area until dust has settled. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact any person or pet, either directly or through drift. Keep people and pets out of the area during application.
- DON'T/Do not use on newly seeded grass lawns until after the fourth mowing. On newly sprigged areas, wait 5 months before application.
- DON'T/Do not plant grass seed for four growing months or sprig an area for 5 months after use of this
  product.
- DON'T/Do not apply more frequently than twice a year. Allow at least a two month interval between applications.
- DON'T/Do not rake or aerify after application, as the Halts® chemical [crabgrass] barrier in the soil
  will be disturbed.

Staining Note: Can cause staining to cement, stone, metallic surfaces (such as automobiles and garden furniture), closing or shoes. If contact occurs, brush off particles to prevent staining and/or unwanted tracking into the house. If necessary, rinse off with water.

This product applies 1.5 lbs. of active ingredient per acre. Maximum application rate of 2.0 lbs active ingredient per acre.

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SPREADER SETTING INFORMATION Note to PM: The following are optional formats to present spreader setting information. Appropriate spreader settings, spreader brand names, and coverage will be inserted on Final Printed Label

#### Note to PM: Application rate is 1.50 lb ai/acre of pendimethalin

#### **Spreader Setting**

For best results, use a Scotts Spreader and mow lawn before applying product

#### **Spreading Tips**

Apply header strips. Then apply product in longest direction of lawn.

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Spreader Settings		Directions
Scotts AccuGreen® Drop Spreaders	Х	Mow lawn frist; apply 2 header strips; apply longest direction of lawn, overlapping wheel marks
Scotts PrecisionGreen®	Χ	Mow lawn frist; apply 2 header strips; apply longest direction of lawn, overlapping wheel marks
Scotts SpeedyGreen® &	Χ	Make each pass about 5 feet from
EdgeGuard <sup>™</sup> Rotary Spreaders		previous pass to overlap spread width
Additional Spreader settings:		
EZ Drop, Repubic (#530)	Χ	
EZ Broadcast, Republic (#540) (5' width)	Χ	
Scotts Broadcast Tractor Spreader	X	

[Non-Scotts spreader settings are approximate. You may need to adjust for proper coverage.]

#### -OR-

Spreader	Setting Covers X,XXX sq.ft.	Coverage Tip
Rotary Spreaders		
Scotts SpeedyGreen® (1000, 2000, 3000 series) & EdgeGuard <sup>TM</sup>	X	Make each pass about 5 feet from the previous pass
Scotts EasyGreen®	Χ	Make each pass about 30 inches from the previous pass
Scotts Tractor	Χ	
Drop Spreaders		
Scotts AccurGreen® (1000, 2000, 3000 series)	Χ	Overlap wheel marks to ensure uniform coverage
Scotts PrecisionGreen®	Χ	

[For additional spreader settings, please call *insert co. phone number*]

### OPTIONAL MARKETING CLAIMS AND TEXT The following claims may appear on any label panel

#### **GENERAL CLAIMS**

[Claims regarding "What it is..."]

- Prevents crabgrass
- Apply in early spring for season-long prevention
- Treats/Covers 5,000[X,XXX] sq. ft.
- Scotts® No-Quibble Guarantee® See Back for details
- Pull Tab [and remove for pour spout]
- Easy Open
- Pull Here
- Cut Here To Open [Icon Scissors]

#### PESTICIDAL CLAIMS

[Claims regarding "What it does..."]

- Prevents crabgrass all season long
- A complete crabgrass barrier all season long
- Stops crabgrass before it sprouts
- Delivers pre- and early post-emergent crabgrass control
- Effective pre-emergent control of crabgrass, foxtail, spurge, oxalis, and other grassy and broadleaf weeds
- Prevents crabgrass all season-long
- Single application prevents crabgrass all season-long
- Stops crabgrass before it starts
- Early post-emergent control extends application window
- Halts forms a barrier in the soil which prevents crabgrass, foxtail, spurge, barnyardgrass, fall panicum, goosegrass, purslane and oxalis (common yellow woodsorrel) from sprouting and appearing above ground level
- Stops crabgrass, foxtail, spurge and 6 other problem weeds before they start
- Prevents crabgrass and other weeds in dormant lawns
- Do not plant grass seed for four growing months or sprig for five months after use of this product
- Apply in spring to prevent crabgrass and problem weeds all season long
- Fall application prevents winter weeds such as [insert any weed from approved weed list]
- Icon of any weed prevented by Scotts Halts

[Claims regarding the fertilizer properties]

- Contains no fertilizer
- Can be applied alone, or in conjunction with other lawn products
- Prevents crabgrass without a fertilizer application
- Prevents crabgrass without promoting grass growth

"Scotts [to be named] provides a simple, easy to use answer for the toughest lawn problems. Their effective ingredients treat the lawn and control the problem. Scotts [to be named] [contains no fertilizer and] can be used alone, or with other products to solve your lawn problems."

#### OR

"Scotts [to be named] provides a simple, easy to use answer for the toughest lawn problems. Halts forms a barrier in the soil to prevent crabgrass foxtail, spurge, barnyardgrass, fall panicum, goosegrass, and oxalis from sprouting and appearing above ground level. It [contains no fertilizer and] can be used alone, or with other products to solve your lawn problems."

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#### Scotts Lawn Care Tips

The best weed prevention begins with a complete lawn care program. Tips for a weed-free lawn:

- 1) Feeding your lawn regularly using Scotts Annual Lawn Care Program to help it crowd out weeds and make it difficult for them to establish.
- 2) Mow your lawn at the recommended height. Mowing too short weakens the lawn and allows sun to reach weed seeds.
- 3) Make sure the lawn receives 1-inch per week or water. Weeds thrive in drought conditions, and steal water and nutrients from the grass.

#### What to expect

- Scotts Halts forms a barrier in the soil to prevent the emergence crabgrass all season-long.
- This product controls crabgrass within a few weeks of germination [-or- in its early stages of growth].
   This product does not control mature crabgrass and other existing weeds.

Growing [-or- Established/Mature/Visible] broadleaf weeds, such as dandelions, can be controlled with products like Scotts Turf Builder with Plus 2 Weed Control.

#### SUBLABEL 2 - ORNAMENTALS

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Not for use on plants being grown for sale or other commercial use as sod, or for commercial seed production, or for research purposes. For use on plants intended for aesthetic purposes or climatic modification and being grown in ornamental gardens or parks.

#### Restrictions

- Do not allow people or pets to enter the treated area until dusts have settled. Do not enter or allow others to enter treated areas until watering-in is complete and the soil surface is dry.
- Do not apply this product in a way that will contact any person or pet, either directly or through drift.
   Keep people and pets out of the area during application.
- Do not use when planting seeds.
- Do not use on lawns.
- Do not apply more than one time every year/12 months.
- Do not treat plants grown for food or feed.
- Do not use treated plants for food or feed.
- This product is not for use on lawns or vegetable gardens

#### **Precautions**

- Make sure newly planted areas have been watered and soil is packed around roots of desirable plants before applying Scotts Halts/this product.
- Keep product off of plant leaves. If product is applied to the plant leaves, rinse the leaves with water.
- Avoid unintentional contact of granules with stone, wood, or other porous surfaces as staining may
  occur. Sweep immediately to avoid staining. If granules are crushed into surface, rinse thoroughly.
- Unusually cold, excessively wet, or hot and dry conditions that delay germination or extend germination over a long period of time can reduce weed control.
- To prevent possible staining to unintended surfaces, ex.: concrete, stone walks, vinyl surfaces, etc., sweep up stray granules as soon as possible.
- Not for use on edible fruit, vegetables or herb areas.

This product prevents weeds from germinating. It does not kill existing weeds. If you have visible weeds, remove them first then rake the soil surface level prior to application. Avoid over application to prevent carryover problems with sensitive plants the following season.

[This product prevents most weeds from germinating for up to 5/6/8 months in flower [perennial] beds and [around] ground covers, trees and shrubs.]

[Apply this product around perennials, annuals, bushes, trees, and other ornamental plants to have a weed-free outdoor area all season long (or up to 5/6/8 months). Not for use on edible fruit, vegetable or herb areas.]

[This product controls [problem/unwanted/up to 68] weeds and grasses within a few weeks of germination [its early stages of growth]. This product does not control mature weeds and grasses.]

#### **Application**

#### [Option 1]

For Applications near Established Plants [for listed trees, shrubs, perennials, groundcovers, bulbs, ornamental grasses and bedding plants\*].

- Apply directly to soil around plants in spring before weeds germinate and before mulching.
- Apply 3/4 oz (2 Tbs) per 10 sq ft.
- Appearance of application should match Example A.

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- Activate product by lightly watering-in. [Insert product name] Scotts Halts / this product may be raked
  into the top inch of soil before watering-in.
- Apply once every year/12 months.
- Apply after planting and watering the area to pack soil around roots.
- \*After planting bedding plants, make sure newly planted area has been watered and soil is packed around roots before applying Scotts Halts/this product.

NOTE: Established plants are those that have been planted for more than 2 weeks.

#### [Option 2]

[Option 2]			
When To Apply			
Established trees, shrubs, perennials, ground covers, ornamental grass, bulbs	<ul> <li>Apply to soil around plants in spring before weeds germinate and before mulching.</li> <li>Wash granules from plants and activate product by lightly watering-in.</li> <li>Apply once every year / 12 months.</li> </ul>		
Bedding plants	<ul> <li>Apply after planting and watering the area to pack soil around roots.</li> <li>Wash granules from plants and activate product by lightly watering-in.</li> <li>Apply once every year /12 months.</li> </ul>		
How To Apply			
Established trees, shrubs, perennials, ground covers, ornamental grass, bulbs	<ul> <li>Sprinkle around plants at a rate of 3/4 oz (2 Tbs) per 10 sq ft.</li> <li>Appearance of application should match Example A.</li> </ul>		
Bedding plants	Activate product by lightly watering-in. Scotts Halts/ this product may be raked into the top inch of soil before watering-in.		

Apply Scotts Halts/the product directly to the soil around ornamental landscape plants to prevent weeds from germinating. Applications where soil is uniformly covered with Scotts Halts/this product will result in best weed control and ornamental tolerance.

NOTE: Established plants are those that have been planted for more than 2 weeks.





Note to PM: a scoop will be added to the pail package. The following text will be added to How To Apply when the product is marketed in a pail. Wear gloves to avoid product staining.

<sup>\*</sup>After planting bedding plants, make sure newly planted area has been watered and soil is packed around roots before applying Scotts Halts/this product.

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# Halts/this/the product is recommended for [Use Around] the following established Flowers, Bulbs, Shrubs, Trees, and Ground Covers / [ORNAMENTALS]: TREES

Alder, European black	Dogwood, shrub	Maple, paper-bark	Pine, slash
Apple	Dogwood, silky	Maple, red	Pine, Virginia
Arborvitae, American	Elm	Maple, sugar	Pine, white
Arbutus	Fir, balsam	Nannyberry, rusty	Plum, purple leaf
Ash, red	Fir, Douglas	Oak, chinquapin	Poplar, black
Ash, white	Fir, Fraser	Oak, live	Redcedar, Eastern
Aspen, bigtooth	Fir, white	Oak, pin	Redcedar, Western
Aspen, quaking	Franklinia	Oak, red	Red ironbark
Basswood	Ginkgo	Oak, swamp chestnut	Redwood, dawn
Birch, European weeping	Gum, black	Oak, water	Sequoia, giant
Birch, river	Gum, sour	Oak, white	Serviceberry
Buckeye, red	Haw, black	Oak, willow	Sourwood
Cedar, white	Hawthorn	Olive	Spruce, Colorado blue
Chamaecyparis, boulevard	Hemlock, Canada	Palm, date	Spruce, dwarf Alberta
Cherry, black	Hemlock, Eastern	Palm, fan	Spruce, Norway
Cherry, choke	Holly, American	Palm, pindo	Spruce, white
Cherry, Kwanzan	Honeylocust	Palm, Washington	Sweetgum
Cherry, Nanking	Lilac, common	Peach	Sycamore
Cottonwood	Lilac, Japanese tree	Pear, Bradford	Trachycarpus
Crabapple	Linden	Pecan	Tulip tree
Crepe myrtle	Magnolia, saucer	Pine, Austrian	Walnut, black
Cryptomeria, Japanese	Magnolia, Southern	Pine, Italian stone	Willow, weeping
Cypress, bald	Magnolia, star	Pine, loblolly	Yellowwood
Cypress, Leyland	Maidenhair tree	Pine, Monterey	
Dogwood, flowering	Maple, Japanese	Pine, red	
Dogwood, Korean	Maple, Norway	Pine, Scotch	

#### **SHRUBS**

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A	Abelia, glossy	Escallonia	Laurel, Schipka	Quince, flowering
Α	Althaea	Euonymus	Laurustinus	Ranger, Texas
Α	∖ucuba, gold	Euonymus, golden	Lavender, English	Redroot
A	\zalea	Euonymus, winged	Leucothoe	Rhododendron
Е	Bamboo, heavenly	Firethorn	Leucothoe, coast	Robira
Е	Barberry	Forsythia, border	Lilac, cut-leaf	Rose
Е	Barberry, Japanese	Fragrant olive	Lily-of-the-Nile	Rose-of-Sharon
Е	Blue indigo bush	Fuschia, California	Mahonia	Spice plant
Е	Bottlebrush, lemon	Gardenia	Mock orange	Spiraea
Е	Boxwood, common	Hawthorne, Indian	Myrtle, compact	Spiraea, Anthony Waterer
Е	Boxwood, Japanese	Hibiscus	Myrtle, wax	Spiraea, Japanese
Е	Brittlebush	Holly, Chinese	Nandina	Sweet bay
Е	Buttonbush	Holly, Foster's	Oleander	Trumpet bush
Е	Butterfly bush	Holly, Japanese	Oregon grape	Verbena, lemon
C	Camellia	Holly, Savannah	Osmanthus	Viburnum
C	Cape jasmine	Holly, yaupon	Palm, European fan	Vitex
C	Cassia, feathery	Honeysuckle, bush	Palm, Mediterranean fan	Weigela
C	Cordyline	Hopbush	Phlox, prickly	Wild lilac
C	Correa	Hopseed bush	Photinia, Fraser	Wisteria
C	Cotoneaster	Hydrangea	Pieris, Japanese	Xylosma
C	Cotoneaster, bearberry	Juniper	Pine, mugo	Yellowbells
C	Cotoneaster, rock	Juniper , Chinese	Plum, natal	Yew
C	Cypress, Italian	Juniper, shore	Privet, California	Yew, Japanese

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Cypress, Leyland Juniper, trailing Privet, glossy Yew, Southern
Deutzia, slender Laurel, cherry Privet, variegated Yucca, Adam's needle
Dogwood, red twig Laurel, mountain Privet, waxleaf Yucca, weeping
Elaeagnus Laurel, Otto Luyken Pyracantha

#### **GROUND COVERS**

Goldenstar Mondograss Sand strawberry Aiuga Baby sun rose Iceplant, large leaf Morningglory Sedum Beach strawberry Ivy, English Myoporum Stonecrop Capeweed Pachysandra Verbena, Peruvian Ivy, geranium Cinquefoil, spring Jasmine, Asiatic Potentilla Vervain Coyotebrush, dwarf Jasmine, primrose Red apple Vetch, crown Daisy, trailing African Jessamine, Carolina Rosemary Vinca Dymondia Manzanita, bearberry Rose-of-Sharon Wintercreeper St. Johnswort, creeping Gazania Miscanthus

#### **PERENNIALS**

Acacia Coreopsis Hen and chicks Purple loosestrife Alumroot<sup>1</sup> Pussy-toes. small-leaf<sup>1</sup> Crinum lily Hopflower oregano Asparagus Crocus Hosta Pussy-toes, stoloniferous<sup>1</sup> Aster, New York Daffodil Hyssop, Coronado<sup>1</sup> Red-hot-poker Aster, Stokes Daylily Hyssop, sunset Rock cress Ice plant, hardy or yellow · Astilibe (False spirea) False dragonhead Rosemary Ruscus, Israeli Baby's breath Fairy duster Indian blanket Ironweed, New York<sup>1</sup> Fern, asparagus Beard tongue Rush, soft Bee balm Fern, Boston Jacob's ladder1 Sage, Russian Joepye weed, Bellflower Scabiosa Fern, leatherleaf\* sweetscented1 Bergenia, heart-leaved<sup>1</sup> Fern, Japanese painted Lady's-mantle Sedae Bird of paradise Fern. tree Lantana, weeping Shasta daisy Black-eyed Susan Flax. blue Lavender, English Shrub verbena Foamflower, heartleaf Blanket flower Leopard's bane Sneezeweed, common Bleeding heart Fortnight lily Spiderwort<sup>1</sup> Lily Bluestar Foxglove, common Lily, plantain Sunflower<sup>1</sup> Blue false indigo Foxglove, Spanish Liriope, big blue Sweet flag Thrift, sea pink1 Butterfly weed Freesia Liriope, creeping Fuschia, Arizona Tickseed California poppy Liriope, variegated Gaillardia Loosestrife. garden Transvaal daisy<sup>1</sup> Calla lily Gaura<sup>1</sup> Canna, common garden Montbretia Tulip Canadian ginger<sup>1</sup> Geum Moonbeam Turtlehead. snakehead Carex Gladiolus Nightshade Twinspur Cast iron plant Globe amaranth<sup>1</sup> Orchid, peacock Wisteria Catmint Golden rockets1 Oxeye daisy Wonder flower Goldenrod, seaside1 Vervain Chincherinchee Oxeye, smooth<sup>1</sup> Goldenrod, showv<sup>1</sup> Peony, Chinese Clover, crimson Yarrow Columbine Goldenrod, wrinkleleaf Phlox. creeping Zephyr lily Coral bells<sup>1</sup> Heather, dwarf Purple coneflower

\*Applications of Scotts Halts/this product to immature ferns (during periods of new growth of fronds) may result in some injury.

#### **BEDDING PLANTS**

Ageratum Crocosmia, Montebretia Impatiens Plumosa cockscomb Alyssum Dahlia Kale, ornamental Portulaca Anemone, poppy-flowered Dianthus Marigold, African Salvia Artemesia Dusty miller Moss rose Snapdragon Balloonflower Gayfeather Statice Mum, garden Begonia Gazania, trailing Pansy Sweet William Cabbage, ornamental Gazania, treasure flower Periwinkle Vinca

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Not for use in California.

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Caladium Geranium Periwinkle, rose Zinnia

China aster Gloxinia Petunia

Scotts Halts/this product may be used on plant species not listed on this label. The suitability for such uses should be determined by treating a small number of such plants at the specified rate. Treated plants should be evaluated 1 to 2 months following treatment for possible injury.

#### **ORNAMENTAL GRASSES**

Beach grassFountain grassMuhlygrass, bambooRibbon grassBluestem, littleFountain grass, chineseMuhlygrass, pinkSea oats, northernDropseed, prairieFountain grass, orientalPampas grassTufted hair grass

Fescue, blue Indiangrass Reed canary grass

Fescue, sheep Lyme grass Reed, giant

#### **ORNAMENTAL BULBS**

Scotts Halts/this product may be applied for control of susceptible annual weeds in ornamental bulbs listed on the label (crocus, daffodil [narcissus], gladiolus, tulip, etc.). Apply Scotts Halts/this product prior to, during, or after bulb emergence. If weeds have already germinated, use a labeled postemergence herbicide [such as Roundup Weed & Grass Killer III, EPA Reg. No. 71955-33] to control emergedweeds.

#### **WILDFLOWERS**

Scotts Halts/this product may be applied for control of susceptible annual weeds in plantings of wildflowers listed on the label (black-eyed susan, California poppy, coreopsis, oxeye daisy, etc.). [Insert product name] Scotts Halts/this product may be applied to established perennial wild- flowers before emergence of weeds or wildflowers. For wildflowers being established from seed, apply Scotts Halts/this product after wildflowers have emerged but prior to weed germination. If weeds have already germinated, use a labeled postemergence product [such as Roundup Weed & Grass Killer III, EPA Reg. No. 71955-33] to control emergedweeds. Due to the diversity of species and varieties which exist in areas where wildflowers are grown, the response to Scotts Halts/this product may vary greatly. Carefully testing on desirable species is recommended to determine if area-wide applications can be made.

#### WEEDS CONTROLLED OR SUPPRESSED

Use Scotts Halts/this product for preemergence control of the weed species listed. Applications can be made around and over the top of the ornamentals listed on this label.

<sup>\*</sup>After planting bedding plants and before Scotts Halts/this product is applied, the area to be treated should be watered sufficiently to pack soil around roots.

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**GRASS WEEDS** 

Barnyardgrass
Bluegrass, annual®
Brome, Japanese
Brome, downy
Canarygrass
Cheat
Chess, hairy
Crabgrass, large

Crabgrass, smooth Crowfootgrass Foxtail, giant Foxtail, green Foxtail, yellow Goosegrass Guinea grass Itchgrass

Johnsongrass (from seed)

Jointed goatgrass Junglerice

Lovegrass (from seed) Millet, wild proso

Oat, wild

Panicum, browntop Panicum, fall Panicum, Texas Ryegrass, annual Ryegrass, Italian Sandbur, field Signalgrass Shattercane

Sprangletop, Mexican Sprangletop, red Swollen fingergrass

Witchgrass Woolly cupgrass

#### **BROADLEAF WEEDS**

Bugloss, small Burweed, lawn Carpetweed

Chickweed, common<sup>∞</sup> Chickweed, mouseear

Clover, hop Cudweed Dodder

Evening primrose Fiddleneck Filaree Henbit<sup>®</sup>

Knotweed, prostrate

Kochia

Lady's thumb

Lambsquarters, common Lambsquarters, slimleaf

London rocket
Morningglory
Mustard, black
Pigweed
Puncturevine
Purslane
Pusley, Florida
Rocket, London
Shepherdspurse

Smartweed, Pennsylvania

Speedwell, corn
Spurge, annual
Spurge, prostrate
Woodsorrel, yellow
Velvetleaf (Buttonweed)

Waterhemp

### OPTIONAL MARKETING CLAIMS AND TEXT The following claims may appear on any label panel

#### Claims Regarding Weed Control/Prevention Properties:

- [Up to][ 8\* month/Season long] weed [and grass] [control/prevention] [in your] [flower garden][and] [landscaped beds].
- Prevents/Controls/Stops [the toughest/tough/new/unwanted/problem/invasive] weeds [and grasses] [from growing/sprouting] for [up to] 8<sup>\*</sup> months [all season long].
- Works up to 8<sup>\*</sup> months [all season long] to prevent [the toughest /new/ unwanted/ problem/ invasive] weeds and grasses [from growing/sprouting].
- [Prevents/Stops/Defeats] [the toughest/new/unwanted/problem/invasive] weeds [and grasses] [before/BEFORE they start/sprout]!

<sup>&</sup>quot;Partially controlled or suppressed for 8 months.

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- Got tough weeds? Stop them [from [ever] growing [at all]][before/BEFORE] [they sprout] [with insert product name]
- One application [prevents/controls/stops] [new/problem/unwanted/invasive/tough] weeds [and grasses] [all season long] for [up to] & 8<sup>†</sup> months.
- One application lasts [up to][8\* months [all season long].
- A broad spectrum of weed [and grass] [protection/prevention/control] [for up to 8<sup>\*</sup> months] [all season long].
- [Prevents/Stops/Controls] a broad spectrum of ] [new/problem/unwanted/invasive] weeds [and grasses] [for up to 8<sup>\*</sup> months] [all season long].
- [Prevents/Stops/Controls] [the most] common weeds [and grasses][from growing/sprouting].
- [Prevents/Stops/Controls] 68 [common/new/unwanted/problem/invasive] weeds [and grasses] [from growing/sprouting].
- Stops 68 [common/new/unwanted/problem/invasive] weeds [and grasses] before they start [growing].
- [Creates/Forms] [a] [uniform/invisible] barrier against [common /new/ unwanted/problem /invasive] weeds [and grasses].
- Creates a [uniform/invisible] weed barrier [to prevent weeds [and grasses]][from growing/sprouting].
- [Provides] [A] complete weed (and grass)barrier for (up to) [8\* months] [all season long][with one application].
- Forms [a] [uniform/invisible] barrier which prevents unwanted weeds and grasses [from growing/sprouting][and appearing above ground level]
- Invisible barrier can't be broken by the toughest weeds and grasses
- [Prevents/Controls/Stops] (Note to PM: any combination of listed weeds can be inserted here) [for up to 8 months/all season long]
- [Brand Name] [controls/prevents/stops] more than xx [troublesome /problematic/ invasive /unwanted] weeds [and grasses] including (Note to PM: any combination of listed weeds can be inserted here).
- [Prevents/Controls/Stops] more weeds [with only one application][all season long]
- [8\* month] [control/prevention/product name] [is] weeds' worst nightmare
- Prevent/Control/Stop unwanted visitors
- Weeds [don't/never] stand a chance!
- Weeds [can't/ won't] grow [in the first place] \* \*when used as directed
- Blocks/stops weeds [from growing]
- [Create/Enjoy] a weed-free garden by preventing them [early]
- Prevent weeds from showing up in flower beds.
- The [best/highest] form of weed control is weed prevention. The best way to control weeds is [to prevent them/prevention]
- What's the secret to a beautiful landscape? Prevention, prevention, prevention
- Why wait to kill them when you can prevent them?
- [Blocks/prevents] weeds from breaking through the soil
- Kills and prevents weeds\* [before they reach the surface/underground/below the surface]
- Prevents weeds by creating a barrier they can't [get past/grow past/break through]
- Prevent weeds in advance with the underground "Roundup Weed Barrier"
- Prevents the toughest weeds and grasses

#### Claims Regarding Application:

- Easy to use [packaging/applicator][provides even coverage]
- Easy to apply just [shake/sprinkle] on [landscape beds][ perennial & annual flower beds, around shrubs & trees, and in flowering bulb gardens]
- Easy to open resealable bag
- [Pour spout] [applicator] [design] provides even coverage

See use directions for complete list of treated weeds. **OR** See directions for weed list.

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- Easy to open [and close] [bag/packaging/jug]
- [Does not]Won't harm plants[\*] [[\*]Please refer to plant list where product can be used] / [[\*]When used as directed]
- [Apply/Sprinkle/Shake] around flowers, perennials, trees, shrubs every 5/6 months
- [Apply/Sprinkle/Shake] once to prevent weeds for up to 5/6/8\* months
- Excellent for use with mulch
- Won't harm over 412 [X] types of plants and flowers
- Can use around 412 [X] types of plants and flowers
- Won't harm over 412 [X] types of plants and flowers
- Can use around 412 [X] types of plants and flowers
- Prevents weeds in your [landscaped beds/garden] without harming your plants and flowers
- Quick, easy way to prevent weeds
- Covers 1000 square feet
- Apply in early spring for up to 5/6/8 months of [season-long] weed [and grass] [prevention/control]
- Apply in early spring to prevent/stop/control [common/new/unwanted/problem/invasive] weeds [and grasses] [from growing/sprouting] for up to 5/6/8<sup>\*</sup> months [all season long]
- [Plant/Ornamental] Friendly Formula\*
- Fast & Easy
- [Save/Saves] time & energy
- Apply/Sprinkle/Shake and prevent weeds
- Won't harm [most] [common] [desirable] plants
- Apply with confidence [by/near][desirable][plants]
- Confidently apply [by/near] [desirable] plants
- Built in applicator [included]
- [Applicator/Scoop/Applicator Scoop] Included [optional scoop pictogram]
- [Applicator/Scoop/Applicator Scoop] Included [for easy/convenient] [applicator]
- [Applicator/Scoop/Applicator Scoop] Inside [optional scoop pictogram]
- [Easy to use] Applicator Cap [Included]

\*See use directions for complete list of treated weeds. *OR* \*See [directions for] weed list.

#### Other:

- No more hand pulling
- [Reduces/Less] hand pulling
- Less weeding all season long
- Takes the work out of weeding
- More effective than hand pulling
- Don't pull weeds [and grasses] prevent them!
- Plants grow stronger without [unwanted/invasive/problematic] weed [& grass] competition
- Weeds aren't a problem [if they] [can't grow] [never grow in the first place]
- Preventing weeds prevents more [work/weeding] later
- Weeds Can't Grow. No worry.
- Have a weed free season [spring/summer]
- For [a] weed free landscape(s) and garden bed(s)
- · Long lasting formula
- Let [insert ABN] do the weeding [for you]
- A simple [and easy] step towards a weed free landscape [& garden]

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- Be smarter than your weeds
- Not all weed preventers are the same
- Goodbye Weeds
- Wipe out weeds before they win
- Put [it/insert product name] down before weeds come up
- · Weeds, meet your match
- Simple solution for unwanted weeds
- Outsmart weeds before they appear
- Weed free season
- Draw the line [on [preventing/controlling] weeds]
- Draw the line on weeds before you see them
- Keep your landscape weed free
- Don't waste [your] time weeding [this season]
- What's better than a dead weed? No weeds at all.
- Protect/Guard your[landscape/garden] [from weeds]
- Guard [the/what's] good
- Plan in advance and weeds will never show their ugly face
- Prevent weeds so you'll never see their ugly face
- Beautiful protection against [68 kinds of] ugly weeds "Kill in Advance" technology
- Weeds die underground [before you ever see them/so you never see them]
- Weeds start underground. [insert product name] keeps them there
- Better to prevent [weeds] than [pick/pull] [weeds]
- Prevent weeds in advance. Draw the line
- Prevent weeds. Draw the line early.
- [For best results] apply in early spring [after planting]
- Apply early [in the season] to prevent weeds [before they start/ from growing]
- Easy to see where you've applied
- Easy to see for even application
- Visible color makes it easy [to (evenly) apply / to see]
- Easy to see [granules/product] [application]
- Not for use on hardscapes [sidewalks/patios/ paver/driveways]
- Not for use on lawns [or hardscapes]
- [Illustration untreated area] Note to PM: picture of garden/landscape area with weeds
- [Illustration treated area] Note to PM: picture of garden/landscape area without weeds

#### Weather /Rainproof Claims:

Rain, snow or freezing weather after application will not affect the performance of this product.

#### Guarantee:

- Guaranteed!<sup>†</sup> Note to PM: this claim can be combined with any claim listed on the label.
- Guaranteed<sup>†</sup> [we guarantee it<sup>†</sup>] qualify guarantee
- Guaranteed results<sup>†</sup> [with one application] qualify guarantee
- Guaranteed satisfaction<sup>†</sup> qualify guarantee
- Won't harm your plants [guaranteed] † qualify guarantee
- Guaranteed results or your money back<sup>†</sup>
- For a beautiful weed free landscape [& garden]

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#### Additional Roundup® Language

- For best results with existing/mature weeds in your garden and landscaped beds, use Roundup®
   Weed & Grass Killer [with the Sure Shot Wand®]
- Problems with [existing/grown/mature] weeds? Use Roundup® Weed & Grass Killer [with the Sure Shot Wand®]
- Classic/Traditional] Roundup® Weed & Grass Killer kills weeds after you see them. New [insert ABN] prevents weeds [so you'll never see them before you ever see them.]
- [Now] you can reach for [Roundup® Branded Products/a Roundup® Product] before you [even] see weeds. [Not just after.]Meet the first [Roundup® Branded Product/Roundup® Product] that prevents weeds before [they sprout/start/grow]
- Now there is a [Roundup® Branded Product/Roundup® Product] that's as good at preventing weeds as killing them.

#### Specific Packaging Claims:

- Hold Here. Tip Over. Shake Out.
- Grab Here. Tip Over. Shake Out.

#### PROMOTIONAL OFFERINGS OPTIONS

- NEW! Use only if new package or formulation
- New and Improved! Use only if new package or formulation
- New! Larger size [covers up to [Insert value] sq ft]
- NOW! Use only if new package or formulation
- Refill [Included]
- VALUE [SIZE/ SIZED]
- Value [Pack/ Pak]
- · New packaging
- NOW! Covers up to [insert value] sq ft
- NOW! Cover(s) [insert value] sq ft more!
- NOW! Controls/Stops/Prevents [68] [common/new/unwanted/problem/invasive] weeds [and grasses] [for up to 8 months]

\*See use directions for complete list of treated weeds. *OR* \*See [directions for] weed list.

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#### WARRANTY/GUARANTEE INFORMATION

**NOTICE:** To the extent consistent with applicable law, buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this product not in accordance with directions.

*Alternate Guarantee:* <sup>†</sup>GUARANTEED RESULTS or your money back. If for any reason you are not satisfied after using this product, simply send us the original proof of purchase and we will refund the purchase price.

#### Scotts No-Quibble Guarantee®

If for any reason you, the consumer, are not satisfied with results after using this product, you are entitled to get your money back. Simply send us evidence of purchase and we will mail you a refund check promptly.

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