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(Scotts(R)) ProTurf(R)

(S-2911) (#2)

DMC WEED CONTROL #8600 05/17/90 SC

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DMC Weed Control

o Provides control of bahiagrass in bermudagrass areas

o Provides control of annual and perennial weedy grasses and broadleaf weeds, including rosette- and vining-type dicots

Net Weight 2.0 oz. (56 g)

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

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Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals: CAUTION: Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust or spray mix.

Personal Protective Equipment

Applicators and other handlers must wear: Long-sleeved shirt and long pants, waterproof gloves, shoes plus socks.

Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. 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.

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.

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<u>Statement of Practical Treatment</u>: In case of contact with eyes, immediately flush with plenty of water. If on skin, wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

<u>Environmental Hazards</u>: Do not apply directly to water or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high waer mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Metsulfuron Methyl

Methyl 2-[[[[(4-methoxy-6-methyl-1,3,5-

triazin-2-yl)-amino]carbonyl]amino]

 sulfonyl]benzoate
 60.00%

 INERT INGREDIENTS:
 40.00%

 Total
 100.00%

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Directions for use

LEFT COLUMN

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

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 Workers 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, waterproof gloves, shoes plus socks.

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Controls the following perennial and annual weedy grasses:

bahiagrass

foxtail

ryegrass

Controls the following broadleaf (dicot) weeds:

annual sowthistle aster bittercress blue mustard buckhorn bur buttercup Canada thistle chicory clover (white) common chickweed common aroundsel common mullein common purslane common sunflower common yarrow conical catchfly

cow cockle
crown vetch
curly dock
dandelion
dog fennel
false chamomile
fiddleneck tarweed
field pennycress
flixweed
goldenrod

henbit
hoary cress (whitetop)
kochia
lambsquarters
miners lettuce

Pennsylvania smartweed

plantain prickly lettuce prostrate knotweed redroot piqweed redstem filaree shepherdspurse smallseed flaxweed smooth pigweed spurge (prostrate) sweet clover -tansy mustard treacle mustard tumble mustard "Virginia buttonweed wild carrot wild celery wild lettuce wild mustard

For use only on Kentucky bluegrass, fine fescue, bermudagrass, centipedegrass, St. Augustinegrass and zoysiagrass (Meyer and Emerald) turf areas.

How to use: Use spray volumes of 20-80 gal/acre and pressure of 25-35 psi at the following rates of Scotts(R) ProTurf(R) DMC Weed Control for the weeds listed below:

0.125 to 0.25 oz product/acre 0.25 to 0.33 oz product/acre

0.33 to 0.5 oz _product/acre _

wood sorrel

ryegrass (greens)

bittercress
bur buttercup
blue mustard
chickweed
chicory
clover (white)
creeping beggarweed
dandelion
field pennycress
ground ivy (Fall)
parsley-piert
prostrate spurge
redstem filaree
---spurweed
wild carrot

annual sowthistle
aster
Carolina geranium
common yarrow
crown vetch
Florida betony
ground ivy (Spring*)
henbit
lambsquarters
lespedeza
miners lettuce
plantain

plantain
prickly lettuce ;
ragweed ;
redroot pigweed ,
ryegrass (firways)
seedling dogfenno!
shepheruspurse
smooth pigweed ,
smallseed falseflax

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sweet clover
tansy mustard
treacle mustard
tumble mustard
wild celery
wild garlic
wild lettuce
wild onion
woodsorrel (oxalis)

0.25 to 0.75 oz product/acre

0.5 to 1.0 oz product/acre

bahiagrass*

Brazil pusley -buckhorn plantain Canada thistle** curly dock common groundsel common purslane common sunflower ---crabgrass dogfennel dollarweed* Florida pusley foxtail hoarycress (whitetop) kochia Pennsylvania smartweed plantain prostrate knotweed sida (southern) Virginia buttonweed*** wild mustard

*A repeat application may be requied in 4-6 weeks.

**Suppression only involving a visual reduction in competition compared to an untreated area.

***Controls seedling Virginia buttonweed. Suppression only of more mature plants. Repeat application may be required in 4-6 weeks.

The required amount of DMC Weed Control should be added when the spray tank is half full of water and, with agitator running, add the proper amount of product. Finish adding the required amount of water. Continuous agitation is required to keep the product in suspension.

Spray preparations of this product may degrade in acid solutions it not used in 24 hours; it is stable in alkaline solutions. Thoroughly reagitate before using.



Tank mixes with other registered herbicides should be tested for compatibility before full scale mixing. Use mechanical or bypass agitation to thoroughly mix the spray suspension. It is not necessary to premix this product with water in a separate container prior to adding it to the spray tank. DMC Weed Control should always be added to the tank first, before any other herbicide or adjuvants.

<u>Use on Kentucky Bluegrass/Fine Fescue</u>: Apply 0.25-0.5 oz of Scotts ProTurf DMC Weed Control per acre for control of the listed weeds. Do not exceed 0.5 oz. per acre within a 9-month period.

Use on St. Augustinegrass. Bermudagrass. and Zoysiagrass (Meyer and Emerald): Apply 0.25 to 1.0 oz. of Scotts ProTurf DMC Weed Control per acre for weed control. Some chlorosis or stunting of the turfgrass may occur following application.

<u>Bahiagrass Control</u>: For the selective control of bahiagrass in bermudagrass turf, use 0.25 to 0.75 oz. of Scotts ProTurf DMC Weed Control per acre. Use the lower rate for Pensacola Bahiagrass control. Use the higher rates of the range on Argentine, Common and Paraguayan bahiagrass. Apply a repeat treatment in 4-6 weeks if necessary. Some chlorosis or stunting of the bermudagrass may occur following the application.

<u>Use on Centipedegrass</u>: Apply 0.25 to 0.5 oz. of this product per acre for weed control. Some chlorosis or stunting of the turfgrass may occur following the application.

Precautions:

Use the lower rates for minimum chlorosis of the turf.

Do not apply Scotts ProTurf DMC Weed Control to turf under stress from drought, insects, disease, cold temperatures, high temperatures of above 85°F on cool season grasses, or poor fertility as injury may result.

Do not apply to turf less than I year old.

Do not use on bahiagrass where it is the desired turf, as severe injury may result.

Do not plant ornamentals such as shrubs and trees in treated areas for at least 1 year after the last application, or bedding plants for at least 2 years.

IMPORTANT

Addition of a nonionic surfactant of at least 80% active ingredient at 0.25 percent by volume (1 qt/gal) provides maximum performance, but may temporarily increase chlorosis of the turf.

Allow one week between the application of Scotts ProTurf DMC Weed Control and other control (pesticide containing) products. (This guideline can be relaxed where severe insect or disease attack requires immediate treatment).

DO NOT USE ON FOOD OF FEED CROPS. Injury to or loss of desirable trees or other plants may result from failure to observe the following: Do not apply Scotts ProTurf DMC Weed Control (except as recommended) or drain or flush equipment on or near desirable trees or other plants, or on areas where their roots may extend or in locations where the chemical may be washed or moved into contact with their roots.

When overseeding, wait 2 months (8 weeks) after application. Do not apply to any body of water, including streams, irrigation water or wells. Do not apply where runoff water may flow onto agricultural land, as injury to crops may result.

In storage, keep from contact with fertilizers, insecticides, fungicides and seeds.

Do not apply DMC Weed Control during periods of intense rainfall or to water-saturated soils as off-target movement may occur.

Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

Do not allow spray drift onto adjacent crops or other desirable plants or trees as injury may occur.

Follow these practices to minimize drift:

- o Stop spraying if wind speed becomes excessive. Spray drift can occur at wind speeds less than 10 MPH. If sensitive plants are downwind, extreme caution must be used. Do not spray if winds are gusty.
- o High temperatures, drought, and low relative humidity increase the possibility of harmful spray drift. Caution must be used when these conditions are present and sensitive plants are nearby.
- o Use large droplet size sprays to minimize drift.
- o Use spray pressures of 35 psi or less when applying this product.

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SPRAYER CLEANUP: Immediately after spraying, thoroughly remove all traces of DMC Weed Control from mixing and spray equipment as follows:

- 1) Drain tank, rinse interior surface of tank, then flush tank, boom and hoses with clean water for a minimum of 5 minutes.
- 2) Fill the tank with clean water, then add the ammonia cleaning solution. Use one gallon ammonia (containing 3% active) per 100 gallon of water. Turn on sprayer long enough to flush through boom, hoses and nozzles. Stop spraying, but keep agitator working in the tank for 15 minutes, then drain.
- 3) Repeat Step 2.
- 4) Repeat Step 1.
- 5) Nozzles and screens should then be removed and cleaned separately. To remove traces of cleaning solution, rinse the tank thoroughly with clean water and flush through hoses and boom.
- 6) Flush boom and hoses with clean water for 5 minutes just prior to using the sprayer for the first time after the DMC Weed Control application.

Storage and disposal

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

STORAGE: Store product in original container, away from prsticides, fertilizers, food or feed.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning of equipment. Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple rinse (or equivalent) the container and then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, by incineration, or by burning, if allowed by State and local authorities. If burned, stay out of smoke.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

This product has been researched to provide necessary data to support its uses listed on the label. However, the user should understand that tests have not been carried out under all possible use conditions, and that Scotts cannot and does not warrant that the product is compatible with any other chemical, or that user's mechanical equipment is appropriate to maintain the product in suspension. User should conduct its own compatiblity testing, and should test its mixes and equipment thoroughly before using the product. The user should exercise judgement and caution when using this product on a given turfgrass variety until familiar with the performance under his growing conditions. Accordingly, SCOTTS MAKES NO WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED. CONCERNING THE RESULTS TO BE OBTAINED FROM THE USE OF THIS PRODUCT IF NOT USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIRECTIONS ON THE LABEL. The exclusive remedy of the user or Buyer, and the limit of liability of The O M Scott & Sons Company or any other Seller, for any and all losses, damages and injuries resulting from the use or handling of this product shall be the purchase price paid by the user or Buyer for the quantity of this product involved. The Buyer and users are deemed to have accepted the terms of this Notice, which may be varied only by agreement in writing, signed by a duly authorized representative of The O M Scott & Sons Company.

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