

Product
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1 GALLON

FLOWABLE

(Water Dispersible
Suspension)

MERTECT® 240-F

FUNGICIDE

POME FRUITS (Apples and Pears)

To Control Blue Mold Rot, Bull's Eye Rot, Gray Mold (Nest Rot, Cluster Rot), and Stem End and Neck Rot.

Active Ingredient
2-(4-thiazolyl)benzimidazole 42.28%
Inert Ingredients 57.72%

WARNING!

Keep out of reach of children.
HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED

Do not get in eyes or on skin.
In case of contact, flush with water; for
eyes, get medical attention.

EPA REG. NO. 618-82-AA

See Back Panel of Bottle for Directions for Use

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MERTECT 240-F is a fungicide which will control blue mold rot (*Penicillium* sp.), Bull's-eye rot (*Neofabraea perennans*) (*Gloeosporium perennans*), gray mold (nest rot, cluster rot) (*Botrytis* sp.) and stem end and neck rot (*Penicillium* sp. and *Botrytis* sp.) of apples and pears, if used according to label directions.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Shake or stir well before use.

To prepare bottle for use, unscrew cap and remove inner disc. Remove spout and insert smallest end in cap. Screw cap, with spout in place, back on bottle. Use disc as closure for the spout.

Clean equipment thoroughly before using MERTECT 240-F.

Fill the tank about 3/4 full, begin agitation, add MERTECT 240-F, and fill tank to the required level. Constant and thorough agitation is necessary to maintain proper suspension. Avoid foaming from excessive agitation.

Do not allow suspension to stand without agitation. If agitation is discontinued, mix MERTECT 240-F thoroughly under adequate agitation before resuming treatment.

Dip, flood, or spray harvested fruit with a suspension of 16 fl. oz. of MERTECT 240-F in 100 gallons of water (approx. 500 ppm active ingredient). Do not treat for over 3 minutes. Treat apples before and after storage for maximum decay control. Treat pears only once.

Drain fruit thoroughly after treatment. Do not rinse fruit after treatment with MERTECT 240-F.

Do not contaminate water in cleaning of equipment or disposing of wastes.

Satisfactory results have been obtained from MERTECT 240-F when combined with commonly used treatment chemicals. However, variable use rates, conditions, and treating equipment preclude a blanket recommendation for such use. Consult your supplier or agricultural experiment station for a specific recommendation.

PRODUCT FREEZING TEMPERATURE IS 32°F. Satisfactory utility is restored after thawing and mixing of product stored at temperatures as low as 0°F. Repeated freezing and thawing of the product should be avoided. KEEP COVER ON OPENED CONTAINER TO PREVENT DRYING

Container Disposal Do not reuse container. Destroy when empty.

NOTICE TO USER

Buyer assumes all risks of use and handling which are at variance in any way with the directions hereon. There are no warranties which extend beyond the description on this label.

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