

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Patterson's Stop-Crab is a highly effective pre-emergence material for controlling certain broadleaf weeds and annual grasses, including carpetweed, common chickweed, fall panicum, Florida pusley, green foxtail, hairy crabgrass, Johnson grass (from seed), lambquarter, lovegrass, purslane, smooth crabgrass, Texas millet, wild radish and yellow foxtail.

Application should be made in early spring prior to the germination of crabgrass or the other listed weeds. This product does not provide control if applied after such weeds germinate. One application applied before weed germination in early spring usually provides up to 3 month weed control.

Certain insects, particularly May beetle and Japanese beetle larvae (white grubs), are controlled by Patterson's Stop-Crab. Stop-Crab will also kill ants, chiggers, fleas and certain other insects in the lawn.

HOW MUCH TO APPLY: Use any lawn fertilizer spreader that is in good condition. Spreaders will vary in application rate due to differences in the walking speed and in the roughness of the lawn, as well as mechanical differences of the spreaders. The contents of this bag are sufficient to treat 2500 square feet. The spreader controls should be turned to off position when making turns with the spreader. Following a criss-cross pattern of spreading, putting one-half of the proper application in each direction, is preferable to spreading all of the application in one direction.

APPROXIMATE SPREADER SETTINGS

Patterson's, Scott, and Lawn Beauty	9
Par. Imperial and Central	14
Cyclone and similar spreaders	8

If spreader accuracy or setting is unknown or in question, set openings to provide even flow and measure coverage.

SEEDING: Although fall seeding is preferable, spring seeding is sometimes necessary, and when this occurs there should be a delay of approximately 60 days after the application of Patterson's Stop-Crab before grass seed is applied. If reseeding is necessary within the 60 day waiting period, the amount of lawn seed applied should be increased by 50 percent to insure thrifty stands. Early spring application of Stop-Crab may be applied to a newly seeded lawn after it has been mowed at least once.

Patterson's Stop-Crab kills the seedlings of the above listed weeds as they germinate, but it will not control established weeds or weeds that are already growing.

CAUTION: Follow directions carefully. Harmful if inhaled or swallowed. Do not take internally. Avoid contact with eyes, avoid breathing of dust. Skin contact may be harmful. Avoid unnecessary contact. Wash hands before eating. Take shower or bath after work. Keep children and pets off treated lawns until material has been watered into soil and grass is thoroughly dry. Do not store near seeds, fertilizer or other pesticides nor near feed and foodstuffs.

Do not apply to newly seeded lawn areas until after greening appears. Do not use on Dichondra lawns.

This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Keep out of lakes, streams or ponds. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment, or disposal of wastes.

Do not reuse empty container. Destroy it by perforating or crushing. Bury or discard in a safe place.

NOTICE: Buyer assumes all risk and liability of use, storage and/or handling of this material not in accordance with the terms of this label.

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