

#### OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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#### **SENT BY EMAIL**

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Subject: Labeling Notification per Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 - Additions of optional

marketing claims and graphics Product Name: GRUB-NO-MORE

Admin Number: 2217-909 EPA Receipt Date: 06/06/2025 Action Case Number: 00659565

Dear Eric Smith:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency is in receipt of your application for notification under Pesticide Registration Notice 98-10 for the above referenced product. The EPA has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN 98-10.

The labeling submitted with this application has been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to your 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 EPA. If the website is false or misleading, the product will be considered to be misbranded and sale or distribution of the product is unlawful under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR § 156.10(a)(5) lists examples of statements the 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 EPA find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains statements or claims substantially differing from statements or claims made in connection with obtaining a FIFRA section 3 registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance.

If you have questions, please contact Scott Campbell via email at campbell.scott@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Ralph Narain, Acting PM01 IVB3, RD

Scott Campbell (for)

Office of Pesticide Programs

## **Grub-No-More**<sup>™</sup>

## Alternate Brand Name: Gordon's Grub-No-More Granules

#### FOR OUTDOOR RESIDENTIAL USE ONLY

Not for sale, sale into, distribution and/or use in Nassau, Suffolk, Kings and Queens Counties of New York State.

#### NOTIFICATION

2217-909

The applicant has certified that no changes, other than those reported to the Agency have been made to the labeling. The Agency acknowledges this notification by letter dated:

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	07/10/2025	
Imidacloprid		0.2%
Other Ingredients		99.8%
TOTAL		100.0%

Active Ingredient: 0.2% imidacloprid, CAS Registry No. 138264-41-3

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

### **CAUTION**

**NET WEIGHT: 30 POUNDS** 

AP012914 EPA Reg. No. 2217-909 EPA Est. No. 2217-KS-1 Made in USA

MANUFACTURED BY:

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# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

#### **FIRST AID**

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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 ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>	
IF IN EYES:	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 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 INHALED:	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration.</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 to a doctor. You may also contact 1-877-800-5556 for emergency medical information.		
Active Ingredient: 0.2% imidacloprid, CAS Registry No. 138261-41-3.		
Note To Physician: No specific antidote is available. Treat the patient symptomatically.		

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This product is highly toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water.

Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment washwater.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Read all directions for use and conditions of sale before using.

For residential use on lawns and landscaped areas.

Do not apply this product by any application method, to linden, basswood or other *Tilia* species in the state of Oregon.

#### **APPLICATION TO LAWNS:**

#### What Gordon's Grub-No-More does:

White grubs can cause extensive damage to turf by feeding on grass roots. Affected turf turns yellow, then brown, and is easily pulled up in pieces with your hands. Mole crickets can seriously damage lawns by their tunneling activity. Some species also feed on the grass roots, as well. **Grub-No-More** prevents turf damage by killing grubs and mole crickets when they are newly hatched and before they can cause turf damage.

GRASS
THATCH
SOIL

**Grub-No-More** works best when applied before grubs and mole crickets hatch. The active ingredient will remain in the root zone of the turf until the eggs of grubs or mole crickets hatch. These newly hatched insects are highly susceptible to imidacloprid, and are killed before they become large enough to cause turf damage. **Grub-No-More** also kills grubs in landscaped ornamental areas containing flowers, groundcovers, shrubs and trees.

If you have questions regarding the best time to make applications in your area, you can consult your local County University Extension Office. Be sure that you describe the product you are using when seeking such advice.

#### **Pests Controlled:**

White grubs (including the larvae of Japanese beetle, Oriental beetle, chafers, Asiatic garden beetle, May or June beetles, and black turfgrass ataenius) and mole crickets.

#### How to Apply:

Using either a drop-type or rotary-type spreader, apply **Grub-No-More** uniformly over the area being treated. Avoid the use of spreaders which may apply the product in narrow, concentrated or uneven bands. Calibrate your spreader according to the spreader manufacturer's directions to ensure the proper amount of **Grub-No-More** is applied. Check frequently to be sure spreader is working properly and spreading granules evenly.

#### After Applying:

**Grub-No-More** will work best if the lawn is watered thoroughly or if rainfall occurs within 24 hours after application to move the active ingredient through the thatch and down into the soil. Avoid mowing lawn until watering or rainfall has occurred so that the uniformity of the granules is not disturbed.

#### When to Apply:

**Grub-No-More** works best when applied before grubs and mole crickets hatch.

For best results, apply as follows:

White grubs: Apply once, anytime from April through mid-August.

**Mole crickets:** In Florida, apply once from early April through early May. Elsewhere, apply once from mid-May through mid-June.

Do not apply **Grub-No-More** when turf areas are waterlogged. The product may not work effectively under these conditions.

#### **How Much to Apply:**

For control of white grubs, **Grub-No-More** should be applied at the rate of 2.87 pounds of product per 1,000 square feet. For mole cricket control, apply 3.8 pounds of product per 1,000 square feet. **Table 1** can be used as a guide for applying the proper rate of **Grub-No-More**. However, the application rate can vary depending on the speed of application and the condition of the spreader. For best results, use a normal, steady pace when applying to obtain an accurate, even application.

Table 1. SPREADER SETTING TABLE AND APPROXIMATE TREATED AREAS				
Spreader Model	Applicati	Application Rates		
	Setting to deliver 2.87 pounds of product per 1,000 sq.ft.	Setting to deliver 3.8 pounds of product per 1,000 sq.ft.		
Earthway Rotary	13	15		
Precison Drop	12	14		
Precision Rotary	4.7	5.9		
Red Devil Rotary	7	8		
Sears Rotary	3	3.5		
Scotts Accugreen	5.25	5.75		
Scotts Edgeguard	3.25	4		
Scotts Precisiongreen	4	4.5		
Scotts Speedygreen	3.25	4		
Scotts Tractor	3	3.5		
Spyker Rotary	4.75	5.25		

Settings are approximate. The condition of your spreader, the speed at which you walk and uneven terrain may affect the rate of application. Calibrate your spreader according to manufacturer's directions.

Tip: 1,000 sq.ft. = 20 ft x 50 ft

Do not use a spreader that applies granules in narrow, concentrated or uneven bands. Be sure the spreader works properly and spreads granules evenly.

For additional spreader settings, please visit our website at www.pbigordon.com/homefarm.

# APPLICATION TO LANDSCAPE PLANTINGS (Trees, Shrubs, Evergreens, Flowers, Groundcovers)

#### **Pests Controlled:**

White grubs (including larvae of Japanese beetle, Oriental beetle, chafers, Asiatic garden beetle, May and June beetle, and black turfgrass ataenius).

#### How to Apply:

Apply as a broadcast treatment to soil, mulch or other substrate. Prior to application, remove black plastic from area to be treated to allow water to penetrate into the soil. Permeable weed barriers need not be removed prior to application.

#### After Applying:

**Grub-No-More** will work best if material is worked into the soil around plants or if a thorough watering of rainfall occurs within 24 hours after application to move the product down through mulch and into the soil.

#### When to Apply:

The best control of grubs will be obtained if **Grub-No-More** is applied before grubs begin to hatch. For best results, application should occur from April through mid-August.

**DO NOT apply** to waterlogged areas. Imidacloprid may not work effectively under these conditions.

#### **How Much to Apply:**

**Grub-No-More** should be applied at the rate of 2.87 pounds of product per 1,000 square feet. This 30 pound bag will treat 10,000 square feet of landscaped plantings. However, the application rate can vary depending on the speed of application and the condition of the spreader.

#### [Optional Text--

Table 2 can be used as a guide for applying the proper rate of Grub-No-More

#### Table 2.

Bag Size	Treated Area, sq. ft.	
30 Pounds	10,000 sq. ft. ft.	

#### End Optional Text]

**NOTE: DO NOT apply Grub-No-More** to vegetable gardens.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

**STORAGE CONDITIONS:** Store in original container in a cool, dry place, out of the reach of children, preferably a locked storage cabinet.

**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 or www.website.com for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain

#### LIMITED WARRANTY AND DISCLAIMER

FOR USE ONLY AS DIRECTED. TO THE EXENT CONSISTENT WITH APPLICABLE LAW, THE MANUFACTURER NEITHER MAKES NOR INTENDS ANY EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, WHICH ARE HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMED. IN NO CASE SHALL THE MANUFACTURER BE LIABLE FOR INCIDENTIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, OR SPECIAL DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT. If these terms are not acceptable, return this product unopened immediately to the point of purchase, and the purchase price will be refunded in full. The terms of this LIMITED WARRANTY AND DISCLAIMER cannot be varied by any written or verbal statements or agreements at the point of sale or elsewhere.

#### **APPENDIX:**

- I. Advertising claims that may be presented on the container labels or promotional information supporting this product.
  - Lawn and garden insecticide
  - Season long grub control
  - Use anytime...spring through late summer
  - For residential use on lawns and landscaped areas.
  - · Kills white grubs and mole crickets early, before they damage your lawn.
  - Apply before insects hatch to prevent turf damage.
  - One application controls grubs all season long.
  - One application stops grubs all season long.
  - Treats up to 10,000 sq.ft.
  - [Telephone Icon] For questions or comments call toll-free 800.884.3179 Mon.-Fri. 8:00a.m. –
     4:30p.m. CST [Computer Icon] or visit GordonsUSA.com

Graphics Optionally Used on Outward Facing Label Panels		
	Optional illustration used to depict control of grubs	
SPREADER APPLICATION	Optional illustration used to depict application with a spreader	
GRUB	Optional illustration used to depict control of grubs	