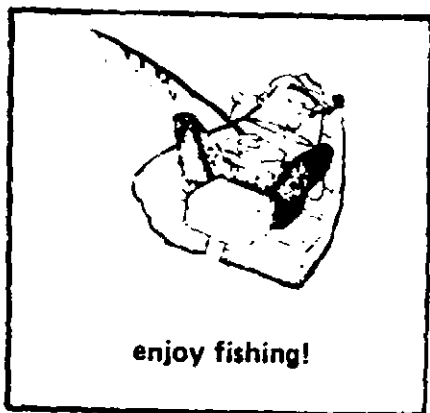


AQUACIDE

pellets

**A WEED KILLER TO KILL OFFSHORE WEEDS
IN RECREATIONAL LAKES AND PONDS**



CAUTION

Keep out of the reach of children

EPA Reg. # 5080-2

EPA Est. # 5080-MN-1

SEE OTHER PRECAUTIONS ON
THE BACK PANEL

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Sodium, 2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetate* 20%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 80%

*Equivalent to 17.5% 2,4-Dichloro-
phenoxyacetic acid 100%

CONTENTS 10 POUNDS

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AQUACIDE IS INTENDED TO TREAT SUBMERGED WEEDS IN RECREATIONAL LAKES AND PONDS.

GENERAL DISCUSSION OF SUBMERGED WEED CONTROL:

Many types of weeds are found in lakes and ponds. In the formulation of *AQUACIDE* the herbicide 2,4-D is predominantly for control of broad leaved plants.

AQUACIDE is intended to control submerged perennial water weeds, such as Water Thyme, Dutch Moss, Milfoil, Fanwort, Tape Grass, Naiad, Ludwigia and certain other pond weeds.

Probably the most important attribute of *AQUACIDE* is that the pellet form stratifies the herbicide at the bottom of the lake. This enables weed control while the weeds are very small and just appearing from the bottom.

The stratification does limit the weed killing power in the fall inasmuch as most top sprays are more effective with blooming weeds.

AQUACIDE will not kill algae or top floating weeds. The effectiveness of *AQUACIDE* is reduced by mud and silt. It will function best in a firm bottomed area.

HOW TO USE AQUACIDE

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

The *AQUACIDE* pellets are hard and dissolve slowly in water. The proper way to spread the herbicide pellets is to broadcast them with a fanning motion of the hand over the surface of the water, similar to the way grass seed is sown.

Apply *AQUACIDE* in the spring and early summer when new growth is just beginning. Effects will be visible in 7 to 10 days and full kill will take place in 3 to 5 weeks. Occasionally

a second treatment will be necessary in areas of heavy infestation and should be made in 3 to 5 weeks, or when weeds show signs of recovering. Control will last from 1 to 3 years.

Sow 2½ pounds per 1000 square feet of surface in areas of average weed density. Applications of 4 lbs. per 1000 square feet may be used in heavily infested areas.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
CAUTION**

HAZARDS TO HUMANS (and Domestic Animals): Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wear gloves when spreading pellets. Do not contaminate water used for potable purposes.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Treatment of dense weed areas can result in oxygen depletion due to decomposition of dead weeds. This oxygen loss can cause fish suffocation. To avoid fish suffocation when treating an entire body of water, treat 1/3 to 1/2 of the area at a time and allow 3 to 5 weeks before continuing to untreated areas. Water drawn directly from treated areas may damage desirable plants. Do not contaminate irrigation ditches or water used for spraying. Consult State Fish and Game Agencies before applying this product to public waters.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Store unused pellets in a dry location away from children. Triple rinse empty container, puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill. Unwanted pellets that cannot be used should be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and local procedures.



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