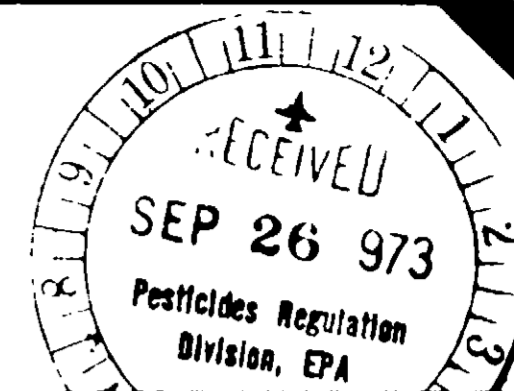


DCPA 5 GRANULES

(Contains Dacthal®*)

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CAUTION

A selective preemergence herbicide for control of annual grasses and certain broadleaf weeds in Turf, Ornamental Plantings and Nursery Stock.

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| ACTIVE INGREDIENT: | BY WT. |
| Dimethyl ester of tetrachloroterephthalic acid** ----- | 5.0% |
| INERT INGREDIENTS: ----- | 95.0% |
| TOTAL | 100.0% |

*Dacthal is the registered trademark of Diamond Shamrock Corp.
**Use as preemergence herbicide patented under U.S. Pat. No. 2,923,634

E.P.A. Reg. No. 7001-169-AA

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

For the control of grasses and some broadleaved weed species, such as smooth and large crabgrass, green and yellow foxtail, carpetweed, common chickweed, lambsquarters, smooth spurge, lovegrass, purslane, Florida pusley and witchgrass.

DCPA 5 Granules is recommended at 180 lbs. per acre. A slightly higher rate of application (up to 210 lbs. per acre) may be required to control barnyard grass, browntop panicum, dodder, ground cherry, goosegrass, johnsongrass from seed, nodding spurge and red-root pigweed. A rate of 300 lbs. per acre is recommended for control of annual bluegrass in turf. When DCPA 5 Granules is used at the recommended rate, up to four months of weed control can be expected.

Any application of DCPA 5 Granules should be made prior to weed seed germination.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Turf: Apply uniformly to established turfgrass at the rate of 200 lbs. per acre in early spring before crabgrass and other annual grasses and broadleaf weed seeds germinate. Where spring seeding is necessary, there should be a delay of about 60 days after application. Early spring application of DCPA 5 Granules may be made to new turfgrass seedlings after grasses have exhibited uniform greening of the newly sprouted grass - preferably when one to two inches in height. To control annual bluegrass and other erratic or late germinating grasses and weeds, a late summer or early fall application of 300 lbs. per acre should supplement the early spring application. Consult agricultural experiment station or extension service weed specialists for the date annual bluegrass germinates in your area. Apply at least two weeks prior to this date.

Note: The use on greens should be restricted to portions of greens previously known to be infested with crabgrass and only to greens where experience has shown Dacthal® applications to be safe. Do not apply to greens planted to Cohansey or Toronto bents. Use no more than the recommended rate. Do not apply to Dichondra lawns.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. In case of contact, flush eyes with plenty of water. Wash after handling or using. Do NOT store near feed or foodstuffs, seed, fertilizers or other pesticides in order to prevent contamination.

See cautions under turf recommendations. Store in dry place. Do NOT graze on treated areas or feed plant refuse to livestock. Do NOT reuse container. Destroy when empty.

Nursery stock or ornamental plantings: Apply 180 lbs. per acre at lining out, in late fall or early spring. Apply to soil recently cultivated to a uniform texture. These applications can be made immediately following lining out of stock. With established plantings, apply after proper cultivation to remove existing weeds. Where possible this should be done early in the spring. Late summer applications may prove beneficial for control of fall-germinating weeds, if they follow cultivation. Weed control up to four months or more may be expected following proper application. DCPA 5 Granules is specifically recommended for weed control on the following:

Abelia, Ageratum, Alyssum, Andromeda (Jap), Arborvitae, Ash, Aster, Azalea, Babystreath, Barberry, Bellflower, Birch, Bleedingheart, Bloodleaf, Boxwood, Bugloss, Camellia, Candytufts, Chestnut, Chrysanthemum, Cinquefoil, Coleus, Columbine, Coneflower (Purple), Coreopsis, Coralbells, Cosmos, Cotton-easter, Cottonwood, Crabapple, Cuphea, Cypress, Dahlia, Delphinium, Deutzia, Dogwood, Ejaeagnus, Elm, Euonymus, Evening Primrose, Feverfew, Fir, Forget-Me-Not, Erysythia, Four-O'Clock, Foxglove, Gaillardia, Geranium, Gladiolus, Golddust, Goldentuft, Gum, Hawthorn, Heath (Pink), Holly, Hydrangea, Honeysuckle, Iris, Ivy (Baltic), Ivy (Boston), Ivy (English), Ivy (Wilson), Juniper, Lantana, Larkspur (Candle), Lavendercotton/Lilac, Lily, Locust, Lupine, Magnolia, Maple, Marguerite (Golden), Marigold, Mockorange, Morningglory, Moss Rose, Mother-Of-Thyme, Mountain Laurel, Mourning Bride, Nasturtium, Oak, Orpine, Pachistima, Pachysandra, Pajony, Petunia, Pittosporum, Podocarpus, Poker Plant, Poplar, Privet, Privet (Variegated), Redbud, Rhododendron, Rose, Russian Olive, Sage (Scarlet), Salvia, Snap dragon, Spiderwort (Va.), Spirea, Spruce, Stonecrop, Strawflower, Sundrops, Sunflower, Sweet Pea, Sycamore, Tree Peony, Tulip Tree, Verbena, Viburnum, Violet, Walnut, Weigelia, Willow, Wormwood, Yarrow (Femleaf), Yew, Zinnia.

DO NOT USE on the following plants: Bugleweed, Button Pink, Carnation, Geum, Gemander, Mesembry anthemum, Pansy, Phlox, Sweet William, Tolanthera.

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