### [FRONT LABEL PANEL]

# ferti-lome®

## Premergent Weed & Grass Control

- Kills 38 Weeds & Grass Control
- For St. Augustine, Dormant Bermudagrass and Centipede Grass
- 1½ Tablespoons Covers 500 sq. ft.

# ACCEPTED

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Under the Federal Insocioide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under RPA Reg. No. ) 4 0/- 3/3

#### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

 Atrazine: 2-chloro-4-ethylamino-6 40.8%

 Isopropylamino-s-triazine
 40.8%

 Related Compounds
 2.2%

 INERT INGREDIENTS:
 57.0%

 TOTAL:
 100.0%

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

#### **CAUTION**

See Back/Side Label Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements

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#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

#### 1. WHAT IS THIS PRODUCT FOR?

Use this product to effectively kill unsightly weeds in lawns and recreational areas. See enclosed panel for a partial list of weeds controlled.

#### 2. HOW DO YOU USE IT?

Mix with water and apply uniformly to the lawn. Apply with a pump-up or compressed air type sprayer or with a hose-on type sprayer. ferti-lome Premergent Weed & Grass Control will kill both emerged weeds and weeds from seeds. Rain or watering within 2 or 3 days of application may decrease the effectiveness on emerged weeds. However, for control of weeds from seeds, rainfall or watering is necessary within 7 to 10 days after treatment.

ST. AUGUSTINE & CENTIPEDE GRASSES: ferti-lome Premergent Weed & Grass Control may be applied to established St. Augustine and Centipede grasses during both the dormant and the growing season. Best results are usually obtained in the early Spring of dormant periods when weeds are small or have not emerged.

**DORMANT BERMUDA GRASS:** Apply to Bermuda grass during the dormant season. Applications to Bermuda grass during the growing season will cause injury. Follow rates on table below. Do not apply to growing Bermuda grass.

DICHONDRA, MONEYWORT: The best control for these weeds can be obtained by making an application in early April followed with a second application in July. Applications for Spurweed or Florida Betony generally will give control or suppression of the other weeds listed. However, as a general rule ferti-lome Premergent Weed & Grass Control will give best control when applied to young tender weeds or just prior to weed emergence.

**FLORIDA BETONY:** This weed emerges in the fall, so an application in mid to late February would give the best control.

**SPURWEED:** The best control of spurweed can be obtained by applying spray when spurweed has emerged (December and January).

**RATE OF APPLICATION:** Determine the total area to be sprayed and base rate of application on the chart below. Avoid overlapping spray pattern while treating. Shake contents well before mixing.

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MIXING AND APPLICATION RATES			
Area To Be Treated	Amount of Product	Suggested Amount of Water	
500 sq. ft.	l½ tbs.	l gal.	
1,000 sq. ft.	3 tbs.	2 gal.	
3,000 sq. ft.	$4\frac{1}{2}$ ozs.	6 gal.	
5,450 sq. ft.	8 ozs.	10 gal.	
10,900 sq. ft.	1 pint	20 gal.	

#### KILLS THE FOLLOWING

Henbit	Yellow Nutsedge	Ragweed	Kochia
Chickweed	Purslane -	Cudweed	Annual Bluegrass
Clover	Knotweed	Moneywort	Narrowleaf Vetch
Spurge	Thistle	Dichondra	Swinecrest
Crabgrass	Barnyard grass	Florida Betony	Cranesbill
Sandspur	Lambsquarter	Witchweed	Nightshade
Quackgrass	Wild Oaks	Morning Glory	Velvetleaf
Pigweed	Foxtail	Spurweed	Smutgrass

#### 3. HERE ARE THE RESULTS YOU MAY EXPECT!

This very economical and easy-to-use product will effectively rid lawns and recreational turf areas of annoying and unsightly problem weeds.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**STORAGE:** Store in original container and place in a locked storage area.

**DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse container. Rinse thoroughly and securely wrap in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash.

**NOTE:** Do not apply within the active root zones of vegetables or desirable ornamental plants such as Camellias, Azaleas, Boxwoods, etc. Do not plant any crop (flower or vegetable) to treated area for 18 months or injury may result.

# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Do not breathe spray mist. Avoid contact with skir, eyes and clothing. Users should wear long sleeve shirts and long pants or equivalent, chemical resistant gloves and boots. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating and smoking. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Keep children and pets off the treated area until spray has dried. Food utensils such as teaspoons and measuring cups should not be used for food purposes after use with this product.

FIRST AID  Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.			
If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call 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 the poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</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, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>		
If on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 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 15-20 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>		

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This product is toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply to water or wetlands. Runoff or drift from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Atrazine can travel (seep or leach) through soil and can enter groundwater which may be used as drinking water. Atrazine has been found in groundwater. Users are advised not to apply Atrazine to sand and loamy sand soils where the water table (groundwater) is close to the surface and where these soils are very permeable, i.e. well drained. Your local agricultural agencies can provide further information on the type of soil in your area and the location of groundwater.

<sup>\*</sup>Buyer assumes all risk of use, storage or handling of this product not in strict accordance with directions given herewith.

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