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Dear Dr. Jordan:

SUBJECT: Product Reregistration  
Basagran® M60 Herbicide  
EPA Registration Number: 7969-78  
Your Application Dated October 12, 1995 as Amended on February 2, 1998

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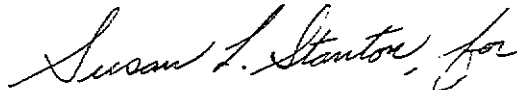
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## Postemergence Herbicide for use in rice

A soluble liquid formulation containing:

### Active Ingredients:

Sodium salt of bentazon: .....37.0%

Dimethylamine salt of 2-methyl-4-chlorophenoxyacetic acid .....6.2%

Inert ingredients .....56.8%

Total .....100.0%

\*Equivalent to 3.3 pounds per gallon bentazon (3-(1-methylethyl)-1H-2,1,3-benzothia-  
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anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk,  
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It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with this labeling. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

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PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:

- Coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Waterproof gloves
- Shoes plus socks
- Protective eyewear

### General Information

**Basagran M60** applied postemergence is effective in controlling several broadleaf weeds and sedges (Cyperaceae). Grasses are not controlled. **Basagran M60** has a contact effect as well as being translocated in the plant. Weeds must be thoroughly covered for maximum activity to occur. Large crop- and weed-leaf canopies shelter smaller weeds and prevent adequate spray coverage and may reduce effectiveness.

### Timing of Application

Apply **Basagran M60** early postemergence when weeds are small and actively growing. **Basagran M60** should be applied to rice having at least 3-4 leaves and a good root system up to end the tillering. Do not apply to rice in early seedling boot or early heading stages.

### Alternate Flooding Culture: In

Texas Louisiana Arkansas and Mississippi, weed growth stages generally correspond to rice that is tillering (stooling) and occur prior to the permanent flood. Application of **Basagran M60** must be made when there is no water on the field and 24 hours or more prior to flooding. If **Basagran M60** cannot be applied until after flooding see directions under **Continuous Flooding Culture**.

**Continuous Flooding Culture: In** California and in other states using continuous flooding culture or when treating after permanent flood treatment should be made only when weeds are above the surface of the water. Weeds submerged at the time of application are not adequately controlled.

For early treatment, water may be partly or completely drained to expose more weed growth to spray applications of **Basagran M60**.

Do not raise water level for at least 24 hours after application or unsatisfactory control may result. Do not use ground equipment for applications on flooded fields because... splashing will wash the **Basagran M60** off weed leaf surfaces and ineffective control may result. California only: Avoid applications of **Basagran M60** (a) during cold weather (day temperature below 75° F and night temperatures below 55° F for 2-5 days) as weed control may be reduced or (b) when rapid temperature drops are forecast.

### Water Volume and Spray Pressure

**Ground equipment:** Use a minimum of 20 gallons of water per acre and a minimum of 40 psi pressure (measured at the boom—not at the pump or in the line). When crop and weed foliage is dense use

up to 50 gallons of water and up to 80 psi pressure. Use standard flat fan nozzles spaced 20 inches apart. Do not use flood, whirl chamber, or controlled droplet applicator (CDA) nozzles. Do not spray if wind exceeds 8 mph.

**Air equipment:** Use a minimum of 10 gallons of water per acre and a maximum of 40 psi pressure. Use only diaphragm-type nozzles producing cone or fan spray patterns.

#### **Aerial Application Special Directions**

To obtain uniform coverage and to avoid drift hazards, the following application equipment and practices should be used:

**Nozzle height:** Maximum of 10 feet above the crop.

**Nozzle Orientation:** Nozzles must be oriented so as to discharge straight back with the air stream (opposite the direction of travel of the aircraft) or at some angle between straight back and straight down. For optimal coverage when applying **Basagran M60** by air in rice, orient all nozzles straight down. Nozzles must not be located further out than three-fourths the distance from the center of the aircraft to the end of the wing or rotor. Do not apply **Basagran M60** by aircraft when wind is blowing at velocity more than 6 mph. Coarse sprays (larger droplets) are less likely to drift.

Do not apply **Basagran M60** by air if ornamentals or sensitive non-target crops, such as cotton, sugar beets, sunflowers or okra are within 200 feet downwind.

In California, do not apply **Basagran M60** by air within 200 feet of ornamentals or sensitive non-target crops, such as cotton, sugar beets, sunflowers, okra, grapes, tobacco, fruit trees, vegetables, flowers ornamentals or other desirable plants.

Apply **Basagran M60** in such a way to avoid drift hazards. Follow the use cautions found on this labeling and observe applicable state and local regulations and ordinances.

Use a smoke generator or other means near the site of application to determine direction and extent of air movement. Observation of air/smoke movement will help determine appropriate drift control measures needed or avoid application when smoke movement is toward nearby susceptible crops. Do not spray when wind is blowing towards susceptible crops.

#### **Addition of Oil Concentrate Spray Tank**

A nonphytotoxic oil concentrate (commonly referred to as oil concentrate) should be added to the spray tank for certain weed problems as recommended. The oil concentrate must contain either a petroleum or vegetable oil base and must meet the following criteria:

- 1) be nonphytotoxic,
- 2) contain only EPA-exempt ingredients,
- 3) provide good mixing quality in the jar test (see below), and
- 4) be successful in local experience.

The exact composition of suitable products will vary, however, vegetable and petroleum oil concentrates should contain emulsifiers which provide good mixing quality. For vegetable oil concentrates, it has been observed that highly refined vegetable oils are more satisfactory than unrefined vegetable oils. For additional information, see

#### **Jar Test for Estimating Suitability of Oil Compatibility at the end of this section.**

#### **Rate of Oil Concentrate:**

**Ground application** - 2 pints/acre (maximum)

**Air application** - 2 pints/acre (maximum)

In California, when adding a non-phytotoxic oil (containing emulsifier) to the spray solution of **Basagran M60**/water, add at a range of 4 to 5% by volume (4-5 gallon/100 gallons spray solution) for each application by ground or air. The oil should have an unsulphonated residue rating of 90X or above. Or, when adding oil concentrate in California, add at the maximum rate of 2 pints per acre for ground and aerial applications. Refer to

#### **Addition of Oil Concentrate to Spray Tank for additional information.**

#### **Mixing/Spraying**

Fill tank of a thoroughly clean sprayer half to two-thirds full with clean water. Start agitation, add **Basagran M60** and allow to mix thoroughly. Add oil concentrate (or nonphytotoxic oil) and remaining volume of water. Maintain constant agitation during application.

#### **Jar Test for Estimating Suitability of Oil Concentrates**

1. Water supply: Use only water from intended source and at the source temperature.
2. Amount of water in jar:  
**Ground Application** - For 20 gal/A spray volume use 3¾ cups (800 ml) of water.  
**Air application** - For 10 gal/A spray volume use 1½ cup (400 ml) of water.  
For other spray volumes, adjust proportionately to above.
3. Amount of herbicide and oil concentrate to add: Add herbicide and oil concentrate at the rate of 1 teaspoon (5 ml) for each pint of recommended label rate.
4. Add components in following sequence; gently mixing between component additions:  
1) **Basagran M60**  
2) Oil concentrate or nonphytotoxic oil
5. Cap jar, invert 10 cycles, let stand for 15 minutes, evaluate.
6. **Evaluation:** An ideal tank mix combination will be uniform; thus, the suitability of the oil concentrate is questionable if any of the following are observed:  
Free oil at the surface - film or globules.  
Flocculation - fine particles which may be suspended in the liquid or found as a precipitated layer at the bottom of the jar.  
Clabbering - thickening texture (coagulated) resembling yogurt or a curd-like texture as with cottage cheese.

#### **Restrictions and Limitations**

Rice straw may be fed to livestock up to 7 days before slaughter. Do not apply **Basagran M60** to rice with ground equipment when field is flooded because splashing will wash **Basagran M60** off weed leaf surfaces and ineffective control may result. Do not apply more than 4.8 pints of **Basagran M60** per acre in one season (maximum of 2.4 pints per acre in first crop and 2.4 pints per acre in second (ratoon) crop). Do not apply more than a total of 2.0 pounds of bentazon a.i. (from all sources) per acre per calendar year. Vapors from this application may injure susceptible plants in the immediate vicinity. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from areas treated. In California, do not apply **Basagran M60** by air when temperature exceeds 90°F as reduced weed control may result and the potential for drift is increased.

**Table 1**  
**Application Weed Size and Rate Table**

Weeds Controlled	Basagran M60 Rate: 1.8 pints per acre*				Basagran M60 Rate: 2.4 pints per acre*			
	Weed Growth Stages				Weed Growth Stages			
	Drained Fields		Flooded Fields		Drained Fields		Flooded Fields	
	Leaf Stage	Max. Height	Max. Height Above Soil	Max. Height Range Above Water Level	Leaf Stage	Max. Height	Max. Height Above Soil	Max. Height Range Above Water Level
Arrowhead, California (annual)	—	—	—	—	Up to 4	7"	7"	5-6"
Arrowhead Gregg's, (perennial)	—	—	—	—	Up to 4	7"	7"	5-6"
Cocklebur	2-10	10"	10"	3-6"	10-15	15"	15"	6-10"
Dayflower	2-10	6"	6"	3-5"	10-15	10"	10"	5-8"
Duckweed	—	—	—	—	6-10	6"	—	—
Gooseweed	4-6	4"	—	—	6-10	8"	—	—
Redstem	Up to 6	4"	4"	2-3"	6-10	8"	8"	4-6"
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River bulrush	—	—	—	—	6-8**	10-30"	10-30"	10-24"
Roughleaf waterhyssop	—	—	—	—	2-4	2-4"	floating	1-2"
Roughseed Bulrush	—	—	—	—	2-4**	10"	10"	6-8"
Smartweed	2-10	6"	6"	3-5"	10-15	10"	10"	5-8"
Smallflower umbrellaplant	—	—	—	—	4-6**	8"	8"	6-8"
Spikerush	2-6	6"	—	—	6-8	8"	8"	—
Yellow nutsedge	4-6	6"	6"	4-5"	6-8	10"	10"	6-8"

\* If after the first application, a second weed flush develops, re-treat according to this table.  
\*\* Apply Basagran M60 before weeds are flowering.

Rainfall soon after application (within 8 hours) may nullify the effectiveness of **Basagran M60**.

Do not grow crayfish or catfish in rice fields treated with **Basagran M60**.

Do not use water containing **Basagran M60** residues from rice cultivation to irrigate crops other than soybeans, corn, grain sorghum, peas (dry or succulent), beans (dry or succulent), peanuts or mint.

Clean sprayer thoroughly prior to application of **Basagran M60**, particularly if a herbicide was used which has the potential to injure the crop to be sprayed with **Basagran M60**.

Spray equipment used in this application should be thoroughly cleaned before using for any other purpose.

#### Storage and Disposal

Do not allow product to freeze. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA regional office for guidance.

**Container Disposal:** Triple rinse container (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke. Do not reuse empty container.

# Appendix

The following are scientific names for the weeds listed in this label. For specific recommendations on control of these weeds refer to the Application Rate Table.

## Broadleaf Weeds

Common Name	ScientificName
Arrowhead, California (annual)	<i>Sagittaria montevidensis</i>
Arrowhead, Gregg's (perennial)	<i>Sagittaria longiloba</i>
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Dayflower	<i>Commelina</i> spp.
Ducksalad	<i>Heteranthera Limosa</i>
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Redweed	<i>Melochia corchorifolia</i>
River bulrush	<i>Scirpus fluviatilis</i>
Roughleaf waterhyssop	<i>Polygonum</i> spp.
Smartweed	<i>Bacopa rotundifolia</i>
Smallflower umbrellaplant	<i>Cyperus esculentus</i>
Spikerush	<i>Cyperus difformis</i>
Yellow nutsedge	<i>Eleocharis</i> spp.

## Conditions of Sale and Warranty

The **Directions For Use** of this product reflect the opinion of experts based on field use and tests. The directions are believed to be reliable and should be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result, because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or use of the product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling, all of which are beyond the control of BASF CORPORATION ("BASF") or the Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer.

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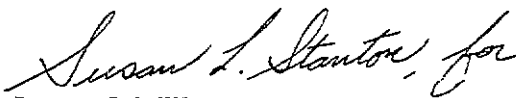


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### Storage and Disposal

Do not allow product to freeze. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA regional office for guidance.

**Container Disposal:** Triple rinse container (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke. Do not reuse empty container.

### In Case of Emergency

In case of large-scale spillage regarding this product, call:

CHEMTREC 800-424-9300  
BASF Corporation 800-832-HELP

In case of medical emergency regarding this product, call:

1. Your local doctor for immediate treatment.
2. Your local poison control center (hospital).
3. BASF Corporation 800-832-HELP

**Notice:** Buyer assumes all liability, including personal injury and property damage, which may result from the use of this product in a manner inconsistent with labeling directions. If these terms are not acceptable, return at once unopened.

Read the **Precautionary Statement, Environmental Hazards, Storage and Disposal statements, and Conditions of Sale and Warranty** statement appearing on the container label.

### Directions For Use - All Sites

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

### Agricultural Use Requirements

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard. Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 48 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:

- Coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and pants
- Waterproof gloves
- Shoes plus socks
- Goggles or face shield

### Established Turf

#### General Information

**Basagran® M60 herbicide** may be used on established bluegrass, fescue, bentgrass, bermudagrass, bahiagrass, centipedegrass, zoysiagrass, St. Augustinegrass, carpetgrass, and buffalograss.

**Basagran M60** is intended for selective postemergence control of broadleaf weeds, annual sedges, and yellow nutsedge. **Basagran M60** does not control grasses. **Basagran M60** is effective mainly through contact; therefore, all plants must be thoroughly covered with spray. Weeds controlled by **Basagran M60** in turf are annual sedges, yellow nutsedge, spurweed/lawn burweed, lambsquarter,

ters, Venice mallow, sheepshead-spurse, smartweed, chickweed, common groundsel, ladythumb, jimsonweed, galinsoga, common purslane, cocklebur, beggarticks, wild mustard, wild poinsettia, wild buckwheat, velvetleaf, Canada thistle, and musk thistle.

Weeds suppressed by **Basagran® M60 herbicide** include: common ragweed, giant ragweed, wild sunflower, and morningglory. Some weeds not controlled include: purple nutsedge, pigweed, plantain, dandelion, onion/garlic, wood sorrel, and spurge.

#### Application Information

Apply **Basagran M60** postemergently to weeds that are actively growing and under good soil moisture conditions. If desired control of yellow nutsedge or Canada thistle is not obtained with the first application, make a second application 10-21 days later or when new growth appears.

In the northern United States, yellow nutsedge can emerge from May through July; whereas, in the southern United States, nutsedge and broadleaf weeds can emerge throughout the year. Therefore, initial applications should be planned when most plants have emerged. If new plants emerge later in the season, make a second application of **Basagran M60** in accordance with the label directions. In unmowed turf, make first application after emergence but before yellow nutsedge, annual sedge and Canada thistle are 8 inches tall. Annual broadleaf weeds should be no taller than 4 inches. Thorough spray coverage of yellow nutsedge is essential for maximum control.

For optimum control do not mow within 3 days before or after application. For sedges, do not mow within 5 days of application.

Use a minimum water volume of 1 gallon/1,000 sq. ft. (40 gallons per acre) with a pressure measured at the nozzle of 30-40 psi.

**Application Rate:** See Table 1 for application rate of **Basagran M60**.

#### Addition of Oil Concentrate

A nonphytotoxic oil concentrate (commonly referred to as oil concentrate) may be added to the spray tank for certain weed problems. The oil concentrate must contain either a petroleum or vegetable oil base and must meet the following criteria: 1) be nonphytotoxic, 2)

**Table 1: Application Rate Table for Turf \***

Area to be Sprayed	200 sq. ft.	400 sq. ft.	1000 sq. ft.	1 acre
<b>Basagran M60</b>	1.1 teaspoons	2.2 teaspoons	5.5 teaspoons (0.9 fl. oz.)	2.4 pints
Water <sup>b</sup>	0.2-0.4 gallons (1.6-3.2 pints)	0.4-0.8 gallons (3.2-6.4 pints)	1-2 gallons	40-80 gallons

\* For yellow nutsedge, apply no more than 0.9 fluid ounces per 1,000 square feet (2 pints per acre) at one time. Make a second application 10-21 days later.  
<sup>b</sup> Quantity of water required to uniformly spray this area with your sprayer. If unknown, refer to section **Sprayer Calibration Suggestions**.

contain only EPA-exempt ingredients, 3) provide good mixing quality in the jar test (see below), and 4) be successful in local experience.

The exact composition of suitable products will vary; however, vegetable and petroleum oil concentrates should contain emulsifiers which provide good mixing quality. For vegetable oil concentrates, it has been observed that highly refined vegetable oils are more satisfactory than unrefined vegetable oils. For additional information, see **Jar Test for Estimating Suitability of Oil Concentrates** at the end of this section.

With the addition of oil concentrate to **Basagran M60**, a slight leaf burn may occur when relative humidity and temperature are high. Refer to your supplier of **Basagran M60** for information concerning successful local experience prior to purchasing any oil concentrate.

**Rate of Oil Concentrate**  
 0.75 fluid oz per 1,000 sq. ft. or 2 pints per acre.

#### Jar Test for Estimating Suitability of Oil Concentrates:

- Water Supply:** Use only water from intended source and at the source temperature.
- Amount of Water in Jar:**  
 Ground Application - For 1 gallons per 1,000 sq. ft. spray volume, use 6<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cups (1600 ml) of water. For other spray volumes, adjust proportionately to above.
- Amount of herbicide and oil concentrate to add:** Add herbicide and oil concentrate at the rate of 2 teaspoons for each 0.75 fluid oz per 1,000 sq. ft. of recommended label rate.
- Add components in the following sequence, gently mixing between component additions:
  - Basagran M60**
  - Tank mix product, if used
  - Oil Concentrate
- Cap jar, invert 10 cycles, let

stand for 15 minutes, evaluate.

**6. Evaluation:** An ideal tank mix combination will be uniform; thus, the suitability of the oil concentrate is questionable if any of the following are observed:

Free oil at the surface - film or globules.

Flocculation - fine particles which may be suspended in the liquid or found as a precipitated layer at the bottom of the jar.

Clabbering - thickening texture (coagulated) resembling yogurt or a curd-like texture as with cottage cheese.

#### Spray Equipment

Hand-held pump-up, knapsack, or hose-end type sprayers are suitable for applying **Basagran M60**.

Do not spray during windy conditions because spray drift may cause damage to adjacent ornamental plants. Rinse equipment with ammonia, soap, and water after use.

#### Mixing

Fill tank of a thoroughly clean sprayer one-half to two-thirds full of clean water. Start agitation and add **Basagran M60**; allow to mix thoroughly. Add oil concentrate and remaining volume of water. Maintain constant agitation during application.

Mix only enough spray solution for one usage: A fresh spray mixture should be used each time.

## Sprayer Calibration Suggestions Hand Sprayers:

1. Stake off a 400 sq ft area of turf for practice. This is an area 20' (7 steps) x 20'.
2. Add a measured quantity (1 1/2 gallons for example) of water to the sprayer and uniformly spray the 400 sq ft area. Measure water remaining to determine the amount applied per 400 sq ft area. (Note: A minimum of 3 pints/400 sq ft is recommended).
3. Prepare spray solution according to **Table 1, Application Rates for Turf**.

**Example:** Assume that in Step 2 the 400 sq ft area was uniformly covered with 1/2 gallon of water. Referring to the table, add **Basagran® M60 herbicide** at the rate of 2.2-4.4 teaspoons per 1/2 gallon of water for each 400 sq ft of turf to be sprayed.

(Note: Use of this mixture for spot spraying of individual weeds may result in an excessive dosage and possible turf injury.)

## Hose-end Applicator

A procedure similar to the above may be followed for calibrating hose-end sprayers. Half-fill container with water to an even mark on the "gallons" scale and note the gallonage level. Spray the 400 sq ft area, noting the new gallonage reading, and thereby determine the amount of water used to spray the area. Then proceed as in Step 3 above. Clean applicator with ammonia soap, and water. Then rinse.

## Restrictions and Limitations

Do not apply **Basagran M60** to turf that has been under stress such as drought, cold temperature or injury from other herbicides or pesticides.

Do not apply **Basagran M60** to any newly seeded or newly sprigged turf until seedlings or sprigs are well established, as injury may result.

Do not use on golf course greens or collars.

Do not apply more than 1.8 fluid ounces per 1000 square feet (4.8 pints per acre) in one season.

Do not exceed a total of 2 pounds of active ingredient (bentazon) per acre, per season. One pint of **Basagran M60** contains 0.41 pounds of bentazon and one pint of **Prompt 5L** contains 0.31 pounds of bentazon.

Do not use on ryegrass.

Do not apply under ornamental plants or trees with shallow or exposed roots as injury may result. Rainfall or sprinkler irrigation within 8 hours after application may reduce the effectiveness of **Basagran M60**.

Physical incompatibility, reduced weed control or turf injury may result from mixing **Basagran M60** with pesticides (fungicides, herbicides, insecticides or miticides), additives or fertilizers.

BASF does not recommend the use of **Basagran M60** tank mixes other than those listed on BASF labels, supplemental labeling, or technical bulletins.

Local professional authorities may be a source of information when using other than BASF recommended combinations. Otherwise, test a small area of the site with the desired tank mix combination and allow 7-10 days to evaluate potential injury. Do not apply **Basagran M60** with an oil concentrate in combination with other pesticides whose labels caution against their use in combination with oil adjuvants.

Clean sprayer thoroughly prior to application of **Basagran M60**, particularly if a herbicide was used which has the potential to injure the turf to be sprayed with **Basagran M60**.

When treating turf with **Basagran M60**, avoid over-the-top spraying of adjacent ornamental trees, shrubs, and flowers. Spraying near the base of established ornamental trees, shrubs, and flowers may result in injury.

## Recommended Tank Mixes with Basagran M60 - Established Turf

To obtain postemergence control of other broadleaf weeds or sedges not listed on this label, other products registered for use in turf may be tank mixed with **Basagran M60**. Other products that may be tank mixed are **Prompt® 5L herbicide**, **MSMA**, **Image**, atrazine, **Turflon**, 2,4-D, and mixes of 2,4-D, MCPP (mecropop) or 2,4-DP (dichlorprop). A tank mix with **Vantage® herbicide** may be used on centipede and fine fescue species. Some of these products cannot be used on all turf sites or species. See the respective product labels for site and species restrictions.

Check the compatibility of the potential tank mix product before mixing with **Basagran M60** in the spray tank. An antifoaming agent may be used if needed. **Do not use a surfactant or oil additive with 2,4-D, MCPP, or 2,4-DP.**

Read each tank mix product label for **Directions For Use, Precautionary Statements, and Restrictions and Limitations**. The most restrictive labeling applies in all tank mixes.

## Noncrop Sites, Roadsides, and other Rights-of-Ways

### General Information

**Basagran M60** is intended for selective postemergence control of certain broadleaf weeds and sedges. (See **Table 2** for specific weeds.) **Basagran M60** does not control grasses. **Basagran M60** is effective mainly through contact action; therefore, weeds must be thoroughly covered with spray. Large weed leaf canopies shelter smaller weeds and prevent adequate spray coverage. Some leaf-speckling and leaf-bronzing may occur under certain conditions.

(See **Restrictions and Limitations** section.)

### Rate and Timing of Application

Make postemergence applications of **Basagran M60** early, when weeds are small and actively growing and before weeds reach the maximum size listed in **Table 2**. Early application to weeds produces the most beneficial effect on weed control (exception: yellow nutsedge and Canada thistle). Delay in application permits weeds to exceed the maximum size stated and will result in inadequate control. See **Application Rate Table 2**.

Do not cultivate or mow within five days before or after application of **Basagran M60**.

**Basagran M60** may be used in these sites where grass vegetation must be maintained. Avoid drift onto the vegetation as injury may occur. A water volume sufficient to obtain adequate coverage of the weed should be used. Do not make applications to open waters.

Table 2: Application Rates Table for Noncrop Sites, Roadsides and Rights-of Ways

Weeds Controlled <sup>a</sup>	Application Rates for Weed Growth Stage	
	0.9 fluid ounces per 1000 square feet (2.4 pints per acre)	
	Leaf Stage	Maximum Height (inches)
Anoda, Spurred	up to 8	4
Balloonvine	up to 6	3
Beggarticks	up to 8	8
Bristly Starbur	up to 6	3
Buckwheat, Wild	up to 6	5
Cocklebur	up to 10	10
Coffee Senna	Up to 1 pinnate <sup>c</sup>	2
Dayflower	up to 10	8
Devilsclaw	Up to 6 <sup>c</sup>	3
Galinsoga	Cotyledon to 6 <sup>c</sup>	2
Groundsel, Common	up to 10	6
Jimsonweed	up to 10	10
Ladysthumb	up to 10	10
Lambsquarters <sup>d</sup> , Common	up to 8 <sup>c</sup>	2
Mustard, Wild	up to 10	8
Pennsylvania Smartweed	up to 10	10
Poinsettia, Wild	up to 8 <sup>c</sup>	6
Prickly Sida or Teaweed	up to 8	4
Purslane, Common	up to 6	2
Ragweed, Common	up to 6 <sup>c</sup>	3
Giant <sup>e</sup>	Up to 4	6
Redweed	up to 10	8
Sesbania	up to 5 <sup>c</sup>	3
Shepherdspurse <sup>f</sup>	up to 10	8
Spurweed/Lawn burweed	up to 6	3
Sunflower, Wild	up to 6	8
Tropic Croton	up to 4	4
Velvetleaf	up to 6 <sup>c</sup>	5
Venice Mallow	up to 10	4

<sup>a</sup> For additional weeds see **Special Directions** section.  
<sup>b</sup> Do not treat earlier than leaf stage shown and do not count cotyledon leaves.  
<sup>c</sup> Add oil concentrate at 0.75 fluid ounces per 1,000 square feet (2 pints per acre)  
<sup>d</sup> Control may be partial or inconsistent.  
<sup>e</sup> If after the first application a second weed flush develops, retreat according to this rate table.  
<sup>f</sup> Do not treat rosette before seed stalk appears.

### Special Directions for Other Weed Problems

#### Canada Thistle

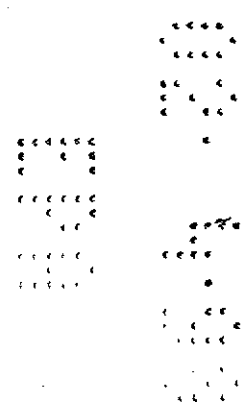
Apply 0.9 fluid ounces per 1000 square feet (2.4 pints per acre) of **Basagran® M60 herbicide** when plants are from 8 inches tall to the bud stage. Make a second application at the same rate 7-14 days later.

#### Yellow Nutsedge

Two applications are preferred for best results. Apply 0.9 fluid ounces per 1000 square feet (2.4 pints per acre) of **Basagran M60** when plants are 6-8 inches tall. If needed, make a second application at the same rate 10-21 days later. Add oil concentrate to the spray solution of **Basagran M60**/water for each application, according to the **Directions for Use**.

#### Musk Thistle

Apply 0.9 fluid ounces per 1000 square feet (2.4 pints per acre) of **Basagran M60** when plants are in the rosette stage no larger than 10 inches in diameter. Make a second application at the same rate if needed. Add oil concentrate to the spray solution of **Basagran M60**/water for each application, according to the **Directions for Use**.



### Addition of Oil Concentrate

A nonphytotoxic oil concentrate (commonly referred to as oil concentrate) should be added to the spray tank for control of certain weed species as recommended in the Table 2. The oil concentrate must contain either a petroleum or vegetable oil base and must meet the following criteria: 1) nonphytotoxic 2) contain only EPA-exempt ingredients, 3) provide good mixing quality in the jar test (see the established turf section), and 4) be successful in local experience.

The exact composition of suitable products will vary; however, vegetable and petroleum oil concentrates should contain emulsifiers which provide good mixing quality. For vegetable oil concentrates, it has been observed that highly refined vegetable oils are more satisfactory than unrefined vegetable oils.

For additional information, see **Jar Test for Estimating Suitability of All Concentrates** in the preceding section on turf.

With the addition of oil concentrate to **Basagran® M60 herbicide**, a slight leaf burn of desirable plants may occur, but all new growth is normal and vigor is not reduced. The potential for leaf burn is increased when relative humidity and temperature are high. A few oil concentrates have exhibited excessive leaf burn. Refer to your supplier of **Basagran M60** for information concerning successful local experience prior to purchasing any oil concentrate.

### Rate of Oil Concentrate

Use 0.75 fluid ounces per 1000 square feet (2 pints per acre).

### Water Volume and Spray Pressure

Apply recommended rates of **Basagran M60** with a minimum of 0.5 gallon of water per 1000 square feet (20 gallons per acre) and a minimum of 40 psi pressure (measured at the boom, not at the pump or in the line). When foliage is dense use up to 2.5 gallons of water and up to 80 psi pressure. Use standard high pressure pesticide hollow cone or flat fan nozzles spaced 20 inches apart. Do not use flood, whirl chamber or controlled droplet applicator (CDA) nozzles.

### Special Information for Irrigated Areas

If moisture is not adequate for active growth, irrigate before applying **Basagran M60**. Weeds growing under drought conditions usually are not satisfactorily controlled.

### Mixing/Spraying

Fill tank of a thoroughly clean sprayer one-half to two-thirds full with clean water. Start agitation and add **Basagran M60**; allow to mix thoroughly. Add oil concentrate and remaining volume of water. Maintain constant agitation during application.

### Notice to User

Due to variability within species and in application techniques neither the manufacturer nor the Seller has determined whether or not **Basagran M60** can be safely used on all turf sites, noncrop sites, roadsides, and right-of ways under all conditions. It is, therefore, recommended that the user should determine if **Basagran M60** can be used safely prior to broad use.

### Restrictions and Limitations

Do not apply **Basagran® M60 herbicide** to crop plants that have been subject to stress conditions such as hail damage, flooding, drought, extreme heat or widely fluctuating temperatures, as crop injury may result.

Do not apply **Basagran M60** if crop plants show injury (leaf phytotoxicity and/or plant stunting) produced by any other prior herbicide applications, because this injury may be enhanced and/or prolonged.

Do not apply **Basagran M60** during prolonged periods of drought or during unseasonably cold weather, as unsatisfactory weed control may result. Rainfall or overhead irrigation within 8 hours after application may reduce the effectiveness of **Basagran M60**.

Do not apply more than 1.8 fluid ounces of **Basagran M60** per 1,000 square feet (4.8 pints per acre) in any 12 month period.

Do not exceed a total of 2 pounds of bentazon active ingredient (a.i.) from all sources per acre, per calendar year. One pint of **Basagran M60** contains 0.41 pound of bentazon and one pint of **Prompt 5L** contains 0.31 pound of bentazon.

Clean sprayer thoroughly prior to application of **Basagran M60**, particularly if a herbicide was used which has the potential to injure the plants to be sprayed with **Basagran M60**. Thoroughly clean with ammonia soap, and water and rinse after application of **Basagran M60**.

Physical incompatibility, reduced weed control or ornamental plant injury may result from mixing **Basagran M60** with pesticides (fungicides, herbicides, insecticides or miticides), additives or fertilizers. BASF does not recommend the use of **Basagran M60** tank mixes other than those listed on BASF labels, supplemental labeling, or technical bulletins.

Local professional authorities may be a source of information when using other than BASF recommended combinations. Otherwise, test a small area of the site with the desired tank mix combination and allow 7-10 days to evaluate potential injury.

Do not apply **Basagran M60** with an oil concentrate in combination with other pesticides whose labels caution against their use in combination with oil adjuvants. Vapors from this application may injure susceptible plants in the immediate vicinity. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas.

### Other Tank Mixes

**Basagran M60** may be tank mixed with other compatible products registered for use in noncrop sites, roadsides, and rights of ways. When using other products in a tank mix with **Basagran M60**, make applications away from the foliage, stems, or root areas of other plants. If any plant foliage comes in contact with any of the spray, wash off immediately. When making tank mix applications not recommended by this label, make an application on a small area to determine the safety of the anticipated tank mix. Evaluate the potential for injury 5-7 days later before making a general application of this tank mix.

Read each tank mix product label for directions for use, caution statements, and restrictions and limitations prior to use. The most restrictive labeling applies in all tank mixes.

# Appendix Broadleaf Weeds Discussed in this Label

Common Name	Scientific Name
Balloonvine	<i>Cardiospermum halicacabum</i>
Beggarticks	<i>Bidens frondosa</i>
Bristly Starbur	<i>Acanthospermum hispidum</i>
Chickweed, Common	<i>Stellaria media</i>
Chickweed, Mouse-ear	<i>Cerastium vulgatum</i>
Cocklebur	<i>Xanthium strumarium</i>
Coffee Senna	<i>Cassia occidentalis</i>
Dandelion	<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>
Dayflower	<i>Commelina spp.</i>
Devilsclaw	<i>Proboscidea louisianica</i>
Florida Pusley	<i>Richardia scabra</i>
Galinsoga	<i>Galinsoga spp.</i>
Groundsel, Common	<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>
Jimsonweed	<i>Datura stramonium</i>
Ladysthumb	<i>Polygonum persicaria</i>
Lambsquarters, Common	<i>Chenopodium album</i>
Morningglory	<i>Ipomoea spp.</i>
Onion/Garlic	<i>Allium spp.</i>
Pennsylvania Smartweed	<i>Polygonum pennsylvanicum</i>
Pigweed	<i>Amaranthus spp.</i>
Plantain	<i>Plantago spp.</i>
Prickly Sida/Teaweed	<i>Sida spinosa</i>
Purslane, Common	<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>
Ragweed, Common	<i>Ambrosia artemisiifolia</i>
Ragweed, Giant	<i>Ambrosia trifida</i>
Redweed	<i>Melochia corchorifolia</i>
Sesbania	<i>Sesbania exaltata</i>
Shepherdspurse	<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>
Spurge	<i>Euphorbia maculata</i>
Spurred Anoda	<i>Anoda caristata</i>
Spurweed/Lawn Burweed	<i>Saliva pterosperma</i>
Thistle, Canada	<i>Cirsium arvense</i>
Thistle, Musk	<i>Carduus nutans</i>
Tropic Croton	<i>Croton glandulosus</i>
Velvetleaf	<i>Abutilon theophrasti</i>
Venice Mallow	<i>Hibiscus trionum</i>
Wild Buckwheat	<i>Polygonum convolvulus</i>
Wild Mustard	<i>Sinapsis arvensis</i>
Wild Poinsettia	<i>Euphorbia heterophylla</i>
Wild Sunflower	<i>Helianthus annuus</i>
Wood Sorrel, Yellow	<i>Oxalis stricta</i>

## Sedges Discussed in this Label

Common Name	Scientific Name
Annual Sedges	<i>Cyperus spp.</i>
Purple Nutsedge	<i>Cyperus rotundas</i>
Yellow Nutsedge	<i>Cyperus esculentus</i>

## Conditions of Sale and Warranty

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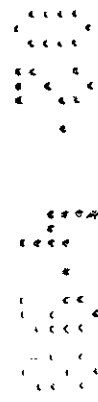
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