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(FRONT PANEL)
VERTAGREEN®
FERTILIZER
FOR PROFESSIONAL TURF
WITH KERB®
10-0-15

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Pronamide [N-(1,1-dimethylpropynyl)-3,5-dichlorobenzamide] 0.57%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 99.43%

TOTAL 100.00%

Contains "Kerb" Herbicide Rohm & Haas Company Reg. TM
U.S. Patents 3,534,098 and 3,640,699

ACCEPTED
JUL - 1 1992
Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act,
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under
EPA Reg. # 8660-134

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Induce vomiting by giving victim 1 or 2 glasses of water and touching back of throat with finger. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water.

IF IN EYES: Rinse eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONS

NET WEIGHT 40 LBS.

Treats Up To 10,000 Sq. Ft.

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GUARANTEED ANALYSIS

Total Nitrogen (N)	10.00%
10.00% Ammoniacal Nitrogen	
Available Phosphoric Acid (P ₂ O ₅)	0.00%
Soluble Potash (K ₂ O)	15.00%
Sulfur	4.00%

Sources of Plant Nutrients: Ammonium Sulfate and Muriate of Potash

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. Take special care to avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Do not breath dust. Wash clothing and gloves after handling and wash hands before eating or smoking.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

GENERAL PRECAUTIONS: Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

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Vertagreen Fertilizer for Professional Use With Kerb is a selective herbicide for use on dormant or actively growing Bermudagrass lawns or ornamental turf. At recommended rates it is generally effective against the following list of annual and perennial grasses and certain Broadleaf weeds as listed. When applied as directed it will supply the Bermudagrass with .40 lbs. of nitrogen per 1,000 sq. ft. of turf. The lack of phosphate in this product will discourage the growth of Annual Bluegrass (*Poa annua*) which will enhance the herbicide effect on this grassy weed.

GRASSES - Annual Bluegrass (*Poa Annua*), Perennial Bluegrass, Barnyardgrass, Canarygrass, Cheatgrass, Crabgrass, Fall Panicum, Foxtail, Foxtail Barley, Goosegrass, Lovegrass, Orchardgrass, Quackgrass, Ryegrass, and Volunteer Oats, Barley, Rye and Wheat.

BROADLEAF WEEDS - Annual Morning Glory, Carpetweed, Chickweed, Henbit, Knotweed, Lambsquarter, Nettle, Nightshade, Purslane, Smartweed, and Volunteer Tomato.

WHERE TO USE

For use only on Bermudagrass lawns since Bermuda is resistant to herbicide action of Kerb. It also is not effective against Nutgrass, Johnsongrass, or any number of composite family plants such as Dandelion, Dogfennel, Groundsel, Sow Thistle and Wild Lettuce or leguminous species such as Clover or Black Medic. These must be controlled by other suitable EPA approved herbicides.

This product is especially effective for pre and post-emergence control of *Poa annua* (Annual Bluegrass) growing in Bermudagrass. It will control "Poa" from pre-germination and seedling stages through tillering, heading and seed formation. It kills plants slowly. Target weeds may first become dark green and then gradually turn yellow and die over a 3 to 5 week period.

The following plants are sensitive to Kerb treatments and should not be treated unless extensive damage can be tolerated: Dichondra, Bluegrass, Annual and Perennial Ryegrass (includes all new patented strains of Ryegrass), Fescue grasses and Bentgrass. Do not use on areas that are to be overseeded with susceptible cool season grasses within 90 days of treatment. Do not treat fairways or approaches that drain into Bentgrass greens.

HOW IT WORKS

This product works mainly through the root absorption of the herbicide. If no rain occurs, the application should be followed with a light overhead irrigation to move the chemical into the root zone. Avoid heavy irrigation of more than 1 inch water which might wash or leach the herbicide from the area of application.

HOW AND WHEN TO USE

Apply contents of bag to 10,000 sq. ft. of lawn surface. The turf should be mowed first, catching the clippings. Do not feed clippings to livestock after herbicide treatment. May be applied to Bermudagrass during the dormant or growing season. A Fall-Winter application should be made where weeds have become established during the summer months. Susceptible weeds will die during the winter. Fall treatment should be made on winter annuals such as Chickweed. For Quackgrass and other perennial weedy grasses apply it the fall prior to winter freeze-up.

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STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

FOR HOMEOWNER USE ONLY:

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. Keep container closed and away from food, feedstuffs and domestic water supplies. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Securely wrap original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash. **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse bag. Discard bag in trash.

FOR PROFESSIONAL/COMMERCIAL USE ONLY:

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. Keep container closed and away from food, feedstuffs and domestic water supplies. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate, is a violation of Federal Law and may contaminate groundwater. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instruction, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for Guidance. **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State or local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

WARRANTY STATEMENT

MANUFACTURER warrants that this product (1) conforms to the ingredient statement on the label and (2) is reasonably fit for the purposes set forth in the Directions for Use. EXCEPT AS SO WARRANTED, THE PRODUCT IS SOLD AS IS. MANUFACTURER MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY EXPRESS OR IMPLIED.

The manufacturer's directions regarding use of this product are based upon tests believed to be reliable. All statements made concerning this product apply only when used as directed, under normal use conditions. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY. Timing and method of application, weather and crop conditions, mixture with other chemicals not specifically recommended and other influencing factors in the use of this product are beyond the control of the manufacturer. Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this product.

Manufactured by:

**PARKER FERTILIZER CO.
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