



**CAN KILL YOU IF SWALLOWED**

This product can kill you if swallowed even in small amounts. Spray mist or dust can be fatal if swallowed.



**CAN KILL YOU BY SKIN CONTACT**

This product can kill you if touched by hands or spilled or splashed on skin, in eyes or on clothing (should gose through clothes).



**CAN KILL YOU IF BREATHED**

This product can kill you if vapors, spray mist or dust are breathed.

**POISONOUS TO FISH AND WILDLIFE**

This product is toxic to fish, birds and other wildlife. Birds and other wildlife near treated areas may be killed. Keep out of lakes, streams, or ponds. Do not apply if runoff is likely to occur. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift into treated areas. Do not contaminate water by cleaning equipment, or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

This product is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment or residues on blooming crops. Protective information may be obtained from your Cooperative Agricultural Extension Service.

**USE ONLY WHEN WEARING THE FOLLOWING PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND CLOTHING**

Wear water-proof pants, coat, hat, rubber boots or rubber overshoes. (2) Wear safety shoes. (3) Wear mask or respirator approved by the U. S. Bureau of Mines for parathion. (4) Wear heavy duty, natural rubber gloves.

**WORK SAFETY RULES**

Keep all unprotected persons and children away from treated area or where there is danger of drift.

Do not rub eyes or mouth with hands. If you feel sick in any way STOP work and get help away. Call a doctor (physician), clinic or hospital immediately. Explain that the person has been exposed to parathion and describe his condition. After first aid is given (see Aid Treatment Section) and if a doctor cannot come, take victim to clinic or hospital. IMPORTANT: Before removing gloves, wash them with soap and water. Always wash face and arms with soap and water before smoking, eating or drinking.

AFTER WORK, take off all work clothes and shoes. Shower, using soap and water. Wear clean clothes when leaving job. Do not wear contaminated clothing. Wash protective equipment and protective equipment with soap and water after each use. Respirator should be cleaned and filter replaced according to instructions included with respirator.

**POST TREATED AREA**

Consult your State Agricultural Extension Service or Experiment Station regarding spraying treated areas.

**POISON SIGNS (Symptoms)**

Parathion is a very dangerous poison. It rapidly enters the body on contact with all skin surfaces and eyes. Clothing wet with this material must be removed immediately. Exposed persons must receive prompt medical treatment or they may die. Some of the signs and symptoms of poisoning are: Headache, nausea, vomiting, cramps, weakness, blurred vision, pin point pupils, tightness in chest, labored breathing, nervousness, sweating, watering of eyes, drooling or fothing of mouth and nose, muscle spasms and coma.

**FIRST AID TREATMENT**

Call a doctor (physician), clinic or hospital immediately. Explain that the victim has been exposed to parathion and describe his condition. If breathing has stopped, start artificial respiration immediately and maintain until breathing resumes or sees victim.

If swallowed and victim is awake (conscious) make him vomit quickly. Induce vomiting by sticking finger down throat or by giving soapy or strong water to drink. Repeat until vomit is clear. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Have victim lie on his side and keep quiet. See doctor immediately.

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. See doctor immediately.

**RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE**

FOR RETAIL SALE TO AND USE ONLY BY CERTIFIED APPLICATORS OR PERSONS UNDER THEIR DIRECT SUPERVISION AND ONLY FOR THOSE USES COVERED BY CERTIFIED APPLICATOR'S CERTIFICATION.

STOP - READ LABEL BEFORE USING!

**NOT FOR HOME USE**

**POISON**

See Side Panels for Antidote & Precautions



**DANGER**

Keep Out of Reach of Children

DO NOT USE, POUR, SPILL OR STORE NEAR HEAT OR OPEN FLAME

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL**

See instructions for Container disposal on this label.

**Ring Around Brand**

**METHYL PARATHION 4<sup>EC</sup> EMULSIFIABLE**

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS		PERCENTAGE	
0,0 dimethyl phosphorothioic acid, dimethyl ester	45.5%		
Xylene	49.1%		
INERT INGREDIENTS		5.2%	
TOTAL		100.0%	

CONTAINS 4 POUNDS METHYL PARATHION PER GALLON

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**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN**

Antidote—administer atropine sulfate in large doses intramuscularly as soon as cyanosis is apparent. If signs of atropinization appear 2-PAM chloride is best in conjunction with atropine. DO NOT GIVE Parathion is a strong cholinesterase inhibitor affecting systems and producing cardiac and respiratory edema. The patient should be given supplemental oxygen. Continued absorption of the poison may occur and initial improvement. VERY CLOSE SUPERVISION FOR AT LEAST 48 HOURS. TREAT SYMPTOMATIC nervous system excitation which ordinarily responds to this drug should be considered only if complete atropinization is not achieved.

**DIRECTIONS FOR**

**COTTON**—To control boll weevil, cotton aphid, spider mites, use 1/2 to 1 pint of concentrate uniformly thorough spraying of one acre. Apply in early season and at the higher rate during and after harvest.

For aircraft application use approximately 3/4 pint per acre for crop growth and good coverage.

For cotton aphid, apply when aphids are present on cotton or when honeydew develops on older cotton. Apply when yellowish or orange spots of spider mites, apply when yellowish or orange spots of damage. For boll weevil, during the early season at first squaring, if weevils are present, and repeat at intervals as necessary, during mid and late season when bolls are punctured and repeat at 4 to 5 day intervals when worms appear, usually during the main season.

DO NOT APPLY TO COTTON WITHIN 15 DAYS OF HARVEST.

**ALFALFA AND VETCH**—To control spotted wilt, use 1/2 pint of concentrate in the amount of water required for spraying of one acre. Apply in early spring.

DO NOT APPLY TO ALFALFA AND VETCH WITHIN 15 DAYS OF HARVEST OR PALE.

**BARLEY, OATS, RYE AND WHEAT**—To control spotted wilt, use 1/2 pint of concentrate in the amount of water required for spraying of one acre. Apply in early spring.

DO NOT APPLY TO BARLEY, OATS, RYE AND WHEAT WITHIN 15 DAYS OF HARVEST.

**USE ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIRECTIONS ON THIS LABEL**

DO NOT REUSE EMPTY CONTAINERS FOR OTHER PURPOSES. Destroy all empty containers. To decontaminate, pour contents. For containers of 5 gallons or less, use 1/2 cup household detergent, for containers larger than 5 gallons, use 1/2 cup household detergent, and 1 cupful detergent. Break or punch holes in top and bottom of container.

**NOTICE**

Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage and handling in accordance with directions given herewith.