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# Herbicide Formula D

[Season long weed control • Season long crabgrass preventer • One application lasts all season! • Stops weeds before they start • Prevents weeds all season • Prevents weeds in lawns • Won't harm flowers, shrubs, trees or lawn grasses listed • For use around roses and ornamental shrubs and trees listed • Safe around flowers and ornarmentals listed • For use around landscaping • Contains an active ingredient used by professional landscapers • Prevents crabgrass • Prevents 38+ grasses and broadleaf weeds, including crabgrass • Prevents 38+ grasses and broadleaf weeds, including crabgrass • Prevents crabgrass all season • Prevents crabgrass up to 5 months • Formulated for superior coverage • Works up to 5 months • One application lasts up to 5 months • Up to 5 month control • Fast and easy to use • (For readyspray nozzle: Just attach [connect] to your hose and spray - No mixing in soil required) • Water-based • Non-staining • Low odor [formula] • Treats up to 6,000 so. ft.]

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fundicide, and Rodonticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under SPA Reg. No.

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# OPTIONAL MARKETING LANGUAGE

[Long lasting weed preventer • Stops weeds before they [can start to] grow • Stops weeds from growing and taking valuable nutrients and water from your ornamental plants and [or] lawn.]

This product provides pre-emergence control of listed annual grasses and broadleaf weeds in home tawns. It will not harm established ornamental plants as listed when applied as directed.

# STOP. Read ENTIRE label before use.

# DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. For outdoor residential use only. Not for use on plants being grown for sale, for research purposes, for commercial seed production, or other commercial use.

Keep people or pets off treated areas until the spray has dried.

# WHAT IT DOES

Chemsico Herbicide Formula D provides pre-emergence control of crabgrass and other listed annual grasses and broadleaf weeds in your lawn. What does this mean to you? It means not only will you have a lawn free of the weeds listed below, you'll also have a lawn which will not have to compete with these weeds for space, water and essential nutrients.

## HOW IT WORKS

Chemsico Herbicide Formula D prevents weeds from growing by stopping the seeds from developing (germinating). Because it affects only the seeds and newly emerged crabgrass, it won't harm established turf grasses when used as directed. It can also be used around the base of listed established omamentals. Treat early in the spring before weeds sprout (germinate) to get maximum weed control. This product does not kill established weeds [except newly emerged crabgrass].

# WEEDS CONTROLLED

Barley, barnyard grass, bittercress, bluegrass (annual), brome, carpetweed, chickweed, crabgrass (large, smooth, Southern), crowfoot grass, dallis grass (seedling), geranium (Carolina), goosegrass, foxtail (green, yellow), henbit, knotweed (prostrate), kikuyu grass, lespedeza (common), marestail, medic

(black), mustard, oxalis (buttercup), pineappleweed, pigweed (redroot), parsleypiert, purstane (common), oats (wild), rocket (London), rye grass (annual, perennial), shepherds purse, smut grass, speedwell (corn), spurge (garden, prostrate, spotted), woodsorrel (creeping, yellow)

# LAWNS [GRASSES WHICH CAN BE TREATED]

[Use on following types of lawns:] Bahia grass, Bentgrass (creeping), Bermuda grass, Bluegrass (Kentucky), Buffalo grass, Carpet grass, Centipede grass, Fescue (fine, tall), Kikuyugrass, Rye grass (perennial), Seashore paspalum, St. Augustine grass, Zoysia grass

## HOW TO APPLY

## ENTIRE LAWN

## (OPTIONAL DIRECTIONS) PRESSURE SPRAYERS

Use 2 1/2 Tablespoons (1 1/4 fl. oz.) of product when treating in Northern regions and 5 Tablespoons (2 1/2 fl. oz.) when treating in Southern regions. See [map] [charl] for your region. Pour in the appropriate amount of product for your region into your sprayer [tank] and dilute with one gallon of water. Tightly close sprayer and shake well before treating. Use a spray pattern that gives small spray droplets without any fine mist and treat 250 sq. ft.

#### (OPTIONAL DIRECTIONS) DIAL HOSE-END SPRAYERS

Sprayers requiring the addition of only the product prior to application: To treat 1,000 sq. ft. of lawn:

- Fill sprayer jar with 5 fl. oz. of product when treating in Northern regions and 10 fl. oz. when treating in Southern regions. See [map] (chart) for your region. Do not add water to sprayer.
- Set dial on sprayer to the "1 fl. oz." setting when treating in Northern regions and to the "2 fl. oz." setting when treating in Southern regions.
- 3) Attach sprayer to hose. Extend hose to the farthest area of lawn to be treated and work back toward faucet so that you do not walk over treated areas. Apply evenly to 1,000 sq. ft. of lawn.

#### (OPTIONAL DIRECTIONS)

#### PRODUCT + WATER HOSE-END SPRAYERS

Sprayers requiring the addition of both water and product prior to application: To treat 1,000 sq. ft. of lawn:

 Pour product into sprayer jar to the required "fl. oz." level. Add 5 fl. oz. of product when treating in Northern regions and 10 fl. oz. when treating in Southern regions. See [map] [chart] for your region.

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# Chemsico Herbicide Formula D

- Then add water to the 5 "gals." level. Replace sprayer top on jar and shake well before treating.
- Attach sprayer to hose. Extend hose to the farthest area of lawn to be treated and work back toward faucet so that you do not walk over treated areas. Apply evenly to 1,000 sq. ft. of lawn.

#### (OPTIONAL DIRECTIONS) READY SPRAY NOZZLE

- 1) Shake container well before using.
- Connect garden hose to the spray ready nozzle. (graphic) Make sure the large water control dial on the nozzle is in the "OFF" position (tab is vertical). (graphic)
- 3) Turn on water at faucet. Extend hose to the farthest area to be treated and work back towards the faucet so you do not walk over treated area. Twist the small star-shaped, product control button to align the flat portion with the lock tab. Push the button in to open. (graphic)
- 4) To BEGIN spraying, point nozzle toward area to be treated and turn the large water control dial to the "ON" position (tab is horizonal). Water will automatically mix with the product. (graphic)
- 5) Walk at a steady pace while spraying using an even sweeping motion, slightly overlapping treated areas. One quart will treat 6,000 sq. ft. in northem regions and 3,000 sq. ft. In southern regions. See [map] [chart] for your region. Calculate square feet by multiplying length by width. Refer to [sight gauge] [Clear-View measuring window] to guide coverage (example, when bottle is half empty, you should have covered half the area).
- 6) To STOP spraying turn large water control dial to the "OFF" position. Push small product control button in to close. Twist the small star-shaped, product control button so that it is no longer aligned with the flat portion of the lock tab. Turn off water at faucet.

To relieve pressure, turn large water control dial to "ON" position and wait until water stops spraying before removing nozzle from hose.

 To STORE unused product, place in cool area away from heat, direct sunlight or open flame.

# USE TIPS

- Use on lawn which is well-established. Delay treatment of a new lawn until it has received at least two movings so the lawn has time to develop a good root system.
- For best results, apply early in the maxim before weeds have started to germinate (sprout).
- · Apply evenly, because poor coverage will result in uneven weed control.
- Do not apply directly to the bare roots of ormamental plants, as injury may occur.
- Do not apply under bindy conditions that would cause the product to drift to sensitive plants.

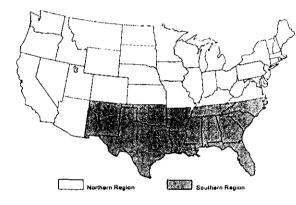
 To prevent damage to the foliage of ornamentals, rinse leaves with water immediately after application to remove any spray from leaves.

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- Do not treat areas where plants are under stress due to drought, flooding, excessive fertilizer or soil saits, wind injury, hail, frost damage, winter injury, injury from previously applied pesticides or injury due to insects, nematodes or disease.
- If your variety of lawn is not listed on this label, apply to a small area first.
  if grass becomes discolored, do not use this product.
- · You can re-seed 5 months after applying this product.

## [WHERE TO USE]

#### MAP FORMAT



# **OPTIONAL TREATMENT CHART FORMAT**

#### NORTHERN REGION

AZ, CA, CO, CT, DE, IA, ID, IL, IN, KS, KY, MA, ME, MD, MI, MN, MO, MT, ND, NE, NH, NJ, NY, NV, OH, OR, PA, RI, SD, UT, VA, VT, WA, WI, WV, WY

#### SOUTHERN REGION

AL, AR, FL, GA, LA, MS, NC, NM, OK, SC, TN, TX

In New York state this product may be used only by professional applicators at no more than 8 fl. oz. per 1,000 sq. ft. per year and is prohibited from use in Nassau and Suffolk counties.

(When you treat your fawn, you can also treat the soil around your established

omamental plants. To control listed weeds in ornamental planting beds, apply this product at the same application rate as lawns and apply around the base of the following ornamentals: Abelia, Ajuga, Almond (Flowering), Apple\*, Arborvitae, Aster, Ash, Azalea, Bamboo, Barberry, Bearberry (Common), Birch, Blueberry\*, Bottlebrush, Boxwood, Broom Bugle Carpet, Carex (Variegated), Carnellia, Cedar (Red), Cockscomb, Coleus, Copper leaf, Cotoneaster, Cycas, Covolebrush, Cypress, Daffodil, Daylily, Dogwood, Douglas Fir, Dusty Miller, Elm, Euonymus, Fan Palm, Fescue, Fetterbush, Ficus, Forsythia, Fraser Fir, Gardenia, Geranium, Gum, Hawthorn, Heather, Hibiscus, Hemlock, Holly, Honeysuckle, Hosta, Ice Plant, Impatiens, Iris, Ivy, Jasmine, Juniper, Laurel (Australian, Mountain), Lily, Lily of the Valley, Lilyturf, Ligustrum (Japanese), Liriope, Maple, Marigold, Mock Orange\*, Mondo Grass, Moss Rose, Myrtle, Nadina, Oleander, Oak, Osteospermum, Palm, Pampas Grass, Paper Flower, Pachysandra, Peach\*, Periwinkle, Petunia, Photinia, Pieris, Pine, Pineapple\*, Pittosporum, Potentilla, Privet, Pyracantha, Quince\*, Rhododendron, Rodie Max, Rose, Rosemary', Salvia, Sedum, Spiraea, Spruce, Sourwood, Sweetflag, Sweetgum, Sycamore, Tree Fern, Tulip, Verbena, Vervain, Viburnum, Xylosma, Yaupon, Yew

'DO NOT EAT FRUIT OR VEGETABLES FROM TREATED PLANTS.]

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in a cool dry place out of reach of children and pets. Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container in newspaper and discard in trash.

#### **PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

#### Hazards To Humans And Domestic Animals

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

#### First Aid

If Swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. If person is unconscious, do not give anything by mouth and do not induce vomiting. If in Eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

#### Environmental Hazards

This product is toxic to fish and highly toxic to other aquatic organisms including oysters and shrimp. Use with care when applying to turf areas adjacent to any body of water. Drift and runoff from treated turf may adversely affect aquatic organisms in adjacent aquatic sites. Do not apply directly to water. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

#### Physical or Chemical Hazards

COMBUSTIBLE. Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

NOTICE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.

Questions or comments? Call 800-332-5553

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