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## Herbicide

### For Postemergent Control of Broadleaf and **Grass Weeds in Rice Fields**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: 3', 4' Dichloropropionanilide

43.5%

**INERT INGREDIENTS:** 

56.5%

This product contains 4 lbs. of 3',4' Dichloropropionanilide per gallon.

EPA REG. NO. 56077-34 EPA EST. NO.: 56077-AR-1

**PRECAUCION AL USUARIO:** SI USTED NO LEE INGLES, NO USE ESTE PRODUCTO HASTA QUE LA ETIQUETA LE HAYA SIDO EXPLICADA

AMPLIAMENTE.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

#### CAUTION-CAUCION

#### STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If Swallowed: Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention. Contains petroleum distillates.

If On Skin: Wash contaminated areas thoroughly with soap and water. Do not reuse contaminated clothing until washed. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

If In Eyes: Flush with copious amounts of clean water for 10-15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Note to Attending Physician: May cause chemical pneumenitis if aspirated. If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophagoscopic control.

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#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS CAUTION

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMEST-C AN'MALS

Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing spray mist. May cause skin Irrits-. tion. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists. Do not apply this product in such a manner as to directly or through drift expose workers or other persons. The area being treated must be vacated by unprotected persons.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

Do not apply directly to water except as indicated on this lade! This product is toxic to fish. Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate we intended for irrigation or domestic purposes. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from target area.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

DO NOT STUP OR STORE WITH FOODS, FEEDS, DRUGS, OR CLOTHING.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

REENTRY STATEMENT: Do not enter treated areas without protective clothing until sprays have dried. Protective clothing should include: hat or other suitable head covering, long sleeved shirt and long legged trousers, or a coverall type garment, shoes, and socks.

Because certain states may require more restrictive re-entry intervals for various crops treated with this product, consult your State Department of Agriculture for further information.

Written or oral warnings must be given to workers who are expected to be in a treated area or in an area about to be treated with this product. The front panel PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS should be read to workers as well as the instruction not to enter until sprays have dried. When oral warnings are given, warnings shall be given in language customarily understood by workers. Oral warnings must be given if there is reason to believe that written warnings cannot be understood by workers. Written warnings must include the following information:

CAUTION: Area treated with propanil on (date of application). Do not enter without appropriate protective clothing until sprays have dried. (Insert here Statements of Practical Treatment as on front panel.)

Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

Do not apply to fields where commercial catfish farming is practiced and do not drain water from treated fields into areas where catfish farming is practiced.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

JTORAGE: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not store this product near fertilizers, seeds, insecticides, or fungicides. Do not store near heat or open flame. Containers should not be stacked more than four (4) high. Reclose all partially used containers by thoroughly tightening bungs. Damaged or leaking containers which cannot be used immediately should be transferred to suitable sound containers and property marked. Absorb any spill with a suitable clay absorbant and dispose of as indicated under "Pesticide Disposal."

For safety and prevention of unauthorized use, all pesticides should be stored in locked facilities.

To prevent accidental misuse, different pesticides should be stored in separate areas with enough distance between to provide clear identification.

Opened, partially used pesticides should be stored in original labeled containers when possible. When transfer to another container is necessary because of leakage or damage, carefully mark, and identify contents of the new container.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are toxic. 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 gency or the hazardous waste representative at the nearest EPA regional office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple rinse (or equivalent), adding rinsate to spray tank. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

#### **WHERE TO USE**

CEDAR PROPANIL 4 is used for postemergent control of broadleaf and grass weeds in RICE fields.

#### **WEEDS CONTROLLED**

Barnyardgrass (watergrass), brachiaris, coffeeweed, crabgrass, croton, curty indigo, foxtail, goosegrass, gulf cockspur, mexicanweed, millet (Taxas), paragrass, pigweed, sourdock, spearhead, wiregrass.

(This product will not control arrowhead, bermudagrass, cattail, ducksalad johnsongrass, nutgrass, red rice and sprangletop.)

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Several important factors should us taken into account to achieve a high

efficiency of selective weed control with propanil. These include uniform application, growth stage and weather conditions. To assure uniform application shake or roll container prior to opening and mix the prescribed amount of product with a sufficient volume of carrier to provide thorough coverage of target area. For aerial applications use approximately 10 gallons, and for surface (ground) applications 20—30 gallons of carrier per acre at high enough pressure. Agitate tank mixes thoroughly and continuously. Avoid over and under application.

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Growth stage of weeds is very important. Best results for selective weed control are obtained when most grasses have reached the 1 to 3 leaf stage. Proper field preparation is essential to ascertain a relatively clod free and level surface and to obtain uniform flood levels and growth. Fields may be flushed prior to treatment to produce uniform and vigorous grass germination and growth. Drain water from fields prior to applying product. Higher rates are recommended to control larger grasses or exposed weeds when rice fields are not completely drained. Inspect rice fields regularly to select the correct application time.

Weather conditions must be observed closely. Under cool weather conditions higher rates are required to achieve satisfactory control. Avoid application if rain threatens within 6 to 8 hours, or if wind velocities are high enough to cause drift and irregular spray patterns.

Consult local Extension Service for detailed application advice.

#### RECOMMENDED BROADCAST RATE

Apply 3 quarts of product per acre when most grasses have reached 1 to 3 leaf stage. Use 4 to 6 quarts of product per acre when the grasses are large (4 to 6 leaf stage) or when unseasonably cool weather conditions prevail or in cases where rice fields have not been drained completely and where weeds are large enough.

Barnyardgrass may be controlled up to 30 to 45 days after planting, before rice plants have reached the fully tillered growth stage.

Note: Product applied to rice after the 4 leaf stage may cause visible injury under some climatic conditions. Rice plants usually outgrow such injury.

NOTE: Water drained from treated rice fields must not be used to irrigate other crops or be released within 1/2 mile upstream of a potable water intake in flowing water (i.e. river, stream, etc.) or within 1/2 mile of a potable water intake in a standing body of water such as a lake, pond or reservoir.

IN CALIFORNIA—Use product only where rice fields are not completely drained. If higher water level is desired, reflood field after 12 hours and before 7 days after treatment. This will discourage new weed infestations. Do not apply propanil within 14 days before or after insecticide applications. Serious injury to rice may occur.

#### CAUTION

Do not apply this product (directly or indirectly) to any crop except rice.

Do not apply when wind conditions will allow drift to adjacent, susceptible crops such as beans, soybeans, cotton, safflower, cucurbits, vegetables, orchards and other sensitive crops.

Keep containers closed when not in use.

#### CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

CEDAR AND SELLER OFFER THIS PRODUCT AND THE BUYER AND LISER ACCEPTS THIS PRODUCT UNDER THE FOLLOWING AGREED CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY.

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