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MYCOTROL® ES

Emulsifiable Suspension Mycoinsecticide

For use in controlling Whitefly, Aphids, Thrips, Psyllids, Mealybugs, Leafhoppers, Weevils, Plant Bugs, Borers and Leaf-feeding Insects in Field, Agronomic, Vegetable and Orchard Crops; also in Forestry; Grasshoppers Mormon Crickets, Locusts and Beetles in Rangeland, Improved Pastures and Agronomic Crops; Whitefly, Aphids, Thrips, Psyllids and Mealybugs in Ornamentals and Vegetables, Indoor/Outdoor Nursery, Greenhouse, Shadehouse, Commercial Landscape, Interiorscape, and Turf.

Active Ingredient: *Beauveria bassiana* Strain GHA.....11.3%**
Inert Ingredients.....88.7%*

*Contains petroleum distillates.

** Based on the weight estimate of 4.78×10^{-12} grams per spore.

Mycotrol ES contains 2.3×10^{10} viable *Beauveria bassiana* spores per gram.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Avoid breathing vapors (dust or spray mist). Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

FIRST AID

If Swallowed: Call a doctor or get medical attention. do not induce vomiting. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Avoid alcohol.

If Inhaled: If irritation persists, contact physician.

If On Skin: Wash with soap and water.

If In Eyes: Flush with water.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS: Users should wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

Product contains petroleum distillates; vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Applicators and other handlers must wear: long-sleeved shirt and long pants. Shoes plus socks and dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95 or P-95. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is potentially pathogenic to honey bees. Avoid applying to areas where honey bees are actively foraging or around bee hives. This product may be toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of equipment wash waters. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, we warrant for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 65626-8

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Mycotrol ES contains live spores of the naturally occurring fungus, *Beauveria bassiana* Strain GHA. Spores are alive and may be harmed by storage at high temperatures or contact with water for more than 24 hours. See storage instructions on this label.

MODE OF ACTION AND APPLICATION TIMING Begin treatment of crops at the first appearance of the insect pest. Typically, it takes 7-10 days after the first spray to see control. Application rates, frequency, spray coverage and insect numbers impact the speed at which acceptable control is achieved. Mycotrol is most effective when used early, before high insect populations develop. Reapply as necessary under a pest management program that includes close scouting. Intense pest outbreaks may require combination of Mycotrol with a compatible insecticide.

Contact Mycotech Corporation or your distributor for specific information on compatible insecticides.

PRE-HARVEST INTERVAL Pre-harvest interval for Mycotrol ES is zero (0) days. Mycotrol ES can be applied up to the day of harvest.

GENERAL INFORMATION (FOR CORN ONLY)

ACTIVE INGREDIENT Mycotrol ES contains live spores of the fungus, *Beauveria bassiana*. This fungus is a naturally occurring disease organism of corn borers. Spores are alive and may be harmed by storage at high temperature or by contact with water for more than 24 hours. See storage instructions on this label.

MODE OF ACTION Mycotrol ES acts by contact. Spores attach to the insect, germinate and penetrate through the insect cuticle. The fungus then grows rapidly within the insect, causing mortality.

Beauveria bassiana occurs naturally in close association with corn plants where it infects corn borers. When Mycotrol ES is applied to corn early in the season, the fungus persists in association with corn plants providing season long reduction in corn borer damage.

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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. 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 4 hours unless wearing appropriate personal protective equipment.

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:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Goggles, face shield or safety glasses
- Waterproof gloves
- Shoes plus socks
- Dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95 or P-95.

NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 4 hours unless wearing appropriate personal protective equipment.

Keep unprotected persons out of treated areas until sprays have dried.

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INSECTS FOR WHICH MYCOTROL ES MAY BE USED

ORTHOPTERA, SUCH AS

Grasshoppers
Mormon Crickets

Locusts
Mole Crickets

WHITEFLY, SUCH AS

Banded-winged Whitefly
Citrus Blackfly
Citrus Whitefly
Giant Whitefly

Greenhouse Whitefly
Silverleaf Whitefly
Sweet Potato Whitefly (aka Tobacco Whitefly)

APHIDS, SUCH AS

Bean Aphid
Cabbage Aphid
Cowpea Aphid
Green Peach Aphid
Greenbug
Hop Aphid

Melon/Cotton Aphid
Pea Aphid
Potato Aphid
Rose Aphid
Russian Wheat Aphid
Spotted Alfalfa Aphid

THRIPS, SUCH AS

Greenhouse Thrips
Cuban Laurel Thrips
Pear Thrips

Potato/Onion Thrips
Thrips palmi
Western Flower Thrips

PSYLLIDS, SUCH AS

Pear Psylla

Tomato/Potato Psylla

MEALYBUGS, SUCH AS

Citrus Mealybug
Grape Mealybug

Buffalo Grass Mealybug
Longtailed Mealybug

LEAFHOPPERS AND PLANTHOPPERS, SUCH AS

Grape Leafhopper
Leafhoppers
Planthoppers

Variegated Grape Leafhopper
Potato Leafhopper
Virginia Creeper Leafhopper

STEM-BORING LEPIDOPTERA. SUCH AS

European Corn Borer
Lesser Cornstalk Borer
Southwestern Corn Borer

Sugar Cane Borer
Rice Stem Borer

FOLIAGE-FEEDING LEPIDOPTERA, SUCH AS

Diamondback Moth
Imported Cabbage Worm

Cabbage Looper

LEAF-FEEDING BEETLES, SUCH AS

Colorado Potato Beetle
Cucumber Beetles
Elm Leaf Beetle
Corn Rootworm

Flea Beetles
Bean Leaf Beetle
Cereal Leaf Beetle

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SCARAB BEETLES, SUCH AS

Atenius
Green June Beetle
White Grubs

PLANT BUGS (HETEROPTERA), SUCH AS

Chinch Bugs	Fleahoppers
Tarnished Plant Bug	Stink Bugs
Lygus Bug	Lace Bugs
Seed Bugs	

WEEVILS, SUCH AS

Alfalfa Weevil	Apple Curculio
Cotton Boll Weevil	Rose Curculio
Vegetable Weevil	Sweet Potato Weevil
Black Vine Weevil	Billbugs
Pecan Weevil	Root Weevil
Strawberry Root Weevil	Pepper Weevil
Fuller Rose Weevil	Citrus Root Weevil
Plum Curculio	

CROPS ON WHICH MYCOTROL ES MAY BE USED

Mycotrol ES may be used on most crops since *Beauveria bassiana* Strain GHA, the active ingredient, is exempt from residue tolerances when applied to growing crops.

VEGETABLES, INCLUDING

acerola	cassava	corn salad
arracacha	catjang	crenshaw melon
arrowroot	cauliflower	cress
artichoke	celeriac	cucumber
arugula	celery	dandelion
asparagus	celtuce	dasheen
atermoya	chayote	daikon
balsam pear	chervil	dock
bamboo shoots	chickpeas	edamame
beans (all varieties)	chicory	eggplant
beet	Chinese broccoli	endive
blackeyed peas	Chinese cabbage	escarole
bokchoy	Chinese gai lon	fennel
broccoli	Chinese longbeans	garlic
broccoli raab	Chinese mustard	gherkin
Brussels sprouts	Chinese spinach	ginger
burdock	Chinese waxgourd	
cabbage	chrysanthemum (edible)	
cantaloupe	chufa	
carambols	cilantro	
carrots	citron melon	
casaba melons	collards	

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golden pershaw melon
gourds (edible)
groundcherry
guar
honey balls
honeydew melon
horseradish
kale
kohlrabi
leek
lentils
leren
lettuce
mango melon
muskmelon hybrids/varieties
mustard greens
New Zealand spinach
okra
onion

orach
parsley
parsnip
peas (all varieties)
pepinos
pepper (all varieties)
Persian melon
pimento (all varieties)
pineapple melon
potato
pumpkin
purslane
radish
radochio
rambutan
rape greens
rapini
rhubarb
rutabaga

salsify
shallot
snake melon
soybeans
spinach
squash (summer/winter)
sugar beet
sweet potato
Swiss chard
tanier
tomatillo
tomatoes
tumeric
turnip
watermelon
yam
zucchini

FRUITS AND BERRIES, INCLUDING

apple
apricot
avacado
bananas
blackberry
blueberry
boysenberry
calamondin
carob
cherimoya
cherry (sweet/sour)
chironja
citrus citron
citrus hybrids
coffee
crabapple
cranberry
currant
dates
dewberry
durian

elderberry
fejoa
figs
gooseberry
grape (table, raisin, wine)
grapefruit
guava
huckleberry
kiwi
kumquat
lemon
limes
loganberry
loquat
lychee
mandarin
mango
marionberry
nectarine
olallie berry
olives (all varieties)

orange
oriental pear
papaya
passion fruit
peach
pear
persimmon
pineapple
plum
pomegranate
prune
pummelo
quihuna
quince
raspberry
sour cherry
strawberry
sweet cherry
tangelo
tangerine
youngberry

TREE NUTS, INCLUDING

almond
beech nut
Brazil nut
butternut
cashew

chestnut
chinquapin
filbert
hickory nut

macadamia nut
pecan
pistachios
walnut

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AGRONOMIC CROPS, INCLUDING

alfalfa	jojoba	sugarcane
barley	millet	sunflower
buckwheat	oats	sweet corn
clover	oil seed rape (canola)	sweet potato
coffee	peanuts	tea
corn (field, sweet, pop, silage, seed, corn grown for meal/flour)	potato	teosinte
	rice	triticale
	rye	wheat
cotton	safflower	wild rice
flax	sorghum	
hay	soybeans	
hops	sugarbeets	

FORESTRY, INCLUDING

Trees and conifers, tree and forest seedlings and woody ornamentals

HERBS AND SPICES, INCLUDING

allspice	coriander	pennyroyal
anise	costmary	pepper (black/white)
balm	cumin	peppermint
basil	curry leaf	rosemary
borage	dill	rue
burnet	fennel	sage
chamomile	fenugreek	saffron
caper buds	ginseng	savory
caraway	horehound	sesame
cardamom	hyssop	spearmint
catnip	mace	sweet bay leaf
celery seed	marjoram	tansy
chervil	mint	tarragon
chicory	mustard	thyme
chives	nasturtium	wintergreen
cilantro/coriander	nutmeg	woodruff
cinnamon	oregano	wormwood
clary	paprika	

**ORNAMENTALS, INCLUDING FLOWERS, FLOWERING AND FOLIAGE PLANTS,
BEDDING PLANTS, GROUNDCOVERS, SHRUBS, VINES, EVERGREENS AND TREES.**

African lily	alyssum	ash
African violet	anthurium	asparagus sprengeri
agerarum	arbor vitea	aster

atlas cedar
 azalea
 bald cypress
 balsam fir
 bamboo
 barberry
 beech
 begonia
 birch
 Boston fern
 bougainvilla
 boxwood
 bridal veil
 cacti
 caladium
 calceolara
 calendula
 calla lily
 camella
 camellias
 carissa
 carnation
 ceanothus
 celosia
 chenille plant
 cherro
 Christmas cactus
 chrysanthemum
 cinararia
 cleyera
 coleus
 cordyline
 corylusavellana
 cotoneaster
 cottonwood
 crabapple
 crepe myrtle
 crossandra
 croton
 cyclamen
 cypress
 daffodil
 dahlia
 daisy
 delphinium
 deodar cedar
 dichondra
 diffenbachia
 dogwood
 Douglas fir
 dracaena
 dumb cane

Dusty Miller
 elm
 eucalyptus
 ferns
 ficus
 fig
 firethorn
 fittonia
 floss flower
 foliage plants
 forsythia
 freesia
 fuchsia
 gardenia
 geranium
 gerbera
 gerber daisy
 gladiolus
 gloxinia
 grape
 gynura
 gypsophilia
 hackberry
 hawthorne
 heder
 hemlock
 hibiscus
 hickory
 holly
 honey suckle
 hop bush
 horsechesnut
 hyacinth
 hydrangia
 iceplant
 imitari
 impatiens
 India hawthorn
 iris
 ivy
 Japanese aucuba
 Japanese barberry
 Japanese boxwood
 Japanese spindle tree
 Japanese yew
 juniper
 kalanchoe
 lantana
 larch
 larkspur
 laurel
 leasianthus

leatherleaf fern
 lihden
 lilac
 lily
 lithodora
 lobelia
 loquat
 magnolia
 mandevilla
 maple
 marigold
 Mediterranean fan palm
 mesembryanthemum
 mimosa
 monstera
 mother-in-law plant
 mountain laurel
 myrtle
 nandina
 narcissus
 oak
 oleander
 olive
 orchid
 ornamental kale
 pachysandra
 palms
 pansy
 parasol pine
 pelegonium
 peony
 petunia
 philodendron
 phlox
 photina
 piggyback plant
 pine
 pink
 pittosporum
 planetree
 podocarpus
 poinsettia
 poplar
 pothos ivy
 prayer plant
 primrose
 privet
 pteris fern
 pyracantha
 rhododendron
 rose
 rubber plant

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salvia
scabiosa
schefflera
schlumbergera
sedum
shrub verbena
shrubby cinquefoil
smoke tree
snapdragon
spathiphyllum
spruce

stock
sweet gum
sweet pea
sweet William
sycamore
syngonium
taxus
Texas sage
tulip
tulip tree
verbena

viburnum
vinca
Virginia creeper
walnut
wandering Jew
willow
yew
yucca
zinnia

TURF, INCLUDING LAWN AND SOD TURFGRASSES

Bermuda grass
blue grass

fescue
St. Augustine grass

zoysia grass

MIXING AND APPLICATION

SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING. Mycotrol ES may be applied using hand-held, ground and/or aerial spray equipment, low-volume application equipment and chemigation (**follow specific directions for chemigation on this label**). Mycotrol ES contains emulsifiers and mixes readily in water. Mix well by external mixing, in-tank mixing, or pump circulation to form an emulsion. To mix, fill spray tank with half the desired amount of water and start agitation. Shake Mycotrol ES to suspend spores then with agitator running, slowly add desired quantity of Mycotrol ES to spray tank. Add remainder of desired amount of water. Continue agitation throughout loading and spraying. Triple rinse empty Mycotrol ES container with water and add rinse water to spray tank. For best results, continue agitation during spraying. Do not mix more Mycotrol ES than needed for that day. Do not mix Mycotrol ES the day before application. Spores will die if left overnight or longer in the spray tank.

Contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for recommendations about specific crops, insects and spray equipment.

DOSAGE RATE FOR GREENHOUSE, SHADEHOUSE, INDOOR/OUTDOOR NURSERY, LANDSCAPE AND INTERIORSCAPE

High volume application: Apply at a rate of up to one (1) quart per 100 gallons in high volume sprays (2 tsp., or 0.33 fluid ounces per gallon). Mix well by external mixing, in-tank mixing, or pump circulation to form emulsion. **SPRAY TO WET, BUT AVOID RUNOFF.**

Typical Application Rates/100 Gallons

Whiteflies, Mealybugs, Aphids.....1/2 quart to 1 quart/100 gallons spray volume
Thrips1 quart/100 gallons spray volume
Other labeled insects.....1/2 to 2 quarts/100 gallons spray volume
depending on insect population and foliage density.

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Low volume sprays: Apply at a rate equivalent to area coverage of high volume spray. This would normally be ½ quart to 2 quarts for 5,000 to 20,000 square feet. Follow spray equipment manufacturer's instructions for final spray volume to obtain adequate coverage. **DO NOT APPLY THROUGH A THERMAL PULSE FOGGER.**

Contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific recommendations.

CUTTINGS DIP

Applications of Mycotrol ES may be used as pre-plant dips for cuttings as noted below. To prepare dip solution, thoroughly mix ½ - 1 oz Mycotrol ES per gallon of water, (5 - 10 oz. per 10 gallons water). Prepare only as much dip solution as can be used in one day. Do not use dip solution for more than one day. Spores in water for more than 24 hours will die. Dip a small number of plants in dip solution and observe for plant damage before using dip treatment. Do not use dips if there is any visible damage to test plants.

Unrooted Cuttings

Dip the unrooted cuttings in the Mycotrol ES solution just long enough to wet all surfaces, then removing to a flat area and allow cuttings to dry. For water-sensitive varieties, cover to protect until dry. Then proceed with normal planting and misting.

Rooted Cuttings

Holding by the roots, briefly dip in the Mycotrol ES solution just long enough to wet all surfaces, including leaves and stems. Once removed from the dip solution, cuttings can be potted, but allow plants to dry before watering.

DOSE RATE FOR FIELD, AGRONOMIC, AND VEGETABLE CROPS (EXCEPT CORN); RANGELAND, IMPROVED PASTURES & FORESTRY

GROUND APPLICATION

Apply ¼ to 1 quart Mycotrol ES/acre. Apply in sufficient water to thoroughly cover foliage infested with insects, typically 5 to 100 gallons of water per acre. Final spray volume may be up to 400 gallons per acre. Water volume depends on spray equipment, crop canopy and target pest. **SPRAY TO WET, BUT AVOID RUNOFF.**

Mycotrol ES may be applied up to a maximum of 3 quarts per acre for extreme insect pressure or dense foliage.

AERIAL APPLICATION

Apply ¼ to 1 quart Mycotrol ES per acre. Apply in sufficient water to thoroughly cover foliage infested with insects. For best results, apply in 5-10 gallons water per acre. Do not apply in less than 2 gallons water per acre.

LEAF-FEEDING LEPIDOPTERA

For use against diamondback moth, imported cabbage worm and cabbage looper: Mycotrol ES can be used alone or in a tank mix with *Bacillus thuringiensis* (vars. kurstaki, aizawai) to control these insects in accordance with the more restrictive of label limitations and precautions. No label dosage rates should be exceeded. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing. The tank mix provides control of later instars (3rd to 4th) and aids in the management of resistant populations. For additional information, contact Mycotech Corporation.

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Typical Application Rates/Acre

Diamondback moth.....1/2 to 1 quart/Acre.
Imported cabbage worm.....1/2 to 1 quart/Acre.
Cabbage Looper.....1 quart/Acre.

LEAF-FEEDING BEETLES

For use against Colorado Potato Beetle: Mycotrol ES can be used alone or in a tank mix with *Bacillus thuringiensis* (vars. *tenebrionis*) to control Colorado Potato Beetle in accordance with the more restrictive of label limitations and precautions. No label dosage rates should be exceeded. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing. The tank mix improves control and aids in the management of resistant populations. For additional information, contact Mycotech Corporation.

Typical Application Rates/Acre

Colorado Potato Beetle.....1/2 to 1 quart/Acre.

DOSE RATE FOR TURF, FOR SOIL APPLICATIONS IN ORCHARDS, CONTAINER ORNAMENTALS AND LANDSCAPE/INTERIORSCAPE

For most soil applications, apply 2-8 fluid ounces Mycotrol ES per 1,000 square feet. For difficult to control soil pests, especially citrus root weevil (*Diaprepes abbreviatus*), apply Mycotrol ES at the upper rate (8 fl. oz. per 1,000 square feet).

Do not apply to water-saturated soil. Apply Mycotrol ES in enough water to ensure good coverage of treated area, at least one gallon per 1,000 square feet. Irrigate treated area after application to disperse Mycotrol ES into soil.

APPLICATION FREQUENCY

Apply Mycotrol ES at 5-10 day intervals. High insect populations, especially whitefly and aphids, may require application at 2-5 day intervals. Repeat applications for as long as pest pressure persists. There is no limit on the number of applications or total amount of Mycotrol ES which can be applied in one season.

PLANT SAFETY

Mycotrol ES has shown plant safety but has not been tested on all plant varieties or in all tank mixes. Test Mycotrol ES on a small number of plants to check for potential damage before applying to larger number of plants. Do not apply on poinsettias after bract formation.

TANK MIX COMPATIBILITY Mycotrol ES is physically and biologically compatible with a wide range of insecticides and spray adjuvants in accordance with the more restrictive of label limitations and precautions. No label dosage rates should be exceeded. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing. It is compatible with some fungicides in tank mixtures. Fungicides may kill the spores.

Adjuvants Mycotrol ES is designed for application without additional wetting agents and spreaders. If adjuvants are needed for some other reason, contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific recommendations. Some wetting agents and spreaders kill the spores, the active ingredient in Mycotrol ES, or contribute to poor mixing and spray problems.

Compatibility With Chemical Insecticides Mycotrol ES is compatible with most chemical insecticides. However, some insecticide formulations can kill the fungal spores, the active ingredient in Mycotrol ES. If you are going to use Mycotrol ES in combination with other

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pesticides, contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific information. In all cases, pesticides should be used in accordance with their labels.

Compatibility With Fungicides Mycotrol ES is compatible in tank mix with some fungicides. Contact Mycotech or your dealer for specific recommendations on using Mycotrol ES with fungicides.

MIXING AND APPLICATION FOR CORN - GROUND AND AERIAL APPLICATION

SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING. Mycotrol ES may be applied using ground and/or aerial application equipment and chemigation using overhead sprinklers. (Follow specific directions for chemigation on this label.) Mycotrol ES contains emulsifiers and mixes readily in water. To mix, fill spray tank with half the desired amount of water and start agitation. Shake Mycotrol ES to suspend spores, then with agitator running, slowly add desired quantity of Mycotrol ES to spray tank. Add the remainder of desired amount of water. Triple rinse empty Mycotrol ES container with water and add rinse water to spray tank. For best results, continue agitation during spraying. Do not mix more Mycotrol ES than needed for that day. Do not mix Mycotrol ES the day before application. Spores will die if left overnight or longer in the spray tank.

Contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific recommendations.

DOSE RATE FOR CORN

Apply 4 fluid ounces per acre (2 1/2 gallons per 80 acres).

APPLICATION TIMING FOR CORN

Apply to corn when plants are 12-16 inches high (V6-V8 stage). A single application is sufficient to establish *Beauveria bassiana* association with corn plants. A second application prior to second generation corn borer flight may further reduce damage from corn borers.

GROUND APPLICATION FOR CORN

Apply with sufficient water to provide thorough coverage. Direct spray over row to obtain optimal coverage in whorl and leaf axils. The amount of water will depend on spray equipment, crop size and local conditions. Generally, 10-gallon spray volume per acre is the minimum necessary to obtain adequate coverage.

AERIAL APPLICATION FOR CORN

Apply with sufficient water to provide thorough coverage. Use at least 2 gallons spray volume per acre; 5-10 gallons/acre will generally improve coverage.

Contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific recommendations.

CHEMIGATION

Apply Mycotrol ES only through the following types of chemigation systems: overhead sprinkler systems including center pivot, lateral move, end tow, side (wheel) roll, traveler, big gun, solid set, or hand move; or drip (trickle and microjet) systems. Do not apply this product through any other type of irrigation system.

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Mycotrol ES may be applied undiluted (neat) or diluted as appropriate for injection flow rate and irrigation volume. A ratio of one part water to one part Mycotrol ES is recommended for best results. If Mycotrol ES is diluted, supply tank must be agitated to thoroughly mix Mycotrol ES in water. Add water to supply tank, start agitation, then add Mycotrol ES. Continue supply tank agitation during chemigation cycle to maintain uniform emulsion. Supply tank agitation is not necessary if Mycotrol ES is used without dilution. Shake well to suspend spores before adding Mycotrol ES to supply tank. Use contents of supply tank within one day.

Crop injury, lack of effectiveness, or illegal pesticide residues in the crop can result from nonuniform distribution of treated water.

If you have questions about calibration, you should contact State Extension Service specialists, equipment manufacturers or other experts.

Do not connect an irrigation system (including greenhouse systems) used for pesticide application to a public water system unless the pesticide label-prescribed safety devices for public water systems are in place.

A person knowledgeable of the chemigation system and responsible for its operation, or under the supervision of the responsible person, shall shut the system down and make necessary adjustments should the need arise.

SPRINKLER CHEMIGATION

Use ½ to 1 quart Mycotrol ES per acre for most sprinkler chemigation applications. Apply at up to 3 quarts per acre for high insect pressure or dense foliage. For corn, apply at a rate of 4 fluid ounces Mycotrol ES per acre.

For best results, time Mycotrol ES chemigation with the end of irrigation water application. Time injection duration to apply Mycotrol ES in the minimum irrigation volume necessary to achieve uniform coverage immediately prior to shutting off irrigation water. Excessive irrigation during and after chemigation will wash active ingredient (spores) off foliage, reducing effectiveness.

With center pivot or other continuous move equipment, apply Mycotrol ES in 1/4 to 1/2 inches of water per acre.

With stationary sets, wheel lines, solid sets or hand move sprinklers, apply Mycotrol ES during the last 20-30 minutes of the set.

Supply tank agitation is necessary if Mycotrol ES is diluted in water before injection into irrigation system. Tank agitation is not necessary if Mycotrol ES is used without dilution provided the product is shaken well to resuspend spores before adding the tank and that contents of tank are used the same day.

The system must contain a functional check valve, vacuum relief valve, and low pressure drain appropriately located on the irrigation pipeline to prevent water source contamination from backflow.

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The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.

The pesticide injection pipeline must also contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being withdrawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.

The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.

The irrigation line or water pump must include a functional pressure switch which will stop the water pump motor when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.

Systems must use a metering pump, such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock

Do not apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.

DRIP (TRICKLE) AND MICROJET CHEMIGATION

Use 1 1/2 to 3 quarts Mycotrol ES per acre in most drip or microjet chemigation. For difficult to control soil pests, especially citrus root weevil (*Diaprepes abbreviatus*), Mycotrol ES may need to be applied at up to 8 fluid ounces per 1,000 square feet.

Apply Mycotrol ES continuously for the duration of irrigation water application to achieve uniform distribution and penetration of active ingredient (spores) in the soil.

Supply tank agitation is necessary if Mycotrol ES is diluted in water before injection into irrigation system. Supply tank agitation is not necessary if Mycotrol ES is used without dilution provided the product is shaken well to resuspend spores before adding to the supply tank and that contents of supply tank are used the same day.

The system must contain a functional check valve, vacuum relief valve and low pressure drain appropriately located on the irrigation pipeline to prevent water source contamination from backflow.

The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.

The pesticide injection pipeline must also contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being withdrawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.

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The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.

The irrigation line or water pump must include a functional pressure switch which will stop the water pump motor when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.

Systems must use a metering pump such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock.

Chemigation Systems Connected to Public Water Systems

Public water system means a system for the provision to the public of piped water for human consumption if such system has at least 15 service connections or regularly serves an average of at least 25 individuals daily at least 60 days out of the year.

Chemigation systems connected to public water systems must contain a functional, reduced-pressure zone, backflow preventer (RPZ) or the functional equivalent in the water supply line upstream from the point of pesticide introduction. As an option to the RPZ, the water from the public water system should be discharged into a reservoir tank prior to pesticide introduction. There shall be a complete physical break (air gap) between the outlet end of the fill pipe and the top or overflow rim of the reservoir tank of at least twice the inside diameter of the fill pipe.

The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.

The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being withdrawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.

The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops, or in cases where there is no water pump, when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.

Systems must use a metering pump, such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock.

Do not apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.

Supply tank agitation is necessary if Mycotrol ES is diluted in water before injection into irrigation system. Spray tank agitation is not necessary if Mycotrol ES is used without dilution provided the product is resuspended before adding to the other spray tank and that contents of spray tank are used the same day.

For best results in foliar applications by sprinkler, time Mycotrol ES chemigation with the end of irrigation water application. Time injection duration to apply Mycotrol ES in the minimum

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irrigation volume necessary to achieve uniform coverage immediately prior to shutting off irrigation water. Excessive overhead irrigation during and after chemigation will wash active ingredient (spores) off foliage, reducing effectiveness.

For best results in soil applications by drip trickle, apply Mycotrol ES continuously for the duration of irrigation water application. Apply sufficient volume of water to carry Mycotrol ES into proximity of the target pests.

Spray Drift For Aerial Application

Avoiding spray drift at the application site is the responsibility of the applicator. The interaction of many equipment-and-weather-related factors determine the potential for spray drift. The applicator and the grower are responsible for considering all these factors when making decisions.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE

- Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.
- Store in a cool, dry place. Avoid storage below freezing temperatures or above 85°F. Mycotrol ES stability decreases with time at elevated temperatures above 85°F. Tightly reclose the container of unused product. Do not contaminate unused product with water.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

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CONTAINER DISPOSAL

- Do not reuse as a container. Triple rinse (or equivalent). 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.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

Mycotrol ES conforms to the description set forth on this label and is reasonably fit for the purposes described herein when used according to the label directions and specified conditions. The manufacturer disclaims any and all other express or implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for particular purpose. Buyers and users shall assume all risk and responsibility for potential loss or damage if this product is used, stored, handled or applied in a manner inconsistent with this labeling. To the extent permitted by law, manufacturer shall not be liable for more than the purchase price for the quantity involved including incidental, consequential or special damages.

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BOTANIGARD™ ES

Emulsifiable Suspension Mycoinsecticide

For use in controlling Whitefly, Aphids, Thrips, Psyllids and Mealybugs in Ornamentals and Vegetables, Indoor/Outdoor Nursery, Greenhouse, Shadehouse, Commercial Landscape, Interiorscape, and Turf.

Active Ingredient: *Beauveria bassiana* Strain GHA.....11.3%**
Inert Ingredients.....88.7%*

*Contains petroleum distillates.

** Based on the weight estimate of 4.78×10^{-12} grams per spore.

BotaniGard ES contains 2.3×10^{10} viable *Beauveria bassiana* spores per gram.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Avoid breathing vapors (dust or spray mist). Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

FIRST AID

If Swallowed: Call a doctor or get medical attention. Do not induce vomiting. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Avoid alcohol.

If Inhaled: If irritation persists, contact physician.

If On Skin: Wash with soap and water.

If In Eyes: Flush with water.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS: Users should wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

Product contains petroleum distillates; vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Applicators and other handlers must wear: long-sleeved shirt and long pants. Shoes plus socks and dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95 or P-95. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is potentially pathogenic to honey bees. Avoid applying to areas where honey bees are actively foraging or around bee hives. This product may be toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of equipment wash waters. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public

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Net Contents: _____

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Expiration Date: _____

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under

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GENERAL INFORMATION

BotaniGard ES contains live spores of the naturally occurring fungus, *Beauveria bassiana* Strain GHA. Spores are alive and may be harmed by storage at high temperatures or contact with water for more than 24 hours. See storage instructions on this label.

MODE OF ACTION AND APPLICATION TIMING Begin treatment of crops at the first appearance of the insect pest. Typically, it takes 7-10 days after the first spray to see control. Application rates, frequency, spray coverage and insect numbers impact the speed at which acceptable control is achieved. BotaniGard ES is most effective when used early, before high insect populations develop. Reapply as necessary under a pest management program that includes close scouting. Intense pest outbreaks may require combination of BotaniGard ES with a compatible insecticide.

Contact Mycotech Corporation or your distributor for specific information on compatible insecticides.

PRE-HARVEST INTERVAL Pre-harvest interval for BotaniGard ES is zero (0) days. BotaniGard ES can be applied up to the day of harvest.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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. 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 4 hours unless wearing the appropriate personal protective equipment.

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:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Goggles, face shield or safety glasses
- Waterproof gloves
- Shoes plus socks
- Dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95 or P-95.

NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 4 hours unless wearing the appropriate personal protective equipment.

Keep unprotected persons out of treated areas until sprays have dried.

For use in controlling Whitefly, Aphids, Thrips, Psyllids and Mealybugs in Ornamentals and Vegetables, Indoor/Outdoor Nursery, Greenhouse, Shadehouse, Commercial Landscape, Interiorscape, and Turf. May be aerially applied. Suitable for use with ultra low-volume application equipment.

INSECTS FOR WHICH BOTANIGARD ES MAY BE USED

WHITEFLY, SUCH AS

- Banded-winged Whitefly
- Citrus Blackfly
- Citrus Whitefly
- Giant Whitefly

- Greenhouse Whitefly
- Silverleaf Whitefly
- Sweet Potato Whitefly (aka Tobacco Whitefly)

APHIDS, SUCH AS

- Bean Aphid
- Cabbage Aphid
- Cowpea Aphid
- Green Peach Aphid
- Greenbug
- Hop Aphid

- Melon/Cotton Aphid
- Pea Aphid
- Potato Aphid
- Rose Aphid
- Russian Wheat Aphid
- Spotted Alfalfa Aphid

THRIPS, SUCH AS

- Greenhouse Thrips
- Cuban Laurel Thrips
- Pear Thrips

- Potato/Onion Thrips
- Thrips palmi*
- Western Flower Thrips

PSYLLIDS, SUCH AS

- Pear Psylla

- Tomato/Potato Psylla

MEALYBUGS, SUCH AS

- Citrus Mealybug
- Grape Mealybug

- Buffalo Grass Mealybug
- Longtailed Mealybug

SCARAB BEETLES, SUCH AS

- Atenius
- Green June Beetle
- White Grubs

PLANT BUGS (HETEROPTERA), SUCH AS

- Chinch Bugs

- Lace Bugs

WEEVILS, SUCH AS

Black Vine Weevil
Strawberry Root Weevil
Fuller Rose Weevil

Rose Curculio
Billbugs
Root Weevil

CROPS ON WHICH BOTANIGARD ES MAY BE USED

BotaniGard ES may be used on most crops since *Beauveria bassiana* Strain GHA, the active ingredient, is exempt from residue tolerances when applied to growing crops.

VEGETABLES, SUCH AS

acerola
arracacha
arrowroot
artichoke
arugula
asparagus
atermoya
balsam pear
bamboo shoots
beans (all varieties)
beet
blackeyed peas
bokchoy
broccoli
broccoli raab
Brussels sprouts
burdock
cabbage
cantaloupe
carambols
carrots
casaba melons
cassava
catjang
cauliflower
celeriac
celery
celtuce
chayote
chervil
chickpeas
chicory
Chinese broccoli
Chinese cabbage
Chinese gai lon
Chinese longbeans
Chinese mustard
Chinese spinach
Chinese waxgourd

chrysanthemum (edible)
chufa
cilantro
citron melon
collards
corn salad
crenshaw melon
cress
cucumber
dandelion
dasheen
daikon
dock
edamame
eggplant
endive
escarole
fennel
garlic
gherkin
ginger
golden pershaw melon
gourds (edible)
groundcherry
guar
honey balls
honeydew melon
horseradish
kale
kohlrabi
leek
lentils
leren
lettuce
mango melon
muskmelon hybrids/varieties
mustard greens
New Zealand spinach
okra

onion
orach
parsley
parsnip
peas (all varieties)
pepinos
pepper (all varieties)
Persian melon
pimento (all varieties)
pineapple melon
potato
pumpkin
purslane
radish
radochio
rambutan
rape greens
rapini
rhubarb
rutabaga
salsify
shallot
snake melon
soybeans
spinach
squash (summer/winter)
sugar beet
sweet potato
Swiss chard
tanier
tomatillo
tomatoes
tumeric
tumip
watermelon
yam
zucchini

FRUITS AND BERRIES, SUCH AS

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apple
apricot
avacado
bananas
blackberry
blueberry
boysenberry
calamondin
carob
cherimoya
cherry (sweet/sour)
chironja
citrus citron
citrus hybrids
coffee
crabapple
cranberry
currant
dates
dewberry
durian

elderberry
fejoa
figs
gooseberry
grape (table, raisin, wine)
grapefruit
guava
huckleberry
kiwi
kumquat
lemon
limes
loganberry
loquat
lychee
mandarin
mango
marionberry
nectarine
olallie berry
olives (all varieties)

orange
oriental pear
papaya
passion fruit
peach
pear
persimmon
pineapple
plum
pomegranate
prune
pummelo
quihuna
quince
raspberry
sour cherry
strawberry
sweet cherry
tangelo
tangerine
youngberry

HERBS AND SPICES, SUCH AS

allspice
anise
balm
basil
borage
burnet
chamomile
caper buds
caraway
cardamom
catnip
celery seed
chervil
chicory
chives
cilantro/coriander
cinnamon
clary

coriander
costmary
cumin
curry leaf
dill
fennel
fenugreek
ginseng
horehound
hyssop
mace
marjoram
mint
mustard
nasturtium
nutmeg
oregano
paprika

pennyroyal
pepper (black/white)
peppermint
rosemary
rue
sage
saffron
savory
sesame
spearmint
sweet bay leaf
tansy
tarragon
thyme
wintergreen
woodruff
wormwood

ORNAMENTALS, INCLUDING FLOWERS, FLOWERING AND FOLIAGE PLANTS,
BEDDING PLANTS, GROUNDCOVERS, SHRUBS, VINES, EVERGREENS AND TREES.

African lily
African violet
ageratum
alyssum
anthurium
arbor vitae
ash
asparagus sprengeri
aster
atlas cedar
azalea
bald cypress
balsam fir
bamboo
barberry
beech
begonia
birch
Boston fern
bougainvillea
boxwood
bridal veil
cacti
caladium
calceolaria
calendula
calla lily
camella
camellias
carissa
carnation
ceanothus
celosia
chenille plant
cherro
Christmas cactus
chrysanthemum
cinararia
cleystera
coleus
cordyline
corylusavellana
cotoneaster
cottonwood
crabapple
crepe myrtle
crossandra
croton
cyclamen

cypress
daffodil
dahlia
daisy
delphinium
deodar cedar
dichondra
diffenbachia
dogwood
Douglas fir
dracaena
dumb cane
Dusty Miller
elm
eucalyptus
ferns
ficus
fig
firethorn
fittonia
floss flower
foliage plants
forsythia
freesia
fuchsia
gardenia
geranium
gerbera
gerber daisy
gladiolus
gloxinia
grape
gynura
gypsophila
hackberry
hawthorne
hedera
hemlock
hibiscus
hickory
holly
honey suckle
hop bush
horsechestnut
hyacinth
hydrangia
iceplant
imitari
impatiens

India hawthorn
iris
ivy
Japanese aucuba
Japanese barberry
Japanese boxwood
Japanese spindle tree
Japanese yew
juniper
kalanchoe
lantana
larch
larkspur
laurel
leasianthus
leatherleaf fern
lihdn
lilac
lily
lithodora
lobelia
loquat
magnolia
mandevilla
maple
marigold
Mediterranean fan palm
mesembryanthemum
mimosa
monstera
mother-in-law plant
mountain laurel
myrtle
nandina
narcissus
oak
oleander
olive
orchid
ornamental kale
pachysandra
palms
pansy
parasol pine
pelegonium
peony
petunia
philodendron
phlox

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photina
piggyback plant
pine
pink
pittosporum
planetree
podocarpus
poinsettia
poplar
pothos ivy
prayer plant
primrose
privet
pteris fern
pyracantha
rhododendron
rose

rubber plant
salvia
scabiosa
schefflera
schlumbegera
sedum
shrub verbena
shrubby cinquefoil
smoke tree
snapdragon
spathiphyllum
spruce
stock
sweet gum
sweet pea
sweet William
sycamore

syngonium
taxus
Texas sage
tulip
tulip tree
verbena
viburnum
vinca
Virginia creeper
walnut
wandering Jew
willow
yew
yucca
zinnia

TURF, INCLUDING LAWN AND SOD TURF GRASSES

Bermuda grass
blue grass

fescue
St. Augustine grass

zoysia grass

MIXING AND APPLICATION

SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING. BotaniGard ES may be applied using hand-held, ground and/or aerial spray equipment, or low-volume application. BotaniGard ES contains emulsifiers and mixes readily in water. Mix well by external mixing, in-tank mixing, or pump circulation to form an emulsion. To mix, fill spray tank with half the desired amount of water and start agitation. Shake BotaniGard ES to suspend spores then with agitator running, slowly add desired quantity of BotaniGard ES to spray tank. Add remainder of desired amount of water. Continue agitation throughout loading and spraying. Triple rinse empty BotaniGard ES container with water and add rinse water to spray tank. For best results, continue agitation during spraying. Do not mix more BotaniGard ES than needed for that day. Do not mix BotaniGard ES the day before application. Spores will die if left overnight or longer in the spray tank.

Contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for recommendations about specific crops, insects and spray equipment.

DOSAGE RATE FOR GREENHOUSE, SHADEHOUSE, INDOOR/OUTDOOR NURSERY, LANDSCAPE AND INTERIORSCAPE

High volume application: Apply at a rate of up to one (1) quart per 100 gallons in high volume sprays (2 tsp., or 0.33 fluid ounces per gallon). Mix well by external mixing, in-tank mixing, or pump circulation to form emulsion. **SPRAY TO WET, BUT AVOID RUNOFF.**

Typical Application Rates/100 Gallons

Whiteflies, Mealybugs, Aphids..... 1/2 quart to 1 quart/100 gallons spray volume
Thrips 1 quart/100 gallons spray volume
Other labeled insects..... 1/2 to 2 quarts/100 gallons spray volume
depending on insect population and foliage density.

Low volume sprays: Apply at a rate equivalent to area coverage of high volume spray. This would normally be ½ quart to 2 quarts for 5,000 to 20,000 square feet. Follow spray equipment manufacturer's instructions for final spray volume to obtain adequate coverage. **DO NOT APPLY THROUGH A THERMAL PULSE FOGGER.**

Contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific recommendations.

CUTTINGS DIP

Applications of BotaniGard ES may be used as pre-plant dips for cuttings as noted below. To prepare dip solution, thoroughly mix ½ - 1 oz BotaniGard ES per gallon of water, (5 - 10 oz. per 10 gallons water). Prepare only as much dip solution as can be used in one day. Do not use dip solution for more than one day. Spores in water for more than 24 hours will die. Dip a small number of plants in dip solution and observe for plant damage before using dip treatment. Do not use dips if there is any visible damage to test plants.

Unrooted Cuttings

Dip the unrooted cuttings in the BotaniGard ES solution just long enough to wet all surfaces, then removing to a flat area and allow cuttings to dry. For water-sensitive varieties, cover to protect until dry. Then proceed with normal planting and misting.

Rooted Cuttings

Holding by the roots, briefly dip in the BotaniGard ES solution just long enough to wet all surfaces, including leaves and stems. Once removed from the dip solution, cuttings can be potted, but allow plants to dry before watering.

DOSE RATE FOR TURF, FOR SOIL APPLICATIONS IN ORCHARDS, CONTAINER ORNAMENTALS AND LANDSCAPE/INTERIORSCAPE

For most soil applications, apply 2-8 fluid ounces BotaniGard ES per 1,000 square feet. For difficult to control soil pests, especially citrus root weevil (*Diaprepes abbreviatus*), apply BotaniGard ES at the upper rate (8 fl. oz. per 1,000 square feet).

Do not apply to water-saturated soil. Apply BotaniGard ES in enough water to ensure good coverage of treated area, at least one gallon per 1,000 square feet. Irrigate treated area after application to disperse BotaniGard ES into soil.

APPLICATION FREQUENCY

Apply BotaniGard ES at 5-10 day intervals. High insect populations, especially whitefly and aphids, may require application at 2-5 day intervals. Repeat applications for as long as pest pressure persists. There is no limit on the number of applications or total amount of BotaniGard ES which can be applied in one season.

PLANT SAFETY

BotaniGard ES has shown plant safety but has not been tested on all plant varieties or in all tank mixes. Test BotaniGard ES on a small number of plants to check for potential damage before applying to larger number of plants. **Do not apply on poinsettias after bract formation.**

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TANK MIX COMPATIBILITY BotaniGard ES is physically and biologically compatible with a wide range of insecticides and spray adjuvants in accordance with the more restrictive of label limitations and precautions. No label dosage rates should be exceeded. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing. It is compatible with some fungicides in tank mixtures. Fungicides may kill the spores.

Adjuvants BotaniGard ES is designed for application without additional wetting agents and spreaders. If adjuvants are needed for some other reason, contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific recommendations. Some wetting agents and spreaders kill the spores, the active ingredient in BotaniGard ES, or contribute to poor mixing and spray problems.

Compatibility With Chemical Insecticides BotaniGard ES is compatible with most chemical insecticides. However, some insecticide formulations can kill the fungal spores, the active ingredient in BotaniGard ES. If you are going to use BotaniGard ES in combination with other pesticides, contact your dealer or Mycotech Corporation for specific information. In all cases, pesticides should be used in accordance with their labels.

Compatibility With Fungicides BotaniGard ES is compatible in tank mix with some fungicides. Contact Mycotech or your dealer for specific recommendations on using BotaniGard ES with fungicides.

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

Spray Drift For Aerial Application

Avoiding spray drift at the application site is the responsibility of the applicator. The interaction of many equipment-and-weather-related factors determine the potential for spray drift. The applicator and the grower are responsible for considering all these factors when making decisions.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE

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- 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 Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

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