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106727-106

### SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING

## **METRIBUZIN 75WG**

**EPA REG. NO. 66222-106** 

#### FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF OREGON

For use on Bentgrass Grown for Seed and For Weed Control in Established<sup>1</sup> Perennial Grasses Grown for Seed

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product inconsistent with its labeling. Read and follow the entire label for Metribuzin 75WG before proceeding with the use directions contained in this supplemental label. "Label" as used in this supplemental labeling refers to the label booklet for Metribuzin 75WG and this supplement. This label must be in the possession of the user at the time of herbicide application. Use of Metribuzin 75WG according to this labeling is subject to the use precautions and limitations imposed by the label affixed to the container for Metribuzin 75WG. Refer to the GENERAL INFORMATION section of the Metribuzin 75WG label booklet for essential product information.

#### 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. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. 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 12 hours.

Exception: If the product is soil-injected or soil-incorporated, the Worker Protection Standard, under certain circumstances, allows workers to enter the treated area if there will be no contact with anything that has been treated. 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:

- Coveralls
- Applicators and other handlers must use chemical-resistant gloves, such as butyl rubber, or nitrile rubber, or neoprene rubber, or natural rubber
- Shoes plus socks

<sup>1</sup>Established grasses are those which have been harvested at least once for seed or were planted one year or more prior to application.

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For Weed Control in Established Perennial Bentgrass Grown For Seed in Oregon West of the Cascade Mountains and in Crook, Deschutes, and Wasco Counties

#### **WEEDS CONTROLLED**

When used as directed below, Metribuzin 75WG will reduce competition from seedlings of annual *Bromus* species, annual ryegrass, and annual bluegrass. Metribuzin 75WG will control rattail fescue, henbit, ivyleaf speedwell, chickweed, mustards, and shepherdspurse.

Crop Tolerance: Crop tolerance is marginal and crop injury and yield reduction are possible. To minimize crop injury, apply when the crop is not under stress. Use of adjuvants will reduce crop tolerance. Making the application after three consecutive sunny days will reduce the potential for crop injury.

CROP	METRIBUZIN 75WG LB/ACRE	REMARKS
Bentgrass grown for seed	0.38 to 0.5	Apply Metribuzin 75WG as a broadcast spray in at least 15 gallons of spray solution per acre when the volunteer grasses are in the 1- to 2-leaf growth stage following fall rainfall or imigation and before active spring growth. Excessive crop injury and/or failure to control weeds may result if application is made after mid-February. Allow at least 120 days between application and harvest for seed.

#### **Application Restrictions:**

- 1. Do not apply more than once per year.
- 2. Do not apply to a crop that is under stress, for example, from disease, severe insect damage, nutrient deficiency, cool to cold temperatures, or deficient or excessive moisture.
- 3. Apply only to Colonial and Creeping Bentgrass.
- Apply only to established bentgrass that is at least one year old and has been harvested for seed at least once.
- 5. Do not tank mix with other herbicides.

Feeding Restrictions: Do not use the crop or crop residues as feed or livestock bedding for at least 28 days following the last application.

# For weed control in Established Perennial Grasses Grown For Seed in Oregon West of the Cascade Mountains and in Crook, Deschutes, Jefferson, and Wasco Counties

#### WEEDS CONTROLLED

When used as directed below, Metribuzin 75WG will reduce competition from volunteer seedlings of the indicated crop, annual *Bromus* species, annual ryegrass, and annual bluegrass. Metribuzin 75WG will control rattail fescue, henbit, ivyleaf speedwell, chickweed, mustards, and shepherdspurse. The addition of wetting agents containing crop oil may enhance control of the volunteer crop and grassy weeds. When adding wetting agents, follow the directions for use and recommended rates on the wetting agent label.

Metribuzin 75WG is compatible with most fertilizers, fungicides, and insecticides. Metribuzin 75WG may be combined with other herbicides for enhanced weed control. Prior to tank mixing with another herbicide, refer to the **GENERAL INFORMATION** section of the Metribuzin 75WG label booklet and a knowledgeable authority or a Makhteshim Agan representative.



#### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

CROP	METRIBUZIN 75WG LB/ACRE	REMARKS
Perennial Ryegrass Tall Fescue	1/3 to 3/4	Apply specified dosage as a broadcast spray in at least 15 gallons of spray solution per acre when the volunteer grasses are in the 1- to 2-leaf stage following fall rainfall or irrigation but prior to active spring growth.  Excessive crop injury and/or failure to control weeds may result if application is made after mid-February. Allow at least 120 days between application and harvest.
Bluegrass Fine Fescue Orchardgrass	1/3 to 1/2	

#### **Application Restrictions:**

1. Do not apply more than once per year.

Do not apply Metribuzin 75WG through any type of irrigation system.
 Crop and crop residues may be fed to livestock or used as bedding. If the seed crop is terminated and grazed or cut for forage, allow at least 28 days between application and use as animal feed.