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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

September 1, 2015

Mr. Michael Cordaro Regulatory Manager BioWorks, Inc. 100 Rawson Road, Suite 205 Victor, NY 14564

Subject: Non-PRIA (Pesticide Registration Improvement Act) Labeling Amendment – Split the

Master Label into Sub-Labels to Adjust for Smaller Package Sizes and Residential Uses, Add Bananas and Plantains as a Crop, Correct Misspelling of "Imazalil," and

Make Other Minor Revisions

Product Name: T-22 WP Biological Fungicide

EPA Registration Number: 68539-4 Application Date: April 23, 2015 OPP Decision Number: 505352

#### Dear Mr. Cordaro:

The amended labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable.

This approval does not affect any terms or conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing terms or conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one (1) copy of the final printed labeling before you release this product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR § 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR § 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to your company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA and is subject to review by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). If the website is false or misleading, the product will be considered to be misbranded and sale or distribution of the product is unlawful under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR § 156.10(a)(5) lists examples of statements the EPA may consider false or

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misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the EPA find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA-approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance.

Your release for shipment of this product constitutes acceptance of these terms. If these terms are not complied with, this registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6.

If you have any questions, please contact me by phone at (703) 347-8920 or via email at kausch.jeannine@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Jeannine Kausch, Regulatory Action Leader Microbial Pesticides Branch Biopesticides and Pollution

Prevention Division (7511P) Office of Pesticide Programs [Text in brackets [] indicates optional language or language intended for explanatory purposes to facilitate label review. Thus, this language will often not appear on final printed labeling. Also, pages 1, 2, 18, and 33 are for clarifying and delineating sub-labels and will not appear on final printed labeling.]

# T-22 WP Biological Fungicide

[<u>Alternate Brand Names</u>: PlantShield<sup>®</sup> HC Biological Fungicide; T- $22^{\text{TM}}$  HC Biological Fungicide; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Home and Garden Biological Fungicide; Root Guardian; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Seed Treatment; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Seed Treatment Biological Fungicide; RootShield<sup>®</sup> AG; RootShield<sup>®</sup> AG Biological Fungicide]

[Optional Marketing Claim: Wettable Powder Formulation]

Sub-Label A: Agricultural/Commercial Use (packages greater than 1 lb)

Sub-Label B: Agricultural/Commercial Use (packages 1 lb or less)

Sub-Label C: Residential Use (Home and Garden Use)

# and Rodenticide Act

# ACCEPTED

09/01/2015

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 68539-4

#### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

EPA Reg. No.: 68539-4

EPA Est. No.: 068539-NY-001

Manufactured by: BioWorks, Inc., 100 Rawson Road, Ste. 205, Victor, NY 14564 (800) 877-9443

Net Weight: [2.63 oz or 4 oz [Residential; Home and Garden Use]]

[1 lb, 3 lb, 30 lb, or 500 lb [Agricultural]]

**Lot No.:** [lot codes are sticker applied to the front panel of every label on every product container] Expiration Date:

## T-22 WP **BIOLOGICAL FUNGICIDE**

**SUB-LABEL A** 

For Agricultural/Commercial Use (packages greater than 1 lb)

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[Optional Marketing Claim: Wettable Powder Formulation]

# **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Trichoderma harzianum Rifai strain T-22	* 1.15%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	<u>98.85</u> %
TOTAL:	100.00%

<sup>\*</sup>Contains at least 1.0 x 10<sup>7</sup> colony forming units per gram dry weight.

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

[See attached label booklet for First Aid, Precautionary Statements, Storage and Disposal Instructions and Directions for Use]

[See foldout panel for First Aid]

treatment information.

[See foldout panel for Directions for Use]

	FIRST AID
If on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 – 20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If inhaled	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
HOT LINE NUM	Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.      MBER: Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control

center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

## HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if absorbed through skin, inhaled, or swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers must wear protective eyewear, long sleeved shirt, long pants, waterproof gloves, shoes and socks. Mixers/loaders and applicators must wear a dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95 or P-95. Repeated exposure to high concentrations of microbial proteins can cause allergic sensitization. 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.

## **USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS**

Users should remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing. Users should remove clothing / PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

For terrestrial uses: 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 when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

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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 workers may be in the area during application. For any requirement specific to your State or Tribe, consult the State or Tribal 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. 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 4 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 protective eyewear, coveralls, waterproof gloves, shoes, and socks.

#### 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.

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

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

T-22 WP Biological Fungicide (T-22 WP) is a preventative biological fungicide for control of plant diseases. The active ingredient is a microbe, *Trichoderma harzianum* Rifai strain T-22, which when applied to seeds, transplants or other propagative material, or to soil or planting mixes, grows onto plant roots as they develop and provides protection against plant root pathogens such as *Pythium, Rhizoctonia*, *Fusarium, Cylindrocladium* and *Thielaviopsis*. In the greenhouse, T-22 WP is a preventative that suppresses foliar\*\* pathogens such as *Botrytis* and mildews on flowers, bedding plants and ornamentals. T-22 WP can be used alone or in conjunction with certain chemical fungicides; consult the appropriate tank mix compatibility charts below or your BioWorks Representative for more information. **This product must not be tank mixed with chemicals that contain the following active ingredients:** imazalil, propicanazole, tebuconazole, and triflumizole. Do not apply T-22 WP immediately before these pesticides are used. **See specific instructions for tank mixing.** Where early season seed rot and seedling diseases are expected, use chemically treated seed or other appropriate measures for stand establishment and T-22 WP for root disease control.

[NOTE or ATTENTION]: T-22 WP contains live spores of a microbe that must be used prior to disease onset. T-22 WP becomes active in soil or on plants when temperatures are above 50°F and is not effective while temperatures remain cold. T-22 WP can be applied to sterilized or fumigated soil but must be applied after sterilization or fumigation.

\*\*This product is not intended for foliar application in California.

T-22 WP is for use in soil applications (drench, in soil furrow, and potting soil), seed treatments and greenhouse foliar applications on ornamentals, landscape plants, turf, and ornamental trees, including tree seedlings for transplanting into the forest.

ATTENTION: DO NOT APPLY to sugarcane, pechay, rice, mushrooms, kiwi, tobacco, barley, oats, lemon, apple, and chickpea. Not for use on aquatic crops. Greenhouse foliar applications are for non-food crops only. This product is not intended for foliar application in California.

For food commodities: In the table immediately following this paragraph, greenhouse chemigation and field chemigation of food commodities are annotated with an asterisk (\*) to indicate that these methods are limited to flood, drip, furrow, micro-irrigation, and ebb and flow systems with NO OVERHEAD SPRAY. Do not apply product when above-ground harvestable food commodities are present. Refer to Chemigation section for additional specific directions.

#### APPLY VIA GROUND APPLICATION ONLY.

#### **CROPS ON WHICH T-22 WP MAY BE USED**

CROPS	USE	APPLICATION RATE OF T-
		22 WP
<b>Bananas and Plantains</b>	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	Nursery soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	In-furrow spray or transplant	1.0 - 32.0  oz / acre
	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Berries and Small Fruits:	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	1.0 - 3.0  lb / 20  gal water or dip
Blackberries, Blueberries,	dip	directly into dry powder.
Currants, Elderberries,	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Gooseberries, Huckleberries,	Nursery soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Loganberries, Raspberries,	In-furrow spray or transplant	1.0 - 32.0  oz / acre
Strawberries, Grapes	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Bulb Vegetables: Garlic, Leeks,	Dust (pre-plant)	0.03 - 3.0  lb / cwt bulbs or  1.0 -
Onions, Shallots, Ornamental		3.0 lb / 20 gal water
Bulbs		
Cereal Grains: Buckwheat,	Planter box (onsite)	1.0 - 10.0  oz / cwt seed
Corn (grain, seed, sweet corn,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0004 - 0.529 lb / cwt seed
silage, popcorn, high oil), Rye,	*Field chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Wheat, Sorghum, Millet		
Citrus Fruits: Citrus Hybrids,	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	1.0 - 3.0 lb / 20 gal water or dip
Grapefruit, Kumquat, Limes,	dip	directly into dry powder.
Oranges, Pummelos	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	Nursery soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	In-furrow spray or transplant	1.0 - 32.0  oz / acre
	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water

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Cucurbit Vegetables:	Planter box (onsite)	1.0 – 10.0 oz / cwt seed
Cucumbers, Melons (i.e.,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0141 - 0.564 oz / lb seed
Chinese waxgourd, Citron melon,	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Muskmelons, or Watermelon),	In-furrow spray or transplant	1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre
Gourds, Pumpkins, Squash	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Flowers, Bedding Plants, and	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	1.0 - 3.0  lb / 20  gal water or dip
Ornamentals	dip	directly into dry powder.
	Commercial seed treatment	0.0141 - 4.233 oz / lb seed
	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	Nursery soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	Greenhouse foliar spray**	0.1 - 1.0  oz / gal water
	Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
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Fruiting Vegetables: Eggplant,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0564 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
Sweet and Hot Peppers,	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 - 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Tomatillos, Tomatoes	In-furrow spray or transplant starter solution	1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre
	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
	*Field chemigation	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Herbs, Spices, and Mints	Commercial seed treatment	0.0564 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
Ticios, spices, and vinits	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	In-furrow spray or transplant	1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre
	starter solution	110 0210 027 0010
	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Hydroponic Crops: Cucumbers,	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Tomatoes, Lettuce, Herbs and	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Spices		
Leafy and Brassica (Cole)	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	1.0 - 3.0  lb / 20  gal water or dip
Leafy Vegetables: Arugula,	dip	directly into dry powder.
Celery, Chervil, Endive, Fennel,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0141 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
Lettuce (head and leaf), Parsley,	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Radicchio, Rhubarb, Spinach,	In-furrow spray or transplant	1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre
Swiss Chard, Broccoli, Brussels	starter solution	
Sprouts, Cabbage, Cauliflower,	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 - 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Collards, Kale, Kohlrabi,	*Field chemigation	1.0 - 32.0  oz / 100  gal water
Mustard Greens		
Asparagus		
Legume Vegetables (Succulent	Planter box (onsite)	1.0 – 10.0 oz / cwt seed
or Dried): Beans (soybean, snap,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0004 – 0.529 lb / cwt seed
dry), Lentils, Peas	*Field chemigation	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water

CROPS	USE	APPLICATION RATE OF T- 22 WP
Nongrass Animal Feeds (Forage, Fodder, Straw, and Hay): Alfalfa, Clover, Vetch, Trefoil	Planter box (onsite) Commercial seed treatment	1.0 – 10.0 oz / cwt seed 0.0564 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
Oilseed Crops: Cotton, Canola, Safflower, Sunflower	Planter box (onsite) Commercial seed treatment *Field chemigation	1.0 – 10.0 oz / cwt seed 0.0176 – 0.529 lb / cwt seed 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Peanuts	Planter Box (onsite) Commercial seed treatment	1.0 – 10.0 oz / cwt seed 0.0004 – 0.0706 lb / cwt seed
Pome Fruits: Pears, Quince	Greenhouse soil drench Nursery soil drench In-furrow spray or transplant starter solution *Greenhouse chemigation *Field chemigation	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Root and Tuber Vegetables: Beets, Sugar Beets, Carrots, Celeriac, Chicory, Horseradish, Parsnip, Radish, Rutabaga, Salsify, Turnips  Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Yams, Jerusalem Artichoke, Cassava,	Commercial seed treatment Planter box (onsite)  In-furrow spray or transplant starter solution *Field chemigation	0.0141 - 0.564 oz / lb seed 0.03 - 3.0 lb / cwt seed tubers or cut potato seed pieces or 1.0 - 3.0 lb / 20 gal water 1.0 - 32.0 oz / acre 1.0 - 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Ginger		
Shadehouse and Outdoor Nursery Crops: Deciduous Trees (e.g., Maple, Oak), Ornamentals, Grapes, Citrus, Pine	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant dip Greenhouse soil drench Nursery soil drench In-furrow spray or transplant starter solution *Greenhouse chemigation *Field chemigation	1.0 – 3.0 lb / 20 gal water or dip directly into dry powder. 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Stone Fruits: Apricots, Cherries, Nectarines, Peaches, Plums, Prunes	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant dip Greenhouse soil drench Nursery soil drench In-furrow spray or transplant starter solution *Greenhouse chemigation *Field chemigation	1.0 – 3.0 lb / 20 gal water or dip directly into dry powder. 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water 1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water

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Tree Nuts: Almonds, Beech	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	1.0 - 3.0  lb / 20  gal water or dip
Nuts, Brazil Nuts, Butternuts,	dip	directly into dry powder.
Cashews, Chestnuts, Filberts,	Greenhouse soil drench	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Hickory Nuts, Macadamia Nuts,	Nursery soil drench	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Pecans, Pistachios, Walnuts	In-furrow spray or transplant	1.0 – 32.0 oz / acre
	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
	*Field chemigation	1.0 – 32.0 oz / 100 gal water
Turfgrass: Turf, Sports Fields,	Planter box (onsite)	1.0 - 10.0  oz / cwt seed
Parks, Established and New	Commercial seed treatment	0.0564 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
Preparation of Golf Course Tees,		
Greens, Fairways and Roughs,		
Seed Production, Sod Production		

<sup>\*\*</sup> This product is not intended for foliar application in California.

#### SEED TREATMENT FOR TRUE SEED CROPS

**ONSITE APPLICATION TO SEED:** For protection against root diseases, apply 1.0 - 10.0 ounces of T-22 WP/hundredweight of seed. For example, for large, smooth seeds such as soybean and dry bean and smaller or rougher seeds such as peas and field corn, apply 1.0 - 8.0 ounces of T-22 WP/hundredweight of seed. For sweet corn, apply 1.0 - 10.0 ounces T-22 WP/hundredweight of seed. To assure uniform application, add half the required amount of T-22 WP to half the seed in the hopper, mix with a wooden paddle, and then add the remaining seed and T-22 WP. T-22 WP can also be applied in sufficient water to coat seeds. For maximum seed protection, especially in cold soils, apply T-22 WP to commercially treated seed such as seed treated with Captan, Apron and or Demosan for stand establishment.

Do not use treated seed for food or feed purposes or process for oil. Treat only those seeds needed for immediate use, minimizing the interval between treatment and planting. Do not store excess treated seeds beyond planting time.

**COMMERCIAL SEED TREATMENT:** Apply T-22 WP as a slurry, a coating, in a pellet, or during seed priming. See tables below.

NOTE: This product does not contain dye and is not covered by an appropriate tolerance exemption, or other clearance under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act. To comply with 40 CFR 153.155 therefore, all seeds treated commercially with this product must be colored with an EPA-approved dye or colorant of suitable color to prevent accidental use as food for man or feed for animals.

The Federal Seed Act requires that bags containing seed treated with this product shall be labeled with the following information: "This seed has been treated with *Trichoderma harzianum* Rifai strain T-22. Do not use for food, feed or oil purposes."

#### AGRICULTURAL CROPS

Seed Size (#seeds/oz)	Grams of T-22 WP per lb of seed	Ounces of T-22 WP per lb of seed
Large (1 – 100)	0.0016 - 0.32  g	0.00006 – 0.0113 oz
such as: peanuts, green & dry		
beans, field corn		
Medium (100 – 1,000)	0.08 - 2.4  g	0.0028 - 0.0847 oz
such as: sweet corn, soybeans,		
sorghum		
Small (1,000 – 10,000)	0.4 - 16  g	0.0141 - 0.564 oz
such as: cabbage, cucumbers,		
sugar beets		
Fine (10,000 – 100,000)	1.6 – 120 g	0.0564 – 4.233 oz
such as: tomatoes		

#### **ORNAMENTAL CROPS**

Seed Size (#seeds/oz)	Grams of T-22	Ounces of T-22 WP
	WP per lb of seed	per lb of seed
Small (1,000 – 10,000)	0.4 - 16  g	0.0141 - 0.564 oz
such as: Echinacea, Cosmos		
Fine (10,000 – 100,000)	1.6 – 120 g	0.0564 – 4.23 oz
such as: Texas bluegrass, ryegrass		
Very Fine (100,000 – 500,000)	8.0 - 80  g	0.282 - 2.82 oz
such as: bentgrass		

# SEED TREATMENT FOR VEGETATIVELY PROPAGATED CROPS (INCLUDING POTATOES, OTHER ROOT AND TUBER VEGETABLES, AND BULB VEGETABLES)

For planting or storage, treat at 0.03 - 3.0 pounds T-22 WP to 100 lbs (1 cwt) of bulbs, seed tubers or cut potato seed pieces. Alternatively, dip bulbs, seed tubers or cut potato seed pieces in a suspension consisting of 1.0 - 3.0 pounds of T-22 WP in 20 gallons of water.

For potatoes, apply T-22 WP with compatible chemical seed dusts. Consult your BioWorks Representative for more information. All surfaces, knives, and other equipment used to cut and plant potatoes should be thoroughly sterilized before cutting and planting and at regular intervals. The cut and treated seed pieces may be held for a week or more at cool temperatures,  $45 - 50^{\circ}$ F, and high relative humidity to promote suberization, or they may be planted immediately.

#### DIP FOR CUTTINGS AND BARE-ROOTED TRANSPLANTS

Dip cuttings and bare-rooted transplants in T-22 WP dry powder or in a suspension of 1.0 - 3.0 pounds of T-22 WP in 20 gallons of water. Plant treated cuttings and bare-rooted transplants in potting mix or soil in the usual manner.

#### **SOIL DRENCH**

**GREENHOUSE SOIL DRENCH:** Suspend 1.0 - 32.0 ounces of T-22 WP in 100 gallons of water with agitation, and apply prepared suspension as a soil drench to greenhouse planting mixes. For seeding flats or shallow (up to 4-inch depth) beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 50 - 100 gallons per

800 square feet. For deeper beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 100 gallons per 400 square feet, 1/2 cup (4 fluid ounces) for pots with a 3-inch diameter, or 1 cup (8 fluid ounces) for pots with a 6-inch diameter.

Apply T-22 WP directly to the soil through low pressure watering nozzles such as fan nozzles or other drench watering systems. Constant agitation is required to maintain T-22 WP in suspension. T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products registered for use on greenhouse/ornamental plants. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information.

**NURSERY SOIL DRENCH:** Suspend 1.0-32.0 ounces of T-22 WP in 100 gallons of water with agitation, and apply prepared suspension as a soil drench to container nursery crops. For shallow (up to 4-inch depth) beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 50-100 gallons per 800 square feet. For deeper beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 100 gallons per 400 square feet, 1/2 cup (4 fluid ounces) for pots with a 3-inch diameter, or 1 cup (8 fluid ounces) for pots with a 6-inch diameter.

Apply T-22 WP directly to the soil through low pressure watering nozzles such as fan nozzles, other drench watering systems, handheld sprayers or backpack sprayers. Constant agitation is required to maintain T-22 WP in suspension. T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products registered for use on nursery plants. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information.

**IN-FURROW SPRAY OR TRANSPLANT STARTER SOLUTION:** Apply T-22 WP as an in-furrow spray or transplant starter solution at a rate of 1.0-32.0 ounces/acre in sufficient water to achieve uniform application. Maintain constant agitation. T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information.

**TANK MIXING:** T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information. **This product must not be tank mixed with chemicals that contain the following active ingredients: imazalil, propicanazole, tebuconazole, and triflumizole.** Do not apply T-22 WP immediately before these pesticides are used.

In accordance with the most restrictive of label limitations and precautions (for all products used in a tank mixture), this product can be mixed with specific products (see table immediately below), their active ingredient percentages and their application rates for use in greenhouse soil drench, nursery soil drench, in-furrow spray and transplant starter solution. Do not exceed label dosage rates. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing.

# COMPATIBILITY FOR GREENHOUSE SOIL DRENCH, NURSERY SOIL DRENCH, INFURROW SPRAY OR TRANSPLANT STARTER SOLUTION TANK MIXES:

NOTE: While the information presented in this table is believed to be up-to-date, the user must always read the label of the other products used in a tank mix to confirm application rates and dilutions.

<b>Chemical Name</b>	% A.I., Formulation Type	<b>Product Name</b>	Application Rate (Amount of	Dilution (Amount of Product / Amount of
	Formulation Type		Product / Unit	Water
			Area)	
Captan	85%, Wettable	Captan 85WP	1.88 lb/Acre	0.1 oz/gal
	Powder			
Chlorothalonil	82.5%, Water	Daconil Ultrex	3.7 ounces per 1000	0.56 oz/gal
	Dispersible Granules		$ft^2$	
Iprodione	23.3%, Flowable	Chipco 26019	4 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.6 oz/gal
		Flo		
Thiophanate	50%, Wettable	Cleary's 3336	8 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	1.2 oz/gal
methyl	Powder	in water		
		soluble bags		
Iprodione	50%, Soluble	Rovral	0.75 lb/Acre	0.04 oz/gal
	Granules			
Metalaxyl	21.3%, Liquid	Subdue Maxx	0.25 ounces per 800	0.05 oz/gal
	_		$ft^2$	
Chlorpyrifos	50%, Emulsifiable	Lorsban 4E	3.2 ounces per gallon	3.2 oz/gal
	Liquid			

#### **FOLIAR SPRAY**

**GREENHOUSE FOLIAR SPRAY\*\*:** Greenhouse foliar applications are for non-food crops only. For preventative control of *Botrytis*, powdery mildew, and other fungal pathogens on greenhouse-grown flowers, bedding plants and ornamentals, apply T-22 WP to foliage and blossoms every 7 – 14 days depending on disease pressure. T-22 WP can be applied 7 – 10 days after application of a chemical/biorational fungicide. Consult manufacturer or sales representative for specific product recommendations.

NOTE: \*\*This product is not intended for foliar application in California.

Apply T-22 WP at a rate of 0.10 - 1.0 ounce per gallon of water. Use a quantity of spray sufficient to thoroughly cover foliage. Spray to wet, but avoid runoff. T-22 WP can be applied using hand-held backpack or ground spray equipment. Do not use in low-volume sprayers.

To improve plant surface coverage, consider tank mixing T-22 WP with a nonionic spreader sticker. Agitation is required to maintain suspension. Clean application equipment before use of this product and use sprays within 4 hours of preparation.

To prevent nozzle tip clogging, the manufacturer recommends using 50 - 100 mesh inlet screens in all spray equipment.

**TANK MIXING:** T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products registered for use on greenhouse plants. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information. **This product must not be tank mixed with chemicals that contain the following active ingredients: imazalil, propicanazole, tebuconazole, and triflumizole.** Do not apply T-22 WP immediately before these pesticides are used.

In accordance with the most restrictive of label limitations and precautions (for all products used in a tank mixture), this product can be mixed with specific products (see table immediately below), their active

ingredient percentages and their application rates for use in greenhouse foliar spray. Do not exceed label dosage rates. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing.

#### COMPATIBILITY FOR GREENHOUSE FOLIAR SPRAY TANK MIXES\*\*:

NOTE: While the information presented in this table is believed to be up-to-date, the user must always read the label of the other products used in a tank mix to confirm application rates and dilutions.

Chemical Name	% A.I., Formulation Type	Product Name	Application Rate (Amount of Product / Unit Area)	Dilution (Amount of Product / Amount of Water
Captan	85%, Wettable Powder	Captan 85WP	1.88 lb/Acre	0.1 oz/gal
Chlorothalonil	82.5%, Water Dispersible Granules	Daconil Ultrex	3.7 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.56 oz/gal
Iprodione	23.3%, Flowable	Chipco 26019 Flo	2 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.3 oz/gal
Triadimefon	25%, Soluble Granules	Bayleton 25 Turf & Ornamental Fungicide	0.75 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.11 oz/gal
Azoxystrobin	50%, Soluble Granules	Heritage	0.4 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.06 oz/gal
Vinclozolin	50%, Wettable Powder	Ronilin DF	0.75 lb/Acre	0.04 oz/gal
Iprodione	50%, Soluble Granules	Rovral	0.75 lb/Acre	0.04 oz/gal

<sup>\*\*</sup>This product is not intended for foliar application in California.

To reduce potential residue and minimize clogging of spray equipment, the manufacturer recommends the following decanting procedure. Place one gallon of water in a container. Add the desired nonionic spreader-sticker. Mix. Based on the final spray volume, add appropriate amount of T-22 WP. Let the solution sit for 10 minutes. Agitate for 10 minutes. Let the solution sit for less than one minute. Pour off the liquid that now contains T-22 WP into the spray tank. Add a small amount of water to the settled material in the container to remove any remaining T-22 WP. Briefly mix and let solution sit for less than one minute. Pour off liquid into the spray tank. Bring spray volume to the desired level.

#### **GREENHOUSE AND FIELD CHEMIGATION**

Suspend 1.0 - 32.0 ounces T-22 WP in 100 gallons of water with agitation and apply only through the following systems: 1) pressurized drench (flood) or drip (trickle), 2) furrow, 3) micro-irrigation such as spaghetti-tube or individual tube irrigation, 4) hand-held calibrated irrigation equipment such as the hand-held wand with injector, and 5) ebb and flow. Do not apply this product through any other type of irrigation system.

Crop injury or lack of effectiveness can result from non-uniform 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 supervision of the responsible person, shall shut the system down and make necessary adjustments should the need arise.

#### **Requirements for Chemigation Systems Connected to Public Water Systems:**

- 1) 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.
- 2) Chemigation systems connected to public water systems must contain a functional, reduced-pressure zone, back flow 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 flow 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.
- 3) The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- 4) 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.
- 5) 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.
- 6) 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.
- 7) Do not apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.
- 8) Apply T-22 WP during the last half of the water application period. Mix T-22 WP in enough water to be able to draw through the system for the last half of the water application. Maintain constant agitation.
- 9) Apply enough water to move T-22 WP into the root zone. Amounts will vary depending on soil type and existing moisture level. Do not apply water volumes that would cause runoff or excessive leaching.

## **Drip (Trickle) Chemigation and Micro-irrigation Requirements:**

- 1) 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 back flow.
- 2) The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- 3) 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.
- 4) The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.
- 5) 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.
- 6) 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.
- 7) Apply T-22 WP during the last half of the water application period. Mix T-22 WP in enough water to be able to draw through the system for the last half of the water application. Maintain constant agitation.
- 8) Apply enough water to move T-22 WP into the root zone. Amounts will vary depending on soil type and existing moisture level. Do not apply water volumes that would cause runoff or excessive leaching.

#### Flood and Furrow Chemigation Requirements:

- 1) Systems using a gravity flow pesticide dispensing system must meter the pesticide into the water at the head of the field and downstream of a hydraulic discontinuity, such as a drop structure or weir box, to decrease potential for water source contamination from back flow if water flow stops.
- 2) Systems utilizing a pressurized water and pesticide injection system must meet the following requirements:
  - a. 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 back flow.
  - b. The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
  - c. 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.
  - d. The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.

- e. 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.
- f. 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.
- 3) Apply T-22 WP during the last half of the water application period. Mix T-22 WP in enough water to be able to draw through the system for the last half of the water application. Maintain constant agitation.
- 4) Apply enough water to move T-22 WP into the root zone. Amounts will vary depending on soil type and existing moisture level. Do not apply water volumes that would cause runoff or excessive leaching.

**PLANT SAFETY:** T-22 WP has been tested on numerous plant varieties with no phytotoxic effects. However, since T-22 WP has not been tested on all plant varieties or in combination with all available tank mixes, the manufacturer recommends testing T-22 WP on a small number of plants to check for adverse plant effects before applying to a larger number of plants.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry place. Do not store at temperatures above 75°F for prolonged periods. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on-site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**CONTAINER HANDLING:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then offer for recycling if available, or dispose of empty bag in sanitary landfill or by incineration. Do not burn, unless allowed by state and local ordinances. If burned, stay out of smoke. If outer box is contaminated, dispose of in same manner as required for the bag.

**NOTICE TO BUYER AND SELLER:** Seller warrants that this product conforms to the description on this label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on this label when used and stored in accordance with the directions for use. This warranty does not extend to use of this product contrary to label directions or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable by the Seller, and Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller disclaims all other warranties, express or implied, including any warranty of fitness or merchantability. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller shall not be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from use or handling of this product, and Seller's sole liability and Buyer's and User's exclusive remedy shall be limited to refund of the purchase price. This product is sold only for uses stated on its label.

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## **T-22 WP BIOLOGICAL FUNGICIDE**

**SUB-LABEL B** 

For Agricultural/Commercial Use (packages 1 lb or less)

# T-22 WP Biological Fungicide

[<u>Alternate Brand Names</u>: PlantShield<sup>®</sup> HC Biological Fungicide; T-22<sup>™</sup> HC Biological Fungicide; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Home and Garden Biological Fungicide; Root Guardian; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Seed Treatment; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Seed Treatment Biological Fungicide; RootShield<sup>®</sup> AG; RootShield<sup>®</sup> AG Biological Fungicide]

[Optional Marketing Claim: Wettable Powder Formulation]

#### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Trichoderma harzianum Rifai strain T-22	* 1.15%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	<u>98.85</u> %
TOTAL:	100.00%

<sup>\*</sup>Contains at least 1.0 x 10<sup>7</sup> colony forming units per gram dry weight.

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

[See attached label booklet for First Aid, Precautionary Statements, Storage and Disposal Instructions and Directions for Use]

[See foldout panel for First Aid]

treatment information.

[See foldout panel for Directions for Use]

	FIRST AID
If on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 – 20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> </ul>
If inhaled	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
	BER: Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if absorbed through skin, inhaled, or swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers must wear protective eyewear, long sleeved shirt, long pants, waterproof gloves, shoes and socks. Mixers/loaders and applicators must wear a dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95 or P-95. Repeated exposure to high concentrations of microbial proteins can cause allergic sensitization. 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.

#### USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

Users should remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing. Users should remove clothing / PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

For terrestrial uses: 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 when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

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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 workers may be in the area during application. For any requirement specific to your State or Tribe, consult the State or Tribal 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. 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 4 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 protective eyewear, coveralls, waterproof gloves, shoes, and socks.

#### 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.

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

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

T-22 WP Biological Fungicide (T-22 WP) is a preventative biological fungicide for control of plant diseases. The active ingredient is a microbe, *Trichoderma harzianum* Rifai strain T-22, which when applied to seeds, transplants or other propagative material, or to soil or planting mixes, grows onto plant roots as they develop and provides protection against plant root pathogens such as *Pythium, Rhizoctonia*, *Fusarium, Cylindrocladium* and *Thielaviopsis*. In the greenhouse, T-22 WP is a preventative that suppresses foliar\*\* pathogens such as *Botrytis* and mildews on flowers, bedding plants and ornamentals. T-22 WP can be used alone or in conjunction with certain chemical fungicides; consult the appropriate tank mix compatibility charts below or your BioWorks Representative for more information. **This product must not be tank mixed with chemicals that contain the following active ingredients:** imazalil, propicanazole, tebuconazole, and triflumizole. Do not apply T-22 WP immediately before these pesticides are used. **See specific instructions for tank mixing.** Where early season seed rot and seedling diseases are expected, use chemically treated seed or other appropriate measures for stand establishment and T-22 WP for root disease control.

[NOTE or ATTENTION]: T-22 WP contains live spores of a microbe that must be used prior to disease onset. T-22 WP becomes active in soil or on plants when temperatures are above 50°F and is not effective while temperatures remain cold. T-22 WP can be applied to sterilized or fumigated soil but must be applied after sterilization or fumigation.

T-22 WP is for use in soil applications (drench, in soil furrow, and potting soil), seed treatments and greenhouse foliar applications on ornamentals, landscape plants, turf, and ornamental trees, including tree seedlings for transplanting into the forest.

ATTENTION: DO NOT APPLY to sugarcane, pechay, rice, mushrooms, kiwi, tobacco, barley, oats, lemon, apple, and chickpea. Not for use on aquatic crops. Greenhouse foliar applications are for non-food crops only. This product is not intended for foliar application in California.

For food commodities: In the table immediately following this paragraph, greenhouse chemigation and field chemigation of food commodities are annotated with an asterisk (\*) to indicate that these methods are limited to flood, drip, furrow, micro-irrigation, and ebb and flow systems with NO OVERHEAD SPRAY. Do not apply product when above-ground harvestable food commodities are present. Refer to Chemigation section for additional specific directions.

#### APPLY VIA GROUND APPLICATION ONLY.

#### **CROPS ON WHICH T-22 WP MAY BE USED**

CROPS	USE	APPLICATION RATE OF T- 22 WP
<b>Bananas and Plantains</b>	Greenhouse soil drench Nursery soil drench In-furrow spray or transplant starter solution *Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water 3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water $8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$ 3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water 3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Berries and Small Fruits:	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	0.33 – 1.0 lb / 6.67 gal water or
Blackberries, Blueberries,	dip	dip directly into dry powder.
Currants, Elderberries,	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Gooseberries, Huckleberries,	Nursery soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Loganberries, Raspberries,	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
Strawberries, Grapes	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Bulb Vegetables: Garlic, Leeks,	Dust (pre-plant)	0.3 - 1.0  lb / cwt bulbs or  0.33 -
Onions, Shallots, Ornamental		1.0 lb / 6.67 gal water
Bulbs		
Cereal Grains: Buckwheat,	Planter box (onsite)	1.5 - 3.0 oz / cwt seed
Corn (grain, seed, sweet corn,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0004 - 0.529  lb  /  cwt  seed
silage, popcorn, high oil), Rye,	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Wheat, Sorghum, Millet		
Citrus Fruits: Citrus Hybrids,	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	0.33 - 1.0  lb / 6.67  gal water or
Grapefruit, Kumquat, Limes,	dip	dip directly into dry powder.
Oranges, Pummelos	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	Nursery soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Cucurbit Vegetables:	Planter box (onsite)	2.0 - 8.0 oz / cwt seed
Cucumbers, Melons (i.e.,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0141 - 0.564 oz / lb seed

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		22 WP
Chinese waxgourd, Citron melon,	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Muskmelons, or Watermelon),	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
Gourds, Pumpkins, Squash	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Flowers, Bedding Plants, and	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	0.33 - 1.0  lb / 6.67  gal water or
Ornamentals	dip	dip directly into dry powder.
	Commercial seed treatment	0.0141 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
	Nursery soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	Greenhouse foliar spray**	0.1 – 1.0 oz / gal water
	Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Emiting Vacatables Examinat	Field chemigation Commercial seed treatment	3.0 – 5.0 oz / 100 gal water 0.0564 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
<b>Fruiting Vegetables:</b> Eggplant, Sweet and Hot Peppers,	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 – 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
Tomatillos, Tomatoes	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{100 \text{ gai water}}{2}$
Tomatmos, Tomatoes	starter solution	0.0 - 10.0 0Z / /2 acre
	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 – 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water 3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Herbs, Spices, and Mints	Commercial seed treatment	0.0564 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
lieros, spices, and wines	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Hydroponic Crops: Cucumbers,	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Tomatoes, Lettuce, Herbs and	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Spices		
Leafy and Brassica (Cole)	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	0.33 - 1.0  lb / 6.67  gal water or
Leafy Vegetables: Arugula,	dip	dip directly into dry powder.
Celery, Chervil, Endive, Fennel,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0141 - 4.233 oz / lb seed
Lettuce (head and leaf), Parsley,	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Radicchio, Rhubarb, Spinach,	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
Swiss Chard, Broccoli, Brussels	starter solution	20 70 /100 1
Sprouts, Cabbage, Cauliflower,	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
Collards, Kale, Kohlrabi,	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Mustard Greens		
Asparagus		
Tisparagus		
Legume Vegetables (Succulent	Planter box (onsite)	1.5 – 3.0 oz / cwt seed
or Dried): Beans (soybean, snap,	Commercial seed treatment	0.0004 - 0.529  lb / cwt seed
dry), Lentils, Peas	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Nongrass Animal Feeds	Planter box (onsite)	2.0 - 4.0  oz / cwt seed
(Forage, Fodder, Straw, and	Commercial seed treatment	0.0564 – 4.233 oz / lb seed
Hay): Alfalfa, Clover, Vetch,		
Trefoil		
Oilseed Crops: Cotton, Canola,	Planter box (onsite)	1.5 - 3.0 oz / cwt seed
Safflower, Sunflower	Commercial seed treatment	0.0176 – 0.529 lb / cwt seed
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water

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Peanuts	Planter Box (onsite)	1.0 – 10.0 oz / cwt seed
	Commercial seed treatment	0.0004 – 0.0706 lb / cwt seed
Pome Fruits: Pears, Quince	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	Nursery soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
	starter solution	
	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Root and Tuber Vegetables:	Commercial seed treatment	0.0141 - 0.564  oz / lb seed
Beets, Sugar Beets, Carrots,	Planter box (onsite)	0.5 - 3.0 oz / cwt seed tubers or
Celeriac, Chicory, Horseradish,		cut potato seed pieces or 0.33 –
Parsnip, Radish, Rutabaga,		1.0 lb / 6.67 gal water
Salsify, Turnips		
Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Yams,	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
Jerusalem Artichoke, Cassava,	starter solution	
Ginger	*Field chemigation	3.0 – 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
Shadehouse and Outdoor	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	0.33 - 1.0  lb / 6.67  gal water or
Nursery Crops: Deciduous	dip	dip directly into dry powder.
Trees (e.g., Maple, Oak),	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Ornamentals, Grapes, Citrus,	Nursery soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Pine	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
	starter solution	20 50 (100 1
	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
G. F. M. A. C. G.	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
Stone Fruits: Apricots, Cherries,	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	0.33 – 1.0 lb / 6.67 gal water or
Nectarines, Peaches, Plums,	dip	dip directly into dry powder.
Prunes	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
	Nursery soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{1}{2} \text{ acre}$
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	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Tree Nuts: Almonds, Beech	Cutting or bare-rooted transplant	0.33 – 1.0 lb / 6.67 gal water or
Nuts, Brazil Nuts, Butternuts,	dip	dip directly into dry powder.
Cashews, Chestnuts, Filberts,	Greenhouse soil drench	3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
Hickory Nuts, Macadamia Nuts,	Nursery soil drench	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water 3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
Pecans, Pistachios, Walnuts	In-furrow spray or transplant	$8.0 - 16.0 \text{ oz} / \frac{100 \text{ gar water}}{2}$
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	*Greenhouse chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water
	*Field chemigation	3.0 - 5.0  oz / 100  gal water 3.0 - 5.0 oz / 100 gal water
Turfgrass: Turf, Sports Fields,	Planter box (onsite)	1.0 - 10.0  oz / cwt seed
Parks, Established and New	Commercial seed treatment	0.0564 - 4.233 oz / lb seed
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#### SEED TREATMENT FOR TRUE SEED CROPS

**ONSITE APPLICATION TO SEED:** For protection against root diseases, apply 1.0 - 10.0 ounces of T-22 WP/hundredweight of seed. For example, for large, smooth seeds such as soybean and dry bean and smaller or rougher seeds such as peas and field corn, apply 1.5 - 3.0 ounces of T-22 WP/hundredweight of seed. For sweet corn, apply 1.5 - 3.0 ounces T-22 WP/hundredweight of seed. To assure uniform application, add half the required amount of T-22 WP to half the seed in the hopper, mix with a wooden paddle, and then add the remaining seed and T-22 WP. T-22 WP can also be applied in sufficient water to coat seeds. For maximum seed protection, especially in cold soils, apply T-22 WP to commercially treated seed such as seed treated with Captan, Apron and or Demosan for stand establishment.

Do not use treated seed for food or feed purposes or process for oil. Treat only those seeds needed for immediate use, minimizing the interval between treatment and planting. Do not store excess treated seeds beyond planting time.

**COMMERCIAL SEED TREATMENT:** Apply T-22 WP as a slurry, a coating, in a pellet, or during seed priming. See tables below.

NOTE: This product does not contain dye and is not covered by an appropriate tolerance exemption, or other clearance under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act. To comply with 40 CFR 153.155 therefore, all seeds treated commercially with this product must be colored with an EPA-approved dye or colorant of suitable color to prevent accidental use as food for man or feed for animals.

The Federal Seed Act requires that bags containing seed treated with this product shall be labeled with the following information: "This seed has been treated with *Trichoderma harzianum* Rifai strain T-22. Do not use for food, feed or oil purposes."

#### AGRICULTURAL CROPS

Seed Size (#seeds/oz)	Grams of T-22 WP per lb of seed	Ounces of T-22 WP per lb of seed
Large (1 – 100)	0.0016 - 0.32 g	0.00006 – 0.0113 oz
such as: peanuts, green & dry		
beans, field corn		
Medium (100 – 1,000)	0.08 - 2.4  g	0.0028 – 0.0847 oz
such as: sweet corn, soybeans,		
sorghum		
Small (1,000 – 10,000)	0.4 - 16  g	0.0141 - 0.564 oz
such as: cabbage, cucumbers,		
sugar beets		
Fine (10,000 – 100,000)	1.6 – 120 g	0.0564 – 4.233 oz
such as: tomatoes		

#### **ORNAMENTAL CROPS**

Seed Size (#seeds/oz)	Grams of T-22 WP per lb of seed	Ounces of T-22 WP per lb of seed
Small (1,000 – 10,000)	0.4 - 16  g	0.0141 - 0.564 oz
such as: Echinacea, Cosmos		
Fine (10,000 – 100,000)	1.6 – 120 g	0.0564 – 4.23 oz
such as: Texas bluegrass, ryegrass		

Very Fine (100,000 – 500,000)	8.0 - 80  g	0.282 - 2.82 oz
such as: bentgrass		

# SEED TREATMENT FOR VEGETATIVELY PROPAGATED CROPS (INCLUDING POTATOES, OTHER ROOT AND TUBER VEGETABLES, AND BULB VEGETABLES)

For planting or storage, treat at 0.3 - 3.0 oz T-22 WP to 100 lbs (1 cwt) of bulbs, seed tubers or cut potato seed pieces. Alternatively, dip bulbs, seed tubers or cut potato seed pieces in a suspension consisting of 0.33 - 1.0 pounds of T-22 WP in 6.67 gallons of water.

For potatoes, apply T-22 WP with compatible chemical seed dusts. Consult your BioWorks Representative for more information. All surfaces, knives, and other equipment used to cut and plant potatoes should be thoroughly sterilized before cutting and planting and at regular intervals. The cut and treated seed pieces may be held for a week or more at cool temperatures,  $45 - 50^{\circ}$ F, and high relative humidity to promote suberization, or they may be planted immediately.

#### DIP FOR CUTTINGS AND BARE-ROOTED TRANSPLANTS

Dip cuttings and bare-rooted transplants in T-22 WP dry powder or in a suspension of 0.33 - 1.0 pounds of T-22 WP in 6.67 gallons of water. Plant treated cuttings and bare-rooted transplants in potting mix or soil in the usual manner.

#### SOIL DRENCH

**GREENHOUSE SOIL DRENCH:** Suspend 3.0 - 5.0 ounces of T-22 WP in 100 gallons of water with agitation, and apply prepared suspension as a soil drench to greenhouse planting mixes. For seeding flats or shallow (up to 4-inch depth) beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 50 - 100 gallons per 800 square feet. For deeper beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 100 gallons per 400 square feet, 1/2 cup (4 fluid ounces) for pots with a 3-inch diameter, or 1 cup (8 fluid ounces) for pots with a 6-inch diameter.

Apply T-22 WP directly to the soil through low pressure watering nozzles such as fan nozzles or other drench watering systems. Constant agitation is required to maintain T-22 WP in suspension. T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products registered for use on greenhouse/ornamental plants. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information.

**NURSERY SOIL DRENCH:** Suspend 3.0-5.0 ounces of T-22 WP in 100 gallons of water with agitation, and apply prepared suspension as a soil drench to container nursery crops. For shallow (up to 4-inch depth) beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 50-100 gallons per 800 square feet. For deeper beds or pots, apply prepared suspension at a rate of 100 gallons per 400 square feet, 1/2 cup (4 fluid ounces) for pots with a 3-inch diameter, or 1 cup (8 fluid ounces) for pots with a 6-inch diameter.

Apply T-22 WP directly to the soil through low pressure watering nozzles such as fan nozzles, other drench watering systems, handheld sprayers or backpack sprayers. Constant agitation is required to maintain T-22 WP in suspension. T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products registered for use on nursery plants. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information.

**IN-FURROW SPRAY OR TRANSPLANT STARTER SOLUTION:** Apply T-22 WP as an in-furrow spray or transplant starter solution at a rate of 8.0 - 16.0 ounces/½ acre in sufficient water to achieve uniform application. Maintain constant agitation. T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information.

**TANK MIXING:** T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information. **This product must not be tank mixed with chemicals that contain the following active ingredients: imazalil, propicanazole, tebuconazole, and triflumizole.** Do not apply T-22 WP immediately before these pesticides are used.

In accordance with the most restrictive of label limitations and precautions (for all products used in a tank mixture), this product can be mixed with specific products (see table immediately below), their active ingredient percentages and their application rates for use in greenhouse soil drench, nursery soil drench, in-furrow spray and transplant starter solution. Do not exceed label dosage rates. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing.

# COMPATIBILITY FOR GREENHOUSE SOIL DRENCH, NURSERY SOIL DRENCH, INFURROW SPRAY OR TRANSPLANT STARTER SOLUTION TANK MIXES:

NOTE: While the information presented in this table is believed to be up-to-date, the user must always read the label of the other products used in a tank mix to confirm application rates and dilutions.

<b>Chemical Name</b>	% A.I., Product Nan Formulation Type		Application Rate (Amount of	Dilution (Amount of Product / Amount of
			Product / Unit	Water
			Area)	
Captan	85%, Wettable	Captan 85WP	1.88 lb/Acre	0.1 oz/gal
	Powder			
Chlorothalonil	82.5%, Water	Daconil Ultrex	3.7 ounces per 1000	0.56 oz/gal
	Dispersible Granules		$ft^2$	
Iprodione	23.3%, Flowable	Chipco 26019	4 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.6 oz/gal
		Flo		
Thiophanate	50%, Wettable	Cleary's 3336	8 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	1.2 oz/gal
methyl	Powder	in water		
		soluble bags		
Iprodione	50%, Soluble	Rovral	0.75 lb/Acre	0.04 oz/gal
	Granules			
Metalaxyl	21.3%, Liquid	Subdue Maxx	0.25 ounces per 800	0.05 oz/gal
			$ft^2$	
Chlorpyrifos	50%, Emulsifiable	Lorsban 4E	3.2 ounces per gallon	3.2 oz/gal
	Liquid			

#### **FOLIAR SPRAY**

**GREENHOUSE FOLIAR SPRAY\*\*:** Greenhouse foliar applications are for non-food crops only. For preventative control of *Botrytis*, powdery mildew, and other fungal pathogens on greenhouse-grown

flowers, bedding plants and ornamentals, apply T-22 WP to foliage and blossoms every 7-14 days depending on disease pressure. T-22 WP can be applied 7-10 days after application of a chemical/biorational fungicide. Consult manufacturer or sales representative for specific product recommendations.

NOTE: \*\*This product is not intended for foliar application in California.

Apply T-22 WP at a rate of 0.10 - 1.0 ounce per gallon of water. Use a quantity of spray sufficient to thoroughly cover foliage. Spray to wet, but avoid runoff. T-22 WP can be applied using hand-held backpack or ground spray equipment. Do not use in low-volume sprayers.

To improve plant surface coverage, consider tank mixing T-22 WP with a nonionic spreader sticker. Agitation is required to maintain suspension. Clean application equipment before use of this product and use sprays within 4 hours of preparation.

To prevent nozzle tip clogging, the manufacturer recommends using 50 - 100 mesh inlet screens in all spray equipment.

**TANK MIXING:** T-22 WP can be tank mixed and is compatible with many commonly used fungicides, liquid fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides and biological control products registered for use on greenhouse plants. If tank mixes are desired, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures. Consult the tank mix compatibility chart below or your BioWorks representative for more information. **This product must not be tank mixed with chemicals that contain the following active ingredients: imazalil, propicanazole, tebuconazole, and triflumizole.** Do not apply T-22 WP immediately before these pesticides are used.

In accordance with the most restrictive of label limitations and precautions (for all products used in a tank mixture), this product can be mixed with specific products (see table immediately below), their active ingredient percentages and their application rates for use in greenhouse foliar spray. Do not exceed label dosage rates. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing.

## COMPATIBILITY FOR GREENHOUSE FOLIAR SPRAY TANK MIXES\*\*:

NOTE: While the information presented in this table is believed to be up-to-date, the user must always read the label of the other products used in a tank mix to confirm application rates and dilutions.

Chemical Name	% A.I., Formulation Type	Product Name	Application Rate (Amount of Product / Unit Area)	Dilution (Amount of Product / Amount of Water
Captan	85%, Wettable Powder	Captan 85WP	1.88 lb/Acre	0.1 oz/gal
Chlorothalonil	82.5%, Water Dispersible Granules	Daconil Ultrex	3.7 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.56 oz/gal
Iprodione	23.3%, Flowable	Chipco 26019 Flo	2 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.3 oz/gal
Triadimefon	25%, Soluble Granules	Bayleton 25 Turf & Ornamental Fungicide	0.75 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.11 oz/gal
Azoxystrobin	50%, Soluble Granules	Heritage	0.4 ounces per 1000 ft <sup>2</sup>	0.06 oz/gal
Vinclozolin	50%, Wettable	Ronilin DF	0.75 lb/Acre	0.04 oz/gal

	Powder			
Iprodione	50%, Soluble Granules	Rovral	0.75 lb/Acre	0.04 oz/gal

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To reduce potential residue and minimize clogging of spray equipment, the manufacturer recommends the following decanting procedure. Place one gallon of water in a container. Add the desired nonionic spreader-sticker. Mix. Based on the final spray volume, add appropriate amount of T-22 WP. Let the solution sit for 10 minutes. Agitate for 10 minutes. Let the solution sit for less than one minute. Pour off the liquid that now contains T-22 WP into the spray tank. Add a small amount of water to the settled material in the container to remove any remaining T-22 WP. Briefly mix and let solution sit for less than one minute. Pour off liquid into the spray tank. Bring spray volume to the desired level.

#### GREENHOUSE AND FIELD CHEMIGATION

Suspend 3.0 - 5.0 ounces T-22 WP in 100 gallons of water with agitation and apply only through the following systems: 1) pressurized drench (flood) or drip (trickle), 2) furrow, 3) micro-irrigation such as spaghetti-tube or individual tube irrigation, 4) hand-held calibrated irrigation equipment such as the hand-held wand with injector, and 5) ebb and flow. Do not apply this product through any other type of irrigation system.

Crop injury or lack of effectiveness can result from non-uniform 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 supervision of the responsible person, shall shut the system down and make necessary adjustments should the need arise.

## **Requirements for Chemigation Systems Connected to Public Water Systems:**

- 1) 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.
- 2) Chemigation systems connected to public water systems must contain a functional, reduced-pressure zone, back flow 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 flow 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.
- 3) The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- 4) 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.
- 5) 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.

- 6) 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.
- 7) Do not apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.
- 8) Apply T-22 WP during the last half of the water application period. Mix T-22 WP in enough water to be able to draw through the system for the last half of the water application. Maintain constant agitation.
- 9) Apply enough water to move T-22 WP into the root zone. Amounts will vary depending on soil type and existing moisture level. Do not apply water volumes that would cause runoff or excessive leaching.

## **Drip (Trickle) Chemigation and Micro-irrigation Requirements:**

- 1) 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 back flow.
- 2) The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- 3) 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.
- 4) The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.
- 5) 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.
- 6) 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.
- 7) Apply T-22 WP during the last half of the water application period. Mix T-22 WP in enough water to be able to draw through the system for the last half of the water application. Maintain constant agitation.
- 8) Apply enough water to move T-22 WP into the root zone. Amounts will vary depending on soil type and existing moisture level. Do not apply water volumes that would cause runoff or excessive leaching.

#### Flood and Furrow Chemigation Requirements:

- Systems using a gravity flow pesticide dispensing system must meter the pesticide into the water
  at the head of the field and downstream of a hydraulic discontinuity, such as a drop structure or
  weir box, to decrease potential for water source contamination from back flow if water flow
  stops.
- 2) Systems utilizing a pressurized water and pesticide injection system must meet the following requirements:
  - a. 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 back flow.
  - b. The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.

- c. 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.
- d. The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.
- e. 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.
- f. 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.
- 3) Apply T-22 WP during the last half of the water application period. Mix T-22 WP in enough water to be able to draw through the system for the last half of the water application. Maintain constant agitation.
- 4) Apply enough water to move T-22 WP into the root zone. Amounts will vary depending on soil type and existing moisture level. Do not apply water volumes that would cause runoff or excessive leaching.

**PLANT SAFETY:** T-22 WP has been tested on numerous plant varieties with no phytotoxic effects. However, since T-22 WP has not been tested on all plant varieties or in combination with all available tank mixes, the manufacturer recommends testing T-22 WP on a small number of plants to check for adverse plant effects before applying to a larger number of plants.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry place. Do not store at temperatures above 75°F for prolonged periods. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on-site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**CONTAINER HANDLING:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then offer for recycling if available, or dispose of empty bag in sanitary landfill or by incineration. Do not burn, unless allowed by state and local ordinances. If burned, stay out of smoke. If outer box is contaminated, dispose of in same manner as required for the bag.

**NOTICE TO BUYER AND SELLER:** Seller warrants that this product conforms to the description on this label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on this label when used and stored in accordance with the directions for use. This warranty does not extend to use of this product contrary to label directions or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable by the Seller, and Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller disclaims all other warranties, express or implied, including any warranty of fitness or merchantability. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller shall not be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from use or handling of this product, and Seller's sole liability and Buyer's and User's exclusive remedy shall be limited to refund of the purchase price. This product is sold only for uses stated on its label.

[In Case of Emergency: Call CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300]

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## T-22 WP **BIOLOGICAL FUNGICIDE**

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For Residential Use (Home and Garden Use)

# T-22 WP Biological Fungicide

[<u>Alternate Brand Names</u>: PlantShield<sup>®</sup> HC Biological Fungicide;  $T-22^{T}$  HC Biological Fungicide; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Home and Garden Biological Fungicide; Root Guardian; RootShield<sup>®</sup> Seed Treatment Biological Fungicide; RootShield<sup>®</sup> AG; RootShield<sup>®</sup> AG Biological Fungicide]

[Optional Marketing Claim: Wettable Powder Formulation]

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Trichoderma harzianum Rifai strain T-22*	1.15%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	98.85%
TOTAL:	100.00%
*Contains at least 1.0 x 10 <sup>7</sup> colony forming units per g	ram dry weight.

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

[See attached label booklet for First Aid, Precautionary Statements, Storage and Disposal Instructions and Directions for Use]

[See foldout panel for First Aid]

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**Net Weight:** [2.63 oz or 4 oz ]

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Expiration Date:			-					

FIRST AID	
If on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 – 20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If inhaled	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>

HOT LINE NUMBER: Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical treatment information.

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if absorbed through skin, inhaled, or swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

To protect the environment, do not allow pesticide to enter or run off into storm drains, drainage ditches, gutters or surface waters. Applying this product in calm weather when rain is not predicted for the next 24 hours will help to ensure that wind or rain does not blow or wash pesticide off the treatment area.

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

T-22 WP Biological Fungicide (T-22 WP) is a preventative biological fungicide for control of plant diseases. The active ingredient is a microbe, *Trichoderma harzianum* Rifai strain T-22, which when applied to seeds, transplants or other propagative material, or to soil or planting mixes, grows onto plant roots as they develop and provides protection against plant root pathogens such as *Pythium*, *Phytophthora*, *Rhizoctonia*, and *Fusarium*. Where early season seed rot and seedling diseases are expected, use chemically treated seed or other appropriate measures for stand establishment and T-22 WP for root disease control.

ATTENTION: T-22 WP contains live spores of a microbe that must be used prior to disease onset. T-22 WP becomes active in soil or on plants when temperatures are above 50°F and is not effective while temperatures remain cold.

ATTENTION: DO NOT APPLY to sugarcane, pechay, rice, mushrooms, kiwi, tobacco, barley, oats, lemon, apple, and chickpea. Not for use on aquatic plants.

**HOME & GARDEN SEED, SOIL AND PLANT ROOT DRENCH:** For preventative control of root diseases of vegetable, flower, and ornamental plants.

For drench application to seeds, mix 1.0 - 3.0 tablespoons of T-22 WP per gallon of water, and apply mixture with a watering can or other device to 25 feet of planting furrow before covering the seeds with soil.

For transplants, mix 1.0 - 3.0 tablespoons of T-22 WP per gallon of water, and apply 1/2 - 1 cup (4 - 8 fluid ounces) of mixture per plant at transplanting. For new plant beds, mix 1.0 - 3.0 tablespoons of T-22 WP per gallon of water, and apply mixture at a rate of one gallon per 25 square feet of plant bed.

For established beds or potted plants, mix 1.0 - 3.0 tablespoons of T-22 WP per gallon of water, and apply mixture at a rate of one gallon per 25 square feet of plant bed or 1/2 - 1 cup (4 - 8 fluid ounces) per 4 - 8 inch diameter pot.

T-22 WP is designed for application to seeds, plant roots and soil for control of plant root diseases and is not to be used for spray application to foliage or fruit.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in original container in a cool, dry and locked place inaccessible to children and pets. Do not store at temperatures above 75°F for prolonged periods. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL AND CONTAINER HANDLING:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. **If empty** – Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled** – Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down indoor or outdoor drain.

NOTICE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Seller warrants that this product conforms to the description on this label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on this label when used and stored in accordance with the directions for use. This warranty does not extend to use of this product contrary to label directions or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable by the Seller, and Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller disclaims all other warranties, express or implied, including any warranty of fitness or merchantability. To the extent consistent with applicable law, Seller shall not be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from use or handling of this product, and Seller's sole liability and Buyer's and User's exclusive remedy shall be limited to refund of the purchase price. This product is sold only for uses stated on its label.

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