

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, DC 20460

OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

August 24, 2022

Matt Granahan U.S. Regulatory Leader HELM Agro US, Inc. 401 E Jackson Street, Suite 1400 Tampa, FL 33602

Subject: Registration Review Label Mitigation for Paraquat Dichloride–SLN Amendment

Acknowledgment Letter

Product Name: HELMQUAT 3SL EPA Registration Number: OK-190005

Parent EPA Reg. No.: 74530-48 Application Date: October 12, 2021

Decision Number: 582368

Dear Mr. Granahan:

The Agency acknowledges receipt of the label for the above-listed Special Local Need (SLN) registration pursuant to Section 24(c) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, submitted to support the Registration Review of paraquat dichloride. The Agency has completed its review of the SLN label and acknowledges that the label, as amended, complies with the Paraquat Dichloride Interim Decision.

We have placed a copy of the amended SLN label in our files. Please inform your state agency and work with them if additional actions are needed. If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Smith by phone at 202-566-2273 or via email at smith.carolyn@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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## FIFRA Section 24(c) Special Local Need Label FOR USE AND DISTRIBUTION ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

#### RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE

**DUE TO ACUTE TOXICITY** 

TO BE USED BY CERTIFIED APPLICATORS ONLY – **NOT** TO BE USED BY UNCERTIFIED PERSONS WORKING UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A CERTIFIED APPLICATOR, EXCEPT THAT UNCERTIFIED PERSONS MAY TRANSPORT CONTAINERS AS PROVIDED UNDER DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

**PARAQUAT DICHLORIDE** 

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**HERBICIDE** 

### **HELMQUAT 3SL**

A Weed, Grass and Harvest Aid Desiccant/ Defoliant Herbicide

## Preplant / Preemergent Broadcast Application Prior to Planting for Burndown of Weeds

Active Ingredient	% BY WT.
Paraquat dichloride (1,1'-dimethyl-4,4'-bipyridinium dichloride)	43.8%
Other Ingredients	56.2%
Total	
Contains 3.0 pounds paraquat cation per gallon as 4.14 pounds paraquat dichloride salt per gallon.	
Contains stench (odor) and emetic.	

EPA Reg. No. 74530-48 SLN No. OK-190005

Expiration: December 31, 2024

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN/MANTENER FUERA DEL ALCANCE DE LOS NIÑOS **DANGER/PELIGRO**

### POISON/VENENO



Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle. (If you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)		
CORROSIVE TO SKIN AND EYES	CORROSIVO PARA LA PIEL Y LOS OJOS.	
NEVER TRANSFER THIS PRODUCT INTO FOOD OR BEVERAGE CONTAINERS OR CONTAINERS NOT EXPLICITLY INTENDED FOR PESTICIDES	NUNCA TRANSFEIERA ESTE PRODUCTO A RECIPIENTES PARA COMIDA O DE BEBIDAS O RECIPIENTES NO EXPLÍCITAMENTE PREVISTOS PARA PLAGUICIDAS.	
READ ENTIRE LABEL PRIOR TO USING THIS PRODUCT	LEA LA ETIQUETA COMPLETA ANTES DE USAR ESTE PRODUCTO.	
IN THE CASE OF AN ACCIDENT, SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. SYMPTOMS ARE PROLONGED, PAINFUL, AND CAN BE FATAL	EN CASO DE ACCIDENTE, BUSQUE ATENCIÓN MÉDICA INMEDIATA. LOS SÍNTOMAS SON PROLONGADOS, DOLOROSOS, Y PUEDEN SER MORTALES.	

This label is valid until December 31, 2024 or until otherwise amended, withdrawn, cancelled or suspended.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN ANY MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELING.

This label must be in the possession of the user at the time of application.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

ALL APPLICABLE DIRECTIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS ON THE PRODUCT LABEL BOOKLET MUST BE FOLLOWED, INCLUDING STATEMENTS PERTAINING TO THE WORKER PROTECTION STANDARDS, ON THE EPA REGISTERED LABEL. BEFORE USING HELMQUAT 3 SL AS PERMITTED ACCORDING TO THIS SUPPLEMENTAL LABEL, READ AND FOLLOW ALL

CROP	RATE PER ACRE	COMMENTS	
PEANUTS For Use Only in the State of Oklahoma	Always add either: Nonionic surfactant containing 75% or more surface agent at 0.25% v/v of the finished spray volume, Or Non-phytotoxic COC (Crop Oil Concentrate) containing 15 – 20% approved emulsifier, at 1% v/v of the finished spray volume.	Apply as a preplant / preemergent broadcast application prior to planting for burndown of weeds in peanut fields.  Use higher labeled rate on dense populations of hard to control weeds. Apply when weeds are actively growing and between 1" to 6" in height. NOTE: Weeds 6" or taller may not be controlled.  HELMQUAT 3SL may be tank mixed with other herbicides registered for this use for improved weed control. When tank mixing, read and carefully follow all applicable use directions, precautions, and limitations on the respective product label(s). In interpreting the label(s) of tank mixed products, the most restrictive label limitations must apply.  Weeds emerging after application will not be controlled.	
	<ul> <li>REI: 48 hours</li> <li>Minimum Application Inter</li> <li>Maximum Annual Rate: 8 p</li> <li>DO NOT exceed 2.8 lb ai/A/y</li> <li>DO NOT make more than 2 a</li> <li>DO NOT apply by air.</li> <li>Pre-Harvest Interval (PHI):</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Maximum Single Application Rate: 2.5 pt/A</li> <li>REI: 48 hours</li> <li>Minimum Application Interval: 7 days</li> <li>Maximum Annual Rate: 8 pt/A</li> <li>DO NOT exceed 2.8 lb ai/A/year of paraquat-containing products for all combined uses.</li> <li>DO NOT make more than 2 applications per year.</li> </ul>	

#### **NOTICE**

Read the "WARRANTY DISCLAIMER" and "LIMITATION OF LIABILITY" in the label booklet for this product before using this product. Those terms apply to this supplemental labeling and if those terms are not acceptable, return the product unopened at once.

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Manufactured for:



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