UPBEET® HERBICIDE

FOR APPLICATIONS IN SUGARBEETS GROWN FOR SEED IN WESTERN OREGON (WEST OF THE CASCADE MOUNTAINS)

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

DuPont “Upbeet” herbicide may be applied as a broadcast spray to sugarbeets that are grown for seed production only in Western Oregon (west of the Cascade Mountains).

Consult the EPA approved “Upbeet” label, and approved companion products labels for additional requirements, restrictions and precautions. Follow the most restrictive labeling.

GENERAL INFORMATION

DuPont “UpBeet” Herbicide is a dry flowable formulation that selectively controls certain broadleaf weeds in sugarbeets.

UpBeet is non-corrosive to equipment, nonflammable, and non-volatile.

APPLICATION METHODS

For postemergence broadcast applications, apply UpBeet 1/2 to 3/4 oz. per acre alone or in combination with Betanex® Betamix® or Betamix Progress®. “Stinger”® and/or Assure II may be added as required by local recommendations.

Make applications to young, actively growing weeds after crop emergence. Typically, small weeds (up to 2 true leaf stage) that are actively growing at application are most easily controlled.

Make at least 2-3 applications of UpBeet and companion products, starting from the first postemergence broadleaf treatment. Applications should be made 5 to 10 days apart or as weeds germinate. Use a close sequential application if the first application was on larger weeds with more than 2 true leaves.

Under growing conditions that promote crop stress (such as cold temperatures, excessive soil moisture, etc.), temporary chlorosis may occur after an application of UpBeet. Symptoms usually disappear within 5 to 15 days.

SPRAY ADDITIVES

If UpBeet is to be applied alone or in a tank mix with “Stinger” and/or Assure II, an adjuvant must be included. Use a DuPont recommended non-ionic surfactant or crop oil. More information on adjuvant selection may be found in the bulletin “Approved Adjuvants for Use With DuPont Row Crop and Cereal Herbicides”.

Sufficient adjuvant is available for “UpBeet” if a minimum of 1.5 pts of Betanex, Betamix, or Betamix Progress is included in the spray mixture.

Non-ionic Surfactant

Apply at the rate (concentration) of 0.25% v/v (2 pts per 100 gal of spray solution).

Crop Oils

Apply at the rate (concentration) of 1% v/v (1 gal in 100 gal of spray solution).

RESTRICTIONS

• The total ounces applied must not exceed 4.0 ounces per acre per growing season (Fall + Spring).

• Fields treated above the limits allowed on the EPA approved UpBeet label (2.5 ounces per acre per growing season (Fall + Spring)) can ONLY be used for non-food use. No portion of the treated field, including seed, seed screenings, hay, forage, or stubble, may be used for human or animal feed if the field is restricted to non-food use.

• Producers of sugarbeet seed who use this product, or cause the product to be used on fields they operate, are required to inform, in writing, conditioners receiving seed produced on fields that have been treated with UpBeet in excess of 2.5 ounces per acre per growing season (Fall + Spring).
IMPORTANT
BEFORE USING “UPBEET”, READ AND FOLLOW ALL APPLICABLE DIRECTIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS ON THE EPA-REGISTERED LABEL.

This bulletin contains new or supplemental instructions for use of this product which do not appear on the EPA-registered package label. Follow the instructions carefully.
This labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.

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