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GROUP 6 & 27 HERBICIDE

FOR POSTEMERGENCE WEED CONTROL IN SPRING, DURUM AND WINTER WHEAT

### FOR USE ONLY IN MANITOBA, SASKATCHEWAN, ALBERTA AND PEACE RIVER, OKANAGAN AND CRESTON FLATS REGIONS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

This component must be used in the VELOCITY M3 herbicide tank-mix.

## AGRICULTURAL



## WARNING - EYE AND SKIN IRRITANT

**REGISTRATION NUMBER : 29214** PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

#### **GUARANTEE**:

Warning, contains the allergen soy

#### **READ THE LABEL AND BOOKLET BEFORE USING**

Product Information: 1-888-283-6847 www.bayercropscience.ca

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NET CONTENTS: 6.7 L

IN CASE OF SPILLS, POISONING OR FIRE, TELEPHONE EMERGENCY RESPONSE NUMBER 1-800-334-7577 (24 HOURS A DAY)

#### **PRECAUTIONS:**

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Harmful or fatal if swallowed. Causes eye irritation. DO NOT get in eyes. May irritate the skin. Avoid contact with skin. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or smoking. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

When applied as a tank-mix combination, read and observe all label directions, including rates, restrictions, and grazing limitations for each product used in the tank-mix. Follow the more stringent label precautionary measures for mixing, loading and applying stated on both product labels.

If this pest control product is to be used on a commodity that may be exported to the U.S. and you require information on acceptable residue levels in the U.S., visit CropLife Canada's web site at: www.croplife.ca.

#### **Protective Clothing and Equipment:**

To minimize exposure, the following precautions should be followed:

- All handlers must wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants and shoes plus socks. In addition, wear chemical-resistant gloves, a chemical-resistant apron and protective eyewear (safety glasses) during mixing/loading activities. Chemical-resistant gloves and protective eyewear should also be worn during repair and clean-up activities.
- Change contaminated clothing daily and wash before reusing.
- DO NOT handle product with bare hands. Chemical resistant gloves significantly reduce hand exposure. ALWAYS wear gloves for mixing/loading operations and when making sprayer and nozzle repairs and adjustments. DO NOT USE LEATHER OR CLOTH GLOVES.
- Rinse gloves with soap and water before removal, and wash hands thoroughly before eating, smoking or drinking.
- Clean protective equipment daily.

#### **Re-entry Restriction:**

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas until 12 hours after application.

#### FIRST AID:

Take container, label or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

**IF SWALLOWED:** Call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give any liquid to the person. Do not **give** anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15–20 minutes. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

**IF INHALED:** Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control centre or doctor for further treatment advice.

**IF IN EYES:** Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15–20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

**TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** Contains petroleum distillates – vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia. Treat symptomatically.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:**

TOXIC to aquatic organisms and non-target terrestrial plants. Observe buffer zones specified under DIRECTIONS FOR USE (see Section 9.3).

The use of this chemical may result in contamination of groundwater particularly in areas where soils are permeable (e.g. sandy soil) and/or the depth to the water table is shallow.

To reduce runoff from treated areas into aquatic habitats avoid application to areas with a moderate to steep slope, compacted soil, or clay. Avoid application when heavy rain is forecast. Do not apply, drain, or flush spray equipment on or near desirable trees or other plants or on areas where their roots may extend, or in locations where the chemical may be washed or moved into contact with their roots.

Contamination of aquatic areas as a result of runoff may be reduced by including a vegetative strip between the treated area and the edge of the water body.

This product contains a petroleum distillate which is toxic to aquatic organisms. Avoid contamination of aquatic systems during applications. Do not contaminate these systems through direct application, disposal of waste, or cleaning equipment.

USE ONLY FOR RECOMMENDED PURPOSES AND AT RECOMMENDED RATES.

#### **STORAGE:**

Keep in original container during storage.

Store the tightly closed container away from feeds, seeds, fertilizers, plants and foodstuffs.

Do not store at temperatures below -20 °C.

If stored for one year or longer, shake or mix well before using.

Do not use or store in or around the home.

#### **DISPOSAL AND DECONTAMINATION:**

#### **Recyclable Container Disposal:**

Do not reuse this container for any purpose. This is a recyclable container, and is to be disposed of at a container collection site. Contact your local distributor/dealer or municipality for the location of the nearest collection site. Before taking the container to the collection site:

- 1. Triple- or pressure-rinse the empty container. Add the rinsings to the spray mixture in the tank.
- 2. Make the empty, rinsed container unsuitable for further use.

If there is no container collection site in your area, dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements.

#### **Disposal of Unused, Unwanted Product:**

For information on disposal of unused, unwanted product, contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency. Contact the manufacturer and the provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill, and for cleanup of spills.

#### NOTICE TO USER:

This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offence under the *Pest Control Products Act* to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label. The user assumes the risk to persons or property that arises from any such use of this product.

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

VELOCITY A HERBICIDE

SUSPENSION

GROUP	2	HERBICIDE

GUARANTEE: thiencarbazone-methyl......10 g/L

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VELOCITY B HERBICIDE

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GROUP 27 6 HERBICIDE

#### **GUARANTEE:**

Pyrasulfotole ...... 37.5 g/L

Bromoxynil (present as mixed octanoate and heptanoate esters) ....... 210 g/L

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NET CONTENTS: VELOCITY A Herbicide - 4 L VELOCITY B Herbicide - 6.7 L

The contents of this carton will treat 8 hectares (20 acres).

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# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

# SECTION 1: NOTICE TO USER

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# SECTION 2: THE PRODUCT

VELOCITY M3<sup>™</sup> Herbicide Tank-Mix is a post-emergent herbicide concept that provides control of certain annual grass weeds and annual broadleaf weeds and suppression of select perennial broadleaf weeds in Spring Wheat (hard red spring, Canada Prairie spring, soft white spring, and extra strong or utility), Durum Wheat and Winter Wheat.

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# SAFETY AND HANDLING

# SECTION 3: PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT

PRECAUTIONS: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Avoid breathing vapors, or spray mist. Harmful or Fatal if swallowed. Causes eye irritation. DO NOT get in eyes. May irritate the skin. Avoid contact with skin. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or smoking. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE): All handlers must wear a longsleeved shirt, long pants and shoes plus socks. In addition, wear chemical-resistant gloves, a chemical-resistant apron and protective eyewear (safety glasses) during mixing/loading activities. Chemical-resistant gloves and protective eyewear should also be worn during repair and clean-up activities. DO NOT USE LEATHER OR CLOTH GLOVES. DO NOT apply this product in a way that this product will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only handlers wearing personal protective equipment may be in the area being treated during application.

Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them.

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. Clean protective equipment daily.

## USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

- Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- 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.

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# SECTION 4: FIRST AID AND TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give any liquid to the person.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
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 centre 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 by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Call a poison control centre or doctor for further 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. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>

**TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** No specific antidote is available. Treat the patient symptomatically. This product contains a petroleum distillate. Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

# **SECTION 5: ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS AND INFORMATION**

This product contains an active ingredient and aromatic petroleum distillates which are toxic to aquatic organisms and non-target terrestrial plants. Observe buffer zones specified under DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

As this product is not registered for the control of pests in aquatic systems, DO NOT use to control aquatic pests. The use of this chemical may result in contamination of groundwater particularly in areas where soils are permeable (e.g., sandy soil) and/or the depth to the water table is shallow. To reduce runoff from treated areas into aquatic habitats avoid application to areas with a moderate to steep slope, compacted soil, or clay. Avoid application when heavy rain is forecast. Contamination of aquatic areas as a result of runoff may be reduced by including a vegetative strip between the treated area and the edge of the water body.

# **SECTION 6: STORAGE**

Store in a cool, dry place. Do not store below freezing. Shake well before using. Do not contaminate, water, food, or feed by storage and disposal. To prevent contamination, store this product away from food or feed. Store product in original container only and keep closed. Store away from other pesticides, feeds, seeds, fertilizers, food, or feed. Do not use or store in or around the home. If stored for one year or longer, shake or mix well before using.

# SECTION 7: DISPOSAL AND DECONTAMINATION

## **Recyclable Container**

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municipality for the location of the nearest collection site. Before taking the container to the collection site:

- 1. Triple- or pressure-rinse the empty container. Add the rinsings to the spray mixture in the tank.
- 2. Make the empty, rinsed container unsuitable for further use.

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# DIRECTIONS FOR USE

# SECTION 8: CROPS AND WEEDS

## 8.1 CROPS AND APPLICATION TIMING

VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix may be applied to the following crops when at the indicated growth stages:

CROP	RECOMMENDED GROWTH STAGE	REMARKS
Spring Wheat (incl. hard red spring, Canada Prairie spring, soft white spring and extra strong (utility) wheat) Durum Wheat	1 to 6 leaves on main stem, plus 3 tillers, but prior to jointing (presence of first node)	<ul> <li>Do not apply to crop that is under stress due to abnormal environmental conditions such as frost, extreme heat, low fertility, drought, flooding, or disease and/or insect damage as crop injury may result. Under drought conditions:</li> <li>Do not spray VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix if time between seeding and spraying exceeds 35 days (as drought hastens crop development)</li> <li>Do not spray VELOCITY M3 Herbicide</li> </ul>
Winter Wheat	Apply either in the fall or spring when the majority of plants have one leaf to full tillering, but prior to jointing (presence of first	<ul> <li>Tank-Mix three days prior to or following cold temperatures (3°C or lower)</li> <li>Do not treat wheat underseeded to legumes.</li> <li>Refer to section 9.1 for general reminders for successful operation.</li> </ul>

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## 8.2 APPLICATION RATE AND WEEDS CONTROLLED

Treatment with VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix containing VELOCITY A Herbicide at 0.5 L/ha plus VELOCITY B Herbicide at 0.83 L/ha applied according to label recommendations will provide control of the following weed species:

GRASS WEEDS	RECOMMENDED STAGE
Wild oats	
Green foxtail	1 to 6 leaves, up to emergence
Barnyard grass	of the 3 <sup>rd</sup> tiller
Yellow foxtail <sup>1</sup>	
Persian Darnel <sup>1</sup>	
Volunteer canary seed	1 to 6-leaves, up to emergence of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tiller
Japanese Brome <sup>1</sup>	1 to 6-leaf stage

BROADLEAF WEEDS <sup>2</sup>	RECOMMENDED STAGE	
Annual sow-thistle	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Canada Thistle <sup>1</sup>	Up to 30 cm in height	
Chickweed	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Cleavers <sup>4</sup>	1 to 6 whorls	
Common ragweed	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Dandelion <sup>1, 3</sup>	Up to 10 cm in height and 25 cm in diameter	
Flixweed	Up to 10 cm in height	
Hemp-nettle	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Kochia	Up to 10 cm in height	
Lamb's Quarters	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Pale Smartweed	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Perennial sow-thistle <sup>1</sup>	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Redroot pigweed	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Round-leaved mallow	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Russian Thistle	1 to 6-leaf stage, up to 10 cm in height	
Shepherd's-purse	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Stinkweed	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Volunteer canola (includes conventional and herbicide tolerant)	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Wild buckwheat	1 to 6-leaf stage	
Wild mustard	1 to 6-leaf stage	

- 2 Includes ALS (Group 2) resistant biotypes.
- 3 Includes seedlings and overwintered rosettes.
- 4 Includes indoleacetic acid (Group 4) resistant biotypes
- For best results, apply to emerged, young, actively growing weeds according to the weed stages listed. Research has demonstrated that optimum wheat yield is obtained when weeds are removed early.
- Under stressed conditions and/or heavy crop canopy, early application will result in improved weed control.
- Weeds growing under adverse environmental conditions such as drought will be less susceptible to VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix.

## 8.3 RAINFASTNESS

• Rainfall within 60 minutes of application may reduce effectiveness.

# SECTION 9: APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS and USE LIMITATIONS

## 9.1 GENERAL REMINDERS FOR SUCCESSFUL OPERATION

- Apply only once per season with ground or aerial equipment.
- Do not use VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix if another Group 2 grass herbicide has been previously applied in the same season.
- Do not use another Group 2 grass herbicide following an application of VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix in the same season.
- For best results, apply to emerged, young, actively growing weeds.
- VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix will have an effect on weeds that are larger than the recommended leaf stage, however the speed of activity and level of control may be reduced.
- Under cool and/or dry conditions activity may be reduced or delayed. If weeds
  are under stress due to abnormal environmental conditions, delay application
  until stress passes and after weeds have resumed active growth. Weed control
  may also be reduced if application is made when weeds are dust covered or in
  the presence of heavy dew, fog, or mist/rain.
- Do not apply to crop that is under stress due to abnormal environmental conditions such as frost, extreme heat, low fertility, drought, flooding, or disease and/or insect damage as crop injury may result.
- Follow directions under Section 8 for the correct rate and timing of application.
- Avoid overlapping; shut off spray boom while starting, turning, slowing or stopping to prevent crop injury from over-application.
- Avoid contact with desirable plants or crops either from direct application or from spray drift as severe damage may occur.
- Do not allow this chemical to drift on to other crops, especially canola, tame oats, or other non target crops.
- DO NOT apply this product directly to freshwater habitats (such as lakes, rivers, sloughs, ponds, prairie potholes, creeks, marshes, streams, reservoirs and wetlands), estuarine/ marine habitats.

- Do not overspray non-target terrestrial or aquatic habitats. Do not contaminate aquatic habitats when cleaning and rinsing spray equipment or containers.
- Do not treat wheat underseeded to legumes.
- DO NOT contaminate irrigation or drinking water supplies or aquatic habitats by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

## 9.2 GROUND AND AERIAL APPLICATION

## **GROUND APPLICATION**

- Apply in a spray volume of 46.8 93.5 L/ha at 207-345 kPa (30-50 PSI) pressure and at a ground speed of 6 8 kph to ensure proper weed coverage.
- Flat fan nozzles of 80° or 110° are recommended for optimum coverage.
- Do not use floodjet or controlled droplet application equipment or Sprafoil<sup>®</sup> equipment.
- Nozzles may be oriented 45° forward to enhance crop penetration and to give better weed coverage.
- Uniform, thorough coverage is important to obtain consistent weed control. Higher water volumes should be used under dense crop and weed canopies to ensure thorough coverage of the target weeds.
- DO NOT apply during periods of dead calm. Avoid application of this product when winds are gusty. DO NOT apply with spray droplets smaller than the American Society of Agricultural Engineers (ASAE) medium classification. Boom height must be 60 cm or less above the crop or ground.

## AERIAL APPLICATION

- Apply VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix alone in no less than 28.1 litres of water per hectare at a pressure no less than 300 kPa.
- Apply only by fixed-wing or rotary aircraft equipment which has been functionally and operationally calibrated for the atmospheric conditions of the area and the application rates and conditions of this label.
- Label rates, conditions and precautions are product specific. Read and understand the entire label before opening this product. Apply only at the rate recommended on this label.
- Ensure uniform application. To avoid streaked, uneven or overlapped application, use appropriate marking devices.

## Aerial Use Precautions

- Read and understand the entire label before opening this product. If you have questions, call Bayer CropScience Inc. at 1-888-283-6847 or obtain technical advice from the distributor or your provincial agricultural representative.
- Apply only when meteorological conditions at the treatment site allow for complete and even crop coverage. Apply only under conditions of good practice specific to aerial application as outlined in the National Aerial Pesticide Application Manual, developed by the Federal/Provincial/Territorial Committee on Pest Management and Pesticides.

- Do not apply to terrain where there is a potential for surface run-off to enter aquatic systems.
- Do not apply to any body of water. Avoid drifting of spray onto any body of water or other non-target areas. Specified buffer zones should be observed.
- Coarse sprays are less likely to drift, therefore, avoid combinations of pressure and nozzle type that will result in fine particles (mist).
- Do not spray when the wind is blowing towards a nearby sensitive crop, garden, terrestrial habitat (such as shelterbelt) or aquatic habitat. Do not apply when wind speed is greater than 16 km/h at a flying height at the site of application. Do not apply with spray droplets smaller than ASAE medium classification.
- DO NOT apply during periods of dead calm. Avoid application of this product when winds are gusty. To reduce drift caused by turbulent wingtip vortices, the nozzle distribution along the spray boom length MUST NOT exceed 65% of the wing- or rotorspan.

## **Aerial Operator Precautions:**

- Do not allow the pilot to mix chemicals to be loaded onto the aircraft. Loading of premixed chemicals with a closed system is permitted.
- It is desirable that the pilots have communication capabilities at each treatment site at the time of application.
- The field crew and the mixer/loaders must wear chemical resistant gloves, coveralls over a long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes plus socks and protective eyewear (safety glasses). Follow the more stringent label precautions in cases where the operator precautions exceed the generic label recommendations on the existing ground boom label.
- All personnel on the job site must wash hands and face thoroughly before eating and drinking. Protective clothing, aircraft cockpit and vehicle cabs must be decontaminated regularly.

## **Product Specific Precautions:**

• Read and understand the entire label before opening this product. If you have questions, call the manufacturer at 1-888-283-6847 or obtain technical advice from the distributor or your provincial agricultural representative.

# 9.3 BUFFER ZONES

Use of the following spray methods or equipment **DO NOT** require a buffer zone: hand-held or backpack sprayer and spot treatment.

The buffer zones specified in the table below are required between the point of direct application and the closest downwind edge of sensitive terrestrial habitats (such as grasslands, forested areas, shelter belts, woodlots, hedgerows, riparian areas and shrublands), sensitive freshwater habitats (such as lakes, rivers, sloughs, ponds, prairie potholes, creeks, marshes, streams, reservoirs and wetlands) and estuarine/marine habitats.

Method of	Buffer Zones (metres) Required for the Protection of:		
Application	Freshwater Habitat of Depths:		Terrestrial Habitat
Application	Less	Greater	Terrestrial Habitat

	than 1 m	than 1 m	
Field sprayer*	1	1	5
Aerial (fixed wing)	10	1	375
Aerial (rotary wing)	10	1	225

\*For field sprayer application, buffer zones can be reduced with the use of drift reducing spray shields. When using a spray boom fitted with a full shield (shroud, curtain) that extends to the canopy or ground, the labelled buffer zone can be reduced by 70%. When using a spray boom where individual nozzles are fitted with cone-shaped shields that are no more than 30 cm above the canopy or ground, the labelled buffer zone can be reduced by 30%.

# 9.4 ROTATIONAL CROPS

Only the following crops have been field tested to indicate they may be safely planted at the prescribed interval after an application of VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix. To avoid the possibility of injury to subsequent crops after an application of the recommended rate of VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix, follow the crops and replanting interval which appear on this label. A field bioassay must be conducted the year prior to growing any other crop of interest to confirm crop safety.

CROP	REPLANTING INTERVAL
Alfalfa	10 months
Barley, spring	10 months
Canaryseed	10 months
Canola	10 months
Corn, field*	10 months
Flax, including low linolenic acid varieties	10 months
Lentils	22 months
Oats, spring	10 months
Peas, field**	10 months
Soybeans*	10 months
Sunflower	10 months
Wheat, spring and durum	10 months

\*Manitoba only

\*\* Field peas may be grown the year following VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix application in all Black, Grey-Wooded and Dark Brown soil zones. **DO NOT** plant field peas the year following a VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix application in the Brown soil zone where organic matter content is below 2.5 % and where soil pH is above 7.5.

# SECTION 10: PRE-HARVEST, PRE-GRAZING/FEEDING AND RE-ENTRY INTERVALS

- DO NOT graze the treated crops or cut for forage within 25 days or cut for hay within 30 days of application.
- DO NOT harvest spring and durum wheat for grain or straw within 60 days of application.
- DO NOT harvest winter wheat for grain or straw within 72 days of application.
- DO NOT re-enter treated fields within 12 hours of application.

# SECTION 11: MIXING INSTRUCTIONS

VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix must be applied with properly calibrated and clean sprayer equipment. VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix is specially formulated to mix readily in water. Prior to adding VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix to the spray tank, ensure that the spray tank is thoroughly clean (see Section 12 "Sprayer Cleanup").

- 1. Fill the spray tank <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> to <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> full with clean water and begin agitation or bypass.
- 2. Add the appropriate rate of VELOCITY A Herbicide, as specified under Section 8, directly to the spray tank. Maintain sufficient agitation during both mixing and application.
- 3. Add VELOCITY B Herbicide, as specified under Section 8.
- 4. Fill the spray tank with balance of water required.
- 5. Maintain sufficient agitation during both mixing and application of VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix.

VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix may settle if left standing without agitation. If the spray solution is allowed to stand for one hour or more, re-agitate the spray solution for a minimum of 10 minutes before application.

# SECTION 12: SPRAYER CLEANUP

Before and after using VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix always complete a thorough cleaning of the spray tank, lines and filters. The following procedures are recommended:

- 1. Drain the tank completely, and then wash out tank, boom and hoses with clean water. Drain again.
- 2. Half fill the tank with clean water and add ammonia (i.e., 3% domestic ammonia solution) at a dilution rate of 1% (i.e., 1 litre of domestic ammonia for every 100 litres of rinsate). Complete filling of the tank with water. Agitate/recirculate and flush through boom and hoses. Leave agitation on for 10 minutes. Drain tank completely.
- 3. Repeat step 2.

- 4. Remove nozzles and screens and soak them in a 1% ammonia solution. Inspect nozzles and screens and remove visible residues.
- 5. Flush tank, boom, and hoses with clean water.
- 6. Inspect tank for visible residues. If present, repeat step 2.
- 7. Dispose of rinsings in accordance with provincial regulations.

# SECTION 13: RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

For resistance management, VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix is a Group 2, 27 and 6 herbicide. Any weed population may contain or develop plants naturally resistant to VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix and other Group 2, 27 and 6 herbicides. The resistant biotypes may dominate the weed population if these herbicides are used repeatedly in the same field. Other resistance mechanisms that are not linked to site of action, but specific for individual chemicals, such as enhanced metabolism, may also exist. Appropriate resistance-management strategies should be followed.

To delay herbicide resistance:

- 1. Where possible, rotate the use of VELOCITY M3 Herbicide Tank-Mix or other Group 2, 27 and 6 herbicides with different herbicide groups that control the same weeds in a field.
- 2. Use tank mixtures with herbicides from a different group when such use is permitted.
- 3. Herbicide use should be based on an IPM program that includes scouting, historical information related to herbicide use and crop rotation, and considers tillage (or other mechanical), cultural, biological and other chemical control practices.
- 4. Monitor treated weed populations for resistance development.
- 5. Prevent movement of resistant weed seeds to other fields by cleaning harvesting and tillage equipment and planting clean seed.
- Contact your local extension specialist or certified crop advisors for any additional pesticide resistance-management and/or integrated weed-management recommendations for specific crops and weed biotypes.
- For further information or to report suspected resistance contact Bayer CropScience Inc. via internet at <u>www.bayercropscience.ca</u> or telephone at 1-888-283-6847.

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