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# Eclipse<sup>TM</sup> XC A Herbicide

GROUP	4	HERBICIDE
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**COMMERCIAL** 

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ACTIVE INGREDIENT: clopyralid: 600 g a.e./L (present as the dimethylamine salt)

Solution

REGISTRATION NO. 32883 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

NET CONTENTS: 1 L - bulk

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## PRECAUTIONS KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

Wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, chemical resistant gloves, shoes and socks during mixing, loading, application, clean-up and repair. Goggles or a face shield are required during mixing and loading.

Do not enter or allow workers entry into treated areas for 12 hours following application to all crops.

**AT COMPLETION OF SPRAYING OR END OF THE DAY:** Take a shower immediately. Wash thoroughly with soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking. Remove contaminated clothing at the end of the work session and store and wash separately from household laundry using detergents and hot water before reuse.

#### **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. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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No specific antidote. Employ supportive care. Treatment should be based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.

#### AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL

Do not ship or store with food, feeds, drugs or clothing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS**

TOXIC to non-target terrestrial plants. Observe buffer zones specified under DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

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

To reduce runoff from treated areas into aquatic habitats, consider the characteristics and conditions of the site before treatment. Site characteristics and conditions that may lead to runoff include, but are not limited to: heavy rainfall, moderate to steep slope, bare soil, poorly draining soil (for example, soils that are compacted or fine textured such as clay).

Avoid application of this product 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.

#### **STORAGE**

Store away from food, feedstuff, fertilizer, seeds, insecticides, fungicides or other pesticides or herbicides intended to be used on crops sensitive to Eclipse XC A Herbicide. Store in heated storage; if product is frozen, bring to room temperature and agitate before use.

#### **DISPOSAL**

#### **Recyclable Containers:**

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#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Eclipse XC A Herbicide is a liquid concentrate intended for dilution with water and for use as a tank-mix only, with Eclipse XC B Herbicide, on canola and field corn. It is readily absorbed by both foliage and roots and translocates both upwards and downwards in plants. The product controls Canada thistle, wild buckwheat, scentless chamomile, common groundsel and volunteer alfalfa. It suppresses growth of perennial sow-thistle through control of top growth.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

#### **VEGETATION AND CROP PRECAUTIONS**

Do not use in greenhouses.

#### **Sensitive Plants**

Do not apply Eclipse XC A Herbicide directly to, or otherwise permit it to come into contact with sunflowers, legumes (such as peas, beans, lentils or alfalfa), fruit or vegetable crops, flowers or other desirable broadleaved plants. Take precautions to prevent spray mists containing it to drift onto them. Residues of Eclipse XC A Herbicide can remain in the soil following the year of use, thereby affecting growth of sensitive crops.

#### **Non-Target Sites**

Avoid contamination of non-target land, water or irrigation ditches. Do not use Eclipse XC A Herbicide in the following areas: standing or flowing water; the inner banks or bottoms of irrigation ditches; in areas where surface water can run off to adjacent croplands either planted or to be planted to sensitive crops.

#### **Crop Rotation**

Fields previously treated with Eclipse XC A Herbicide can be seeded the following year to wheat, oats, barley, rye (not underseeded with legumes, clover or alfalfa), forage grasses, flax, canola, mustard, soybeans, field peas, sugar beets or it can be summerfallowed.

Fields previously treated with Eclipse XC A Herbicide at 0.17 L/ha plus Eclipse XC B Herbicide at 0.94 L/ha can be seeded after a minimum of 10 months to soybeans or field peas. Very dry soil conditions following application can result in a risk of injury to soybeans or field peas grown in rotation. If severe drought conditions are experienced during the months of June to August inclusive in the year of application, delay seeding soybeans and field peas an additional 12 months (total 22 months following application). Contact your local Corteva Agriscience Canada Company representative or retailer for more information before seeding soybeans or field peas following drought conditions in the previous year.

Do not seed to crops other than those listed above in the calendar year following treatment.

#### **Tank Mixtures**

In some cases, tank mixing a pest control product with another pest control product or a fertilizer can result in biological effects that could include, but are not limited to: reduced pest efficacy or increased host crop injury. The user should contact Corteva Agriscience Canada Company at 1-800-667-3852 or <a href="https://www.corteva.ca">www.corteva.ca</a> for information before mixing any pesticide or fertilizer that is not specifically recommended on this label.

When Eclipse XC A Herbicide is 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.

#### **Grazing and Harvesting for Feed**

For field corn, do not allow livestock to graze treated areas or harvest treated field corn for silage as feed within 40 fays after last treatment

For canola, there are no restrictions on the grazing of crops or forages treated with Eclipse XC A Herbicide. If necessary, treated areas may be grazed immediately following application.

#### **Manure and Straw**

Residues of the herbicide occurring in the straw may be harmful to susceptible plants; therefore, do not use straw or crop residue from treated crops for composting or mulching susceptible broadleaved crops. If the straw or crop residue is used for animal bedding or feed, return the manure to fields to be planted to clopyralid tolerant crops such as wheat, barley, oats, rye, forage grasses, canola or flax. Do not grow susceptible crops such as peas, beans, lentils, potatoes, sunflowers or other sensitive crops on land which has been mulched with straw containing Eclipse XC A Herbicide residues within the last 12 months.

#### SPRAY EQUIPMENT AND CONTAINER PRECAUTIONS

Apply only when the potential for drift to areas of human habitation or areas of human activity (such as houses, cottages, schools and recreational areas) is minimal. Take into consideration wind speed, wind direction, temperature inversions, and application equipment sprayer settings.

Field sprayer application: **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.

#### DO NOT APPLY BY AIR.

#### **To Reduce Spray Drift**

- Use nozzles that deliver higher volumes and coarser droplets.
- Use low pressures (200 to 275 kPa).
- Use 100 to 200 L/ha of spray solution.
- Spray when the wind velocity is 15 km/hr or less.

#### Sprayer clean-out

To avoid injury to desirable plants, thoroughly clean equipment used to apply this product before re-use or using it to apply other chemicals.

- 1. Immediately after spraying, completely drain the sprayer tank. Any contamination on the outside of the spraying equipment should be removed by washing with clean water.
- 2. First rinse:
  - Spray the inside of tank with clean water and fill the sprayer with at least one tenth of the spray tank volume.
  - Agitate and circulate for 15 minutes, and flush through booms and hoses.
  - Remove end caps or open ball valves on the ends of each boom section, and flush solution through the boom ends to ensure there is no spray solution trapped between the boom end and the nozzles.
  - Drain tank completely.
- 3. Second rinse:
  - Fill the tank with clean water.
  - Add All Clear Spray Tank Decontaminator, or Clean-Out Spray Tank Cleaner, or 1 L of household ammonia (containing a minimum of 3 % ammonia) per 100 L of water, or similar tank cleaning agent as per manufacturer's recommendations while filling the tank with clean water.
  - Agitate and then flush the boom and hoses with the cleaning solution. Top up with water making sure the tank is completely full. Allow to stand for 15 minutes with agitation. Flush the solution out of the spray tank through the spray booms. Remove end caps or open ball valves on the ends of each boom section, and flush solution through the boom ends to ensure there is no spray solution trapped between the boom end and the nozzles.
  - If possible, let the solution stand in the sprayer tank and booms for an extended period of time, overnight if possible.
  - After flushing the boom and hoses, drain tank completely.
  - Remove nozzles and screens and clean separately with a cleaning agent or an ammonia solution (100 mL in 10 L water).
- 4. Third rinse:
  - Rinse the tank with clean water and flush through the boom and hoses using at least one tenth of the spray tank volume.
  - Remove end caps or open ball valves on the ends of each boom section, and flush solution through the boom ends to ensure there is no spray solution trapped between the boom end and the nozzles.
  - Drain tank completely.

**Caution:** Do not use ammonia with chlorine bleach. Using ammonia with chlorine bleach will release a gas with a musty chlorine odour which may cause eye, nose, throat, and lung irritation. Do not clean equipment in an enclosed area.

#### **APPLICATION DIRECTIONS**

#### **Spray Preparation**

To prepare the spray solution add about half the desired amount of water to the spray tank, then with mechanical or bypass agitation, add the recommended amount of Eclipse XC A Herbicide. Mix thoroughly in the tank. Second, add the recommended tank-mix herbicide. Finally with continued agitation, add the rest of the water.

#### **Spray Application Volume**

Apply Eclipse XC A Herbicide at 0.17 L/ha plus Eclipse™ XC B at the recommended rate in sufficient water to ensure thorough coverage (100 to 200 L/ha of spray solution) by ground equipment only at pressures of 200 to 275 kPa. Treat when weeds are young and actively growing, when the Canada thistle is in the rosette to pre-bud stage and before the purple bud stage and volunteer alfalfa is 5-50 cm in height.

#### **CANOLA (Western Canada Only)**

For use on Polish and Argentine varieties Eclipse XC A Herbicide should be diluted with water and applied at the 2 to 6 leaf stage of the crop to effectively control Canada thistle, scentless chamomile, common groundsel, wild buckwheat, the top growth of perennial sow-thistle and volunteer alfalfa.

#### **Tank Mix Combinations in Canola**

REFER TO THE PRODUCT LABELS OF THESE HERBICIDES FOR A LIST OF OTHER WEEDS CONTROLLED, RATES (IF NOT LISTED IN THE TABLE BELOW) AND TIMINGS OF APPLICATION, WATER VOLUMES AND USE PRECAUTIONS.

	WATER VOLUMES AND USE I RECACTIONS.				
Rate	Rate Eclipse XC B**				
Eclipse XC A		Additional Weeds Controlled			
0.17 L/ha	0.94 L/ha	For rates and timing of application for annual grass and broadleaf weeds please see tank-mix partner label.  Weeds controlled season long: Canada thistle (season-long top growth), dandelions <15 cm diameter (season-long top growth), dandelions >15 cm diameter (suppression), perennial sowthistle (season-long top growth), wild buck wheat			

<sup>\*\*</sup> Glyphosate-tolerant canola varieties only – apply to canola when in the 2 to 6 leaf stage. Use 100 L/ha water.

FIELD CORN (glyphosate tolerant - for grain, silage or grazing\*)

Apply Eclipse XC A in a tank-mix (see tank-mix table) as a broadcast application when field corn is at the spike to V6 (8 leaf stage of growth).

#### Tank-mix Combinations in Field Corn

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<sup>\*</sup> Do not apply to sweet corn, seed corn or popcorn.

#### **BUFFER ZONES**

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, woodlots, hedgerows, riparian areas and shrublands).

Method of Application	Crop	Buffer Zones (metres) Required for the Protection of Terrestrial Habitat
field sprayer	Canola, corn	2

For tank mixes, consult the labels of the tank-mix partners and observe the largest (most restrictive) buffer zone of the products involved in the tank mixture and apply using the coarsest spray (ASAE) category indicated on the label for those tank-mix partners.

NOTE: Applicators may recalculate a site-specific buffer zone by combining information on current weather conditions and spray configuration for the following applications: all airblast applications, and for field and aerial applications which specify the following droplet size category wording on the product label: 'DO NOT apply with spray droplets smaller than the American Society of Agricultural Engineers (ASAE) [Fine or Medium or Coarse] classification.' To access the Buffer Zone Calculator, please visit the Pest Management Regulatory Agency web site.

#### RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

For resistance management, Eclipse XC A Herbicide is a Group 4 herbicide. Any weed population may contain or develop plants naturally resistant to Eclipse XC A Herbicide and other Group 4 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:

- Where possible, rotate the use of Eclipse XC A Herbicide or other Group 4 herbicides within a growing season (sequence) or among growing seasons with different herbicide groups that control the same weeds in a field.
- Use tank mixtures with herbicides from a different group when such use is permitted. To delay resistance, the less resistance-prone partner should control the target weed(s) as effectively as the more resistance-prone partner.
- Herbicide use should be based on an integrated weed management program that includes scouting, historical information related to herbicide use and crop rotation, and considers tillage (or other mechanical control methods), cultural (for example, higher crop seeding rates; precision fertilizer application method and timing to favour the crop and not the weeds), biological (weed-competitive crops or varieties) and other management practices.
- Monitor weed populations after herbicide application for signs of resistance development (for
  example, only one weed species on the herbicide label not controlled). If resistance is suspected,
  prevent weed seed production in the affected area if possible by an alternative herbicide from a
  different group. Prevent movement of resistant weed seeds to other fields by cleaning harvesting and
  tillage equipment when moving between fields, and planting clean seed.
- Have suspected resistant weed seeds tested by a qualified laboratory to confirm resistance and identify alternative herbicide options.
- 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 Corteva Agriscience Canada Company at 1-800-667-3852 or at <a href="https://www.corteva.ca">www.corteva.ca</a>.

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