GROUP 4 INSECTICIDE

THEME 480 SC INSECTICIDE

SUSPENSION CONCENTRATE

For Control of Listed Insects in Pome Fruits

COMMERCIAL



POTENTIAL SKIN SENSITIZER

REGISTRATION NUMBER 34379 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Thiacloprid......480 g/L

Contains 1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one at 0.023%, 2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one at 0.000296% and 5-chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one at 0.000904% as preservatives

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

NET CONTENTS: 1 - 25 LITRES

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Theme 480 SC Insecticide is a locally systemic and translaminar insecticide which provides control of certain insect pests in pome fruits. Theme 480 SC Insecticide controls insect pests by contact action and by ingestion of the treated plant tissue.

PRECAUTIONS:

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Fatal or poisonous if swallowed. Harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing spray mist. Potential skin sensitizer. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, or smoking. If product comes in contact with clothing, remove all contaminated clothing, wash skin with soap and water and dress in clean clothing. Launder applicator clothing separate from other laundry. DO NOT re-enter treated fields for 12 hours after application. 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 website at www.croplife.ca.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT:

Wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, chemical-resistant gloves, socks and shoes during mixing, loading, application, clean-up and repair. Gloves are not required during application within a closed cab.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:

- Toxic to aquatic organisms. Observe spray buffer zones specified under DIRECTIONS FOR USE.
- Toxic to certain beneficial arthropods (which may include predatory and parasitic insects, spiders, and mites). Minimize spray drift to reduce harmful effects on beneficial arthropods in habitats next to the application site such as hedgerows and woodland.
- 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 of this product when heavy rain is forecast. Contamination of aquatic areas as a result of runoff may be reduced by including a vegetative filter strip between the treated area and the edge of the water body.

FIRST AID:

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. 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.

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.

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

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Treat symptomatically.

STORAGE

Store this product away from food or feed.

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

This product CANNOT be stored below freezing.

If stored for 1 year or longer, shake well before using.

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

Do not use or store in or around the home.

Keep in original container during storage.

In case of fire, leaking or damaged containers, call toll free 1-800-334-7577.

DISPOSAL

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.

Disposal of Unused Spray Solution:

If any spray solution remains in the tank after spraying is finished, it should be sprayed on the perimeter of the area, away from water supplies, ditches, and irrigation canals.

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Section 1: The Product

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SAFETY AND HANDLING

Section 2: Precautions, Protective Clothing and Equipment, and Re-entry Restriction.

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Section 3: First Aid and Toxicological Information

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Section 4: Environmental Precautions

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Section 5: Storage

Store this product away from food or feed.

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Section 6: Disposal

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Section 7: Crop, Insect, Rate, Timing

DO NOT apply this product directly to freshwater habitats (such as lakes, rivers, sloughs, ponds, prairie potholes, creeks, marshes, streams, reservoirs, ditches and wetlands), estuaries or marine habitats.

DO NOT contaminate irrigation or drinking water supplies or aquatic habitats by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

Airblast application: DO NOT apply during periods of dead calm. Avoid application of this product when winds are gusty. DO NOT direct spray above plants to be treated. Turn off outward pointing nozzles at row ends and outer rows. DO NOT apply when wind speed is greater than 16 km/h at the application site as measured outside of the treatment area on the upwind side.

DO NOT apply by air.

As this product is not registered for the control of pests in aquatic systems, DO NOT use to control aquatic pests

Apply the specified amount of Theme 480 SC Insecticide per hectare in a minimum spray volume of 1000 L of water. Higher spray volumes can be used provided the specified amount of Theme 480 SC Insecticide per hectare is used.

Pome Fruits: Apple, Crabapple, Loquat, Mayhaw, Pear, Oriental Pear, Quince.

INSECT	RATE	TIMING		
	(mL product/ha)			
First generation codling moth, Plum curculio	290 – 440 mL/ha	 DO NOT apply more than 875 mL Theme 480 SC Insecticide/ha in one season DO NOT make more than 3 applications/year. For plum curculio, apply the high rate when pest pressure is high. Make the first application around petal fall and follow with a second spray to target the oviposition period if required. A second application may be required when emergence is extended. 		
Apple maggot, Second generation codling moth, Oriental fruit moth	440 mL/ha	For codling moth, begin applications at peak egg deposition and prior to egg hatch. A second application may be required after 14-21 days if pheromone traps indicate that populations have reached economic thresholds. For first generation codling moth control, apply 290 mL product/ha when		
First generation spotted tentiform leafminer, Leafhoppers	145 mL/ha	pest pressure is low to moderate and populations of oriental fruit moth are either absent or require a different timing, and 440 mL/ha under high pest pressure or when the timing for control measures of both codling moth and oriental fruit moth are		
Mullein bug, Second and third generation spotted tentiform leafminer	145 - 290 mL/ha	 synchronous. For apple maggot and oriental fruit moth, apply 440 mL product/ha for all generations. Utilize pheromone traps or sticky traps to determine optimum application timing. Repeat at 14-21 day intervals if required. For mullein bug, apply when nymphs have reached economic thresholds. A second application at 7-14 days may be required during periods of extended emergence. For leafhoppers, apply when economic thresholds are reached. For spotted tentiform leafminer, apply 145 mL product/ha for control of first generation. For subsequent generations, apply 145 mL product/ha under low to moderate pest pressure, and 290 mL product/ha under high pest pressure. Target application at oviposition to early sap feeding stages. A second application may be required at 7-14 days under severe pressure or when extended flight occurs. 		

NOTE: Do not tank mix THEME 480 SC Insecticide with pesticides, fertilizers or any other chemical additives unless recommended on this label.

SPRAY 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 freshwater habitats

(such as lakes, rivers, sloughs, ponds, Prairie potholes, creeks, marshes, streams, reservoirs and wetlands) and estuarine/marine habitats.

Crop	Airblast application	Spray Buffer Zones (metres) Required for the Protection of:					
		Freshwater Habitat of Depths:		Estuarine/Marine Habitats of			
					Depths:		
		Less than	1 - 3 m	Greater	Less than	1 - 3 m	Greater
		1 m		than 3 m	1 m		than 3 m
Pome	Early growth stage	30	25	15	25	20	10
fruits	Late growth stage	20	15	5	15	15	5

The spray buffer zones for this product can be modified based on weather conditions and spray equipment configuration by accessing the Spray Buffer Zone Calculator on the Pesticides portion of the Canada.ca website.

Section 8: Resistance Management Recommendations

For resistance management, please note that THEME 480 SC Insecticide contains a Group 4 insecticide. Any insect population may contain individuals naturally resistant to Theme 480 SC Insecticide and other Group 4 insecticides. The resistant individuals may dominate the insect population if this group of insecticides is used repeatedly in the same fields. Other resistance mechanisms that are not linked to site of action but are specific for individual chemicals, such as enhanced metabolism, may also exist. Appropriate resistance-management strategies should be followed.

To delay insecticide resistance:

- Where possible, rotate the use of Theme 480 SC Insecticide or other Group 4 Insecticides with different groups that control the same pests in a field.
- Insecticide use should be based on an integrated pest management (IPM) program that includes scouting, record keeping and considers cultural, biological, and other chemical control practices.
- Monitor treated pest populations for resistance development.
- Contact the local extension specialist or certified crop advisors for any additional pesticide resistance-management and/or IPM recommendations for the specific site and pest problems in your area.
- For further information or to report suspected resistance contact company representatives at 1-844-810-5720.

Section 9:	Application Precautions	
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Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

DO NOT apply more than 875 mL/ha of THEME 480 SC Insecticide in a year. When using THEME 480 SC Insecticide, do not apply more than three times in a year to support sound resistance management strategies.

If spray mixture remains in the tank overnight, or for long periods during the day, agitate thoroughly prior to application.

Section 10: Mixing Instructions

THEME 480 SC Insecticide must be applied with properly calibrated, clean equipment. Prior to adding THEME 480 SC Insecticide to the spray tank, ensure that the spray tank is thoroughly clean:

- Add one-half of the required amount of water to the spray or mixing tank and start agitation.
- Add the required quantity of THEME 480 SC Insecticide to the water and complete filling with water to the required total volume.
- Maintain agitation throughout mixing and spraying.

Section 11: Pre-harvest Interval

Do not apply within 30 days of harvest.

Section 12: Notices

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