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## VIKING™ Prothioconazole Fungicide

GROUP	3	FUNGICIDE
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SUSPENSION

COMMERCIAL (AGRICULTURAL)

For Control or Suppression of Listed Diseases in Barley, Borage, *Brassica carinata*, Canola, Chickpeas, Crambe, Corn, Flax (Linseed), Lentils, Oats, Oriental Mustard, Peanut, Rapeseed, Safflower, Soybean, Sugar Beet, Sunflower, Wheat and Certain Other Small Grains.

**SYMBOL – Triple Rinse**

**REGISTRATION NUMBER: 35109 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT**

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:** Prothioconazole 480 g/L

Contains 1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one at 0.04% and 5-chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one at 0.001% and 2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one at 0.0004% as preservatives.

**NET CONTENTS:** 2-101 L

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**In case of emergency call the 24 hour Emergency Response Number 1-800-424-9300  
or 1-703-527-3887**

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

**VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** is a broad-spectrum systemic fungicide for the control or suppression of listed *Ascomycetes*, *Basidiomycetes* and *Deuteromycetes* diseases on barley, *Brassica carinata*, borage, canola, chickpeas, crambe, corn, flax (linseed), lentils, oats, Oriental mustard, peanut, rapeseed, safflower, soybean, sugar beet, sunflower, wheat and certain other small grains.

### PRECAUTIONS:

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### 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. In addition, wear protective eyewear (goggles or face shield) during mixing, loading, clean-up and repair.
- If applying **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** to greater than 310 ha per day using open-cab groundboom equipment, applicators must also wear a respirator with a NIOSH-approved organic-vapour-removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides, or a NIOSH-approved canister approved for pesticides.
- Gloves are not required during application within closed cabs or cockpits.

### FIRST AID:

**IF SWALLOWED:** Call a poison control center 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 center 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.

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### TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

- Treat symptomatically.
- Medical Personnel should call the **24 hour Emergency Response Number 1-800-424-9300 or 1-703-527-3887.**

## ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS

Toxic to aquatic organisms and non-target terrestrial plants. Observe spray buffer zones specified under DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

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 filter strip between the treated area and the edge of the water body.

## STORAGE

- Store this product away from food and feed.
- Keep away from direct sunlight.
- Keep away from fire or open flame or other sources of heat.
- Do not store at temperatures 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 1-587-743-1029.

## DISPOSAL

### Recyclable Container Disposal:

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## 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.

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

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## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

### Section 7: Crop, Disease, Rate, Timing

CEREALS (Barley, Wheat and Oats)			
CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Barley	For suppression of Fusarium head blight (scab) ( <i>Fusarium</i> spp.),	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> once, at 315 to 420 mL/ha (150-200 g a.i./ha)  Adjuvant: Apply with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf® or Agral® 90 at 0.125% v/v	<p>Fusarium head blight outbreaks in barley occur when the weather is warm and wet at ear emergence. The application of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> for protection against fusarium head blight (scab) should be considered when these environmental conditions are forecasted for this stage of barley development.</p> <p><b>Timing of application is critical:</b> For optimum suppression of fusarium head blight, apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> as a preventative spray within the time period when 70 to 100% of the barley main stem heads are fully emerged, to 3 days after full head emergence.</p> <p>Application of the 420 mL/ha rate is suggested in situations where disease pressure is expected to be high. Such situations may occur when prolonged periods of warm wet weather are forecast during barley ear emergence, when barley is grown in a crop rotation that has contained corn or when susceptible cultivars are grown.</p> <p>Use of the 420 mL/ha rate will typically provide highest levels of mycotoxin reduction.</p> <p><b>Spray Coverage is essential for optimum efficacy:</b> Spray equipment must be set up to provide good coverage to barley heads. To achieve thorough barley head coverage using ground application equipment, it is recommended to use forward and backward mounted nozzles or nozzles that have a two-directional spray. Nozzles should be operated within the spray pressure recommendations suggested by the manufacturer.</p>
	For control of: Net blotch ( <i>Pyrenophora teres</i> ).  Scald ( <i>Rhynchosporium secalis</i> )  Spot blotch ( <i>Cochliobolus sativus</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> once, at 210 to 315 mL/ha (100 - 150 g a.i./ha)  Adjuvant: Apply with a non-ionic surfactant, AgSurf or Agral 90 at 0.125% v/v	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> as a preventive foliar spray when the earliest disease symptoms appear on the leaves and stems. Barley fields should be observed closely for early disease symptoms, particularly when susceptible varieties are planted and/or under prolonged conditions favourable for disease development.
<p>Note: A maximum of 2 applications (735 mL/ha) of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b>, with a minimum 7 day application interval, may be applied per barley crop, per year. Do not apply within 30 days of harvest. Applications may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment.</p>			

CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Wheat (spring, durum and winter)	For suppression of Fusarium head blight ( <i>Fusarium</i> spp.),  For control of Glume blotch ( <i>Stagonosora nodorum</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> once, at 315 to 420 mL/ha (150-200 g a.i./ha)  Adjuvant: Apply with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90 at 0.125% v/v	Fusarium head blight outbreaks in wheat occur when the weather is warm and wet at head emergence and flowering. The application of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> for protection against fusarium head blight (scab) should be considered when these environmental conditions are forecasted for this stage of wheat development.  <b>Timing of application is critical:</b> For optimum suppression of fusarium head blight or control of glume blotch, apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> within the time period from when at least 75% of the wheat heads on the main stem are fully emerged to when 50% of the heads on the main stem are in flower.  Application of the 420 mL/ha rate is suggested in situations where disease pressure is expected to be high. Such situations may occur when prolonged periods of warm, wet weather are forecast during anthesis, when wheat is grown in a crop rotation that has contained corn or when more susceptible cultivars or wheat types (i.e. durum) are grown.  Use of the 420 mL/ha rate will typically provide highest levels of mycotoxin reduction.  <b>Spray Coverage is essential for optimum efficacy:</b> Spray equipment must be set up to provide good coverage to wheat heads. To achieve thorough wheat head coverage using ground application equipment, it is recommended to use forward and backward mounted nozzles or nozzles that have a two-directional spray. Nozzles should be operated within the spray pressure recommendations suggested by the manufacturer.
	For control of :  Speckled leaf blotch ( <i>Septoria tritici</i> ) ;  Tan spot ( <i>Pyrenophora tritici-repentis</i> ) ;  Leaf rust ( <i>Puccinia recondita</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 315 mL/ha (150 g a.i./ha)  Adjuvant: Apply with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90 at 0.125% v/v	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> as a preventive foliar spray when the earliest disease symptoms appear on the leaves and stems. Wheat fields should be observed closely for early disease symptoms, particularly when susceptible varieties are planted and/or under prolonged conditions favourable for disease development.
Note: A maximum of 2 applications (735 mL/ha) of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> , with a minimum 7 day application interval, may be applied per wheat crop per year. Do not apply within 30 days of harvest. Applications may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment.			

CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Oats	For control of Crown rust ( <i>Puccinia coronata</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 315 mL/ha (150 g a.i./ha)  Adjuvant: Apply with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90 at 0.125% v/v	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> as a preventive foliar spray when the earliest disease symptoms appear on the leaves and stems. Fields should be observed closely for early disease symptoms, particularly when susceptible varieties are planted and/or under prolonged conditions favourable for disease development.

Note: A maximum of 2 applications (630 mL/ha) of **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide**, with a minimum 7 day application interval, may be applied per oat crop per year. Do not apply within 30 days of harvest. Applications may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment.

OILSEED CROPS (Canola, Rapeseed, Oriental Mustard, <i>Brassica carinata</i> )			
CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Canola, Rapeseed, Oriental mustard, <i>Brassica carinata</i>	For control of Sclerotinia stem rot ( <i>Sclerotinia sclerotiorum</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 315 – 368 mL/ha (150-175 g a.i./ha)	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> when the crop is in the 20 - 50% bloom stage. Best protection will be achieved when the fungicide is applied prior to petals beginning to fall, and will allow for the maximum number of petals to be protected. The 315 mL/ha rate is the recommended rate for most oilseed crops, however, the higher rate is recommended for fields with a history of heavy disease pressure or for dense crop stands. Good spray coverage of the plants is essential.  A second application at a rate of 315 mL/ha may be applied 7-10 days later, up to full bloom, if disease persists or weather conditions are favourable for disease development. When conditions favouring disease are severe, use the shorter interval.

Note: **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** may be applied with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90, at 0.125% v/v. A maximum of two applications (683 mL/ha of **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide**) may be applied per year. The application may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment. Do not apply within 36 days of harvest.

<b>PULSE CROPS (Chickpeas, Lentils)</b>			
<b>CROPS</b>	<b>DISEASE</b>	<b>RATE</b>	<b>TIMING</b>
Chickpeas	For control of Ascochyta blight ( <i>Ascochyta rabiei</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 315 – 420 mL/ha (150-200 g a.i./ha)	<p>Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at the first sign of disease.</p> <p>After the initial application, repeat applications may be made on 10-14 day intervals. Apply the higher rate when conditions favour disease development, or when growing less disease resistant varieties.</p> <p>A maximum of 1260 mL/ha of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> may be applied per year for chickpeas.</p> <p>Maximum of three applications per year.</p>
	For suppression of Grey mould ( <i>Botrytis cinerea</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 420 mL/ha (200 g a.i./ha)	
Lentils	For control of: Ascochyta blight ( <i>Ascochyta spp.</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 315 – 420 mL/ha (150-200 g a.i./ha)	<p>Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at the beginning of flowering or at first sign of disease.</p> <p>After the initial application, one additional application may be made 10-14 days afterwards if conditions remain favourable for continued or increased disease development. Apply the higher rate when conditions favour disease development, or when growing less disease resistant varieties.</p>
	White mold ( <i>Sclerotinia sclerotiorum</i> )		
	For suppression of Anthracnose* ( <i>Colletotrichum lentis</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 320 – 420 mL/ha (154-200 g a.i./ha)	A maximum of 840 mL/ha of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> may be applied per year for lentils.
	For suppression of Grey mould ( <i>Botrytis cinerea</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 420 mL/ha (200 g a.i./ha)	Maximum of two applications per year.
<p>Note: <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> may be applied with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90, at 0.125% v/v. Applications may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment. Do not apply within 7 days of cutting or swathing of the crop.</p> <p>* Including biotypes resistant to Group 11 (strobilurin) fungicides.</p>			

Soybean			
CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Soybean	For control of:  Asian soybean rust ( <i>Phakopsora pachyrhizi</i> )  Frogeye leaf spot ( <i>Cercospora sojina</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> At 210 mL/ha (100 g a.i./ha)	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> when first symptoms of disease can be found or the risk of infection is imminent.  Do not apply more than one application per year.
<p>Note: <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> may be applied with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90, at 0.125% v/v. The application may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment. Do not apply within 20 days of harvest.</p>			

Corn (field, sweet and popcorn)			
CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Corn (field, sweet and popcorn, including seed production)	<p>For the suppression of Fusarium and Gibberella ear rots (<i>Fusarium spp. and Gibberella spp.</i>)</p> <p>For the control of Grey Leaf Spot (<i>Cercospora zea-maydis</i>)</p>	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 420 mL/ha (200 g a.i./ha)	<p>Fusarium Ear Rot outbreaks in corn occur when the weather is warm and wet during silking. It is also driven by hybrid selection and field history of severe fusarium outbreaks. The application of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> for protection against Fusarium Ear Rot should be considered when these conditions are forecasted for a specific corn field. In addition to the suppression of Fusarium Ear Rot, <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> will provide protection from the major leaf diseases affecting corn.</p> <p><b>Timing of application is critical:</b> For optimum suppression of Fusarium Ear Rot apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> from the development stage of corn between the tip of stigma visible (silking, BBCH 63) to the stigma drying (silk browning, BBCH 67). <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> will reduce both disease symptoms and levels of mycotoxin in the grain.</p> <p><b>Spray Coverage is essential for optimum efficacy:</b> Spray equipment must be set up to provide good coverage to the cobs. To achieve thorough cob coverage using ground application equipment, it is recommended to use drop-nozzles. Nozzles should be operated within the spray pressure recommendations suggested by the manufacturer.</p> <p>Do not apply more than one application per season.</p>
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Peanut		
DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Suppression of <i>Rhizoctonia</i> pod rot ( <i>Rhizoctonia solani</i> )	420 mL per hectare (200 g a.i./ha)	<p>For Soil-Borne Diseases</p> <p>Applications of fungicides with a different mode of action should be made prior to and following applications of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> to discourage development of resistant strains of fungi.</p> <p>In fields with a history of pod rot or in situations where conditions favour disease development apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at about mid-season and continue <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> applications at 14-day intervals.</p> <p><b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> must be carried by rainfall or irrigation into the root and pod zone for control of pod rot caused by <i>Rhizoctonia solani</i>. Drought conditions will decrease the effectiveness of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> against pod rot.</p>
<p>Early leaf spot (<i>Cercospora arachidicola</i>)</p> <p>Suppression of Leaf rust (<i>Puccinia arachidis</i>)</p>	365 - 420 mL per hectare (175 -200 g a.i./ha)	<p>Foliar Disease Spray Program</p> <p>Apply the specified rate in a preventive spray schedule.</p> <p>Apply up to 4 sprays using a 14-day interval.</p> <p>Use the higher use rate when conditions are favourable for severe disease pressure and/or when growing less disease resistant varieties.</p>
<p>Note: Apply up to four (4) applications of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> per year. When planting varieties with good to excellent levels of resistance to foliar diseases, the application interval may be extended up to 21 days in the absence of soil borne diseases. A maximum of 1.7 L per hectare of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> may be applied per year. <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> may be applied up to 14 days before harvest. Do not feed hay or threshings or allow livestock to graze in treated areas. Applications may be made by ground spray equipment only.</p>		

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CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Sunflower, safflower	For suppression of Sclerotinia head rot ( <i>Sclerotinia sclerotiorum</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 420 mL/ha (200 g a.i./ha)	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> when the crop is in the 10 - 50% disk flower bloom stage.

Note: **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** may be applied with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90, at 0.125% v/v. The application may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment. A maximum of one application (420 mL/ha of **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide**) may be applied to sunflower or safflower per year. Do not *apply* within 45 days of harvest.



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CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Flax (linseed), crambe, borage	For control of Sclerotinia stem rot ( <i>Sclerotinia sclerotiorum</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> AT 315 – 368 mL/ha (150-175 g a.i./ha)	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> when the crop is in the 20 - 50% bloom stage. Best protection will be achieved when the fungicide is applied prior to petals beginning to fall, and will allow for the maximum number of petals to be protected. The higher rate is recommended for fields with a history of heavy disease pressure or for dense crop stands. Good spray coverage of the plants is essential.

Note: **RAMBLER FUNGICIDE** may be applied with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90, at 0.125% v/v. The application may be made by ground or aerial spray equipment. A maximum of one application (368 mL/ha of **RAMBLER FUNGICIDE**) may be applied per year. Do not apply within 36 days of harvest.

CROP	DISEASE	RATE	TIMING
Sugar beets	For control of Cercospora leaf spot ( <i>Cercospora beticola</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 315 – 415 mL/ha (150 – 200 g a.i./ha)	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at the first sign of disease. Use the higher rate and shorter intervals when conditions are favourable for severe disease pressure and/or when growing less disease-resistant varieties. Apply the specified rate of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> in 100 – 200 L of water per hectare when using ground application equipment. If conditions remain favourable for continued or increasing disease development, repeat applications using a 14- to 21-day spray interval depending on disease pressure. Use a 14-day spray interval under normal to heavy disease pressure and a 21-day spray interval under light disease pressure.
	For control of Rhizoctonia crown rot ( <i>Rhizoctonia solani</i> )	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at 415 mL/ha (200 g a.i./ha)	Apply <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> at the 4-leaf to row closure growth stage. Apply the specified rate of <b>VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide</b> in 50 – 100 L of water per hectare. Repeat applications using a 21-day spray Interval if conditions remain favourable for continued or increasing disease development.

Note: A maximum of 3 applications (1245 mL/ha of **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide**) may be applied per year. **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** may be applied with a non-ionic surfactant, e.g., AgSurf or Agral 90, at 0.125% v/v. The application may be made by ground or aerial application equipment. Do not apply within 7 days of harvest. **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** is a Group 3 fungicide. To limit the potential for development of disease resistance, alternate every application of **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** with a non-Group 3 fungicide.

## Tank Mixing:

This product may be tank mixed with (a fertilizer, a supplement, or with) registered pest control products, whose labels also allow tank mixing, provided the entirety of both labels, including Directions For Use, Precautions, Restrictions, Environmental Precautions, and Spray Buffer Zones are followed for each product. In cases where these requirements differ between the tank mix partner labels, the most restrictive label must be followed. Do not tank mix products containing the same active ingredient unless specifically listed on this label.

In some cases, tank mixing pest control products can result in reduced pesticide efficacy or increased host crop injury. The user should contact Viking Crop Production Partners Inc. at 1-587-743-1029 for information before applying any tank mix that is not specifically recommended on this label.

As this product is not registered for the control of pests in aquatic systems, **DO NOT** use to control aquatic pests. **DO NOT** contaminate irrigation or drinking water supplies or aquatic habitats by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

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 S572.1) medium classification. Boom height must be 60 cm or less above the crop or ground.

Aerial application: **DO NOT** apply during periods of dead calm. Avoid application of this product when winds are gusty. **DO NOT** apply when wind speed is greater than 16 km/h at flying height at the site of application. **DO NOT** apply with spray droplets smaller than the American Society of Agricultural Engineers (ASAE S572.1) medium classification. Reduce drift caused by turbulent wingtip vortices. Nozzle distribution along the spray boom length **MUST NOT** exceed 65% of the wing- or rotorspan.

## Spray Buffer Zones:

A spray buffer zone is NOT required for:

- uses with hand-held application equipment permitted on this label,
- low-clearance hooded or shielded sprayers that prevent spray contact with crop, fruit or foliage,
- soil drench or soil incorporation.

The spray 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 application	Crop	Spray Buffer Zones (metres) Required for the Protection of:			
		Aquatic Habitat of Depths:			Terrestrial Habitat
		Less than 1 m	1-3 m	Greater than 3 m	
Field sprayer	All listed crops	2	1	0	0
	Flax (linseed), crambe, borage, soybeans	10	0	0	0

Aerial and wing)	(fixed rotary	Corn, safflower, sunflower	15	5	0	0
		Oats	20	10	0	0
		Canola, Oriental mustard, rapeseed, <i>Brassica carinata</i>	20	10	1	10
		Wheat, barley	25	10	0	10
		Lentils	30	10	0	15
		Sugarbeets	45	15	4	15
		Chickpeas	50	15	5	15

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

**Rotation restrictions:**

Treated areas may be replanted with any crop specified on this label as soon as practical after the last application. For crops not listed on this label, do not plant back within 30 days of last application.

**Section 8: Resistance Management**

Resistance Management Recommendations:

For resistance management, **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** contains a Group 3 fungicide. Any fungal population may contain individuals naturally resistant to **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** and other Group 3 fungicides. A gradual or total loss of pest control may occur over time if these fungicides are used repeatedly in the same fields. 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 fungicide resistance:

- Alternate with fungicides having a different mode of action other than Group 3 every 7 to 10 days after each application of **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide**.
- Do not apply more than the indicated maximum number of applications per year specified for each crop in the DIRECTIONS FOR USE, Section 7 table.
- Use tank mixtures with fungicides from a different group that is effective on the target pathogen when such use is permitted.
- Fungicide use should be based on an integrated disease management program that includes scouting, historical information related to pesticide use and crop rotation and considers host plant resistance, impact of environmental conditions on disease development, disease thresholds, as well as cultural, biological and other chemical control practices.
- Where possible, make use of predictive disease models to effectively time fungicide applications.

- Monitor treated fungal populations for resistance development. Notify Viking Crop Production Partners Inc. if reduced sensitivity of the pathogen to **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** is suspected.
- If disease continues to progress after treatment with this product, do not increase the use rate. Discontinue use of this product, and switch to another fungicide with a different site of action, if available.
- Contact your local extension specialist or certified crop advisors for any additional pesticide resistance-management and/or IPM recommendations for specific crops and pathogens.
- For further information and to report suspected resistance, contact Viking Crop Production Partners Inc. representative at 1-587-743-1029 or [www.vikingcropproduction.com](http://www.vikingcropproduction.com).

## **Section 9: Application Precautions**

### **GROUND APPLICATION:**

1. Use well-maintained and calibrated conventional spray equipment, which provides adequate and uniform coverage.
2. Apply **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** in a minimum of 100 L water/ha, unless otherwise specified in DIRECTIONS FOR USE, Section 7.
3. Spray screens should be no finer than 50 mesh.
4. Ensure that the by-pass line discharges at the bottom of the tank to minimize foaming.
5. Maintain pressure at no less than 275 kPa to ensure good foliage penetration and coverage.
6. Provincial buffer zones that are greater than the buffer zones indicated in the DIRECTIONS FOR USE, Section 7, should be respected.
7. If spray mixture remains in the tank overnight, or for long periods during the day, agitate thoroughly prior to application.

### **AERIAL APPLICATION-GENERAL INFORMATION:**

1. 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.
2. Label rates, conditions and precautions are product specific. Read and understand the entire label before opening this product. Apply only at the rate recommended for aerial application on this label. Where no rate for aerial application appears for the specific use, this product cannot be
  - a. applied by any type of aerial equipment. If you have questions, call 1-587-743-1029 or obtain technical advice from the distributor or your provincial agricultural representative.
3. Ensure uniform application. To avoid streaked, uneven or overlapped application, use appropriate marking devices.
4. Apply **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** in a minimum of 50 L of water/ha.
5. To ensure proper coverage and distribution and to minimize drift, check to see that swath width and droplet size are adequate, and that wind velocities are low.
6. Use mechanical flaggers only.

### **AERIAL APPLICATION-USE PRECAUTIONS:**

1. Apply only when meteorological conditions at the treatment site allow for complete and even crop coverage.
2. 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.

### **AERIAL APPLICATION- OPERATOR PRECAUTIONS:**

1. **DO NOT** allow the pilot to mix chemicals to be loaded onto the aircraft. Loading of premixed chemicals with a closed system is permitted.
2. It is desirable that the pilot has communication capabilities at each treatment site at the time of application.

3. The field crew and the mixer/loaders must wear chemical resistant gloves, coveralls and goggles or face shield during mixing/loading, cleanup and repair. Follow the more stringent label precautions in cases where the operator precautions exceed the generic label recommendations on the existing ground boom label.
4. All personnel on the job site must wash hands and face thoroughly before eating and drinking.
5. Protective clothing, aircraft cockpit and vehicle cabs must be decontaminated regularly.
6. Read and understand the entire label before opening this product. If you have questions, call the manufacturer at 1-587-743-1029 or obtain technical advice from the distributor or your provincial agricultural representative.

### Section 10: Mixing Instructions

Mixing Instructions:

**VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** must be applied with properly calibrated, clean equipment. Prior to adding **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** to the spray tank, ensure that the spray tank is thoroughly clean.

**VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** applied alone:

- Add one-half of the required amount of water to the spray or mixing tank and start agitation.
- Add the required quantity of **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** to the water and complete filling with water to the required total volume.
- Maintain agitation throughout mixing and spraying.
- **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** should be thoroughly dispersed prior to the addition of a nonionic surfactant. **VIKING Prothioconazole Fungicide** is recommended to be used with a registered non-ionic surfactant, such as Agral 90 or AgSurf, at 0.125% vol/vol.

### Section 11: Pre-harvest Intervals

Crop	PHI (days)
Wheat (spring, durum and winter), Barley, Oats	30
Canola, Rapeseed, Oriental Mustard, <i>Brassica carinata</i> , Flax (Linseed), Crambe, borage	36
Corn (field, sweet, popcorn)	14
Chickpea, Lentils	7
Soybean	20
Peanut	14
Safflower, Sunflower	45

### Section 12: Notices

#### 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.

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