# **ELEVATE® 50 WDG FUNGICIDE**

Group 17 Fungicide

Water Dispersible Granule for Use as a Fungicide on various food crops.

DO NOT use in residential areas. Residential areas are defined as sites where bystanders, including children, may be potentially exposed during or after spraying. This includes around homes, schools, parks, playgrounds, playing fields, public buildings or any other areas where the general public, including children, could be exposed.

### **COMMERICIAL - AGRICULTURAL**

### CAUTION



### **POISON**

### **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

### **READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING**

Active Ingredient:	
Fenhexamid*	50%
*Warning, contains the allergen, sulphites.	

**REGISTRATION NO. 25900** 

PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

**NET CONTENTS: 1KG** 

FOR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY: spill, leak, fire, exposure, or accident call CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300

For Product Information: 1-800-438-6071
UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc.
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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 offense under the *PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT* to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label.

FIRST AID				
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 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 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.			
· ·	abel or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number			
with you when se	eeking medical attention.			

FOR 24-HOUR MEDICAL EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE: 1-866-303-6952

### **TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Treat symptomatically.

### **PRECAUTIONS**

### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash concentrate from skin or eyes immediately. Do not inhale fumes. Avoid breathing vapors or spray mist. After use, wash hands and other exposed skin. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Remove and launder contaminated clothing separately from household laundry before reuse. Avoid spray drift. Apply only to agricultural crops when the potential for drift to areas of human habitation and human activity such as houses, cottages, schools and recreational areas is minimal. Take into consideration wind speed, wind direction, temperature inversions, application equipment, and sprayer settings.

For application using handheld airblast/mistblower, wear chemical-resistant coveralls with a chemical-resistant hood over long-sleeved shirt, long pants, chemical-resistant gloves, socks, chemical-resistant footwear and a respirator with a NIOSH-approved organic-vapour-removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides OR a NIOSH-approved canister approved for pesticides.

For all other application equipment, and during mixing, loading, clean-up, and repair wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, chemical-resistant gloves, socks and shoes. Gloves are not

required during application within a closed cab.

**DO NOT** enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry intervals (REIs) specified in the following table:

Сгор	Activity	REI and/or PHI
Bushberries (blueberry, currant, elderberry, gooseberry, and huckleberry), raspberries (red	Harvesting (hand, mechanical)	1 day
and black), loganberries and blackberries, strawberries	All other activities	12 hours
Onions	Hand weeding	10 days
Officials	All other activities	12 hours
Ginseng	All activities	12 hours
Cherries and peaches/nectarines	Thinning fruit by hand	3 days
	Harvesting (hand, mechanical)	1 day
	All other activities	12 hours
Grapes	Girdling, turning	40 days
	Harvesting (hand, mechanical)	7 days
	Leaf pulling by hand, tying/training (full foliage)	5 days
	All other activities	12 hours

REI = restricted-entry interval; PHI = pre-harvest interval

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., please contact UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS**

Toxic to aquatic organisms. Observe buffer zones specified under DIRECTIONS for USE.

Toxic to small wild mammals.

### **STORAGE**

May be stored at ambient temperature. Keep in original container. This product should not be stored under extreme temperatures. To close package, make sure the package is folded to form an airtight seal and store under dry conditions. Insecticides and fungicides should be segregated from herbicides to prevent the possibility of cross- contamination. To prevent contamination, store this product away from food and feed.

### **SPILL HANDLING**

Clean up spill immediately. Place product and any contaminated cleanup materials in a chemical waste container. Wash contaminated area with soap and water. Pick up wash liquid with additional absorbent and place in a disposable container.

FOR 24-HOUR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY (Spills, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident) Assistance, Call CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300.

### **DISPOSAL**

Follow provincial instructions for any required additional cleaning of the container prior

to its disposal. Make the empty container unsuitable for further use. Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements. For information on the disposal of the unused, unwanted product contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency. Contact the manufacturer and provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill and for clean up of spills.

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

### GENERAL INFORMATION

ELEVATE® 50 WDG Fungicide is a cyclohexane carboxamide protectant fungicide used for the control of gray mold (*Botrytis cinerea*) on grapes, ginseng, strawberries, raspberries (red and black), loganberries, blackberries, bushberries (blueberry currant, elderberry, gooseberry and huckleberry), and for the control of botrytis leaf blight (*Botrytis squamosa*) on green and dry bulb onion. ELEVATE 50 WDG also controls diseases caused by *Monilinia spp.* on cherries, peaches and nectarines. This product should be used in a program with other products to provide season-long protection. Apply as a spray with ground equipment using sufficient water to obtain thorough coverage of plants. Dense foliage, thick mulch or excessive growth will often prevent adequate coverage; adjust spray volumes accordingly. Do not replant food crops, other than those for which the product is labelled, within 30 days following the last application.

### RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

For resistance management, please note that ELEVATE 50 WDG contains a Group 17 fungicide. Any fungal population may contain individuals naturally resistant to ELEVATE 50 WDG and other Group 17 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:

- Where possible, rotate the use of ELEVATE 50 WDG or other Group 17 fungicides with different groups that control the same pathogens. Avoid application of more than 2 consecutive sprays of ELEVATE 50 WDG or other Group 17 fungicides in the same season.
- Use tank mixtures with fungicides from a different group 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 UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc if reduced sensitivity of the pathogen to ELEVATE 50 WDG 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 target site of action, if available.
- Contact your local extension specialist or certified crop advisors for any additional

- pesticide resistance-management as per Dir 99-06 and/or IPM recommendations for specific crops and pathogens.
- For further information and to report suspected resistance, UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc. at 1-800-438-6071.

### **MIXING DIRECTIONS**

Begin with clean equipment. Prepare only the amount of solution needed to treat the determined area or the area that may be treated in a reasonable time. Add sufficient clean water to the spray tank for one-half of the mix load. Start tank agitation. Agitate to ensure thorough mixing while adding the appropriate amount of ELEVATE 50 WDG Fungicide and remaining required water. This product should be properly suspended and diluted prior to the addition of AGRAL® 90 for grapes. Maintain agitation during mixing and application. DO NOT allow the spray mixture to stand without agitation. Apply with properly calibrated spray equipment. If agitation is stopped for any reason, the spray solution must be thoroughly remixed prior to any further use.

### APPLICATION

Prepare only the amount of spray solution needed to treat the area to be sprayed. Applications should be made immediately after the spray solution is prepared. If there is any delay in application, continue mixing agitation. Do not allow the spray mixture to stand without agitation. If agitation is stopped for any reason, the spray solution must be thoroughly re-mixed prior to <u>any</u> further use. Do not apply if rainfall is expected within 6 hours after application. DO NOT use overhead irrigation within 6 hours after application.

Apply using ground equipment only (such as boom type, air blast, hand gun or mist blower sprayers).

DO NOT apply in greenhouses.

DO NOT apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

DO NOT replant food crops, other than those for which the product is labeled, within 30 days following the last application.

Thorough coverage of all above ground plant parts is essential for control of blossom and fruit infections caused by various diseases.

Proper calibration and operation of spray equipment is essential for successful spraying. Consult the spray equipment manufacturer's operators manual, spray nozzle catalogs, and/or your crop advisor for more information.

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.

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

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

<u>Field sprayer application</u>: **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.

<u>Airblast application</u>: **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.

## Spray Buffer zones:

A spray buffer zone is NOT required for uses with hand-held application equipment permitted on this label.

The spray 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).

			Spray Buffer Zones (metres) Required for the Protection of:	
Method of application Crop		Freshwater Habitat of Depths:		
		Less than 1 m	Greater than 1 m	
Field sprayer	Blueberry, currant, elderberry, gooseberry, huckleberry, raspberry, loganberry, blackberry, strawberry, ginseng, onion		1	1
	Grapes		1	0
Air blast	Blueberry, currant, elderberry, gooseberry, huckleberry, cherry, peach, nectarine, raspberry, loganberry, blackberry, strawberry, ginseng	Early growth stage	20	1
		Late growth stage	10	1
	Grapes (for control of <i>Botrytis cinera</i> )	Early growth stage	10	0
		Late growth stage	5	0
	Grapes (for control of powdery mildew)	Early growth stage	3	0
		Late growth stage	2	0

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.

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.

### **SUPPLEMENTS**

This product can be tank mixed with Ohm Aquatic Plant Extract or Wave Aquatic Plant Extract on registered crops as a post emergent application at labelled rates.

Always predetermine the compatibility of ELEVATE 50 WDG FUNGICIDE or labelled ELEVATE 50 WDG FUNGICIDE tank mixes with the water or liquid fertilizer carrier by mixing small proportional quantities in advance.

Not all crops have been tested for phytotoxicity. Tank mixes listed on this label should be tested on a small area first, under local conditions and using standard practices, before applying to the entire crop.

#### APPLICATION RATES

Carefully read and understand the following label text for use information and restrictions.

## **BUSHBERRIES** (blueberry, currant, elderberry, gooseberry and huckleberry)

For control of *Botrytis cinerea*, apply ELEVATE 50 WDG as a foliar treatment at a rate of 1.7 kg product/ha (0.85 kg ai/ha) with a maximum of four applications per year and a minimum re-application interval of seven days. Ground applications only. A spray volume of 500-1500 L/ha is recommended. Begin application at the 10% bloom stage. Applications can be made up to 1 day prior to harvest.

The application rate should be based on 1.7 kg product per hectare applied in the appropriate volume of carrier to achieve thorough coverage of all plant surfaces. For example, if you apply 1000 litres of water per hectare, thoroughly mix 1.7 kg of product in 1000 litres of water and apply for coverage of all above-ground plant surfaces. Use care in mixing and application to avoid exceeding rates of 1.7 kg product per hectare regardless of the selected spray volume.

Avoid making more than two consecutive applications with the active ingredient of ELEVATE 50 WDG. After the second application, use an alternative fungicide for two consecutive applications before reapplying the active ingredient in this product. Consult your local crop advisor for appropriate alternative products.

### CHERRIES AND PEACHES/NECTARINES

For control of diseases caused by *Monilinia spp.* (including blossom blight, twig or shoot blight and brown rot), apply ELEVATE 50 WDG as a foliar treatment at a rate of 1.7 kg product/ha (0.85 kg ai/ha) with a maximum of four applications per year for control of all diseases. A spray volume of 500-1500 L/ha is recommended. Minimum re-application interval of seven days must be observed. Ground applications by air blast or mist blower sprayers only (no aerial application equipment). Applications can be made up to 1 day prior to harvest.

### TIMING OF APPLICATIONS

Blossom blight: Initiate applications during the pre-bloom to early bloom stages.

- Twig or Shoot blight: Apply during the late bloom to petal fall stages.
- Brown rot: Apply every 14 days up to 1 day before harvest (1 day PHI restriction)

The application rate should be based on 1.7 kg product per hectare applied in the appropriate volume of carrier to achieve thorough coverage of all plant surfaces. For example, if you apply 1500 litres of water per hectare, thoroughly mix 1.7 kg of product in 1500 litres of water and apply for coverage of all above-ground plant surfaces. During mixing and application avoid exceeding rates of 1.7 kg product per hectare regardless of the selected spray volume.

Avoid making more than two consecutive applications with the active ingredient of ELEVATE 50 WDG. After the second application, use an alternative fungicide for two consecutive applications before reapplying the active ingredient in this product. Consult your local crop advisor for appropriate alternative products.

### **GRAPES**

A maximum of 3 applications per year are permitted on grapes.

For control of *Botrytis* bunch rot (gray mold) (*Botrytis cinerea*) on grapes, apply 1.12 kg product per hectare (0.56 kg ai/ha) tank mixed with Agral 90 at 0.02% v/v. A spray volume of 500-1500 L/ha is recommended. Apply preventatively prior to disease establishment, when conditions favour disease development. Applications can be made at early bloom, bunch preclosure, veraison (beginning of fruit ripening) to two weeks after veraison, or up to 7 days before harvest (PHI = 7 days). Make only one application per year when targeting *Botrytis*.

For control of powdery mildew (*Erysiphe necator*), and blackrot (*Guignardia bidwellii*), ELEVATE 50 WDG may be tankmixed with NOVA® FUNGICIDE when conditions favour disease development. Consult the NOVA FUNGICIDE label for the appropriate application rates. DO NOT make more than 3 applications per year when targeting powdery mildew or blackrot. DO NOT apply more than 3.4 kg of product per hectare per year (1.7 kg ai/ha/yr).

### **STRAWBERRIES**

For the control of gray mold (*Botrytis cinerea*) on strawberries, apply 1.7 kg product per hectare (0.85 kg ai/ha) beginning prior to disease establishment, and no later than 10% bloom, and continue applications every 7 to 14 days when conditions favour disease development. For gray mold and leaf spot (*Mycosphaerella fragariae*) control, ELEVATE 50 WDG Fungicide may be applied in a tank mix at a rate of 1.20 to 1.7 kg ELEVATE 50 WDG per hectare (0.56 to 0.85 kg ai/ha) with the recommended rate of MAESTRO® 80 DF. DO NOT make more than 4 applications of ELEVATE 50 WDG per year. The final application may be made up to 1 day prior to harvest (PHI = 1 day). DO NOT apply more than 6.8 kilograms product per hectare per year (3.4 kg ai/ha/yr).

NOTE TO USER: READ THE FOLLOWING BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT FOR THE INDICATED SPECIAL USE APPLICATIONS:

The DIRECTIONS FOR USE for the uses described in this section of the label were developed by persons other than UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc. under the User Requested Minor Use Label Expansion program. For these uses, UPL AgroSolutions

Canada Inc. has not fully assessed performance (efficacy) and/or crop tolerance (phytotoxicity) under all environmental conditions or for all crop varieties when used in accordance with the label. The user should test the product on a small area first, under local conditions and using standard practices, to confirm the product is suitable for widespread application.

### **GINSENG**

For control of Botrytis cinerea, apply ELEVATE 50 WDG as a foliar treatment at a rate of 1.7 kg product/ha (0.85 kg ai/ha) with a maximum of four applications per year and at 10-14 day intervals. A spray volume of 500-1500 L/ha is recommended. Apply prior to disease establishment, when conditions favour disease development. Ground applications only. Applications can be made up to day of harvest (PHI = 0 days). DO NOT apply more than 6.8 kg of ELEVATE 50 WDG (3.4 kg ai)/ha/year.

The application rate should be based on 1.7 kg product per hectare applied in the appropriate volume of carrier to achieve thorough coverage of all plant surfaces. For example, if you apply 1000 litres of water per hectare, thoroughly mix 1.7 kg of product in 1000 litres of water and apply for coverage of all above-ground plant surfaces. During mixing and application avoid exceeding rates of 1.7 kg product per hectare regardless of the selected spray volume.

Avoid making more than two consecutive applications with the active ingredient of ELEVATE 50 WDG. After the second application, use an alternative fungicide for two consecutive applications before reapplying the active ingredient in this product. Consult your local crop advisor for appropriate alternative products.

# RASPBERRIES (red and black), LOGANBERRIES AND BLACKBERRIES

For the control of gray mould (*Botrytis cinerea*) on red and black raspberries, loganberries and blackberries, apply 1.7 kg product per hectare (0.85 kg ai/ha) as a foliar spray. A spray volume of 500-1500 L/ha is recommended. Begin application at 10% bloom and continue up to 1 day prior to harvest (PHI = 1 day). Minimum re-application interval of 7 days must be observed. DO NOT make more than 4 applications per year. Ground applications only. DO NOT apply more than 6.8 kg product per hectare per year (3.4 kg ai/ha/yr).

### ONIONS

For the control of botrytis leaf blight ( $Botrytis\ squamosa$ ) on onion (green and dry bulb) apply 1.12-1.7 kg product per hectare (0.56-0.85 kg ai/ha) as a foliar spray. Apply the higher rate under conditions conducive for disease development. Repeat at 7-14 day intervals if conditions continue to favor disease. Do not make more than 3 applications per year. Applications can be made when conditions are favorable for disease development and up to 1 day prior to harvest (PHI = 1 day). Use sufficient water to obtain thorough coverage.

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