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# WeedAway<sup>®</sup> COBUTOX<sup>®</sup> 625 Herbicide

Emulsifiable Concentrate

## AGRICULTURAL

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REGISTRATION NO. 28346  
PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

NET CONTENTS: 10 litres



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POISON

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### SECTION 1 - SEEDLING ALFALFA AND BIRDSFOOT TREFOIL (direct or underseeded)

**NOTE: Do not apply if crop is to be used for seed production later in season.**

**Treatment Stage:**

Ground Application. Treat from 1st to 4th trifoliate leaf stage.  
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### SECTION 2 - SEEDLING CLOVERS (direct and underseeded)

**NOTE: Do Not Spray Sweet Clovers. Red and Alsike Clovers may be damaged.**

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Ground Application. Treat as soon as possible after the first trifoliate leaf appears.  
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### SECTION 3 - CEREALS (Wheat, Oats, Barley)

**Treatment Stage:**

Ground Application. Apply **after** the crop has 5 fully expanded leaves but before the early flag leaf stage.  
Oats will be damaged if treated before the 5 leaf stage.

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### SECTION 4

**Crop**

### PASTURES CONTAINING FORAGE LEGUMES

**Treatment Stage:**

Ground Application. Treat after cutting or grazing when growth is not above 7.5 cm in height. Damage may occur if crop is sprayed beyond this stage.

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**SECTION 5 - SEEDLING GRASSES FOR FORAGE (Smooth Bromegrass, Creeping Red Fescue, Meadow Fescue, Tall Fescue, Orchard Grass, Timothy, Crested Wheatgrass, Intermediate Wheatgrass, Streambank Wheatgrass, Tall Wheatgrass)**

**Treatment Stage:** Ground application only, at the 2-4 leaf stage of the seedling grasses. See special notes on maximum rates.

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**SECTION 6 - WEEDS CONTROLLED AND RATES OF APPLICATION**

<b>Annual Weeds</b>		<b>Rate</b>
Wormseed Mustard, Wild Mustard, Ball Mustard, Stinkweed, Ragweed, Redroot Pigweed, Shepherd's Purse, Lamb's-Quarters. Treat Wild Mustard up to the 4-leaf stage. (See Section 8 for treatment of more advanced Wild Mustard plants.)		1.75 L/ha
Oak-leaved Goosefoot, Wild Buckwheat, Wild Radish. Note: Best control occurs when weeds sprayed in the 1-2 leaf stage.		2.25 L/ha
Lady's-thumb, Green Smartweed. Seedlings stunted only, but competitive ability is reduced.		2.75 L/ha
<b>Perennial Weeds</b>	<b>Spray Stage</b>	<b>Rate</b>
Bull Thistle	Rosette to early bud	
Perennial Sow Thistle	Rosette	
Canada Thistle	Top growth only. Spray from 15cm to early bud.	
Curled Dock	Early growth	2.25 - 2.75 L/ha
Plantain	Before flowering	
Field Bindweed	Top growth reduced. For best results spray in late summer.	
Yellow Rocket	Spray between 3rd week in September and middle of October.	
Chicory	Rosette stage	
Narrow-leaved hawk's beard	Rosette stage in fall after legume growth ends.	2.25 L/ha
Dandelion	Top growth only. Spray before bud stage.	2.75 L/ha
Horsetail	Top growth only. Spray when 10-12 cm high. Spray when 10-12 cm high.	2.75 L/ha

**IMPORTANT NOTES:** Use lower rate on susceptible weeds in the seedling stage. Use the higher rates for older, heavy weed infestations and under poor growing conditions.

**MAXIMUM RECOMMENDED RATES FOR CROPS:**

- Seedling alfalfa, birdsfoot trefoil, seedling clovers, cereals, seedling forage grasses 2.25 L/ha
- Pastures containing legumes 2.75 L/ha

DO NOT exceed recommended rate and apply at appropriate growth stage for each crop. Apply product in warm weather. DO NOT apply under drought conditions. Application must be made before the crop shields the weeds. A minimum rotational crop plant-back interval of 30 days must be observed for crops other than those listed on the label.

DO NOT use treated crops for grazing of livestock or green feed or cut for forage or hay until 30 days after application.

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) coarse 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) coarse classification. Reduce drift caused by turbulent wingtip vortices. The nozzle distribution along the spray boom length MUST NOT exceed 65% of the wing- or rotorspan.

**Buffer zones:**

Spot treatments using hand-held equipment DO NOT require a buffer zone. 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).

Method of application	Crop		Buffer Zones (metres) Required for the Protection of Terrestrial Habitat:
Field sprayer	Seedling alfalfa (direct or underseeded), Bird's-foot trefoil (direct or underseeded), Seedling clovers (direct or underseeded), Seedling grasses for forage		1
	Pasture containing forage legumes		2
Aerial	Seedling alfalfa (direct or underseeded), Bird's-foot trefoil (direct or underseeded), Seedling clovers (direct or underseeded)	Fixed wing	65
		Rotary wing	55
	Pasture containing forage legumes	Fixed wing	75
		Rotary wing	60

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 labels for those tank mix partners.

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

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**SECTION 7 - Tank-mix with MCPA**

To improve wild mustard and narrow-leaved hawk's beard control in seedling Alfalfa and Birdsfoot Trefoil.

**Weed Stage:** Apply Cobutox 625 alone on mustard at 4 leaf stage or less. Treat Wild Mustard beyond the 4-leaf stage as follows:

**Rates:** Cobutox 625 1.25 L/ha  
+ MCPA Amine 500 + 70 mL/ha

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**SECTION 8 - MIXING AND APPLICATION**

1. Fill tank 1/2 full of water. Start agitation.
2. Add Cobutox 625.
3. When MCPA Amine 500 is used, add and mix before adding Cobutox 625.
4. Complete filling of the tank.
5. Use 150 - 200 litres of water per hectare for application by ground equipment.

6. Do not exceed 275 kpa of pressure for ground application.
7. **TRANSFER SYSTEM: FOR CONTAINERS LARGER THAN 20 L:** Use a transfer system that avoids open pouring when transferring the liquid concentrate from such containers into the spray tank.

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### **GENERAL PRECAUTIONS**

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

### **ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS**

This product contains aromatic petroleum distillates, which are toxic to aquatic organisms. **TOXIC** to non-target terrestrial plants. Observe buffer zones specified under Section 6. Avoid contamination of ponds, streams, rivers and other water sources. Avoid contamination of aquatic systems during application. Do not contaminate these systems through direct application, disposal of waste or cleaning of equipment. To reduce runoff from treated areas into aquatic habitats avoid application to area 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.

### **RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS**

For resistance management, Cobutox 625 is a Group 4 herbicide. Any weed population may contain or develop plants naturally resistant to Cobutox 625 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 Cobutox 625 or other Group 4 herbicides 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.
- 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.
- Monitor treated weed populations for resistance development
- 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 Interprovincial Cooperative Ltd. at 1-204-233-3461.

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