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# VITAFLO® SEED TREATMENT

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 400 g/L CARBOXIN

GROUP **G** FUNGICIDE

Flowable seed dressing for the treatment of Wheat, Barley and Oats as specified in the Directions For Use table

Contents 20 L & 200 L

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# DIRECTIONS FOR USE: RESTRAINTS:

Only treat good quality sound seed as treatment of mechanically damaged or poor quality seed may result in reduced germination and/or reduced seedling vigour and emergence.

Crop	Disease Controlled	States	Rate per	Critical
			100 kg	Comments
			seed	
Wheat	Bunt (Tilletia laevis, T. tritici)	All	130 mL	Mix thoroughly
	Loose Smut ( <i>Ustilago tritici</i> )	States	250 mL	and ensure
	Seedborne Flag Smut (Urocystis agropyri)		130 mL	that the
	Soilborne Flag Smut (Urocystis agropyri)	WA only	250 mL	recommended
Barley	Loose Smut ( <i>Ustilago tritici</i> )	All States	250 mL	rate is applied.
	Covered Smut (Ustilago segetum		60 mL	
	var <i>hordei)</i>			
Oats	Smut (Ustilago segetum var hordei)	All States	60 mL	
	Smut (Ustilago avenae)		60 mL	

NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, ON IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION.

#### WITHHOLDING PERIOD:

DO NOT GRAZE PLANTS GROWN FROM TREATED SEED, OR CUT FOR STOCK FOOD, WITHIN 4 WEEKS OF SOWING.

#### **CONDITIONS OF SALE:**

Crompton Specialties Pty Ltd will not accept any responsibility whatsoever and howsoever arising and whether for consequential loss or otherwise in connection with the supply or use of these goods other than responsibility for the merchantable quality of the goods and such responsibilities mandatorily imposed by Statutes applicable to the sale or supply of these goods. To the extent allowed by such Statutes the liability of Crompton Specialties Pty Ltd is limited to the replacement of the goods or (at the option of Crompton Specialties Pty Ltd) the refund of the price paid and is conditional upon a claim being made in writing and where possible sufficient part of the goods to enable proper examination being returned to Crompton Specialties Pty Ltd within thirty days of delivery.

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#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

Vitaflo Seed Treatment is a suspension concentrate (flowable) seed dressing for treatment of wheat, barley and oats by standard methods.

**Crop Establishment:** Vitaflo Seed Treatment is compatible with most registered water-miscible grain protectant insecticides added at rates recommended for admixture to grain. As formulations are subject to change without notice, always check the compatibility of the mixes at the intended use ratios in a small container prior to use. Always read Manufacturer's Instructions and Safety Directions on the product labels and product information leaflets.

**Mixing & Application:** Vitaflo Seed Treatment may be applied to seed undiluted or may be mixed with water if required to achieve optimum coverage of grain. This requirement will depend on the equipment in use and the rates to be applied. Use only through equipment designed to apply suspension concentrate or slurry seed treatments to grain.

**Seed Quality:** Seed treatment should not be used on seed with more than 12% moisture content, or on sprung, damaged or severely pinched seed, or seed of poor viability. If in doubt, have a germination test carried out on the seed before treatment to ensure that it is of acceptable standard.

**Storage of Treated Seed:** If seed is not used immediately after treatment, it should be stored in a dry, well-ventilated place. Although Vitaflo Seed Treatment has no effect on the viability of treated seed, subsequent germination can be adversely affected by poor storage conditions such as high moisture combined with high temperatures. No liability can therefore be accepted for performance of stored treated seed. Treated seed should not be held over from one sowing season for sowing in subsequent seasons.

### **Fungicide Resistance Warning:**

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Vitaflo Seed Treatment is a member of the Oxathiin group of fungicides. For fungicide resistance management, Vitaflo Seed Treatment is a Group G fungicide.

Some naturally occurring individual fungi resistant to Vitaflo Seed Treatment and other Group G fungicides may exist through normal genetic variability in any fungal population. The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the fungi population if these fungicides are used repeatedly. These resistant fungi will not be controlled by Vitaflo Seed Treatment and other Group G fungicides, thus resulting in a reduction in efficacy and possible yield loss. Since the occurrence of resistant fungi is difficult to detect prior to use, Crompton Specialties Pty Ltd accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of Vitaflo Seed Treatment to control resistant fungi.

#### **PRECAUTIONS:**

Do not use treated seed for animal or human consumption. Do not allow treated seed to contaminate grain or other seed intended for animal or human consumption. Do not feed treated seed, or otherwise expose, to wild or domestic birds.

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#### PROTECTION OF LIVESTOCK:

DO NOT feed treated seed to animals, including poultry. It is important that any treated seed not used for sowing is destroyed. Bags which have held treated seed should not be used for any other purpose. When treated seed is stored, it should be kept apart from other grain and the bags (or other containers) should be clearly marked to indicate the contents have been treated with Vitaflo Seed Treatment.

#### PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT:

DO NOT contaminate streams, rivers or waterways and drains with this product or used containers or with bags which have held treated seed.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

Store in the tightly closed, original container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight and away from foodstuffs, drink containers and livestock. Do not use container for any other purpose.

Triple, or preferably, pressure rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to spray tank. Do not dispose of undiluted chemicals on-site. If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or designated collection point.

If not recycling, break, crush, or puncture and bury empty containers in a local authority landfill. If no landfill is available, bury the containers below 500 mm in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots. Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

#### **SAFETY DIRECTIONS:**

Will irritate the eyes, nose, throat and skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Do not inhale spray mist. When using the product, wear elbow length PVC gloves and face shield. When handling treated seed, wear elbow-length PVC gloves. After use and before eating, drinking or smoking, wash hands, arms and face thoroughly with soap and water. After each day's use, wash gloves, face shield and contaminated clothing.

#### **FIRST AID:**

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. *Phone Australia 131 126*.

#### **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET:**

For additional information, refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet.