# CAUTION

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING



# Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 420 g/L MCPA present as potassium salt 26 g/L PICLORAM present as potassium salt



For the control of climbing buckwheat, common sowthistle, skeleton weed, capeweed, doublegee and other broadleaf weeds in winter cereals and linseed crops.

CONTENTS: 20L

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#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

#### Restraints

DO NOT apply to crops or weeds which are not actively growing or to plants which may be stressed (not actively growing) due to prolonged periods of extreme cold, moisture stress (water-logged or drought affected) or previous herbicide treatment, as crop damage or reduced levels of control may result.

DO NOT use in high winds.

DO NOT spray if rain is likely to occur within four hours.

DO NOT apply close to, or on areas, containing roots of desirable vegetation, where treated soil may be washed into areas growing, or to be planted to, desirable plants, or on sites where surface water from heavy rain can be expected to run off to areas containing, or to be planted to, susceptible crops or plants.

DO NOT move soil, which may have been sprayed, to areas where desirable plants are to be grown.

CROP	CROP GROWTH STAGE	WEEDS CONTROLLED	WEED GROWTH STAGE	RATE /ha	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Barley, Canary grass, Oats, Triticale, Wheat	Apply from early tillering (when the main shoot has 4-5 leaves and 2 or more new tillers have formed) to start of jointing (first node (Z30)).	Climbing buckwheat (black bindweed) Common sowthistle Doublegee (spiny emex) Mustard Saffron thistle Skeleton weed Turnip weed Variegated thistle Wild radish Wild turnip	Up to 6 leaf Young rosette or seedling plants up to 8 true leaves	1L	For best control of climbing buckwheat apply at early tillering as this weed becomes increasingly difficult to control as it becomes larger. To avoid possible crop damage, DO NOT spray outside the early tillering to early jointing stage.
		N.Z. spinach Wireweed	Up to 4 leaf		Suppression only – Spray early
Barley, Triticale, Wheat		Common sowthistle N.Z. spinach Wireweed	Apply up to 4 leaf stage	800mL + 5g Conquest Metsulfuron 600 WG Herbicide	Add a 100% concentrate non-ionic surfactant (eg. Conquest Wetter 1000) at the rate of 100mL/100L of water.
Linseed Linola	Apply when crop is 8-20cm high.	Climbing buckwheat (black bindweed) Doublegee (spiny emex) Mustard Saffron thistle Skeleton weed Variegated thistle Wild radish Wild turnip	Young rosette or seedling plants up to 4 true leaves	670 to 840mL	Use the higher rate when climbing buckwheat is present or weed growth is advanced.
		N.Z. spinach Wireweed	Up to 2 leaf		Suppression only – Spray early.

#### Table 1: NEW SOUTH WALES and QUEENSLAND only

## Table 2: WESTERN AUSTRALIA only

CROP	CROP GROWTH STAGE	WEEDS CONTROLLED	WEED GROWTH STAGE	RATE /ha	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Barley, Canary grass, Oats, Triticale, Wheat	Apply from 3 leaf to early tillering (when the main shoot has 4-5 leaves and 2 or more new tillers have formed) to start of jointing (first node (Z30)).	Capeweed Doublegee Saffron thistle Turnip weed Wild mustard Wild turnip Capeweed Doublegee Saffron thistle Turnip weed Wild mustard Wild turnip Wireweed	Young rosette or seedling plants up to 4 true leaves Young rosette or seedling plants up to 6 true leaves Up to 4 leaf	600mL 750mL	To avoid possible crop damage DO NOT spray outside the early tillering to early jointing stage. <b>Caution:</b> DO NOT use this product where the land to be treated will be sown to lupins or peas the following year or where a volunteer medic or subclover pasture is required in the following season. Only use when a cereal crop will follow the cereal crop to be treated. Suppression only – Spray early.
	Apply from early to mid- tillering.	Docks Sorrel	Active growth	1 L	

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

#### WITHHOLDING PERIODS

DO NOT GRAZE OR CUT CROPS OR PASTURES FOR STOCK FOOD FOR 7 DAYS AFTER APPLICATION.

HARVEST: NOT REQUIRED WHEN USED AS DIRECTED.

#### **MINIMUM RECROPPING PERIODS**

Picloram, one of the active constituents in this product, remains active in the soil for extended periods depending on rate of application, soil type, rainfall, temperature, humidity, soil moisture and soil organic matter.

DO NOT plant susceptible broadleaf crops within 12 months of applying the product. Cereal crops and grasses can be sown safely after using Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide for in crop weed control.

## **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

#### MIXING

Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide can be mixed with water only. Mix only sufficient chemical for each days use and avoid storing mix. Half fill the spray tank with water and add the required quantity of Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide and complete filling. Agitate continuously to ensure thorough mixing before and during application.

**Tank Mixture:** Wettable powder or dry flowable formulation (eg. Water dispersible granules) should be added to the spray tank first, followed by suspension concentrates (flowables), water soluble salts and then emulsifiable concentrate formulations (eg. Starane®200). Add spraying oils and surfactants (wetters) last, if required.

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## Compatibility

Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide is compatible with the following:

(Read and follow all label directions, restraints, plant-back periods, withholding periods and safety directions on the partner label as well as those on the Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide label).

#### **Broadleaf Herbicides**

Eclipse® Herbicide Lontrel® Herbicide MCPA amine MCPA LVE Metsulfuron-methyl Starane® 200 Herbicide 2,4-D amine

#### **Grass Herbicides**

Hoegrass<sup>®</sup> (annual ryegrass only) Topik<sup>®</sup> 240 EC (wild oats and phalaris only)

## Adjuvants

Conquest Wetter 1000 (when mixed with Metsulfuron-methyl) Uptake® Spraying Oil (when mixed with Topik® 240EC)

#### Insecticides

Lemat® Rogor®

Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide is not compatible with zinc products (such as Zinc dextrase and Zinc heptahydrate), copper salts (such as sulphate) and manganese sulphate. Do not use with hard water or water clarified with alum.

## **APPLICATION METHODS**

## **Ground Application (Boom)**

Apply Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide with an accurately calibrated boom sprayer, in at least 50L/ha water. Flat fan nozzles are recommended using pressures in the range 200 to 300 kPa. Set the boom at a height to ensure a double overlap of the nozzle pattern.

#### **Aerial Application**

Apply in a minimum volume of 35 L/ha water. Use equipment calibrated to produce droplets with an average diameter (Volume Mean Diameter) of 200 - 250 microns. DO NOT apply when the temperature is above 30°C, when there is no wind or when the wind is blowing towards susceptible crops.

#### **CLEANING SPRAY EQUIPMENT**

Rinse water should be discharged onto a designated disposal area or, if this is unavailable, onto wasteland away from desirable plants and watercourses.

**Rinsings:** After using Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide, empty the tank completely and drain the whole system. Thoroughly wash inside the spray unit using a pressure hose. Drain and clean any filters in the tank, pump, lines, hoses and nozzles. After cleaning the tank as above, quarter fill with clean water and circulate through the pump, lines, hoses and nozzles. Drain and repeat the rinsing procedure twice.

**Decontamination (before spraying cotton and other sensitive crops; see PROTECTION OF CROPS):** Wash the tank and rinse the system as above. Then quarter fill the tank and add an alkali detergent (eg. Liquid SURF®, OMO® or DRIVE®) at 500 mL/100L of water or the powder equivalent at 500g/100L and circulate throughout the system for at least 15 minutes. Drain the whole system. Remove filters and nozzles and clean them separately. Finally flush the system with clean water and

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allow to drain.

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## **RESISTANT WEEDS WARNING**

# GROUP HERBICIDE

Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide contains members of the pyridine and phenoxy groups of herbicides. The product has the disrupters of plant cell growth mode of action. For weed resistance management, the product is a Group I Herbicide. Some naturally occurring weed biotypes resistant to Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide and other disrupters of plant cell growth herbicides may exist through normal genetic variability in any weed population. The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the weed population if these herbicides are used repeatedly. These resistant weeds will not be controlled by this product or other disrupters of plant cell growth herbicides. Since the occurrence of resistant weeds is difficult to detect prior to use, Conquest Agrochemicals Pty Ltd accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of this product to control resistant weeds. Strategies to minimize the risk of herbicide resistance are available. Contact your farm chemical supplier, consultant, local Department of Agriculture, or local Conquest Agrochemicals representative.

## PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT

DO NOT contaminate streams, rivers or waterways with the chemical or used containers.

## PROTECTION OF CROPS, NATIVES AND OTHER NON-TARGET PLANTS

DO NOT apply under weather conditions, or from spraying equipment, that may cause spray to drift onto nearby susceptible plants and crops, cropping lands or pastures.

Crops and plants susceptible to Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide include, but are not limited to clovers, medics, lupins, peas and other legumes, cotton, flowers, hops, grape and kiwi fruit vines, ornamentals, potatoes, safflower, shade trees, sugar beet, tobacco, tomatoes, tree fruits and vegetables.

DO NOT use on land to be cultivated for growing susceptible crops within 12 months of applying Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide. Susceptible crops and plants can be damaged by soil residues during both growing and dormant periods. In the season following application of this product the regeneration or establishment of sensitive legumes (clover, medics, peas, lupins) may be adversely affected by soil residues. Cereal crops and grasses can be sown safely after using Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide.

This product will kill legumes (clovers, medics) present in the crop at the time of spraying.

DO NOT apply close to or on areas containing roots of desirable vegetation, where treated soil may be washed to areas growing, or to be planted to desirable plants, or on sites where surface water from heavy rain can be expected to run off to areas containing or to be planted to susceptible crops or plants.

DO NOT move soil which may have been sprayed to areas where susceptible crops or plants are to be grown.

Cereal crops may be reduced in height following use of this product. This height reduction is a normal response and does not represent any yield loss. Do not apply Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide to crops or pastures, which are to be used for the production of compost or mulches for use with susceptible crops or plants. The use of straw, hay or other plant material treated with Conquest Buckwheat Cereal Herbicide for composting or mulching susceptible crops may damage these crops.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in the closed, original container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Do not store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Do not store near food, feedstuffs, fertilisers or seed.

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.

For 110L refillable containers empty contents fully into application equipment. Close all valves and return to point of supply for refill or storage.

## SMALL SPILL MANAGEMENT

Wear protective equipment (See **SAFETY DIRECTIONS**). Apply absorbent material such as earth, sand, clay granules or cat letter to the spill. Sweep up material for disposal when absorption is completed and contain in a refuse vessel for disposal (see **STORAGE AND DISPOSAL** section). If necessary wash the spill area with an alkali detergent and water and absorb as above the wash liquid for disposal as described above.

# SAFETY DIRECTIONS

Harmful if swallowed. Attacks eyes. Will irritate the skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. If product in eyes, wash out immediately with water. Do not inhale spray mist. When preparing the spray and using the prepared spray wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist, a washable hat, elbow length PVC gloves and face shield or goggles. 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 or goggles and contaminated clothing.

#### FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 13 11 26).

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Additional information is listed in the Material Safety Data Sheet, which can be obtained from the supplier.

## CONDITIONS OF SALE

Conquest Agrochemicals Pty. Ltd. shall not be liable for any loss, injury, damage or death whether consequential or otherwise, whatsoever or whosoever arising whether through negligence or otherwise, in connection with the sale, supply, use or application of this product. The supply of this product is on the express condition that the purchaser does not rely on Conquest skill of judgement in the purchasing or using the same and every person using this product does so at his own risk absolutely. No representative of Conquest has the authority to add or alter these.

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Police or Fire Brigade	ALL HOURS AUSTRALIA WIDE

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