

FIFRA Section 2(ee) Recommendation



THIS RECOMMENDATION IS ONLY FOR USE IN THE STATES OF CONNECTICUT, DELAWARE, IDAHO, MAINE, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NEW JERSEY, NEW YORK, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OREGON, PENNSYLVANIA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, VIRGINIA, WASHINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA AND WISCONSIN



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FOR CONTROL OF WOOLLY APPLE APHID IN APPLES

This FIFRA Section 2(ee) Recommendation Expires December 31, 2030.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

This recommendation is made as permitted by Section 2(ee) of FIFRA, as amended, and has not been submitted to or approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. This 2(ee) recommendation contains directions for use, which do not appear on the package label and must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application. Follow all applicable directions, restrictions and precautions on the EPA registered label when using *Esteem* 35 WP alone or in tank mix combinations. The most restrictive labeling applies when using a tank mix.

CROP	PEST	PRODUCT RATES PER ACRE	SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
Apple	Woolly Apple Aphid	4 to 5 oz	<p>Apply in 100 to 400 gals/A with ground equipment. Coverage is essential for good control. Apply in sufficient water volume for tree size. Use of higher water volume will ensure better coverage.</p> <p>Woolly Apple Aphid: Apply from delayed dormant to ½ inch green phenological apple growth stage. Under heavy aphid pressure, use the higher rate of <i>Esteem</i> 35 WP Insect Growth Regulator.</p>
<p><i>Esteem</i> 35 WP Insect Growth Regulator may be mixed and/or alternated with commonly used insecticides to comply with local Integrated Pest Management (IPM) and Insect Resistance Management (IRM) programs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Do not apply within 45 days of harvest.• Do not make more than 2 <i>Esteem</i> 35 WP Insect Growth Regulator applications per growing season.• Do not exceed 10 oz of <i>Esteem</i> 35 WP Insect Growth Regulator per acre per season.• Do not apply earlier than 14 days after last <i>Esteem</i> 35 WP Insect Growth Regulator treatment.• Regardless of formulation do not apply more than 0.218 lb pyriproxyfen per acre per season.			

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