## FIFRA SECTION 24(c) SPECIAL LOCAL NEED LABEL FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF WASHINGTON



## For Control of Two-spotted Spider Mite in Carrots Grown for Seed

EPA Reg. No. 10163-337 EPA SLN No. WA-170013

This label for Onager Optek Miticide expires and must not be distributed or used in accordance with this SLN registration after December 31, 2026

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

- It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
- This labeling and the main EPA registered label must be in the possession of the user at the time of the pesticide application.
- Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, Worker Protection Standard requirements and precautions on this SLN label and the main EPA registered label.

CROP	INSECT	USE RATE	APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS
Carrots grown for seed	Two-spotted Spider Mite	12-20 oz product/acre (0.0938-0.1563 lbs ai/acre)	Apply Onager Optek in a sufficient volume of water to ensure through coverage. Apply in a minimum of 10 gallons per acre by ground. Thorough coverage is essential for good control. Use the lower rates when mite infestation levels are low and higher rates on moderate to high mite infestation. For best results apply Onager Optek prior to adult mite build up when an economic number of mites is present.

## RESTRICTIONS

- For agricultural/commercial use only. Do not use in or around the home.
- Do not apply by air
- For use under this SLN label do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.
- Do not make more than one application per acre per year. Do not apply more than 20 ounces of formulated product (0.1563 lbs ai) per acre per year.
- If Onager Optek is tank mixed with another product that is hazardous to bees, then follow the more restrictive label use directions, precautions, and restrictions to protect bees.
- All carrot seed screenings shall be disposed of in such a way that they cannot be distributed or used for human food or animal feed. The seed conditioner shall keep records of screening disposal for three years from the date of disposal and shall furnish the records to the director immediately upon request. Conditioner disposal records shall consist of documentation of on-farm disposal, disposal at a controlled dumpsite, incinerator, composter or other equivalent disposal site, and shall include the lot numbers, amount of material disposed of, the grower(s), and the date of disposal.
- No portion of the carrot seed plant, including but not limited to green chop, hay, pellets, meal, whole seed, cracked seed, roots, bulbs, leaves, and seed screenings may be used or distributed for food or feed purposes.
- · Carrot seed shall bear a tag or container label which forbids use of the seed for human consumption or animal feed.
- Carrot seed may not be distributed for human consumption or animal feed.
- WSDA Aquatic Advisory: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Onager Optek Miticide should not be used in accordance with this SLN label where impact on listed threatened or endangered species is likely. You may refer to WSDA's Natural Resources Assessment Section website (<a href="https://agr.wa.gov/departments/land-and-water/natural-resources">https://agr.wa.gov/departments/land-and-water/natural-resources</a>) for additional information related to pesticide use and endangered species protection. Information from EPA about no-spray buffer zones is available at <a href="https://agr.wa.gov/departments/land-and-water/natural-resources/endangered-species-program/buffers">https://agr.wa.gov/departments/land-and-water/natural-resources/endangered-species-program/buffers</a>. Pesticide applicators may use the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife's SalmonScape mapping tool at <a href="https://apps.wdfw.wa.gov/salmonscape/">https://apps.wdfw.wa.gov/salmonscape/</a> to determine if listed salmonid species occur in or near a proposed application site.
- WSDA Container Disposal Guidance: Pesticide containers must be properly cleaned prior to disposal. The best time to clean empty pesticide containers is during mixing and loading, because residue can be difficult to remove after it dries. Triple rinse (or pressure rinse) the pesticide container, empty all pesticide rinse water into the spray tank, and apply to a labeled crop or site. Recycling cleaned containers is the best method of container disposal. Information regarding the recycling of empty and cleaned plastic pesticide containers in Washington is available on the WSDA Waste Pesticide Program website at <a href="https://agr.wa.gov/wastepesticide">https://agr.wa.gov/wastepesticide</a>. Cleaned containers may also be disposed of in a sanitary landfill, if permitted by the county. Burning is not a legal method of container disposal in Washington.

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