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Method® 240SL Herbicide

Plus Triclopyr for Mesquite Control in Non-Crop Sites

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Product Bulletin

FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATES OF ARIZONA AND NEW MEXICO.

FIFRA Section 2(ee) Recommendation: This recommendation is made as permitted under FIFRA Section 2(ee) and has not been submitted to or approved by the EPA. This product bulletin should be in the possession of the user at the time of application of the product. All applicable directions, restrictions and precautions on the EPA registered label are to be followed.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its label. Always read this FIFRA 2(ee) bulletin and the entire container label on the product container before using this product.

Bayer CropScience will not be responsible for losses or damages resulting from the use of this product in any manner not specifically instructed by Bayer CropScience. Users assume all risks associated with such non-label use.

Method 240SL Herbicide can be tank-mixed with triclopyr amine for control of mesquite in labeled non-crop sites. Apply Method 240SL Herbicide at rates of 8 to 12 fluid ounces of product per acre in a tank-mix with triclopyr at the rate of 4 to 6 ounces of active ingredient per acre.

Make application in the late spring to late summer when foliage is healthy, mature with a dark green color and when soil temperature is at least 75 degrees F at a depth of 12 inches. Mesquite control results are best when applications are made with moderate to high soil moisture and with uniform healthy foliage. For best results, use an MSO adjuvant at 0.5% to 1% v/v in broadcast applications.

For best results with aerial applications, use at least 4 gpa carrier volume and apply nozzles that deliver coarse or smaller droplets (VMD <450 microns) as defined by ASABE S572 standard. For low growing mesquite in open areas, this tank-mix may also be applied in 1 to 2 gpa carrier volume through an electrostatic spray system (patent numbers 5, 975, 425).

For best results on Western Honey Mesquite (*Prosopis glandulosa* var. *torreyana*) and Velvet mesquite (*P. velutina*), use the high end of the rate range.

Before using Method 240SL Herbicide and triclopyr read and follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions on the EPA-registered label for each product.

Read and follow all label mixing instructions.

IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS

Certain species may, in particular, be sensitive to low levels of Method 240SL Herbicide including but not limited to, connivers (such as Douglas fir, Norway spruce, ponderosa pine and white pine), deciduous trees (such as aspen, Chinese tallow, cottonwood, honey locust, magnolia, poplar species, redbud, silver maple, and willow species) and ornamental shrubs (such as arborvitae, burning bush, crape myrtle, forsythia, hydrangea, ice plant, magnolia, purple plum, and yew).

Injury or loss of desirable trees or vegetation may result if Method 240SL Herbicide is applied on or near desirable trees or vegetation, on areas where their roots extend, or in locations where the treated soil may be washed or moved into contact with their roots. Consider site-specific characteristics and conditions to unintended root zone exposure to desirable trees or vegetation. Root zone areas of desirable trees or vegetation are affected by local conditions and can extend beyond the

tree canopy. If further information is needed regarding root zone area, consult appropriate state extension service, professional consultant or other qualified authority.

Injury to or loss of desirable trees or vegetation may result if equipment is drained or flushed on or near these trees or vegetation, or on areas where their roots may extend, or in locations where the chemical may be washed or moved into contact with their roots.

IMPORTANT RESTRICTIONS

DO NOT USE PLANT MATERIAL TREATED WITH METHOD 240SL HERBICIDE FOR MULCH OR COMPOST

Do not apply this product in areas where the roots of desirable trees and/or shrubs may extend unless injury or loss can be tolerated. Root zone areas of desirable trees or vegetation are affected by local conditions and can extend well beyond the tree canopy.

Do not apply this product if site-specific characteristics and conditions exist that could contribute to movement and unintended root zone exposure to desirable trees or vegetation unless injury or loss can be tolerated.

During periods of intense rainfall, applications made to roadsides or other non-crop areas, to soils saturated with water, or soils through which rainfall will not readily penetrate may results in runoff and movement of Method 240SL Herbicide. Do not apply Method 240SL Herbicide when these conditions exist.

Do not apply more than 18 fluid ounces of Method 240SL Herbicide per acre per year on a broadcast acre basis.

For <u>MEDICAL</u> And <u>TRANSPORTATION</u> Emergencies <u>ONLY</u> Call 24 Hours A Day 1-800-334-7577. For <u>PRODUCT USE</u> Information Call 1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937).

As with any herbicide product, always read and follow label directions. For additional information call toll-free 1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937).