



HERBICIDE

# Foresite<sup>®</sup>

**Selective herbicide for weed control in  
certain fruit crops, onions, and shelterbelts**

Contains 380 g/L oxadiazon in the form of a  
suspension concentrate

Also contains 50 g/L Ethylene Glycol

**WARNING // HARMFUL // ECOTOXIC**

Keep out of the reach of children

Net Contents **5 L**

GROUP

14

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# READ LABEL COMPLETELY BEFORE USE



## WARNING

Causes serious eye irritation. Suspected of causing cancer. May cause reproductive/developmental damage from repeated oral exposure. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

## ECOTOXICITY

Very toxic to aquatic life with long-lasting effects. Avoid contamination of any water supply with product or empty container. Do not apply onto or into water. Collect spillage. Harmful to soil organisms. Harmful to terrestrial vertebrates

## RECORD KEEPING

Where 3kg or more of the substance is applied within 24 hours, in a place where the substance is likely to enter air or water and leave the application area, a PCBU with management or control of the substance must ensure that a written record is kept of each application of the substance. Refer to Part 4 Clause 48 of the Hazardous Substances (Hazardous Property Controls) notice 2017 for details of information that must be recorded.

## QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED FOR USE OF THIS PRODUCT

Anyone who mixes, loads or applies by air or ground based methods, is required to be suitably qualified. Refer to Schedule 10 of the Hazardous Substances (Hazardous Property Controls) notice 2017 for a list of suitable qualifications.

## HANDLING PRECAUTIONS - FOR WORKPLACE USE ONLY

**Personal Protection:** Read label carefully and follow all instructions. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. When mixing or applying, avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear full protective clothing, gloves and goggles. Do not breathe mist or spray. Do not eat or drink while using. Wash hands and face before an emergency response plan.

**Equipment:** Apply using accurately calibrated and maintained equipment in accordance with the New Zealand Standard for the Management of Agrichemicals (NZS8409). Flush spray equipment thoroughly with water after use.

**Storage:** Store in original container tightly closed and in a locked, dry, cool, well-ventilated area away from fertilisers, feed, seeds and foodstuffs. Keep out of reach of children. Store in accordance with NZ 8409 Management of Agrichemicals. Stores containing more than 100 L are subject to signage and secondary containment and require an emergency response plan.

**Shelf Life:** When stored appropriately this product should show no significant degradation for two years from the date of manufacture. Contact your supplier for further information about the use of any product that is older than this.

**Spillage:** Move non-essential people from the area. Wear appropriate protective clothing and prevent material from entering waterways. Absorb spills with inert material and place in waste containers. Sweep up solids without creating dust. Wash area with water and absorb with further inert material. Dispose of waste safely (e.g. as a suitable landfill).

**Product Disposal:** Dispose of unwanted product by use by another operator strictly in accordance with label directions.

**Container Disposal:** Triple rinse container and add rinse to spray tank. Dispose of cleaned container at your local AGRECOVERY container collection site.

**Safety Data Sheet:** Additional information is provided in the SDS available from your supplier or [www.agsource.co.nz](http://www.agsource.co.nz)

## FIRST AID

**IF INHALED:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. IF SWALLOWED: Rinse Mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. For advice, contact the National Poisons Centre 0800 Poison (0800 764 766) or a doctor immediately. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

## EMERGENCY RESPONSE

In a transport emergency call 111, Police or Fire Brigade

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**Foresite** is a residual pre-emergence herbicide recommended for the control of grass and broad-leaved weeds in onions and certain fruit crops. It has little knockdown activity so other methods must be used to ensure a weed free crop prior to application. **Foresite** will give control of many broad-leaved and grass weeds for up to six weeks.

## IMPORTANT - RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT

**Foresite** contains the **GROUP 14 HERBICIDE**, oxadiazon. Resistance to pesticides can develop from excessive use. To minimise this risk, avoid using this herbicide exclusively all season, avoid unnecessary spraying and endeavour to alternate with herbicides from other groups within the crop and in subsequent seasons for a sprayed paddock. Use strictly in accordance with label instructions. Maintain good cultural practices.

## WEEDS CONTROLLED

Annual POA, Barley Grass, Barnyard Grass, Bittercress, Black Nightshade, Broad-Leaved Plantain, Browtop, Cleavers, Cornbind, Creeping Buttercup, Crested Dogtail, Crowfoot Grass, Cut-Leaved Geranium, Docks, Fathen, Field Speedwell, Fumitory, Galinsoga, Giant Buttercup, Green Bristle Grass, Groundsel, Italian Ryegrass, Kentucky Bluegrass, Mouse-Ear Chickweed, Narrow-Leaved Plantain, Nettle, Oxalis Corniculata, Oxalis Latifolia, Oxalis Stricta, Paspalum, Perennial Nettle, Portulaca, Rough-Stalked Meadow Grass, Red Clover, Red Deadnettle, Redroot, Scrambling Fumitory, Scrambling Speedwell, Shepherd's Purse, Small-Flowered Geranium (Doves Foot), Smooth Witchgrass, Sowthistle, Spurrey, Stinking Mayweed, Subterranean Clover, Suckling Clover, Summer Grass, Sunspurge, Timothy Grass, Twinnex, White Clover, White Deadnettle, Wild Turnip, Willow Weed, Wireweed, Witchgrass, Yorkshire Fog.

## WEEDS PARTIALLY CONTROLLED

Greater Bindweed, Scotch Thistle, Small-Flowered Mallow, Field Pansy.

## RESISTANT WEEDS

Chickweed, Pearlwort and most rhizomatous weeds will not be controlled.

## WHEN TO APPLY

For maximum effectiveness **Foresite** must be applied to bare soil before weed emergence. It is important after treatment not to disturb the soil surface by cultivation. Activity is dependent on adequate moisture being present at the soil surface, irrigation is recommended during dry conditions.

**Foresite** acts best on young plants up to the 2 leaf stage. Older plants are more resistant and may suffer only a slight check. Post-emergence application can be made to Oxalis spp and cleavers or field bindweed plants with stems less than 30cm in length. Apply in late winter or very early spring onto moist soil.

**Foresite** must not be incorporated into the soil. Do not plant seed or transplant sensitive crops into treated soil within 90 days of applying **Foresite**. **Foresite** must not be used in or on covered crops.

## MIXING

Half fill spray tank with water, with agitation running, add the required amount of **Foresite**, top up with water and agitate thoroughly before use.

## SPRAY DRIFT

Take all reasonable steps to ensure that the substance does not cause any significant adverse effects to the environment beyond the application area.

## APPLICATION RATES

**Onions:** Use 2 L/ha of **Foresite**, apply to a weed-free crop when the onions have developed 4 leaves, ensure good leaf wax is present. Under soft growing conditions, for better crop tolerance, apply two applications of 1 L/ha at 21-day intervals between the 4-6 leaf growth stage.

**Other Crops:** Use 4 L of **Foresite** in a minimum of 800 L of water/ha as a directed spray. Use low pressure (less than 150 kPa) to minimise drift. Ensure complete spray coverage of the soil surface and/or target weeds.

**Pip and Stone Fruits, Brambles, Raspberries, Bushfruit & Shelterbelts:** Directed applications avoiding spray contacting buds or foliage should be made to bare soil beneath the bushes or trees before budburst or 2-4 weeks after fruit set.

**Vineyards:** Directed applications should be made to bare soil beneath the vines using suitable equipment. Treat before budburst or after the vines have developed 10 leaves per shoot. Do not treat young vines in the year of planting until growth has reached the first wire. A second application can be made if the residual firm is disturbed and weeds start to emerge, avoiding spray drift onto foliage.

**It is an offence for users of this product to cause residues exceeding the relevant MRL in the Food Notice: Maximum Residue Levels for Agricultural Compounds.**

## WITHHOLDING PERIODS

60 Days

## CONDITIONS OF SUPPLY

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