

Shaw's Turf Food/Crabgrass Control Prodiamine 38

✓ For Preemergence Control of Grass and Broadleaf Weeds in Established Turf Grasses, (excluding golf course putting greens) and Lawns – Also for Landscape Ornamentals Including Established Perennials and Wildflower Plantings. (See Supplemental Label).

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Prodiamine [N3,N3-Di-n-propyl-2,4-dinitro-6-(trifluoromethyl)-m-phenylenediamine] 0.38%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 99.62%

TOTAL 100.00%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

See the following section, Precautionary Statements, Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals, for additional information

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

✓ CAUTION: Causes moderate eye injury (irritation). Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact while handling the material may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.

FIRST AID

If swallowed: Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

✓ If in eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after 5 minutes, then continue rinsing. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If on skin or clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center, or doctor, or going for treatment.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

✓ This product has low solubility in water. At the limit of solubility, this product is toxic to fish. However, at concentrations above the level of water solubility, it may be toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in adjacent sites. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

✓ Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in original container away from other fertilizer, feed, or foodstuffs and separated from other pesticides.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: IF EMPTY: Do not reuse this bag. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. IF PARTLY FILLED: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain. If product is spilled, sweep up and use as per label instructions or dispose of as indicated above. CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container, offer for recycling if available.

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NET WEIGHT 50 Lbs. (22.7 Kg.)

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. This product is a turf fertilizer and a pre-emergence herbicide that provides residual control of many grass and broadleaf weeds in established turf grasses (excluding golf course putting greens), and lawns, landscape ornamentals, established perennials and wildflower plantings. It controls susceptible weeds by inhibiting weed seeds germination and root development. Most effective weed control will be obtained when it is activated by at least ½ inch of rainfall, irrigation, or shallow (1 to 2 inches) incorporation, prior to weed seed germination and within 14 days following application.

Not for use on plants being grown: (1) for sale or other commercial use; (2) for commercial seed production or: (3) for research. For use on plants intended for esthetic purposes or climatic modification and being grown in ornamental gardens, or parks, or on golf courses or lawns and grounds. Do not graze or feed livestock forage cut from areas treated with this product. Do not apply aerially. Do not apply to golf course putting greens. Failure to follow the directions for use and precautions on this label may result in poor weed control, crop injury, or illegal residues.

ESTABLISHED TURF

This product is a pre-emergence herbicide that, when properly applied, will control certain grass and broadleaf weeds in established turf grass and lawns. The maximum amount of material that may be applied per year is given for each turf grass species in the Maximum Annual Rates section of this label. Most effective weed control in turf grasses will be obtained when this product is activated by at least ½ inch of rainfall or irrigation prior to weed seed germination and within 14 days following application. See the map for approximate crabgrass seed germination dates.

Crabgrass Seed Germination Dates



USE PRECAUTIONS

The following precautions apply to the use of this product in turf grasses and lawns: (1) Application of this product may thin emerged annual bluegrass and newly overseeded grasses. (2) Do not apply to overseeded turf within 60 days after seeding or until after the second mowing whichever is longer. Injury to desirable seedlings is likely if this product is applied before seedling secondary roots are in the second inch of soil, not thatch plus soil. (3) Do not (harvest) treated sod before 120 days after application. Do not apply to newly set sod until the following year. (4) Application to turf stressed by drought, low fertility, or pest damage may result in turf injury. (5) Disturbing the herbicide barrier with cultural practices such as diking may result in reduced weed control. (6) Do not apply this product to putting greens, or areas where dichondra, colonial bentgrass, velvet bentgrass or annual bluegrass (*Poa annua*) are desirable species.

Rates of Application

This product may be applied as a single application or in sequential applications to control weeds germinating throughout the year. All applications must be made prior to germination of the target weeds. This product will not control established weeds. Maximum use rate selection should be based on turf species. The length of time of residual weed control provided by this product is related to the rate applied.

Maximum Annual Rates

This product is recommended for use on the turf grass species listed in the following table. Do not exceed the maximum yearly rate as given in the following table:

Maximum Application Rate/Calendar Year Of Product by Turf Grass Species ⁽¹⁾		
Turf Species	Lbs. Product/Acre	Lbs. a.i./Acre
Creeping Bentgrass	170 lbs.	0.65 lb.
Creeping Red Fescue	195 lbs.	0.75 lb.
Buffalograss	265 lbs.	1.00 lb.
Kentucky Bluegrass	"	"
Perennial Ryegrass	"	"
Bermudagrass	395 lbs.	1.50 lb.
Bahiagrass	"	"
Centipedegrass	"	"
Seashore Paspalum	"	"
St. Augustinegrass	"	"
Tall Fescue (including turf type)	"	"
Zoysia	"	"

(1) These are the maximum rates per calendar year by species limitations. (2) May be used on newly-sprigged or plugged Bermudagrass at rates not to exceed 137 lbs./A. Newly-sprigged or plugged Bermudagrass stolon rooting may be temporarily retarded. Suppression only of Foxtail, Goosegrass and Rescuegrass due to reduced product rates used in sprigging situations. Do not apply more than 395 lbs. of this product per calendar year. Use higher rates of product to achieve higher levels of fertility and longer periods of weed control for each turf type, but do not exceed the maximum application rates specified in the Maximum Annual Rates section.

WEEDS CONTROLLED

When used in accordance with this label this product will provide control of the following weeds:

Barnyardgrass	Henbit	Purslane, common
Bluegrass, Annual (Poa Annua)	Itchgrass	Pursley, Florida
Carpetweed	Johnsongrass	Rescuegrass ⁽³⁾
Chickweed, Common	Junglerice	Shepherd's Purse ⁽²⁾
Chickweed, Mauseear (from seed)	Knotweed	Signalgrass, Broadleaf
Crabgrass (large, smooth)	Kochia	Speedwell, Persian
Crowfoot grass	Lambsquarter, common	Sprangletop
Cupgrass, Woolly	Lovegrass	Spurge, Prostrate
Foxtails, Annual	Panicum (Texas, Fall, Browntop)	Witchgrass
Goosegrass ⁽¹⁾	Pigweed	Woodsorrel, Yellow (from seed)

(1) In many areas a single application of 170 to 395 lbs/A will control goosegrass. However, under goosegrass pressure and/or on extended growing season, most effective weed control may be obtained by making an initial application of 170 to 265 lbs./A followed after 60 to 90 days by a second application at doses that would not exceed those given in the **Maximum Annual Rates section**. Do not exceed the maximum rate for turf grass species listed in the **Maximum Annual Rates section**. (2) Application for this weed should be made in late summer, fall, or winter prior to germination. (3) Suppression Only. Sequential application may be made as long as the total amount of product applied does not exceed the maximum annual application rates recommended for each turf species. All applications must be made prior to germination of the weed seeds.

WHEN TO APPLY AFTER OVERSEEDING TURF

Do not apply to overseeded turf within 60 days after seeding or until after the second mowing, whichever is longer. Injury to desirable seedlings is likely if this product is applied before seedling secondary roots are in the second inch of soil, not thatch plus soil.

WHEN TO OVERSEED AFTER APPLICATION

This product will inhibit the germination of turf species if overseeded to soon after application. Follow rates and intervals in the table below for best overseeding/reseeding results.

Product rate lbs./Acre		Months Before Overseeding		
Product	a.i./A	North	Transition	South
132	0.50	4	4	4
170	0.65	5	4	4
195	0.75	6	5	5
210	0.80	-	6	6
265	1.00	-	7	7
300	1.14	-	-	9
342	1.30	-	-	10
395	1.50	-	-	12

Application Directions

Apply uniformly with suitable, calibrated application equipment.

Spreader Recommendations

Spreaders	132 lbs. Product/A	195 lbs. Product/A	265 lbs. Product/A	395 lbs. Product/A
Big Foot 1	J - K	K - L	M - N	Q - R
Lesco 029600	G - H	H - I	I - J	L - M
Scott's R8A/SR1	L - M	M - N	O - P	S - T
Earthway 2200	14 - 15	15 - 16	17 - 18	21 - 22
Earthway 2400	14 - 15	15 - 16	17 - 18	21 - 22
Spyker 76/78-2	5 - 5 ½	5 ¼ - 5 ¾	6 - 6 ½	7 - 7 ½

Calibrate your spreader according to the manufacturer's directions. Initial spreader setting may require adjustment to deliver the recommended application rate under actual application conditions. Apply this product uniformly over the area to be treated. Avoid streaking, skips and overlaps during application. Calibration of spreader may be needed if conditions of area to be treated changes and rate or speed of application are changed.

NOTICE: Buyer and user assume all risk and liability of use, storage and/or handling of this product not in accordance with the terms of this label. If these terms are not acceptable, return unopened package at once to the seller for a full refund of purchase price paid.

*FOR USE ON LANDSCAPE ORNAMENTALS

(including Established Perennials and Wildflower Plantings). This product may be applied for residual preemergence weed control in ornamental plantings.

FOR COMPLETE DETAILS AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE ON ORNAMENTAL PLANTS REFER TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL LABEL FOR USE OF THIS PRODUCT ON LANDSCAPE ORNAMENTALS.