

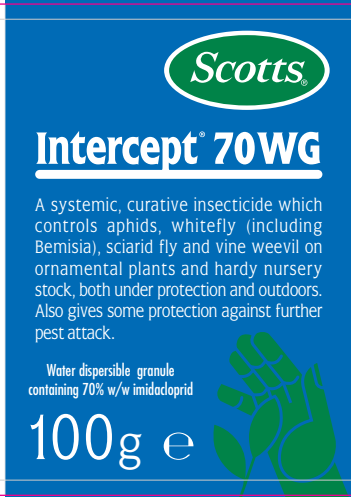
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The (COSHH) Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations may apply to the use of this product at work.

PRECAUTIONS

WASH HANDS AND EXPOSED SKIN before meals and after work • WHEN USING DO NOT EAT, DRINK OR SMOKE • KEEP AWAY FROM FOOD, DRINK AND ANIMAL FEEDING STUFFS • KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN • HIGH RISK TO BEES. Do not apply to crops in flower or to those in which bees are actively foraging. Do not apply when flowering weeds are present • DO NOT CONTAMINATE SURFACE WATERS OR DITCHES with chemical or used container. • KEEP IN ORIGINAL CONTAINER, tightly closed in a safe place • EMPTY CONTAINER COMPLETELY and dispose of safely • DO NOT RE-USE CONTAINER for any purpose.

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Intercept® 70WG

A systemic, curative insecticide which controls aphids, whitefly (including Bemisia), sciarid fly and vine weevil on ornamental plants and hardy nursery stock, both under protection and outdoors. Also gives some protection against further pest attack.

Water dispersible granule containing 70% w/w imidacloprid

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STATUTORY CONDITIONS RELATING TO USE FOR USE ONLY AS A HORTICULTURAL INSECTICIDE

For use on: Ornamental plants (outdoor and protected container-grown ornamental plants and container-grown hardy nursery stock).

Maximum individual dose: 0.2g product per litre water.

Maximum number of applications: 1 per batch of compost.

Other specific restrictions: This product must not be used on ornamentals in compost where the compost will be re-used for cultivation of edible crops for human or animal consumption.

This product must not be used on ornamentals in compost that has already been treated with another imidacloprid-containing product.

Environmental protection: HIGH RISK TO BEES. Do not apply to crops in flower or to those in which bees are actively foraging. Do not apply when flowering weeds are present.

READ ALL PRECAUTIONS BEFORE USE (MAFF 08585)

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| DIRECTIONS FOR USE | | | |
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| TIMING - INTERCEPT 70WG should be applied at the first sign of adult pest activity. | | | |
| MIXING - Ensure that the sprayer or other applicator is clean and set to give the correct volume and an even deposit. Half-fill the sprayer or container with clean water then add the recommended quantity of INTERCEPT 70WG. Complete filling. Agitate by using sprayer agitation - shaking a knapsack or stirring with a clean rod. Agitate mixture regularly during use. Do not leave the sprayer standing with chemical in it for long periods and use on day of mixing. After spraying, thoroughly wash out the spray tank. The diluted product must only be used on the day of mixing. | | | |
| APPLICATION - INTERCEPT 70WG is applied as a compost drench at a rate of 0.02g of product per litre of compost. This should be applied in 100-200ml of water per litre of compost. To make an appropriate solution carefully weigh out 10 to 20g of product and mix into 100 litres of water according to the table below. | | | |
| Final volume of solution to be applied per litre of compost | 100ml | 150ml | 200ml |
| Weight of INTERCEPT 70WG per 100 litres of water | 20g | 13g | 10g |
| Ensure that the growing medium is moist before application and that the drench is applied evenly over the entire root area. Always use the highest practical water volume to ensure maximum penetration of the rooting zone. | | | |
| Best results are obtained when the compost is warm and plants are growing freely: Pests are also most active and susceptible at this time. At low temperatures, root uptake is limited and pests may not be controlled. | | | |
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INSECT CONTROL

The active ingredient of INTERCEPT 70WG is a chloronicotynyl insecticide with a mode of action different from that of the commonly used insecticides. It has activity against a wide spectrum of pests including strains which have become resistant to other groups of insecticides including pyrethroids, organophosphorus and carbamate compounds.

Intercept 70WG is a highly systemic insecticide absorbed by the roots and translocated to the aerial parts of the plants. INTERCEPT 70WG has curative activity and also gives some protection against further pest attack.

For long-term protection against vine weevil in nursery stock and the extended control of a wide range of other pests, the use of INTERCEPT 5GR incorporated into the compost prior to potting is recommended.

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Among the important pests controlled by INTERCEPT 70WG in ornamentals are:- Aphids, glasshouse whitefly, tobacco whitefly (*Bemisia*), sciarid fly and vine weevil larvae (within one month of hatching).

Once ingested, INTERCEPT 70WG soon discourages feeding (so-called anti-feedant activity) but rapid knockdown of insects does not occur. Control of aphids may be maintained longer than for other pests.

CROPS - INTERCEPT 70WG may be used on the following protected and outdoor container-grown ornamental crops:-
Bedding plants, pot plants, herbaceous perennials & hardy nursery stock.

INTERCEPT 70WG MUST NOT be used to treat edible crops or non-containerised ornamental crops.

CROP TOLERANCE - INTERCEPT 70WG has been successfully used at the recommended dosage without crop damage on a range of containerised ornamental plants (protected and outdoor). However, due to the wide range of cultural conditions, species and varieties it is recommended that a few plants are test-treated before full-scale use. This particularly applies to pansies, which may suffer scorch.
To minimise the risk of damage avoid drenching the foliage and, if necessary, rinse off with plain water.

INSECTICIDE STRATEGY - Total reliance on one pesticide will hasten the development of resistant strains of a pest. To avoid the build-up of resistance, pesticides of different types or alternative control measures should be alternated in a planned programme.

Do not apply as a foliar treatment as this will encourage the development of insect resistance and shorten the useful life of this pesticide.

This product must not be used on ornamentals in compost that has already been treated with another imidacloprid-containing product.

COMPATIBILITY - The effect of INTERCEPT 70WG on parasites, predators or pathogens used in integrated control systems has not been established and safety cannot be assured. To minimise any risks treat only the compost and avoid drenching the foliage. Do not apply as a foliar spray.

STORAGE - Store product in a cool dry place.

PUBLIC LIABILITY STATEMENT - Since crop tolerance cannot be established for every circumstance The Scotts Company (UK) Ltd. will accept no liability for damage where small-scale testing has not been conducted prior to full-scale use as recommended above.

Pests or diseases may develop tolerance or resistance to pesticides. Since such circumstances are beyond our control, The Scotts Company (UK) Ltd. will be under no liability whatsoever for any resulting loss or damage.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE - See overleaf

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