PROPANIL GROUP 7 HERBICIDE

For Postemergence Control of Grass and Broadleaf Weeds in Rice Fields.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	% BY WT.
Propanil: 3',4'-Dichloropropionanilide	40.20%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	<u>59.80%</u>
TOTAL:	. 100.00%
Contains 4 lbs propanil per gallon	

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# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION/PRECAUCION

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alquien para que se la explique a usted en detalle.

(If you do not understand this label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

For additional precautionary, handling and use statements, see inside of this booklet.

How can we help? 1-866-406-6262





#### FIRST AID

IF ON SKIN OR	Take off contaminated clothing.
CLOTHING:	Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes.
	Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
IF IN EYES:	Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes.
	Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
	Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
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 do so by a poison control center or doctor.
	Do not give anything to an unconscious person.
IF INHALED:	Move person to fresh air.
	• If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.
	Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
	ntainer or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-877- ncy medical treatment information.

In case of spills, fire, leaks or accidents call 1-800-535-5053.

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION.** Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Mixers, loaders, ground applicators, and other handlers cleaning up spills or equipment or otherwise exposed to the concentrate and handlers removing an unrinsed probe must wear the following:

- · Coveralls over long-sleeve shirt and long pants
- Waterproof gloves
- · Chemical-resistant footwear plus socks
- · Chemical resistant apron, when mixing and loading
- Protective eyewear if the system operates under pressure

#### Pilots and handlers removing a triple rinsed probe must wear:

- · Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- · Shoes plus socks

See Engineering Controls for additional requirements and options.

#### User Safety Recommendations

#### Users Should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

#### **User Safety Requirements**

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. Discard clothing or other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them.

#### **Engineering Controls**

Mixers and loaders must either:

- Use a closed system that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for dermal protection of agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d) (4)], OR
- · Use the probe system described below:

#### PROBE SYSTEM

#### Specific requirements for use of the probe closed mixing/loading system:

- Remove plug from bung of drum containing this product only when drum is sitting on the ground or on a secure level platform, with the bung end
  of the drum pointed up.
- · Do not pour this product from its drum.
- Transfer product from the drum to the mixing tank by use of suction hose connected at one end to the suction pump on the mixing tank and connected at the other end to a probe (dip tube) that is inserted through the bung opening into the drum.
- Do not handle the probe or bung in a manner that allows dripping or splattering of the product onto yourself or any other person.
- Do not touch the portion of the probe that has been in contact with this product until after the probe has been triple rinsed with water.
- If all of the product is removed from the drum, then triple rinse the probe while it remains inside the drum.

#### **Unrinsed Probes**

- If an un-rinsed probe must be removed from the drum, then use an anti-drip flange, and immediately transfer the probe into a container of rinse water. The anti-drip flange must be designed to remove excess propanil product from the probe as it is extracted from the drum.
- Take the following steps if the probe must be disconnected from the suction hose before both the probe and the hose have been triple rinsed:
  - 1. Equip the probe end of the hose with a shut off valve
  - 2. Install a dry break coupling between the valve and the probe
  - 3. Close the shut-off valve before disconnecting the probe

#### PPE For All Transfer Systems

In addition, mixers and loaders using all systems must:

- wear the personal protective equipment required in the PPE section of this labeling for mixers and loaders,
- wear protective eyewear, if the system operates under pressure, and
- when using a system that meets the requirements in the WPS as a closed system or using a probe system when the probe is not removed, chemicalresistant footwear must be provided, be immediately available, and be used in an emergency, such as a broken package, spill, or equipment
  breakdown.

All systems must be capable of removing the pesticide from the shipping container and transferring it into mixing tanks and/or application equipment. At any disconnect point, the system must be equipped with a dry disconnect or dry couple shut-off device that is warranted by the manufacturer to minimize drippage.

Flaggers: Human flagging is prohibited. Flagging to support aerial application is limited to use of the Global Positioning System (GPS) or mechanical flaggers.

**Enclosed Cabs for Aerial Applicators:** Pilots must use an enclosed cockpit that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d)(6)].

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

For terrestrial uses, do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate. This product is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water intended for irrigation or domestic purposes. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from areas to be treated.

#### **Ground Water Advisory**

This chemical has properties and characteristics associated with chemicals detected in ground water. The use of this chemical prior to flooding may result in shallow ground water contamination due to cracks in subsoil of the rice paddy.

#### Surface Water Advisory

This product may contaminate water through runoff following rainfall events and by seepage through the levees. This product has a high potential for runoff. Runoff of this product will be reduced by avoiding applications when rainfall is forecasted to occur within 48 hours. Levees should be constructed with adequate time prior to chemical application so that they are compacted to reduce seepage and to hold 3-6 inch flood.

#### PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not store with, use near, mix, or allow to come in contact with oxidizing agents. Hazardous chemical reactions may occur.

# **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency in your State responsible for pesticide regulation.

#### AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 24 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated including plants, soil, or water is:

- Coveralls
- · Waterproof gloves
- · Chemical-resistant footwear plus socks
- · Protective evewear

#### GENERAL RESTRICTIONS

- Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.
- Do not plant or transplant crops in the treated area for at least 60 days following an application of this product.
- Do not apply more than 1.5 gallons of Diverge™ Silk (6 lb active ingredient) per acre in a single application or exceed 2.0 gallons of Diverge Silk (8 lb active ingredient) per acre per season.
- Do not apply to fields where commercial catfish farming is practiced or drain water from treated fields into areas where catfish farming is practiced for 12 months following treatment.
- Do not fish or commercially grow fish, shellfish, or crustaceans on treated areas during the 12 months following treatment.
- $\bullet~$  Do not apply when temperature exceeds 90°F.
- Do not apply this product (directly or indirectly) to any crop other than rice.
- Do not apply when wind conditions will allow drift to adjacent, susceptible crops such as beans, soybeans, cotton, safflower, cucurbits, vegetables, orchards (such as almonds, prunes, and grapes) and other sensitive crops.
- Water drained from treated rice fields must not be used to irrigate other crops or be released within ½ mile of a potable water intake in flowing water (i.e., river, stream, etc.) or within ½ mile of a potable water intake in a standing body of water such as a lake, pond, or reservoir.

#### SPRAY DRIFT MANAGEMENT

Avoiding spray drift at the application site is the responsibility of the applicator and the grower. The interaction of many equipment and weather-related factors determine the potential for spray drift. The applicator and the grower are responsible for considering all these factors when making decisions.

Apply only when the wind speed is less than or equal to 10 mph at the application site.

Apply as a medium or coarser spray (ASAE standard 572).

Additional requirements for ground applications:

Apply using a nozzle height or no more than 4 feet above the ground or crop canopy.

Additional requirements for aerial applications:

Do not apply by air if drift can occur to sensitive nontarget crops or plants that are within 100 feet of the application site.

Do not release spray at a height greater than 10 feet above the ground or crop canopy.

The boom length must not exceed 70% of the wingspan or 85% of the rotor blade diameter.

Do not make aerial applications into temperature inversions.

When applications are made with a cross-wind, the swath will be displaced downwind. The applicator must compensate for this displacement at the downwind edge of the application area by adjusting the path of the aircraft upwind.

#### RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

For resistance management, Diverge Silk is a Group 7 herbicide. Any weed population may contain or develop plants naturally resistant to Diverge Silk and other Group 7 herbicides. The resistant biotypes may dominate the weed population if these herbicides are used repeatedly in the same field. Appropriate resistance-management strategies should be followed.

To delay herbicide resistance take one or more of the following steps:

- Rotate the use of Diverge Silk or other Group 7 herbicides within a growing season sequence or among growing seasons with different herbicide
  groups that control the same weeds in a field.
- Use a tank mixture from a different group if such use is permitted; where information on resistance in target weed species is available, use the
  less resistance-prone partner at a rate that will control the target weed(s) equally as well as the more resistance-prone partner. Consult your local
  extension service or certified crop advisor if you are unsure as to which active ingredient is currently less prone to resistance.
- Adopt an integrated weed-management program for herbicide use that includes scouting and uses historical information related to herbicide
  use and crop rotation, and that considers tillage (or other mechanical control methods), cultural (e.g., optimal water management, higher crop
  seeding rates; precision fertilizer application method and timing to favor the crop and not the weeds), biological (weed-competitive crops or
  varieties) and other management practices.
- Scout after herbicide application to monitor weed populations for early signs of resistance development. Indicators of possible herbicide resistance include: (1) failure to control a weed species normally controlled by the herbicide at the dose applied, especially if control is achieved on adjacent weeds; (2) a spreading patch of non-controlled plants of a particular weed species; (3) surviving plants mixed with controlled individuals of the same species. If resistance is suspected, prevent weed seed production in the affected area by an alternative herbicide from a different group or by a mechanical method such as hoeing or tillage. Prevent movement of resistant weed seeds to other fields by cleaning harvesting and tillage equipment when moving between fields and planting clean seed.
- If a weed pest population continues to progress after treatment with this product, discontinue use of this product, and switch to another management strategy, crop or herbicide with a different mode of action, if available.
- Contact your local extension specialist or certified crop advisors for additional pesticide resistance-management and/or integrated weed-management recommendations for specific crops and weed biotypes.
- For further information or to report suspected resistance, contact ADAMA at adama.com.

#### Sensitive Areas

Do not apply by air if drift can occur to sensitive nontarget crops or plants that are within 100 feet of the application site. Sensitive areas include, but are not limited to, residential areas, bodies of water, known habitat for threatened or endangered species, and non-target crops.

#### WHERE TO USE

Diverge Silk is used for postemergence control of broadleaf and grass weeds in rice fields.

### WEEDS CONTROLLED

Barnyardgrass (watergrass)	Echinochloa crus-galli
Brachiaria	Brachiaria platyphylla
Coffeeweed	Sesbania herbacea
Crabgrass	Digitaria spp.
Croton	Croton spp.
Curly indigo	Aeschynomene virginica
Eclipta	Eclipta prostrata
Foxtail	Setaria spp.
Goosegrass	Eleusine indica
Ground cherry	Physalis spp.
Gulf cockspur	Echinochloa crus-pavonis
Mexicanweed	Caperonia castanifolia
Millet (Texas)	Urochloa texana
Morning-glory	Ipomoea spp.
Paragrass	Urochloa mutica
Pigweed	Amaranthus spp.
Redstem	Ammannia coccinea
Rice field bulrush	Scirpus mucronatus
Smallflower umbrella plant	Cyperus difformis
Smartweed	Polygonum spp.
Sicklepod	Cassia obtusifolius
Sourdock	Rumex crispus
Spearhead	Phacelia hastate
Wiregrass	Eleusine indica

(Diverge Silk will not control arrowhead, Bermudagras, cattail, ducksalad, Johnsongrass, nutgrass, red rice, and sprangletop).

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Several important factors should be taken into account to achieve a high efficiency of selective weed control with Diverge Silk. These include uniform application, growth stage, and weather conditions. To assure uniform application, mix the prescribed amount of Diverge Silk with a sufficient volume of water to provide thorough coverage of target area.

For aerial applications use approximately 10 gallons of water or for surface (ground) applications 20-30 gallons of water per acre at sufficient spray pressure. Agitate tank mixes thoroughly and continuously. Avoid over and under application.

Growth stage of weeds is very important. Best results for selective weed control are obtained when most grasses have reached 1 to 3 leaf stage.

Proper field preparation is essential to ascertain a relatively clod free and level surface and to obtain uniform flood levels and growth. Fields may be flushed prior to treatment to produce uniform and vigorous grass germination and growth. Drain water from fields prior to applying Diverge Silk. Higher rates are recommended to control larger grasses or exposed weeds when rice fields are not completely drained. Inspect rice fields regularly to select the correct application time.

#### WEATHER CONDITIONS:

**Temperature:** Temperatures at and before application affect product activity in controlling target weeds. Applications should be made when daily maximum temperatures are between 75°F and 100°F. Control decreases with temperatures below 75°F and increases with temperatures above 75°F.

Application Timing: Diverge Silk normally requires 8 hours of direct sunlight after application for absorption into target weeds; however, many atmospheric and environmental conditions can affect absorption into the target weeds. It is highly recommended that application of Diverge Silk be planned so that the applied product remains in contact with the leaf surfaces for at least 48 hours prior to rainfall or flooding. Historically, morning applications of propanil products, including Diverge Silk, have produced better results in weed control.

Relative Humidity: Diverge Silk is a contact herbicide; therefore; herbicidal activity is affected by humidity. High humidity and dew aid in weed control by allowing the product to remain in solution longer on the leaf surface. Low humidity decreases plant activity and thus reduces product absorption. During periods of low humidity, higher spray volumes, 12-15 gallons per acre should be used when applied aerially.

**Soil Moisture:** Under dry conditions grass and broadleaf weeds are less susceptible to control. Higher rates of product, 4 to 6 quarts (4 to 6 lb active ingredient) per acre should be used to achieve control.

<u>Wind:</u> Although Diverge Silk is less susceptible to drift than solvent based propanil products, application should be avoided if wind velocity is high enough to cause drift of the application spray off the target site or irregular spray patterns.

#### Information on Droplet Size

The most effective way to reduce drift potential is to apply large droplets (>150 - 200 microns). The best management strategy is to apply the largest droplets that provide sufficient coverage and control. The presence of sensitive species nearby, the environmental conditions, and pest pressure may affect how an applicator balances drift control and coverage. Applying large droplets reduces drift potential but will not prevent drift if applications are made improperly or under unfavorable environmental conditions (See Wind, Temperature and Humidity, and Surface Temperature Inversions sections of this label).

#### Controlling Droplet Size

Volume - Use high flow rate nozzles to apply the highest practical spray volume. Nozzles with higher rates flows produce larger droplets.

**Pressure** - Do not exceed the nozzle manufacturer's recommended pressure. For many nozzle types lower pressure produces larger droplets. When higher flow rates are needed, use higher flow rate nozzles instead of increasing pressure.

**Nozzle Orientation** - Orienting nozzles so that the spray is released parallel to the air stream produces larger droplets. When higher flow rates are needed, use higher flow rate nozzles instead of increasing pressure.

Number of Nozzles - Use the minimum number of nozzles that provide uniform coverage.

#### Boom Lengt

The boom length must not exceed 70% of the wingspan or 85% of the rotor blade diameter.

#### Application Height

Applications should be made at a height no greater than 10 feet above the ground or crop canopy. Making applications at the height that is safe reduces exposure of droplets to evaporation and wind.

#### Swath Adjustment

When applications are made with a crosswind, the swath will be displaced downwind. Therefore, on the downwind edges of the field, the applicator must compensate for this displacement by adjusting the path of the aircraft upwind. Swath adjustment distance should increase with increasing drift potential (higher wind, smaller drops, etc.).

#### Wind

Drift potential is lowest between wind speeds of 5 to 10 mph. However, many factors, including droplet size and equipment type, determine drift potential at any given speed. Application should be avoided below 3 mph due to variable wind direction and high inversion potential. Note: local terrain can influence wind patterns. Every applicator should be familiar with local wind patterns and how they affect spray drift.

#### Temperature and Humidity

When making applications in low relative humidity, set up equipment to produce larger droplets to compensate for evaporation. Droplet evaporation is most severe when conditions are both hot and dry.

#### **Temperature Inversions**

Do not make any applications into temperature inversions. Temperature inversions restrict vertical air mixing, which causes small-suspended droplets to remain in a concentrated cloud. The cloud can move in unpredictable directions due to the light variable winds common during inversions. Temperature inversions are characterized by increasing temperature with altitude and are common on nights with limited cloud cover and light to no wind. They begin to form as the sun sets and often continue into the morning. Their presence can be indicated by ground fog; however, if fog is not present, inversions can also be identified by movement of smoke from a ground source or an aircraft smoke generator. Smoke that layers and moves laterally in a concentrated cloud (under low wind conditions) indicates an inversion, while smoke that moves upward and rapidly dissipates indicates good vertical air mixing.

#### EMERGENCY RELEASE PROVISION

Water holding (discharge) intervals for flood water following propanil application in all states:

For delayed flood (water-seeded) rice grown south of Interstate Highway 10 from the Texas/Louisiana border to Houston and east of State Highway 35 from Houston to Port Lavaca – Flood water must be held for 10 days after application, unless excessive rainfall completely submerges the rice crop and forces premature release. For Texas rice grown in areas north or west of these boundaries, the water holding interval will be 7 days.

For delayed flood (water-seeded) rice in Southern Louisiana south of Highway 14 – Flood water must be held for 15 days after propanil application unless excessive rainfall completely submerges the rice crop and forces premature release. Delayed flood (water-seeded) rice in Louisiana, north of Highway 14 boundary, is subject to the 7-day water holding interval provisions.

For rice grown in California and all other parts of the US not mentioned above - Flood water must be held for 7 days after application, unless excessive rainfall completely submerges the rice crop and forces premature release.

#### ADJUVANTS AND APPLICATION AIDS

When Diverge Silk is used alone (not in combination with any other postemergent rice herbicide) a low viscosity crop oil concentrate or surfactant may be used to improve wetting of foliage and increase weed control. Use of a crop oil concentrate or surfactant is recommended when application is made during cool weather conditions or unstable weather conditions that may produce rain. Under adverse weather conditions, the addition of a crop oil concentrate when tank mixing Diverge Silk and other rice herbicides for application should be considered. Consult product labels for adjuvant recommendations.

Consult Extension Service for detailed application advice.

#### BROADCAST RATE

Apply 3 augrts (3 lb active ingredient) of Diverge Silk per acre when most grasses have reached the 1- to 3-leaf stage. Use 4 to 6 augrts of Diverge Silk (4 to 6 lb active ingredient) per acre when the grasses are large (4- to 6-leaf stage) or when unseasonably cool weather conditions prevail, grass and broadleaf weeds are stressed due to dry conditions or in cases where the rice fields have not been drained completely and where weeds are large enough. Barnyardgrass may be controlled up to 30 to 45 days after planting, before rice plants have reached the fully tillered growth stage.

NOTE: Diverge Silk applied to rice after the 4-leaf stage may cause visible injury under some climatic conditions. Rice plants usually outgrow such injury. IN CALIFORNIA: Use Diverge Silk only where rice fields are completely drained, or a minimal amount of water remains. If higher water level is desired, reflood field after 12 hours and before 7 days after treatment. This will discourage new weed infestations. Do not apply Diverge Silk within 14 days before or after insecticide applications. Serious injury to rice may occur.

#### SPRAY MIXTURE PREPARATION

#### Wet Spray Application

Thoroughly mix Diverge Silk with clean water (water that is free of sediment and agricultural chemicals) in the spray tank. Do not use water from paddies. Only approved drift control agents may be used with Diverge Silk. Do not use any other additives except as directed by this label.

To ensure uniform mixing and application, agitate the mixture before application. If they mixture is not sprayed immediately after agitation, reagitate it before application. Always apply Diverge Silk spray preparations within 24 hours of product mixing, or the product may degrade.

Do not store Diverge Silk in nurse tanks or any other tanks used to store or transport clean water. Install one-way valves (anti-siphoning) devices on lines and hoses of mixing/loading equipment to prevent contamination of nurse tanks or other clean water sources.

Mixing and application equipment exposed to Diverge Silk cannot be used for anything other than rice applications until it has been cleaned according to the procedures in the Spray Cleanup section of this label.

#### Additional Mixing Instructions (wet spray) 1. Fill the tank 1/4 to 1/3 full of clean water.

- 2. While agitating, add the required amount of Diverge Silk.
- 3. Continue agitation until the Diverge Silk is fully dispersed, at least 5 minutes.
- 4. Once the Diverge Silk is fully dispersed, maintain agitation and continue filling the tank with water. The Diverge Silk should be thoroughly mixed with water before adding any other material.
- 5. As the tank is filling, add the required tank mix partner (other labeled rice herbicides, adjuvants, drift control agents, etc.).
- 6. If the mixture is not continuously agitated, settling may occur. If settling occurs, thoroughly re-agitate before using.
- 7. Apply Diverge Silk spray preparations within 24 hours of product mixing, or the product may degrade.
- 8. If Diverge Silk and a tank mix partner are to be applied in multiple loads, pre-slurry the Diverge Silk in clean water prior to adding to the tank. This will prevent the tank mix partner from interfering with the dissolution of the Diverge Silk.

#### TANK MIXTURES

Diverge Silk can be tank mixed with any herbicide(s) registered for use on rice to increase the weed control spectrum.

When tank mixing, observe all restrictions and limitations specified on the label of each product; always follow the most restrictive labeling.

#### Diverge Silk Plus Quinclorac - Early Postemergence\*

It is the pesticide user's responsibility to ensure that all products are registered for the intended use. Read and follow the applicable restrictions and limitations and directions for use on all product labels involved in tank mixing. Users must follow the most restrictive directions for use and precautionary statements of each product in the tank mixture.

For a broader spectrum of postemergence grass and broadleaf weed control in rice, tank mix Diverge Silk with an appropriately labeled quinclorac product. When the Diverge Silk/quinclorac tank mix is to be applied to rice fields during the early stage of rice growth (shortly after the first true leaf on the rice has developed), where longer quinclorac residual activity is needed, and grass weeds are in the 1-4 leaf stage, apply 3-4 quarts (3-4 lb active ingredient) of Diverge Silk tank mixed with the labeled amount of auinclorac product.

When the Diverge Silk/quinclorac tank mix is to be applied to larger rice than can soon tolerate a permanent flood (long quinclorac residual control not needed) yet prior to 80 days before harvest, apply as conditions warrant the following rates:

Grass Stage <sup>1</sup> Rate	Diverge Silk Rate	Quinclorac Rate
1-3 leaf stage	2.5 quarts (2.5 lb ai)	Refer to product label
4-5 leaf stage	4.0 quarts (4 lb ai)	Refer to product label
Larger tillering	4-5 quarts (4-5 lb ai)	Refer to product label

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This tank mix combination works best when the grass weeds are in the 2- to 3-leaf stage and are actively growing. Use on larger tillering grasses is a rescue treatment and less likely to achieve total control.

#### SPRAYER CLEANUP

Before using equipment exposed to Diverge Silk to treat another crop, clean the sprayer and any other equipment (loading hoses, batch tanks, etc.) using the following procedure:

- 1. Steam-clean tank using a non-chlorine-based detergent, taking care to remove all physical residues.
- 2. Thoroughly rinse sprayer, tanks, boom, and hoses with clean water (free of sediment and agricultural chemicals).
- 5. Fill the tank one-half full with clean water and add spray tank cleaner (refer to product label for specific rates). Fill the tank to capacity with clean water. Flush the nozzles, boom, and hoses, and agitate (and recirculate, if possible) the sprayer for 15 minutes. Drain the equipment, taking care to flush the boom and hoses thoroughly.
- 4. Rinse tanks, hoses and nozzles with clean water to remove spray tank cleaner.
- 5. Fill the tank one-half full with clean water and add 1 gal. of 21% ammonia or 7 gal. of 3% ammonia per 100 gal. of water. Fill the tank to capacity with clean water. Flush the nozzles, boom, and hoses and agitate (and recirculate, if possible) the sprayer for 15 minutes. Drain the equipment, taking care to flush the boom and hoses thoroughly.
- 6. Remove nozzles, screens, and strainers, and clean them separately.
- 7. Rinse tanks, booms, and hoses with clean water.
- 8. Repeat steps 5 and 7 an additional 3 times.
- 9. Rinse tanks, booms, and hoses to remove all traces of ammonia.
- 10. Water rinses may be applied to rice fields. Dispose of bleach rinses at an approved waste disposal facility.

**Note:** When applying multiple loads of Diverge Silk several days in a row, the following procedure must be performed at the end of each day; partially fill the tank with fresh water, flush the boom and hoses, and allow to sit overnight.

Do not use chlorine bleach with ammonia. All traces of liquid fertilizer containing ammonia, ammonium nitrate or ammonium sulphate must be rinsed from the mixing and application equipment using water before adding chlorine bleach solution. Failure to do so will release a gas with a musty chlorine odor that can cause eye, nose, and throat and lung irritation. Do not clean equipment in an enclosed area.

Perform cleanup procedures on batch tanks and any other mixing equipment separately from aircraft hoppers. Take care to clean loading hoses and any other equipment or surfaces exposed to Diverge Silk.

<sup>\*</sup> Not for use in California

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed, or seed by storage and disposal.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Open dumping is prohibited. Do not store this product near fertilizers, seeds, insecticides, or fungicides. Store at temperatures above 32°F. If product is allowed to freeze, warm to 50°F and agitate before using. Containers should not be stacked more than three (3) containers high. Reclose all partially used containers by thoroughly tightening screw cap. Damaged or leaking containers that contain product that cannot be used immediately should be transferred to suitable sound containers and properly marked. Any spilled materials should be thoroughly absorbed with a suitable absorbent, swept up and transferred to a new or waste container for disposal as indicated under "Pesticide Disposal."

For safety and prevention of unauthorized use, all pesticide should be stored in locked facilities. To prevent accidental misuse, different pesticides should be stored in separate areas with enough distance between to provide clear identification.

Opened, partially used pesticides should be stored in original containers when possible. When transfer to another container is necessary because of leakage or damage, carefully mark and identify contents of the new container. Keep containers closed when not in use.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your state pesticides or environmental control agency, or the hazardous waste representative at the nearest EPA region office for guidance.

#### CONTAINER HANDLING

Nonrefillable Container (Equal to or Less than 5 Gallons): Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container 1/4 full with water and recap. Shake container for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer container for recycling, if available, or puncture an dispose of container in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities.

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#### LIMITATION OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY

Read the entire directions for use, conditions of warranties and limitations of liability before using this product. If terms are not acceptable, return the unopened product container at once.

By using this product, user or buyer accepts the following CONDITIONS, DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES and LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY.

**CONDITIONS:** The directions for use of this product are believed to be adequate and must be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or the manner of use or application, all of which are beyond the control of ADAMA. To the extent consistent with applicable law, all such risks shall be assumed by the user or buyer.

**DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES:** To the extent consistent with applicable law, ADAMA makes no other warranties, express or implied, of merchantability or of fitness for a particular purpose or otherwise, that extend beyond the statements made on this label. No agent of ADAMA is authorized to make any warranties beyond those contained herein or to modify the warranties contained herein. To the extent consistent with applicable law, ADAMA disclaims any liability whatsoever for special, incidental or consequential damages resulting from the use or handling of this product.

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# Diverge<sup>™</sup> Silk

For Postemeraence Control of Grass and Broadleaf Weeds in Rice Fields.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	% BY WT.
Propanil: 3',4'-Dichloropropionanilide	40.20%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	<u>59.80%</u>
TOTAL:	100.00%
Contains 4 lbs propanil per gallon	

EPA Reg. No. 66222-286 EPA Est. No. 37429-GA-001BT; 37429-GA-002BO

Letter(s) in lot number correspond(s) to superscript in EPA Est. No.

# **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN** CAUTION/PRECAUCION

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alquien para que se la explique a usted en detalle.

(If you do not understand this label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

# How can we help? 1-866-406-6262

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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

IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

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 do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything to an unconscious person

IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-877-250-9291 for emergency medical treatment information.

In case of spills, fire, leaks or accidents call 1-800-535-5053.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed, or seed by storage and disposal Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed, or seed by storage and disposal. PESTICIDE STORAGE: Open dumping is prohibited. Do not store this product near fertilizers, seeds, insecticides, or fungicides. Store at temperatures above 32°F. If product is allowed to freeze, warm to 50°F and agitate before using. Containers should not be stacked more than three (3) containers high. Reclose all partially used containers by thoroughly tightening screw cap. Damaged or leaking containers that contain product that cannot be used immediately should be transferred to suitable sound containers and properly marked. Any spilled materials should be thoroughly absorbed with a suitable absorbent, swept up and transferred to a new or waste container for disposal as indicated under "Pesticide Disposal." For safety and prevention of unauthorized use, all pesticide should be stored in locked facilities. To prevent accidental misuse, different pesticides should be stored in separate greas. prevent accidental misuse, different pesticides should be stored in separate areas with enough distance between to provide clear identification. Opened, partially used pesticides should be stored in original containers when possible. When transfer to another container is necessary because of leakage or damage, carefully mark and identify contents of the new container. Keep containers closed when not in use.

PESTICÍDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are toxíc. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your state pesticides or environmental control agency, or the hazardous waste representative at the nearest EPA region office for guidance. CONTAINER HANDLING

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For additional precautionary, handling and use statements, see inside of this booklet.

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