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FIFRA Sec. 24(c) Special Local Need Labeling
For Distribution and Use Only in the State of Oregon
Primocane Suppression During Nonbearing Year of
Alternate Year Blackberry Production
Goal® 2XL

EPA Reg. No. 62719-424 OR-020026

Expiration Date: This label is valid until December 31, 2017, or until otherwise amended, withdrawn, canceled, or suspended.

Directions for Use

- It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
• This state-specific Section 24(c) labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.
• Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions on the EPA registered label for EPA Reg. No. 62719-424

Active Ingredient:

Oxyfluorfen:

2-chloro-1-(3-ethoxy-4-Nitrophenoxy)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene.....22%

Inert Ingredients78%

Total100%

Contains 2 pounds of active ingredient per gallon

Contains petroleum distillates

WARNING

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Precautionary Statements

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

Causes Substantial But Temporary Eye Injury • Causes Skin Irritation • Harmful If Swallowed Or Absorbed Through The Skin • Prolonged Or Frequently Repeated Skin Contact May Cause Allergic Reactions In Some Individuals

Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

Environmental Hazards

This product is toxic to aquatic invertebrates and wildlife. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. See Directions for Use for additional restrictions. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash water.

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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 responsible for pesticide regulation.

General Information

Goal[®] 2XL herbicide has been demonstrated, in field trials conducted by university personnel, to be effective for the suppression, reduction and/or removal of unwanted vegetative growth at the base of blackberry plants during the nonbearing (nonfruiting) year in the Alternate Year (AY) management system.

Occasionally, after the use of Goal 2XL, a spotting, crinkling or flecking may appear on the leaves of the vegetative canes. This is to be expected and does not affect plant health, performance or yield. Leaves of the vegetative canes that receive direct or indirect (drift) spray contact will be injured.

Do not use Goal 2XL on blackberry plantings that are weak, or under stress due to temperature, disease, fertilizer, nematodes, insects, pesticides, drought or excessive moisture.

Application Rate

Apply Goal 2XL at a rate of 2 to 4 pints (0.5 to 1.0 lb active) per broadcast acre to the unwanted vegetative growth at the base of the blackberry plants. The addition of 2 pints of an 80% active nonionic surfactant cleared for application to growing crops) per 100 gallons of spray solution is recommended.

Dosages listed are for broadcast application. For banded application, the amount of Goal 2XL and spray volume used per broadcast acre should be reduced according to the following formula.

$$\frac{\text{Band Width (inches)}}{\text{Row Width (inches)}} \times \text{Rate (spray vol) per Broadcast Acre} = \text{Amount Needed per Acre of Banded Application}$$

Timing and Method of Application

Goal 2XL should be applied after a sufficient number of canes have been bundled and trained to the trellis wire. The first application is made when the primocanes to be saved have reached either the bottom wire or approximately 4 feet in length (typically early to mid-June). Goal 2XL should be directed to the lower portion of the canes to reduce unwanted lateral growth and excessive foliage that normally develops at the base of each plant. The primocanes to be saved must be trained at an adequate height above the directed spray. A second application (typically mid-July to mid-September after the primocanes are trellised and wrapped on wire) may be applied to suppress new growth, leaves and lateral spurs that develop at the base of the plant. Application timing will vary according to location and vigor of planting.

Spray coverage is essential for optimum activity on unwanted vegetation. Goal 2XL should be applied at a minimum of 30 gallons of water per broadcast acre in a 3-foot band directed towards the lower portion of the blackberry canes in the primocane row. Use a low-pressure spray system (suggested 30 to 60 psi). Mounted nozzles are to be used to deliver the spray solution. Spray equipment should be calibrated carefully before each use.

Specific Use Restrictions

The following use restrictions must be observed when Goal 2XL is used as recommended on this label:

- **Chemigation:** Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.
- Follow the General Use Restrictions on the EPA-registered label.
- **Do not** apply more than 4 pints (1.0 lb. active) of Goal 2XL broadcast acre in a single application or more than 8 pints (2.0 lbs. active) per broadcast acre per season as a result of two applications.
- For application only during the nonbearing year of blackberries grown using Alternate Year (AY) management system.
- **Do not** apply Goal 2XL to blackberries during the bearing season.

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