



# ***FIFRA Section 24(c) Special Local Need Label (SLN)***

## **FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF OREGON**

**For Control of Ladysthumb, Pale Smartweed, Wild Buckwheat,  
and Prostrate Knotweed in Table Beets and Swiss Chard Grown for Seed**

### **Nortron® SC Herbicide**

**EPA Reg. No. 264-613**

**EPA SLN No. OR-160002**

**THIS LABEL IS VALID UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2021 UNLESS OTHERWISE AMENDED, WITHDRAWN, CANCELED,  
OR SUSPENDED.**

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**ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:**

Ethofumesate:  
(2-ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-3,3-dimethyl-5-benzofuranyl methanesulfonate) ..... 42%

**OTHER INGREDIENTS:** ..... 58%

**TOTAL: 100%**

This product contains 4.0 lbs. active ingredient per gallon.

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**STOP - Read the label before use**

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

**CAUTION**

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is 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 may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

This FIFRA Section 24(c) SLN label and the EPA-registered Nortron SC Herbicide product label must be in the possession of the user at the time of the pesticide application. Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions on this SLN label and the main EPA-registered product label.

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.

**Failure to follow the Directions for Use and Precautions on this label may result in poor product performance, crop injury, or illegal residues.**

Apply the rate of Nortron® SC Herbicide recommended below using ground equipment in 10 to 40 gallons of water before weeds emerge as a preemergent, preplant incorporated or post-emergence treatment. Nortron SC Herbicide has limited activity on emerged weeds. (See complete Nortron® SC Herbicide label for recommendations on soil preparation, spray equipment, incorporation equipment, and cultural practices. User must comply with rotational restrictions specified in the ROTATIONAL CROP GUIDELINES section of the product label).

		Pints/Acre/Application
<b>Direct Seeded</b>	Pre-plant Incorporation	3.0 pints
	Preemergence	4.0 pints
<b>Stecklings (over-wintered table beet roots) and seedlings (Swiss chard and table beets)</b>	Post-emergence	Apply up to 1-3 pints of Nortron® SC Herbicide. Use the lower rate range on light soils and higher rate range on heavier soils. Apply up to 2 pints when the crop is in the 4 to 5 leaf stage of growth and up to 3 pints when the crop is in the 6 to 8 leaf stage of growth.
<b>Stecklings (over-wintered table beet roots and seedlings (Swiss chard and table beets)</b>	Pre-plant incorporated in heavy soils.*	6.0 pints

**\*Note: The 6 pint rate is for pre-plant incorporated only.**

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Allow a minimum of 28 days (4 weeks) between applications of Nortron® SC Herbicide.
- Do not make more than 2 applications of Nortron® SC Herbicide per acre per year.
- Do not apply Nortron® SC Herbicide after the crop begins to form buds.
- For use under this SLN label, do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

**PRECAUTIONS:**

Higher rates of Nortron® SC Herbicide applied after planting may result in crop injury. Crop injury may result under unfavorable environmental conditions if the crop is under stress from one or more of the following conditions:

- Rapid climatic changes from cool, overcast days, to hot (80°F or over), bright days. When the air temperature is, or is likely to be, above 80°F on the day of spraying, application should be made in the evening when the temperature is lower.
- Frost within seven days following treatment.
- Drought conditions.

**SPECIAL CROP USE RESTRICTIONS:**

- The pesticide applicator, the producer of the crop, and the seed conditioner must be aware that use of this product according to this labeling is deemed a non-feed/non-food use by the Oregon Department of Agriculture, and is regulated by the Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 603-057-0535, Pesticide Use On Crops Grown For Seed. If the applicator of this pesticide is not the producer, the applicator must provide a copy of this labeling to the producer of the crop. Producers of this crop who use this product, or cause the product to be used on a field they operate, must provide a copy of this pesticide label to the seed conditioner.
- This pesticide does not have an established pesticide residue tolerance for this crop. Consequently, no portion of this seed may be used or distributed for food or feed for 1 year (365 days) after the last application of this product. This restriction pertains to, but

is not limited to, green chop, forage, hay, pellets, meal, whole seed, cracked seed, straw, roots, bulbs, foliage or seed screenings, and to the grazing of the crop field, stubble or regrowth. All seed screenings shall be disposed of in such a manner that

- screenings cannot be distributed or used for food or feed purposes, as indicated in OAR 603-057-0535. Additional regulations concerning seed screenings are stated in OAR 603-057-0535.
- Any seed from a field treated with this pesticide product shall bear specific and conspicuous container labeling, or if shipped in bulk, on the shipment invoice or bill of lading. The labeling shall contain the following statement:

"This seed was produced using one or more products for which the United States Environmental Protection Agency has not established pesticide residue tolerances. This seed, in whole, as sprouts, or in any form may not be used for human consumption or animal feed. Failure to comply with this condition may violate requirements of the Federal Food and Drug Administration, the Oregon Department of Agriculture and other regulatory agencies.

**Bayer CropScience Special Conditions and Disclaimer for Use of Nortron SC Herbicide  
on Table Beets or Swiss Chard Grown for Seed**

Bayer CropScience intends that this Section 24(c) label be distributed only by the Specialty Seed Growers of Western Oregon only to end users and/or growers who agree in writing to the terms and conditions required by the Specialty Seed Growers of Western Oregon, including a waiver and release from all liability and indemnification by the user and/or grower of Bayer CropScience, Specialty Seed Growers of Western Oregon, and others for failure to perform and crop damage from the use of Nortron® SC Herbicide on table beet and Swiss chard grown for seed. If such terms and conditions are unacceptable, return Nortron® SC Herbicide at once unopened.

This product when used on table beet and Swiss chard grown for seed may lead to crop injury, loss or damage. Bayer CropScience recommends that the user and/or grower test this product in order to determine its suitability for such intended use. The Specialty Seed Growers of Western Oregon and Bayer CropScience make this product available to the user and/or grower solely to the extent the benefit and utility, in the sole opinion of the user and/or grower, outweigh the extent of potential injury associated with the use of this product. The decision to use or not to use Nortron® SC Herbicide must be made by each individual Nortron® SC Herbicide user and/or grower on the basis of possible crop injury from Nortron® SC Herbicide, the severity of weed infestation, the cost of alternative (pest) controls, and other factors. Bayer CropScience intends that because of the risk of failure to perform or crop damage that all such use is at the user's and/or grower's risk, to the extent consistent with applicable law.

This Special Conditions and Disclaimer statement is required by Bayer CropScience and is not required or enforced by the USEPA or the ODA.

For MEDICAL And TRANSPORTATION Emergencies ONLY Call 24 Hours A Day 1-800-334-7577

For PRODUCT USE Information Call 1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937)

*As with any crop-protection product, always read and follow label directions.*

*For additional information call toll-free 1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937).*

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