

FIFRA Section 24(c) Special Local Need Label

FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Oberon® 4 SC Insecticide/Miticide

EPA REG. No. 264-850

EPA SLN No.: WA-190004

For Control of Two-spotted Spider Mite in Carrots Grown For Seed

THIS LABEL FOR OBERON 4 SC INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE EXPIRES AND MUST NOT BE DISTRIBUTED OR USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SLN REGISTRATION AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2023.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

- It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
- This label must be in the possession of the user at the time of application.
- Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, Worker Protection Standard requirements, and precautions on the EPA registered label.

Carrot Grown For Seed Production	
PEST CONTROLLED	RATE PER APPLICATION fluid ounces/acre
Two-spotted spider mite	4.0 – 8.0
<p>Use Directions Make a foliar application at the onset of infestation, prior to the establishment of a damaging population. Repeat as necessary but no closer than a 7-day interval. Application may be made by ground, by air, or by chemigation (refer to Restrictions).</p>	
<p>RESTRICTIONS: Do not apply during crop flowering. Apply only after petal-fall / pollination is complete. Do not apply when bees are foraging in target crop or foraging on blooming weeds within the target crop. Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours following application. Pre-harvest Interval (PHI): 7 days. Do not apply to carrot grown for food or feed, nor allow plant components to be utilized for human food or animal feed consumption. Maximum OBERON 4 SC allowed per 7-day interval: 8.0 fl oz per acre (0.25 lb ai/A). Maximum OBERON 4 SC allowed per crop season: 16.0 fl oz per acre (0.5 lb ai/A).</p> <p>Apply OBERON 4 SC INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE only through sprinkler, including center pivot, lateral move, side roll, or overhead solid set irrigation systems. Do not apply OBERON 4 SC INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE through any other type of irrigation system. Refer to the EPA registered label and WSDA's Guidance below for chemigation directions.</p>	
<p>Crops Grown for Seed Production:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All carrot seed screenings shall be disposed of in such a way that they cannot be distributed or used for human food or animal feed. The seed conditioner shall keep records of screening disposal for three years from the date of disposal and shall furnish the records to the director immediately upon request. Conditioner disposal records shall consist of documentation of on-farm disposal, disposal at a controlled dumpsite, incinerator, composter or other equivalent disposal site and shall include the lot numbers, amount of material disposed of, the grower(s), and the date of disposal. • No portion of the carrot seed plant, including but not limited to green chop, hay, pellets, meal, whole seed, cracked seed, roots, bulbs, leaves and seed screenings may be used or distributed for food or 	

feed purposes.

- Carrot seed shall bear a tag or container label which forbids use of the seed for human consumption or animal feed.
- Carrot seed may not be distributed for human consumption or animal feed.

WSDA Chemigation Guidance:

- Application off-site is prohibited. The chemigation application must be continuously observed whenever sensitive areas as defined in WAC 16-202-1002(44) (including but not limited to schools, parks, dwellings, occupied buildings or structures, public roadways, and waters of the state) are at risk of being exposed to drift, runoff, or overspray. In order to minimize the potential for application off-site, WSDA recommends that the product only be applied through low pressure irrigation systems (defined as 2 to 35 pounds/square inch measured at the nozzle) with a nozzle release height no higher than 3 feet above the target crop, and that end guns be disabled throughout the application.
- An inspection port or a direct access point is required, and it must be positioned immediately upstream of the irrigation mainline check valve and be of sufficient size to allow visual and manual inspection of the check valve and low pressure drain. The inspection port or access point must have a minimum diameter of four inches, unless an alternative access system is approved by WSDA (WAC 16-202-1012[1]).
- The chemigation application tank cannot be placed within 20 feet of the wellhead or other sensitive areas. Mixing or loading activities cannot occur within 20 feet of the wellhead or other sensitive areas (WAC 16-202-1008[1]).
- WSDA Chemigation Rules (WAC 16-202-1001 through WAC 16-202-1021) s are available on the WSDA web site (<https://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=16-202>).

Surface Water Advisory

This product may contaminate water through runoff or drift of spray in wind. Poorly draining soils and soils with shallow water tables are more prone to produce runoff that contains this product. A level, well maintained vegetative buffer strip between areas to which this product is applied and surface water features such as ponds, streams, and springs will reduce the potential for contamination of water from rainfall runoff. Runoff of this product will be reduced by avoiding applications when rainfall is forecasted to occur within 48 hours.

Aquatic Species Advisory - This product is toxic to estuarine/marine invertebrates, and freshwater/estuaries/marine aquatic plants. Oberon 4 SC Insecticide / Miticide should not be used under this SLN label where impact on listed threatened or endangered species is likely. You may refer to the WSDA Natural Resources Assessment Section web site (<https://agr.wa.gov/departments/land-and-water/natural-resources/endangered-species-program>) for additional information related to pesticide use and endangered species protection. Information from EPA about no-spray buffers zones is available at <https://agr.wa.gov/departments/land-and-water/natural-resources/endangered-species-program/buffers> . Pesticide applicators may use the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife's SalmonScape mapping tool at <https://apps.wdfw.wa.gov/salmonscape> to determine if listed salmonid species occur in or near a proposed application site.

WSDA Container Disposal Guidance:

Pesticide containers must be properly cleaned prior to disposal. The best time to clean empty pesticide containers is during mixing and loading, because residue can be difficult to remove after it dries. Triple rinse (or pressure rinse) the pesticide container, empty all pesticide rinse water into the spray tank, and apply to a labeled crop or site. Recycling cleaned containers is the best method of container disposal. Information regarding the recycling of empty and cleaned plastic pesticide containers in Washington is available on the WSDA Waste Pesticide Program website (<https://agr.wa.gov/departments/pesticides-and-fertilizers/pesticides/waste-pesticide>). Cleaned containers may also be disposed of in a sanitary landfill, if permitted by the county. Burning is not a legal method of container disposal in Washington.

IMPORTANT—READ BEFORE USE

TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, BAYER CROPSCIENCE LP INTENDS THAT THIS SECTION 24(C) LABEL FOR OBERON 4SC BE DISTRIBUTED ONLY TO END USERS AND/OR GROWERS WHO AGREE IN WRITING TO A WAIVER AND RELEASE FROM ALL LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION OF BAYER AND OTHERS FOR FAILURE TO PERFORM AND FOR CROP INJURY, CROP YIELD REDUCTION, AND/OR CROP LOSS FROM USE OF OBERON 4SC ON CARROTS GROWN FOR SEED. IF SUCH WAIVER IS UNACCEPTABLE, THE USER SHOULD IMMEDIATELY RETURN THE PRODUCT UNOPENED OR USE THE PRODUCT FOR A DIFFERENT USE PERMITTED BY THE PRODUCT LABEL.

OBERON 4SC, WHEN USED ON CARROTS GROWN FOR SEED UNDER THIS SECTION 24(C) LABEL, MAY RESULT IN CROP INJURY, CROP YIELD REDUCTION, AND/OR CROP LOSS. BAYER RECOMMENDS THAT THE USER AND/OR GROWER TEST OBERON 4SC IN ORDER TO DETERMINE ITS COMPATIBILITY WITH THE INTENDED USE. BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF CROP INJURY, CROP YIELD REDUCTION, AND/OR CROP LOSS, ALL SUCH USE IS AT USER'S AND/OR GROWER'S RISK.

By using this Product in the manner described in this Section 24(C) label, the User or Grower acknowledges, agrees, and accepts that, to the extent consistent with applicable law:

- 1) He or she assumes all risk of crop injury, crop yield reduction, and crop loss resulting from the use of Oberon 4SC on carrots grown for seed;
- 2) Bayer CropScience LP does not make, and does not authorize any agent or representative to make, any representations or recommendations regarding the use of Oberon 4SC on carrots grown for seed other than the statements on the Section 24(C) label;
- 3) Bayer CropScience LP does not make, and does not authorize any agent or representative to make, any warranties, express or implied, with respect to the use of Oberon 4SC on carrots grown for seed and disclaims all warranties, express or implied, including any implied warranty of merchantability;
- 4) Bayer CropScience LP disclaims all liability for any damages, losses, expenses, claims or causes of action arising out of or relating to crop injury, crop yield reduction, and/or crop loss; and
- 5) The terms and conditions contained herein and on this Section 24(C) label supersede any contrary representations or recommendations by Bayer CropScience LP or its respective agents or representatives, as well as any provisions in or on any literature or labeling for Oberon 4SC, including any provisions on the product label.

If these terms and conditions for use of Oberon 4SC on carrots grown for seed are unacceptable to the User and/or Grower, the User and/or Grower should return the product unopened or use the product for a different use permitted by the product label.

THIS SPECIAL CONDITIONS AND DISCLAIMER STATEMENT IS REQUIRED BY BAYER AND IS NOT REQUIRED OR ENFORCED BY THE USEPA OR THE WSDA.

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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