

## **FOR BARK BANDING TO INHIBIT TREE GROWTH**

### General Information

CHEMIGATION: Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

### SPRAY DRIFT MANAGEMENT:

Avoid spray drift (Coarse sprays are less likely to drift.)

Apply in a manner which confines spray to target areas.

Leave an adequate buffer zone between sensitive plants and spray area.

### RESTRICTIONS:

Not for use on sod farms. Keep livestock off treated area.

Aerial applications are prohibited. Do not feed treated vegetation to livestock

Not for use in greenhouses. Do not treat woody plants used for food production.

Do not use on food or feed crops. Use only on non-crop land.

IMPORTANT: This material is not selective in action and may affect all types of vegetation. Care should be taken to confirm the use or application to the particular area intended to be treated, and to avoid its contact with crops and other desirable plants. Mechanical equipment should be thoroughly cleaned after use. **APPLY THIS PRODUCT ONLY AS SPECIFIED ON THE LABEL.**

### Limitations, Restrictions, and Exceptions

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For tree bark banding, do not apply more than 1 gallon of MAINTAIN CF 125 (1 pound of active ingredients) per 11 gallons of spray mixture as indicated below. Do not apply more than one application per year.

PREPARING A SPRAY MIX: Add 1 gallon of MAINTAIN CF 125 to 11 gallons of a mixture containing 70% oil carrier (such as No. 2 diesel) plus 30% toluene. The resulting spray mix will contain approximately 1% active ingredient. Frequent agitation of the mix is necessary. An emulsifier mixture containing 9 parts of Span 80\*\*\*\* and 1 part of Tween 80\*\*\*\* has been effective in stabilizing the spray mix (use 1 gallon of emulsifier mixture to each gallon of MAINTAIN CF 125 and 10

gallons of oil).

\*\*\*\* Span 80 and Tween 80 - Trademark of ICI United States Inc.

#### APPLICATION OF SPRAY MIX

- Apply to trunk or scaffold branch a band width determined by multiplying the diameter of the trunk or branch and the species factor.
- Three-gallon hand carried sprayers are adequate.
- DO NOT apply to trees which have been heavily pruned (50% or more of foliage removed)
- DO NOT TREAT small or diseased trees or trees under stress.
- Pine trees must have developed a set of full new leaves and also must not be in candle stage.
- Deciduous trees must have a minimum of four or five full leaves on terminals before treatment.

Method

[Spray](#)

Rates

[field rates 0](#)

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Restricted Entry Interval

12 hours

Timings

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