

# **HARVEST AID APPLICATIONS ON COTTON (HARVEST DESSICATION) - TEXAS**

Limitations, Restrictions, and Exceptions

HARVEST AID APPLICATIONS ON COTTON IN TEXAS

(except in the counties of Starr, Hidalgo, Willacy, and Cameron).

HARVEST AID FOR DEFOLIATION AND BOLL OPENING OF STRIPPER OR SPINDLE HARVESTED COTTON

Precautions, Restrictions and Comments

- Use to desiccate regrowth occurring after defoliation or desiccation.
- Apply when 85% of the bolls are open and the remaining bolls to be harvested are mature.
- Development of immature bolls will be inhibited. Slice bolls and inspect the seed for maturity.
- To avoid leaf sticking, apply Gramoxone SL 2.0 as a desiccant approximately 3-7 days after defoliation or a conditioning application and 7-14 days before harvest.
- Lower rates in the range may be necessary south of I-10 in Texas where temperatures are typically higher during defoliation.

Specific Crop Use Directions

Three multiple broadcast harvest aid applications of Gramoxone SL 2.0 may be used. Use a minimum total spray volume per acre of 10 gallons by ground, and 5 gallons by air.

Refer to the Gramoxone SL 2.0 federal label for additional cotton recommended uses and nonionic surfactant recommendations.

Additional Precautions, Restrictions and Comments:

- It is advisable, because of extremes in environmental and plant conditions, to apply the range of rates on a small block of cotton to determine the rate that best fits your needs.
- Do not pasture lactating dairy animals.
- Do not pasture livestock in treated fields or feed treated foliage.

- When combined with phosphate defoliants, observe livestock cautions listed on the phosphate label.
- Do not harvest within 7 days of application when used with phosphate or chlorate defoliants.
- Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

#### Method

[Broadcast/Foliar Air](#)

[Broadcast/Foliar Ground](#)

#### Pre-Harvest Interval

7 days

#### Rates

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#### Restricted Entry Interval

24 hours

#### Timings

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