

TREE FRUITS AND TREE NUTS (TRUNK SPRAYS OR PREPLANT DIP) (NOT FOR USE IN MISSISSIPPI) - ALMOND, ETC.

General Information

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Whirlwind is an emulsifiable concentrate for use in listed crops. Target pests and application rates are provided in the accompanying tables.

The label booklet is not valid for use of this product in the state of Mississippi. For use in the state of Mississippi, refer to Whirlwind supplemental labeling entitled "Use Directions for the State of Mississippi."

General Use Precautions

Insect control may be reduced at low spray volumes under high temperature and wind conditions.

Some reduction in insect control may occur under unusually cool conditions.

Flood irrigation: To avoid contamination of irrigation tail waters, do not flood irrigate within 24 hours following a soil surface or foliar application of Whirlwind.

Application Guidelines

BROADCAST FOLIAR APPLICATION

Apply with conventional power-operated spray equipment using nozzles and spray pressures recommended for insecticides. Apply Whirlwind in a spray volume of not less than 2 gallons per acre for aerial application equipment (fixed-wing or helicopter) or not less than 10 gallons per acre for ground equipment, unless otherwise specified. Increase spray volume to ensure adequate coverage with increased density and height of crop canopy. See Spray Drift Precautions section for recommendations on droplet size.

GROUND APPLICATION: Orient the boom and nozzles so that uniform coverage is obtained. The swath width should not be wider than the boom. Follow nozzle manufacturer's recommendations for insecticide nozzles with respect to nozzle

type, pressure, and spacing.

BROADCAST SOIL APPLICATION

Apply with conventional power-operated spray equipment that will apply the product uniformly to the soil surface. Use nozzles that produce medium or coarse droplets (235-400 microns). Unless otherwise indicated, a spray volume of 10 gallons or more per acre is recommended. For band application, use proportionally less spray volume.

AERIAL APPLICATION

Use a minimum spray volume of 2 gallons per acre and follow recommendations for best management practices for aerial application, above.

Marking of swaths by flagging, permanent markers or use of GPS equipment is recommended.

CHEMIGATION (SPRINKLER IRRIGATION)

Whirlwind may be applied to the following crops through sprinkler irrigation equipment: alfalfa, almond (orchard floors only), citrus (orchard floors only), corn (field and sweet), cotton, cranberry, mint, sorghum, soybeans, sugarbeet, orchard floors (pecan and walnut), walnut (orchard floors only), and wheat, or other crops as specified in supplemental labeling. Do not apply this product by chemigation unless specified in crop-specific directions in the label or Dow AgroSciences supplemental labeling. Do not apply to labeled crops through any other type of irrigation system.

Note: Unless otherwise indicated in specific use directions, the application rates for chemigation are the same as those recommended for broadcast application.

Special Use Directions for Sprinkler Irrigation

The following use directions must be followed when Whirlwind is applied through sprinkler irrigation systems. Thoroughly clean the injection system and tank of any fertilizer or chemical residues, and dispose of the residues according to state and federal laws. Flush the injector with soap and water. Determine the amount of Whirlwind needed to cover the desired acreage. Mix according to instructions in the Mixing Directions section and bring mixture to desired volume. Do not add crop oil when Whirlwind is applied by chemigation. Maintain continuous agitation during mixing and throughout the application period. Set the sprinkler system to deliver

the desired inches of water per acre. Start the water pump and sprinkler, and let the system achieve the desired pressure and speed before starting the injector. Start the injector and calibrate the injector system according to Calibration instructions in the following Special Use Precautions section. The mixture containing Whirlwind must be injected continuously and uniformly into the irrigation water line as the sprinkler is moving to ensure uniform application at the correct rate. When the application is finished, flush and clean the entire irrigation and injector system prior to shutting down the system.

Limitations, Restrictions, and Exceptions

Apply Whirlwind to tree trunks and lower branches using a coarse, low-pressure spray to control pests listed in the following table. Use a higher rate in the rate range when there is increased pest pressure. Unless otherwise specified, a second application may be made after 2 weeks and a third application may be made after harvest. Avoid spray contact with foliage in sweet cherries as premature leaf drop may result. Consult your state agricultural experiment station or extension service specialist for proper application timing for your area.

Pest-Specific Use Directions:

1. Preplant Dip Application (Peaches and Nectarines Only). For preplant control of peachtree borer, use Whirlwind at the equivalent application rate of 3 quarts per 100 gallons of water. Dip trees several inches above the grafting bud scar and plant immediately or allow them to dry before returning to storage. Do not allow peach trees to remain in contact with the dip solution.
2. For control of peach tree borer in established trees, apply before newly hatched borers enter the tree.

Use as a coarse, low-pressure trunk spray and thoroughly wet all bark areas from ground level to scaffold limbs. Do not allow spray to contact fruit. Consult written recommendations provided by your State agricultural experiment station or extension service specialist for proper time to treat in your area.

Specific Use Restrictions:

- Do not make more than 1 chlorpyrifos application per year in peaches and nectarines and no more than 3 chlorpyrifos applications per year in cherries.
- Do not allow meat or dairy animals to graze in treated orchards.

Method

[Concentrate Spray](#)

[Dilute Spray](#)

Pre-Harvest Interval

21 days

Rates

[field rates 0](#)

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Restricted Entry Interval

4 days

Exception: If the product is soil-injected or soil-incorporated, the Worker Protection Standard, under certain circumstances, allows workers to enter the treated area if there will be no contact with anything that has been treated.

Timings

[Dormant or delayed dormant](#)