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This label for Command[®] 3ME Herbicide is valid from February 1, 2008 until October 9, 2018 until withdrawn, cancelled or suspended.

Section 24(c) State Registration

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

For aerial application of Command 3ME on rice.

Apply in a minimum of 5 gallons of finished spray per acre.

Apply prior to weed emergence during the period from 14 days pre-plant to 7 days post-plant or apply post-plant to rice through the -5-leaf stage to provide pre-emergent and extended residual grass control. If grass is already present, include a post-emergence grass herbicide with the application. All pesticide products used in a tank mix with Command 3ME must be approved by the Arkansas State Plant Board under an Arkansas "State Supplemental Label". Follow all directions, restrictions and precautions on the EPA registered label for each product in the tank mixture.

Observe all buffer restrictions noted in the Application Precautions section.

Partial weed control may result if levees are pulled after Command 3ME has been applied.

Additional use of labeled post-emerge herbicide applications may be required where existing grass weeds are present at the time of application.

ALL APPLICABLE DIRECTIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS ON THE EPA REGISTERED LABEL ARE TO BE FOLLOWED. THIS LABELING MUST BE IN THE POSSESSION OF THE USER AT THE TIME OF PESTICIDE APPLICATION.

CROP	PESTS	RATE OF APPLICATION			
Rice	Barnyardgrass (Watergrass) (Including herbicide resistant types) Broadleaf Signalgrass Crabgrass (Large, Smooth) Panicum (Common, Fall, Texas) Sprangletop	Soil Texture	Broadcast Rates Per Acre*	Pounds active ingredient per acre	Acres per Gallon
		Coarse (light) Soils: (sand, loamy sand, sandy loam)	11 - 14 fl oz	0.25 - 0.33	11.6 – 9.1
		Medium Soils: (loam, silt, silt loam, sandy clay, sandy clay loam)	17 – 21 fl oz	0.4 – 0.5	7.5 - 6
		Fine (heavy) Soils: (silty clay, clay loam, silty clay loam, clay)	21 - 34 fl oz	0.5 - 0.8	6 - 3.76
		* Select lower to higher rates based on lighter to heavier soil types.			

CROP SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:

Application of Command 3ME herbicide to fields which have been precision leveled with deep cuts may result in rice crop injury including stand loss. Consult with rice specialists for soil amending practices which can reduce potential for herbicide injury in precision-leveled fields.

AERIAL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

In order to reduce the potential for off-site movement from a treated field, the aerial applicator must:

- 1. The applicator must offset applications ½ swath towards the upwind direction
- 2. The applicator must use a coarse spray quality
- 3. Boom length from end nozzle to end nozzle should be 75% of less of wing span or rotor width
- 4. Do not apply in wind speeds greater than 10 mph
- 5. Do not apply during temperature inversions
- 6. Release height should be 10 feet or less above the canopy

Also refer to: Arkansas Pesticide Use and Application Act and Regulations. Act 389 of 1975 as amended (pages 15-17).

APPLICATION PRECAUTIONS:

Caution must be taken to minimize off target drift of Command 3 ME as off-site movement can cause foliar whitening or yellowing of some plants.

Do not apply Command 3ME herbicide within 1,200 feet of the areas listed below:

Towns and Housing Developments

Commercial Vegetable Production (except peppers, pumpkins, succulent peas, sweet corn, sweet potato and winter squash)

Commercial Fruit / Nut Production

Commercial Nurseries

Commercial Greenhouses

Do not make applications of Command 3 ME herbicide when spray particles may be carried by air currents to areas where desirable crops and plants are growing, or when temperature inversions exist. Applicator must determine that wind direction is blowing away from desirable crops and plants before making application.

Prior to application, adjacent properties not owned or leased by the USER of Command 3ME must be checked for desirable plants such as in home gardens or yards and applications within 300 feet of any such desirable plants must be avoided.

RESTRICTIONS:

Command 3ME may be applied to water seeded rice 14 days prior to planting or during rice pegging up to re-flooding but prior to grass emergence.

With split applications do not apply more than a total of 34 fl oz Command 3ME (0.8 lbs ai) per acre per season.

Do not apply Command 3ME herbicide on rice fields in which concurrent crayfish or catfish farming is included in the cultural practices. Do not use water containing Command 3ME residues from rice cultivation to irrigate food or feed crops, which are not registered for use with Command 3ME.

REPLANTING INSTRUCTIONS

If initial planting of rice fails to produce a uniform stand, rice may be replanted in fields treated with Command 3ME herbicide. Do not retreat fields with a second application of Command 3ME. Do not replant treated fields with any crop at intervals that are inconsistent with the ROTATIONAL CROP GUIDELINES on this labeling.

ROTATIONAL CROP GUIDELINES

Rotate to crops as listed below, otherwise crop injury may occur.

Note: When using Command 3ME herbicide with other registered herbicides always refer to rotational restrictions and precautions on the other product's label.

ANYTIME - Cotton*, Peas, Peppers, Pumpkins, Rice, Soybeans, Squash, Sweet Potatoes, Tobacco and Tuberous and Corm Vegetables 9 MONTHS - Cotton, Corn (Field, Pop, Seed, Sweet), Cucurbits, Dry Beans, Peanuts, Potatoes, Snap Beans, Sorghum, Sugar Beets, Tomatoes (Transplanted)

12 MONTHS - All other crops

* Refer to "REQUIREMENTS FOR PLANTING TIME APPLICATIONS" and "REPLANTING INSTRUCTIONS" in the Command 3ME federal label.

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