Plant Growth Regulator for Turfgrass

Active Ingredient:
Paclobutrazol
(-)-(R*,R*)-beta-[(4-chlorophenyl)methyl]-alpha-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-1H-1,2,4-triazole-1-ethanol 22.3%

Other Ingredients: 77.7%

Total: 100.0%

Contains 2 lbs. active ingredient per gallon.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. CAUTION
See additional precautionary statements and directions for use inside booklet.

EPA Reg. No. 100-1014
EPA Est. 070989-AR-001
Product of United Kingdom

SCP 1014A-L2 0802
103634

1 gallon
U.S. Standard Measure

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**FIRST AID**

| If swallowed | • Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.  
|             | • Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.  
|             | • Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.  
|             | • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  |

| If on skin or clothing | • Take off contaminated clothing.  
|                       | • Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.  
|                       | • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.  |

| If in eyes | • Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.  
|           | • Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.  
|           | • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.  |

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

**HOT LINE NUMBER**

For 24-Hour Medical Emergency Assistance (Human or Animal)

or Chemical Emergency Assistance (Spill, Leak, Fire, or Accident)

Call

1-800-888-8372

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**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing.

**Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)**

Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are listed below. If you want more options, follow the instructions for category F on an EPA chemical resistance category selection chart.

**Applicators and other handlers must wear:**

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves such as barrier laminate, butyl rubber, nitrile rubber or viton
- Shoes plus socks

Follow manufacturer’s instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

**User Safety Recommendations**

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

**Environmental Hazards**

Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of equipment washwaters.

**Physical and Chemical Hazards**

Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

**CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITATION OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY**

**NOTICE:** Read the entire Directions for Use and Conditions of Sale and Limitation of Warranty and Liability before buying or using this product. If the terms are not acceptable, return the product at once, unopened, and the purchase price will be refunded.

The Directions for Use of this product should be followed carefully. It is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as manner of use or application, weather or crop conditions, presence of other materials or other influencing factors in the use of the product, which are beyond the control of SYNGENTA CROP PROTECTION, Inc. or Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by Buyer and User, and Buyer and User agree to hold SYNGENTA and Seller harmless for any claims relating to such factors.
SYNGENTA warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reason-ably fit for the purposes stated in the Directions for Use, subject to the inherent risks referred to above, when used in accordance with directions under normal use conditions. This warranty does not extend to the use of the product contrary to label instructions, or under abnormal conditions or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to or beyond the control of Seller or SYNGENTA, and Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. SYNGENTA MAKES NO WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE.

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**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW DIRECTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS ON THIS LABEL MAY RESULT IN CROP INJURY, POOR PEST CONTROL, AND/OR ILLEGAL RESIDUES.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State and Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

**AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS**

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE). The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil or water is:

- Coveralls
- Chemical-resistant gloves such as barrier laminate, butyl rubber, nitrile rubber or viton
- Shoes plus socks

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

Prohibitions
Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not reuse empty container.

Storage
Keep container closed when not in use. Do not store near food or feed. Protect from freezing. In case of spill or leak on floor or paved surfaces, soak up with sand, earth or synthetic absorbent. Remove to chemical waste area.

Pesticide Disposal
Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the hazardous waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

Container Disposal
Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.
GENERAL INFORMATION

Trimmit 2SC is a plant growth regulator for turfgrass that slows grass growth for up to two months after application. The frequency of mowing can be reduced by up to 50% during the period of effective retardation. Used alone, Trimmit 2SC will not prevent seedhead production, and tank mixture for a spray program using an appropriate seedhead control agent (Embark®) is required in situations where seedhead visibility is a problem. Use of Trimmit 2SC on fine turf should be accompanied by moderate-to-high fertility to maintain turfgrass appearance and reduce discoloration. Some grasses (e.g. Poa annua) can be more retarded than others leading to selective control after prolonged use.

What Applications of Trimmit 2SC to Turfgrasses Provide

- Slowed vertical growth and reduced mowing for 6 to 8 weeks on established hybrid bermudagrass, bentgrass and perennial ryegrass fairways, tees and roughs, and on St. Augustinegrass and Kentucky bluegrass/perennial ryegrass turf areas (use reduced rates on bentgrass and overseeded bermudagrass greens).
- Improved and extended fertilizer performance for up to 12 weeks when combined with a nitrogen fertilizer while improving turfgrass quality versus fertilizer alone.
- Reduced potential for scalping of all turfgrass areas.
- Better ball playability on hybrid bermudagrass due to increased turf density and tighter-knit turf areas.
- Suppression of Poa annua by reducing its growth and competitive ability.

When to Use for Growth Suppression of Warm-Season Grasses

Use anytime when established hybrid bermudagrass and St. Augustinegrass are green, actively growing and have recovered from dormancy (filled in fully following winter).

When to Use for Growth Suppression of Cool-Season Grasses and Poa annua

Apply in spring after green-up and after turf has been mowed once or twice. Apply at least 1 month before onset of high air temperatures. In late summer/early fall, apply at least 1 month before anticipated first killing frost.

When to Use for Color and Quality Enhancement of Winter Overseeded Turf

Apply anytime after overseeded turf has successfully established itself. Do not apply after March 15th to avoid delay in bermudagrass green-up. Moderate soil moisture conditions should be present before and after application to achieve best regulating effect.

Use Directions

Apply treatment solution uniformly to turf. For best results, apply 0.25 inch of water within 24 hours after application to remove product from foliage and onto soil surface.

Apply with standard pressurized application equipment with by-pass or mechanical agitation using strainer screens of 50 (or coarser) mesh. Product should be added during filling of applicator tank. When tank is allowed to stand, vigorous agitation should be used to assure material suspension before application.

Apply Trimmit 2SC to turf in sufficient amount of water (minimum 1 gallon treatment solution per 1,000 sq. ft. = 43.5 gals./acre) to ensure uniform coverage. For best results, use 2 to 5 gallons of water per 1,000 sq. ft. A color agent or other marking device is advised to avoid skipping and/or overlapping.

Treatment Coverage Chart

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<th>Rate of Active Ingredient per Acre</th>
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<td>0.10 lbs. a.i./A</td>
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<td>16.0 oz.</td>
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<td>0.50 lbs. a.i./A</td>
<td>32.0 oz.</td>
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<td>0.75 lbs. a.i./A</td>
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Specific Rates

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<tr>
<th>Warm Season Grasses</th>
<th>Cool Season Grasses1 (except putting greens)</th>
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<td>0.50 lbs. a.i./A (sandy soils)</td>
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1Reduce by 50% if Poa annua is a significant portion of turfgrass population.

Apply 0.5 to 0.9 lbs. nitrogen/1,000 sq. ft. of a non-burning fertilizer product on warm and cool season grasses. Apply 0.25 to 0.5 lbs. nitrogen/1,000 sq. ft. on bentgrass greens and overseeded bermudagrass.
Results to Expect from Application of Trimmit 2SC

When applied as directed, vertical growth of turf will be slowed within 3-10 days, resulting in reduced mowing frequency for a 6- to 8-week period. Following applications, turf will gradually undergo increased greening and density, which may persist up to 12 weeks.

Following application of product, weed populations should not be any greater than on untreated turf, although weed visibility may be higher on regulated turf.

Growth and competitive ability of Poa annua will be reduced within 1 to 2 weeks after application; regulation will last 3 to 8 weeks. Shoot and leaf tissue will become discolored for 3 to 8 weeks following onset of growth regulation. With proper fertilization, desired turfgrasses will be stimulated to crowd out weakened Poa annua.

As density of treated fairways increases due to altered growth habit, ball playability may improve, causing ball to sit higher on turf. This result is most evident on hybrid bermudagrass.

Seedhead formation will not be prevented. Seedheads should be mowed off as they grow above turf cutting height to maintain a desirable-looking turf.

Excessive irrigation and/or nitrogen fertilization may shorten period of growth regulation.

Regulator response will vary somewhat according to turf variety. For St. Augustinegrass, Bitter Blue will be the most responsive and Floratam the least responsive.

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<td>Tifway I, II</td>
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Program Scheduling

If crabgrass or other annual grassy weeds have been a problem in the past, an application of the appropriate preemergence weed control product should be made before the use of Trimmit 2SC. Space applications of Trimmit 2SC and preemergence product (Goosegrass/Crabgrass Preventer) at least 4 weeks apart.

If a weed, disease or insect problem occurs after application of Trimmit 2SC, apply control product at recommended rate. Trimmit 2SC is compatible with most existing control products.

For Growth Regulation

A repeat application within the same growing season may be made, but no sooner than 8 weeks following initial application. Do not make more than 3 applications per calendar year. Do not apply more than 4 quarts per acre per year (2 lbs. ai/A).

For Color, Quality Enhancement

On bentgrass and overseeded bermudagrass greens, repeat applications can be made 4 to 6 weeks apart. Do not make more than 4 applications per calendar year. Do not apply more than 4 quarts per acre per year (2 lbs. ai/A).

Do not apply to overseeded bermudagrass greens after March 15th to avoid delay of spring greenup of bermudagrass.

Do not aerify or topdress and drag greens with steel mats while under growth regulation.

Do not seed within 6 weeks prior to or 2 weeks after application of Trimmit 2SC.

If Embark is used for Poa annua seedhead control, apply this product at least 14 days after application of Embark.

### GENERAL PRECAUTIONS

Not for use on bermudagrass putting greens except for winter overseeding enhancement use.

Not for use on athletic fields under heavy traffic where maximum growth potential of turf is desired.

Not for use on shrubs, flowers, fruits, or vegetable plants (applications to turf areas under trees will not affect/harm trees).
Do not use during periods of extreme dry or cold weather conditions, or during heavy insect or disease activity.

Do not apply product when soil is already saturated. Heavy rainfall or irrigation in the treated areas may cause active ingredient to move laterally on slopes and collect in low areas. These areas may undergo more severe growth control for a longer period of time.

Do not use on areas containing greater than 70% Poa annua, since discoloration of Poa may be unacceptable.

Delay treatment of newly-sodded or sprigged turf until grass has knitted down and rooted firmly.

Delay sprigging for at least 4 weeks and sodding at least 2 weeks after application is made.

Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation equipment.

Withhold application on large turf areas that have been thinned from winter drainage, disease, or insects until desired fill-in is achieved.

Assure that dosage rates are measured accurately since rates greater than those recommended may cause undesirable turf growth control and may discolor areas temporarily.

Shake container thoroughly before use.

Do not mow treated grass for at least three days following application.

Broadleaf weeds are not significantly affected by Trimmit 2SC. To control the growth of weeds, treat with an appropriate herbicide when weeds are actively growing. Carefully follow label directions.

Do not use on areas to be cultivated for food or food crops or to be resown with grasses within two years of treatment.

Do not apply more than 4 qts. per acre per year (2 lbs. ai/A).

Do not graze treated areas or harvest for forage or hay.

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