Broadworks herbicide: an additional mode of action for tree nuts

Tree nut growers looking for enhanced control of broadleaf weeds need look no further than Broadworks™ herbicide from Syngenta. The active ingredient mesotrione is the first HPPD inhibitor for use in tree nuts, stone fruit and citrus. Broadworks delivers enhanced pre- and post-emergence control through a new mode of action that will aid in managing glyphosate-resistance broadleaf weeds, such as marestail and fleabane. It will provide growers a much-needed tool for handling an increasingly challenging weed management landscape.

Broadworks enables flexibility when choosing tank-mix partners by fitting well in a mixture and rotation with other mode of action herbicides to provide a strong weed control program.

**Highlights**
- Broad spectrum of activity on broadleaf weed species
- Active on glyphosate-resistant populations of marestail and fleabane
- Excellent tank-mix partner to strengthen burndown and residual weed control
- Systemic activity on broadleaf weeds
- Demonstrated crop safety

**Broadleaf weeds controlled**
- Fleabane
- Marestail
- Henbit
- Common mallow
- Panicle willowherb

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“Broadworks has been working well for us as a pre-emergent application, through the dormant period into early spring. It controls fleabane and marestail as well as some of the other weeds we are seeing, such as sowthistle. I’m excited about Broadworks. I think it adds a new tool and it’s a good broadleaf pre-emergent herbicide that will give us three or four months of residual activity on some tough weeds.”

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**Broadworks efficacy on broadleaf weeds on almonds**

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**Pre-emergence efficacy trial in tree nuts**

- Fleabane
- Sowthistle
- Spurge

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Source: Kurt Hembree Almond Trial 2015