



# Axial<sup>®</sup> Pro

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## GROUP 1 HERBICIDE

**Product registration number:** MAPP 19010  
**UFI:** 39C3-909U-0004-S0V0

Emulsifiable concentrate containing 55 g/l pinoxaden, 13.75 g/l cloquintocet-mexyl and methyl-2,4-pentanediol.

Controls wild oats and ryegrasses in winter and spring wheat and winter and spring barley. Can contribute to the control of blackgrass in winter and spring barley as part of an integrated control strategy.

*The (COSHH) Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations may apply to the use of this product at work.*

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**In case of toxic or transport emergency ring (01484) 538444 any time.**

**SHAKE WELL BEFORE USE**  
**PROTECT FROM FROST**



**The  
 Voluntary  
 Initiative**

This product label is compliant with the CPA Voluntary Initiative (VI) guidance.

### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

#### (a) Operator protections

Engineering control of operator exposure must be used where reasonably in practicable in addition to the following personal protective equipment:

**WEAR SUITABLE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING (COVERALLS) AND SUITABLE PROTECTIVE GLOVES** when handling the concentrate.

However engineering controls may replace personal protective equipment if a COSHH assessment shows they provide an equal or higher standard of protection. **WASH SPLASHES** from skin immediately. **WASH HANDS AND EXPOSED SKIN** before meals and after work.



#### (b) Environmental Protection

Do not contaminate water with the product or its container. Do not clean application equipment near surface water/avoid contamination via drains from farmyards and roads.

Extreme care must be taken to avoid spray drift onto non-crop plants outside of the target area.

#### (c) Storage and disposal

**RINSE CONTAINER THOROUGHLY** by using an integrated pressure rinsing device or manually rinsing three times. Add washings to sprayer at time of filling and dispose of safely.

**KEEP IN ORIGINAL CONTAINER**, tightly closed, in a safe place.

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# 10 litres

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Collect spillage.

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

FOR USE ONLY AS AN AGRICULTURAL HERBICIDE.

Crop	Maximum total dose (litres/hectare/crop)	Maximum no. of applications	Latest time of application
Wheat	0.82	One per crop	Before flag leaf sheath extending stage (GS41)
Barley	1.1	One per crop	Before flag leaf sheath extending stage (GS41)

**Other Specific Restrictions:**

To avoid the build up of resistance do not apply products containing an ACCase inhibitor herbicide more than twice to any crop. In addition, do not use this product in mixture or sequence with any other product containing pinoxaden.

This product may only be applied after 1st February in the year of harvest.

Do not apply by hand-held equipment.

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## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

IMPORTANT: This information is approved as part of the Product Label. All instructions within this section must be carefully read in order to obtain safe and successful use of this product.

## **RESTRICTIONS**

Do not use on oats.

Do not spray crops under stress or to crops suffering from waterlogging, pest attack, disease or frost.

Do not spray crops undersown with grass mixtures.

Rain within one hour after application may reduce grass-weed control.

Do not allow spray to drift onto neighbouring crops of oats, ryegrass or maize.

Avoid the use of hormone-containing herbicides in mixture or sequence with AXIAL® Pro. When AXIAL Pro is applied first, leave 7 days before applying hormone herbicides. If hormone-containing products are applied first, leave 21 days before AXIAL Pro is applied.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

AXIAL® Pro is a foliar acting grass-weed killer for the control of wild oats, Italian rye-grass and perennial rye-grass (from seed) in winter and spring wheat and winter and spring barley. It is an ACCase inhibitor, also classified by the Herbicide Resistance Action Committee as 'Group 1'. AXIAL Pro also controls blackgrass in winter and spring barley as part of an integrated control strategy.

## **WEEDS CONTROLLED**

AXIAL Pro controls wild oats, Italian rye-grass and perennial rye-grass (from seed) in winter and spring wheat and winter and spring barley. In winter and spring barley AXIAL PRO can contribute to control of blackgrass as part of an integrated control programme.

## **RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT**

This product contains pinoxaden which is an ACCase inhibitor, also classified by the Herbicide Resistance Action Committee as 'Group 1'.

Use only as part of a resistance management strategy that includes cultural methods of control and does not use ACCase inhibitors as the sole chemical method of grass-weed control.

Applying a second product containing an ACCase inhibitor to a crop will increase the risk of resistance development; only use a second ACCase inhibitor to control different weeds at a different timing.

Strains of some annual grasses (e.g. black-grass, wild-oats, and Italian rye-grass) have developed resistance to herbicides which may lead to poor control. A strategy for preventing and managing such resistance should be adopted. Guidelines have been produced by the Weed Resistance Action Group and copies are available from AHDB, CPA, your distributor, crop advisor or product manufacturer.

Key aspects of the AXIAL Pro resistance management strategy are:

- Always follow WRAG guidelines for preventing and managing herbicide resistant grass weeds.
- Do not use AXIAL Pro or any other ACCase inhibitor as the sole means of grass weed control in successive crops.
- Use grassweed herbicides with different modes of action throughout the cropping rotation.
- To reduce the risk of developing resistance, applications should be made to young, actively growing weeds.
- Use tank/product mixes or sequences of herbicides with different modes of action within individual crops, or successive crops.
- Monitor weed control effectiveness and investigate any odd patches of poor grass weed control. If unexplained, contact your agronomist who may consider a resistance test appropriate.
- Use crop rotation and other cultural control measures to prevent and manage herbicide resistant grass weeds.
- Only apply AXIAL Pro once per crop.
- Where resistant biotypes are present control from AXIAL Pro will be unacceptable.

AXIAL Pro has no residual activity. Optimum weed control will only be achieved when all grass weeds have emerged.

The activity of AXIAL Pro is not affected by soil type, organic matter or straw residues.

AXIAL Pro does not control broad-leaved weeds and if these are present a specific broad-leaved weed herbicide will be required.

AXIAL Pro is not recommended for the control of black grass in winter or spring wheat.

## **CROP SPECIFIC INFORMATION**

### **Crops**

AXIAL Pro can be used on all varieties of winter and spring wheat and winter and spring barley.

### **Timing**

Spray after 1st February to before flag leaf sheath extending stage (GS 41) of the crop. Spraying should be done when the majority of weeds have germinated, but before weed competition reduces yield.

### **Rates of use**

Apply AXIAL Pro at 0.55 - 1.1 litres per hectare. The dose rate of AXIAL Pro depends on target grass species and season.

## **WEED CONTROL**

### **Winter and spring wheat and winter and spring barley**

**Wild oats** – apply 0.82 litres per hectare AXIAL Pro from 1st leaf unfolded to flag leaf ligule visible.

**Italian rye-grass and perennial rye-grass (from seed)** – apply 0.82 litres per hectare AXIAL Pro from 1st leaf unfolded to flag leaf ligule visible. Where applications are made to ryegrasses no larger than the 2 tiller stage (GS22) a dose of 0.55 litres per hectare may give acceptable levels of control. Always use as part of a weed control programme including other products active against ryegrasses.

#### **Winter and spring barley**

**Black grass** – apply 1.1 litres per hectare AXIAL Pro after 1st February up to the 7 tiller stage (GS27). Always use in sequence with other products with different modes of action that are active against blackgrass and as part of an integrated weed control programme. Where resistant biotypes are present control from AXIAL Pro will be unacceptable.

#### **FOLLOWING CROPS**

There are no restrictions on succeeding crops in a normal rotation. In the event of a crop failure after application of AXIAL Pro, 4 weeks should elapse after application before ryegrass, maize, oats or broad-leaved crops are planted as replacement crops.

#### **MIXING AND SPRAYING**

##### **Mixing Procedure**

Make sure the sprayer is set to give an even application at the correct volume. Fill the spray tank with half the required volume of water and begin agitation. Add the required amount of AXIAL Pro to the spray tank and mix thoroughly. Add the rest of the water and continue to agitate until spraying operation is complete.

##### **Spray Quality**

Apply AXIAL Pro using a conventional fan nozzle producing a spray quality at the finer end of the medium range as defined by the British Crop Protection Council. A spray pressure of 2-3 bars is recommended.

##### **Spray Volume**

Spray AXIAL Pro in 100 - 400 litres of water per hectare.

#### **TANK CLEANING PROCEDURE**

Immediately after use, clean the spray equipment thoroughly. Drain the system completely and rinse spray tank, boom and nozzles two to three times with clean water until the foam and all traces of product have been removed.

#### **COMPANY ADVISORY INFORMATION**

Please consult the Syngenta UK web site ([www.syngenta.co.uk](http://www.syngenta.co.uk)) before mixing or sequencing with Hormone or Sulfonyl Urea herbicides as some restrictions are advised.

To access the Safety Data Sheet for this product, scan QR code:



Alternatively, contact your supplier.

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