

POISON

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

Strike-Out® 500 EC

Insecticide

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: **500 g/L CHLORPYRIFOS**

(an anti-cholinesterase compound)

SOLVENT: 480 g/L LIQUID HYDROCARBON

OR

520 g/L LIQUID HYDROCARBON

GROUP **1B** INSECTICIDE

For the control of certain insect pests in various situation and for treatment of termite nests in wall cavities in accord with AS3600.2 as per the directions for use table.

THIS PRODUCT IS TOO HAZARDOUS FOR USE BY HOUSEHOLDERS.

Formulation type

Emulsifiable
Concentrate

EC



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CONTENTS: 5 L, 10 L, 20 L, 110 L, 200 L, 1000 L

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

RESTRAINTS

DO NOT use in or around publicly accessible residential, public or commercial areas.

DO NOT use in areas accessible to children.

DO NOT apply by aircraft.

DO NOT apply using equipment carried on the back of the user.

DO NOT apply using mechanically pressurized hand wand sprayer.

DO NOT apply if heavy rains or storms are forecast within 3 days.

DO NOT irrigate to the point of field runoff for at least 3 days after application.

DO NOT spray polycarbonate surfaces/roof sheeting or aged vinyl wall cladding as solvent may cause etching.

SPRAY DRIFT RESTRAINTS

Specific definitions for terms used in this section of the label can be found at apvma.gov.au/spraydrift.

DO NOT allow bystanders to come into contact with the spray cloud.

DO NOT apply in a manner that may cause an unacceptable impact to native vegetation, agricultural crops, landscaped gardens and aquaculture production, or cause contamination of plant or livestock commodities, outside the application site from spray drift. The advisory buffer zones in the relevant buffer zone table/s below provide guidance but may not be sufficient in all situations. Wherever possible, correctly use application equipment designed to reduce spray drift and apply when the wind direction is away from these sensitive areas.

DO NOT apply unless the wind speed is between 3 and 20 kilometres per hour at the application site during the time of application.

DO NOT apply if there are surface temperature inversion conditions present at the application site during the time of application. These conditions exist most evenings 1 to 2 hours before sunset and persist until 1 to 2 hours after sunrise.

DO NOT apply by a boom sprayer unless the following requirements are met:

- spray droplets not smaller than a MEDIUM spray droplet size category
- minimum distances between the application site and downwind sensitive areas (see 'Mandatory downwind buffer zones' section of the following table titled 'Buffer zones for boom sprayers') are observed.

Buffer zones for boom sprayers

Application rate	Boom height above the target canopy	Mandatory downwind buffer zones (metres)				
		Bystander areas	Natural aquatic areas	Pollinator areas	Vegetation areas	Livestock areas
Up to 260 mL	0.5 m or lower	5	240	0	0	0
140 mL or lower	0.5 m or lower	0	110	0	0	0
	1.0 m or lower	20	350	10	0	10
70 mL or lower	0.5 m or lower	0	55	0	0	0
	1.0 m or lower	10	150	0	0	0

HORTICULTURAL AND FIELD CROPS

CROP	PEST	RATE	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Brassica Crops: Broccoli, Brussels Sprouts, Cabbage, Cauliflower	Blue Oat Mite, Red- legged Earth Mite	140 mL/ha	DO NOT apply after 14 days of transplanting. For severe infestations, use of this product may not result in full control of pests. DO NOT apply more than once per year.
Forage Crops	Blue Oat Mite, Red- legged Earth Mite	70 to 140 mL/ha	Spray when pests appear in large numbers, 3-6 weeks after autumn rains. DO NOT apply after stem elongation or rosette growth senescence (BBCH ≥40).
	Lucerne Flea	70 mL/ha	Avoid spraying when pests are sheltering. Spray when at least 2.5 cm cover of crop is present. DO NOT spray if rain is imminent. DO NOT apply more than once per year.
Lucerne, Clover seed crops	Blue Oat Mite, Red- legged Earth Mite	140 to 260 mL/ha	Apply as ground spray immediately prior to seedling emergence using sufficient water to give good cover. DO NOT apply after seedling emergence. DO NOT apply more than once per year.
Lucerne and Medics in Forage Crops	Spotted Alfalfa Aphid, Bluegreen Aphid	200 to 260 mL/ha	Spray when aphids first appear. Seedling lucerne, medics: Apply when 1-2 aphids/plant are observed. DO NOT apply once side shoots start to appear (BBCH ≥20). When a large number of aphids are invading the crop, use of this product may not result in full control of pests.
	Pea Aphid		DO NOT use on established lucerne. DO NOT apply more than once per year.

MISCELLANEOUS SITUATIONS

CROP	PEST	RATE	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Potted Ornamentals – Commercial cultivation only	Scarab Beetles- Larvae	20 to 40 mL/ 100 L water	Apply mixture as a pot drench and water through. Drenching may cause root damage and should be tested on a few plants before widespread treatment.
Commercial Turf to which the public do not have access	Funnel Ant	5 mL/5 L spot spray	For spot spraying apply 30 mL spray to each mound. In areas of high density a repeat application may be necessary to ensure thorough mound coverage. DO NOT GRAZE TREATED TURF OR FEED TREATED GRASS CLIPPINGS TO ANIMALS.
Commercial and industrial areas not accessible to the public	Ants including Argentine ants (outdoor use only)	95 mL/10 L water Use at least 1 L spray/10 m ² infested area	Locate ant nests and treat appropriately. Spray ant tracks or where ant activity is noticed. Apply to paths in continuous 300 mm bands. Apply to base of buildings, walls, fences, rock-works, trunks of shrubs and trees, and other hard surfaces to a height of 300 mm.
	Fleas (outdoor use only)	90 mL/10 L water	Apply as a fine droplet spray. Outdoors only: Treat areas where animals frequent. Remove animals during treatment and until spray deposit is dry. DO NOT treat pets with this product. Pets should be treated with a product registered for application to animals.
Hides/skins	Hide Beetles	200 mL/100 L water Use at least 30 mL of spray/skin	Apply spray to flesh side of skins or hides sufficient to moisten them. Ensure coverage of ears and lugs. To minimise the chance of later infestations, storage area should be sprayed regularly. Repeat application every 3 months.
Treatment of termite nest or colony in wall cavities	Termite colony	100 mL/10 L water	Once the nest or colony has been located it should be broken open and flooded with emulsion. If the nest is not accessible, holes should be drilled into the nest and the termiticide injected. In order to ensure eradication, the position of the royal cell should be identified by using a temperature probe and the immediate areas around it targeted. Refer to Australian Standard Series AS 3660. DO NOT treat outdoor nests, including nests located in trees.

NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION

WITHHOLDING PERIODS

GRAZING

FORAGE CROPS, LUCERNE, CLOVER SEED CROPS AND MEDICS: DO NOT GRAZE OR CUT FOR STOCK FOOD FOR 28 DAYS AFTER APPLICATION.
Turf and lawn: DO NOT graze or feed turf or lawn clippings from any treated area to poultry or livestock.

HARVEST

BRASSICA CROPS: NOT REQUIRED WHEN USED AS DIRECTED.

TRADE ADVICE

Livestock Destined for Export Markets: The label withholding periods for grazing only apply to stock slaughtered for the domestic market. Some export markets apply different standards. To meet these standards, ensure that the ESI is observed before stock are sold or slaughtered.

EXPORT SLAUGHTER INTERVALS (ESIs)

Grazing animals: Grazing animals that have been grazing on or fed treated crops should be placed on clean feed for 21 days prior to slaughter for export.

Pigs: Pigs that have been fed treated crops should be placed on clean feed for 14 days prior to slaughter for export.

INSECTICIDE RESISTANCE WARNING

For insecticide resistance management STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC Insecticide is a Group 1B insecticide. Some naturally occurring insect biotypes resistant to STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC and other Group 1B insecticides may exist through normal genetic variability in any insect population.

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The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the insect population if STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC or other Group 1B insecticides are used repeatedly. The effectiveness of STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC on resistant individuals could be significantly reduced. Since the occurrence of resistant insects is difficult to detect prior to use, Adama Australia accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC to control resistant insects. STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC may be subject to specific resistance management strategies. For further information contact your local supplier, Adama representative or local agricultural department agronomist.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

MIXING

Half fill the spray tank with clean, fresh water and add the required amount of STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC Insecticide then add the remaining water with the agitator running. Only mix sufficient chemical for each day's work.

CLEANING SPRAY EQUIPMENT

After using STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC Insecticide, empty the spray equipment completely and drain the whole system. Thoroughly wash inside the tank using a pressure hose, and drain. To wash the system, quarter fill the tank with clean water and circulate through the lines, hoses and nozzles. Drain and repeat the washing procedure twice. Dispose of rinsate/rinse water in compliance with relevant local, state or territory government regulations.

SMALL SPILL MANAGEMENT

For small spill management, refer to instructions listed in the Safety Data Sheet.

TERMITE NESTS

Subterranean termites may establish a colony in a building without having contact with the soil because they have access to a continuous supply of moisture (e.g. from a faulty plumbing fixture or leaking roof). Such colonies are not affected by chemical soil barriers and should be treated as recommended for established colonies, as per Australian Standard Series AS 3660. STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC Insecticide may be applied directly to the termite colony in such situations.

PRECAUTIONS

RE-ENTRY TO TREATED CROPS

DO NOT enter treated brassica crops for 8 days after treatment for scouting, hand harvesting or hand weeding. DO NOT enter treated forage crops, lucerne crops, clover seed crops or medics for 2 days after treatment for scouting or for 8 days after treatment for irrigation (hand set). When prior entry is necessary, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist (or equivalent clothing) and chemical resistant gloves. Clothing must be washed after each day's use. These re-entry intervals do not apply if crops are treated pre-emergence or product is applied to soil at seed planting.

RE-ENTRY TO TREATED AREAS – TERMITICIDE USE

DO NOT permit re-occupation of any premises until treated areas are completely dry (normally 3–4 hours) and adequately ventilated.

PROTECTION OF PETS AND LIVESTOCK

Before spraying, remove animals and pets from buildings and other areas to be treated. Cover or remove any open food and water containers. Cover or remove fish tanks before spraying. DO NOT allow animals and pets to contact treated areas for at least 24 hours.

PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT

Very toxic to aquatic life. DO NOT contaminate wetlands or watercourses with this product or used containers.

Toxic to birds and wild mammals. However, the use of this product as directed is not expected to have adverse effects on birds or wild mammals.

PROTECTION OF HONEY BEES AND OTHER INSECT POLLINATORS

Highly toxic to bees. To protect bees and pollinating insects, DO NOT apply when flowering plants or weeds are present. DO NOT use where bees are actively foraging. Before spraying, notify beekeepers to move hives to a safe location with an untreated source of nectar and pollen, if there is potential for managed hives to be affected by the spray.

INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT

Toxic to beneficial arthropods. Not compatible with integrated pest management (IPM) programs utilising beneficial arthropods. Minimise spray drift to reduce harmful effects on beneficial arthropods in non-crop areas.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in the closed, original container in a cool, well-ventilated area. DO NOT store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight.

Refillable containers:

Empty contents fully into application equipment. Close all valves and return to point of supply for refill or storage.

Non-refillable metal or plastic containers:

Triple-rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to spray tank. DO NOT dispose of undiluted chemicals on site. If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or designated collection point. If not recycling, break, crush, or puncture and deliver empty packaging or unused product to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, dispose of empty container or unused product in compliance with relevant local, state or territory government regulations. DO NOT burn empty containers or product.

Envirodrums:

DO NOT tamper with the Micro Matic valve or the security seal. DO NOT contaminate the drum with any water or any other foreign matter. After each use, ensure the Micro Matic coupler, delivery system and hoses are disconnected, triple rinsed with clean water and drained accordingly. When the contents of the drum have been used, return empty drum to the point of purchase.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS

Product is poisonous if absorbed by skin contact, inhaled or swallowed. Repeated exposure may cause allergic disorders. Repeated minor exposure may have a cumulative poisoning effect. Will irritate eyes and skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Do not inhale vapour or spray mist. When opening the container, preparing the spray and using the prepared spray, wear chemical resistant clothing buttoned to the neck and wrist, a washable hat, elbow-length chemical resistant gloves, face shield or goggles, chemical resistant footwear and a half facepiece respirator with combined dust and gas cartridge. If clothing becomes contaminated with product or wet with spray, remove clothing immediately. If product on skin, immediately wash area with soap and water. If product in eyes, wash it out immediately with water. After use and before eating, drinking or smoking, wash hands, arms and face thoroughly with soap and water. After each day's use wash gloves, face shield or goggles, respirator (if rubber wash with detergent and warm water) and contaminated clothing.

FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 131126. If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. If swallowed, splashed on skin or in eyes, or inhaled, contact a Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia 131126) or a doctor at once. Remove any contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly. Give atropine if instructed. If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes and see a doctor.

Breathing vapour or spray mist is harmful and may cause an asthma-like reaction.

WARNING - Contains chlorpyrifos, excessive exposure to which may temporarily interfere with vision and the ability to safely operate machinery.

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Additional information is listed in the safety data sheet (SDS). A Safety Data Sheet for STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC is available from adama.com or call customer service on 1800 423 262.

CONDITIONS OF SALE: The use of STRIKE-OUT® 500 EC Insecticide being beyond the control of the manufacturer, no warranty expressed or implied is given by Adama Australia regarding its suitability, fitness or efficiency for any purpose for which it is used by the buyer, whether in accordance with the directions or not and Adama Australia accepts no responsibility for any consequence whatsoever from the use of this product.

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