

# CAUTION

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

# Ametrex<sup>®</sup> 800 WG

## Herbicide

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: **800 g/kg AMETRYN**

**GROUP C HERBICIDE**

For control of annual grasses and broadleaf weeds in pineapples, sugarcane and in industrial situations as specified in the Directions for Use table



# ADAMA

Formulation type  
Water Dispersible Granule **WG**

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CONTENTS: 15 kg

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

CROP	WEEDS CONTROLLED	STATE	RATE				CRITICAL COMMENTS
			Boom Spraying per ha	Hand spraying per 100 L of water	Per 15 L Knapsack	Misting per L	
Pineapples	Crowsfoot Grass, Pretty Boy, Sedges, Summer Grass, Thick Head	Qld, NSW only	2.5 - 5 kg in 2000 litres of water	-	-	-	Apply when weeds are actively growing and when soil is moist. Use the lowest rate for broadleaf weeds up to 15 cm high and for short residual control. Use the highest rate for broadleaf weeds up to 30 cm high, seedling grasses and where moderate residual control is required. Rates of more than 2.5 kg/ha should not be applied at less than 4 month intervals. DO NOT apply more than a total of 12.5 kg/ha per plant crop.
Sugarcane	Barnyard Grass, Bellvine, Billygoat Weed, Bluetop, Chinese Burr, Crowsfoot Grass, Flannel Weed, Gambia Pea, Pigweed, Rattlepod, Summer Grass	Qld, NSW, WA only	2.8 kg + 550 mL of a non-ionic surfactant in sufficient water for thorough coverage	250 g + 250 mL of a non-ionic surfactant. Apply at least 1100 L of mixture per ha	38 g + 40 mL of a non-ionic surfactant. Apply at least 1100 L of mixture per ha	25 g + 12 mL of a non-ionic surfactant. Apply at least 110 L of mixture per ha	DO NOT spray directly on Sugarcane leaves. Thorough coverage is essential. Apply to weeds up to 38 cm high and grasses up to 30 cm high.

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Sugarcane (plant and ratoon)	African Stargrass, Awnless Barnyard Grass, Bellvine, Billygoat Weed, Chinese Burr, Cupid's Flower, Crowsfoot Grass, Flannel Weed, Gambia Pea, Green Summer Grass, Mossman River Grass, Rattlepod, Summer Grass	Qld only	2.5 kg + 6 L of Farmozine® 500 or 3.3 kg Farmozine® 900 WDG in sufficient water for thorough coverage	–	–	–	Read the Farnozine® 500 or Farnozine® 900 WDG label carefully and observe all restrictions and instructions stated there. Apply as a pre- or early post-emergent application to both crop and weeds. If weeds and grasses are present they should be actively growing and not exceed the 3 to 4 leaf stage. Apply as either a band or blanket spray to moist soil and when rain is likely within 10 days of application. Thorough coverage is essential. After the cane has emerged use a directed spray to minimise contact of the spray with the cane plants. DO NOT apply this mixture more often than once a year. <b>CAUTION:</b> Some phytotoxicity may be observed on variety Q90.
Rights-of-Way, Fallow Croplands, Roadsides, Headlands, Drains, Firebreaks, Footpaths, Railway Lines, Industrial Areas	Bathurst Burr	All States	–	345 g + 280 mL of a non-ionic surfactant	75 g + 47 mL of a non-ionic surfactant	Spray young actively growing plants. DO NOT spray wilted Burrs or those more than 60 cm high. Ensure complete coverage of leaves and stems right to ground level. Wet plants till run-off stage.	
	California Burr, Noogoora Burr		450 g + 280 mL of a non-ionic surfactant	63 g + 40 mL of a non-ionic surfactant			
	Caltrop (Puncture Vine)		225 g + 280 mL of a non-ionic surfactant	32 g + 40 mL of a non-ionic surfactant			

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

**WITHHOLDING PERIOD**

**PINEAPPLES:**

**DO NOT HARVEST FOR 14 WEEKS AFTER APPLICATION.**

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

AMETREX® 800 WG is a water dispersible herbicide which provides knockdown and residual control of annual summer grasses and broadleaf weeds.

## MIXING

Fill spray tank no more than 25 % full with clean water. Begin agitating vigorously and continue agitation during the entire mixing and spraying operation. Pour required amount of product steadily into the spray tank. Allow vigorous bypass agitation to completely disperse product. DO NOT dump product into spray tank all at once. After adding required quantity of product and obtaining complete dispersion, continue to fill tank to desired level for spraying. Thorough agitation of the spray liquid should continue during the entire spraying operation. Spray solution should not be left standing in the tank overnight.

## RESISTANT WEEDS WARNING

AMETREX® 800 WG Herbicide is a member of the triazine group of herbicides. AMETREX® 800 WG has the inhibitor of photosynthesis at photosystem II mode of action. For weed resistance management AMETREX® 800 WG is a Group C herbicide. Some naturally occurring weed biotypes resistant to AMETREX® 800 WG and other Group C herbicides may exist through normal genetic variability in any weed population. The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the weed population if these herbicides are used repeatedly. These resistant weeds will not be controlled by AMETREX® 800 WG or other Group C herbicides. Since the occurrence of resistant weeds is difficult to detect prior to use, Adama Australia accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of AMETREX® 800 WG to control resistant weeds.

## PRECAUTION

**Sugarcane:** Scouting should not be performed before 16 days after spray application. When prior entry is necessary, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist (or equivalent clothing), chemical resistant gloves and footwear.

**Hand spraying:** Hand held spraying equipment should only be used if boom application is not suitable. If application by hand held equipment is required, workers should wear chemical resistant clothing buttoned to the neck and wrist and a washable hat and elbow-length PVC gloves.

## RE-ENTRY

DO NOT enter treated areas until spray has dried (or 4 hours after treatment). When prior entry is necessary, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist (or equivalent clothing), chemical resistant gloves and footwear. Clothing must be laundered after each day's use.

## PROTECTION OF CROPS, NATIVE AND OTHER NON-TARGET PLANTS

DO NOT apply under weather conditions, or from spraying equipment, that may cause spray to drift onto nearby susceptible plants/crops, cropping lands or pastures. DO NOT replant Pineapples or Sugarcane for 8 months after last application.

## PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT

Dangerous to fish. DO NOT contaminate streams, rivers or waterways with the chemical or used containers.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight. Shake and empty contents into spray tank. DO NOT dispose of undiluted chemicals on site. Break, crush or puncture and deliver empty packaging to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury the empty packaging 500 mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots, in compliance with relevant local, state or territory government regulations. DO NOT burn empty containers or product.

## SAFETY DIRECTIONS

Will irritate the eyes and skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. If product in eyes, wash it out immediately with water. Wash hands after use. When opening the container and preparing spray wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist and a washable hat, elbow-length PVC gloves and face shield or goggles. If applying by hand wear chemical resistant clothing buttoned to the neck and wrist and a washable hat and elbow-length PVC gloves. After each day's use, wash gloves, face shield, goggles and contaminated clothing.

## FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 13 11 26.

## SDS

Additional information is listed in the safety data sheet (SDS). A safety data sheet for AMETREX® 800 WG is available from Adama on request. Call Customer Service on 1800 423 262.

**CONDITIONS OF SALE:** The use of AMETREX® 800 WG Herbicide 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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## NOT A DANGEROUS GOOD ACCORDING TO THE AUSTRALIAN DANGEROUS GOODS (ADG) CODE.

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