

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

## **ACROBAT® SC FUNGICIDE**

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#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in the closed, original container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Do NOT store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Triple or (preferably) pressure rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to the 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 bury empty containers in a local authority landfill. If no landfill is available bury the empty containers below 500 mm 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. Empty containers and product should NOT be burnt.

#### SAFETY DIRECTIONS

When opening the container and preparing spray, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist, a washable hat and elbow-length PVC gloves. When using the prepared spray, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist, a washable hat and elbow-length PVC gloves. Wash hands after use. After each day's use, wash gloves and contaminated clothing.

#### FIRST AID

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

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Additional information is listed in the Material Safety Data Sheet.

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#### HAZARD STATEMENTS

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#### **PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS - RESPONSE**

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Contain spillage.

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GROUP **40** FUNGICIDE

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#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

#### RESTRAINTS

DO NOT apply with aircraft.

CROP	DISEASE	DOSE	WHP	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Cucurbits	(Pseudoperonospora	mancozeb (1.5 kg/ha of mancozeb 800 or 1.6 kg/ha of mancozeb 750) or plus POLYRAM at 2.2 kg/ha	7 days	Maintain a regular protectant spray programme. Apply ACROBAT SC when conditions favour disease development but before the disease is evident. Apply two consecutive sprays of ACROBAT SC, 7 to 10 days apart, then change to a fungicide from another chemical group. Use the shorter interval when conditions favouring infection are creating a high risk. Add a non-ionic surfactant at label rate. Ensure that good coverage is achieved, including the undersides of leaves. DO NOT apply more than 4 sprays of ACROBAT SC to each crop, as a precaution against development of disease resistance. NOTE: In some states, POLYRAM can only be used on cucumbers and NOT other cucurbits. (Refer to POLYRAM label for full details)
Grapevines	Downy mildew ( <i>Plasmopara viticola</i> )	1 2 0		DO NOT use in crops intended for drying. Also see 'CAUTION' section re export commodities. Apply at 7 to 14 day intervals when humid or wet conditions favour infection but before disease is evident. Use the shorter interval when conditions favouring infection are creating a high risk. Apply a maximum of 3 consecutive sprays before changing to another fungicide. Apply by dilute or concentrate spraying equipment. Apply the same total amount of product to the target crop whether applying this product by dilute or concentrate spraying methods. DO NOT use in equipment that requires rates greater than 180 mL/100 L (5X). DO NOT apply in volumes less than 250 L/ha Add a non-ionic wetting agent. DO NOT apply more than 6 sprays of ACROBAT SC per season, as a precaution against development of disease resistance. DO NOT use a tankmix with POLYRAM on vines in ACT or NT. (Refer to POLYRAM label for full



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Lettuce (head varieties only)	Downy mildew ( <i>Bremia lactucae</i> ), Anthracnose ( <i>Marssonina</i> <i>panattoniana</i> ), Septoria leaf spot ( <i>Septoria</i> spp.)	360 mL/ha plus mancozeb (1.5 kg/ha of mancozeb 800 or 1.6 kg/ha of mancozeb 750) or plus POLYRAM at 2.2 kg/ha	14 days	Maintain a regular protectant spray programme. Apply when conditions favour disease development but before the disease is evident. Apply two consecutive sprays of ACROBAT SC, 7 to 10 days apart, then change to a fungicide from another chemical group. Use the shorter interval when conditions favouring infection are creating a high risk. Apply in 250 to 500 L of water per hectare. Add a non-ionic surfactant at label rates. DO NOT apply more than 4 sprays of ACROBAT SC to each crop as a precaution against development of disease resistance.
Oilseed poppies	Downy mildew (Peronospora arborescens)	360 mL/ha plus mancozeb (1.5kg/ha of mancozeb 800)	6 weeks	Maintain a protective spray programme at early run-up stage of crop growth. Apply ACROBAT SC when conditions favour disease development during the late run-up to hook stage. Re-apply 10 days later if required. Apply in 250 to 500 L water per hectare. Add a non-ionic surfactant at the label rate. DO NOT apply later than early flowering stage. DO NOT apply more than 2 sprays of ACROBAT SC to each crop, as a precaution against development of disease resistance.
Onions	Downy mildew ( <i>Peronospora</i> <i>destructor</i> ), leaf blight Qld and NT only Purple blotch ( <i>Alternaria porri</i> )	360 mL/ha plus mancozeb (1.5 kg/ha of mancozeb 800 or 1.6 kg/ha of mancozeb 750)	7 days	Maintain a regular protectant spray programme. Apply when conditions favour disease development but before the disease is evident. Apply two consecutive sprays of ACROBAT SC, 7 to 14 days apart, then change to a fungicide from another chemical group. Use the shorter interval when conditions favouring infection are creating a high risk. Apply in 250 to 500 L of water per hectare. Add a non-ionic surfactant at the label rate. DO NOT apply more than 4 sprays of ACROBAT SC to each crop, as a precaution against development of disease resistance.
Potatoes	Late blight ( <i>Phytophthora</i> <i>infestans</i> ), early blight ( <i>Alternaria solani</i> )	360 mL/ha plus mancozeb (1.5 kg/ha of mancozeb 800 or 1.6 kg/ha of mancozeb 750) or plus POLYRAM at 1.7 to 2.5 kg/ha	14 days	Maintain a regular protectant spray programme. Apply on a protectant schedule at 7 to 10 day intervals when conditions favour disease development but before the disease is evident. Use the shorter spray interval when conditions for disease development are severe. Add a non- ionic surfactant at the label rate. Apply ACROBAT SC in 250 to 500 L of water per hectare. DO NOT apply more than 4 sprays of ACROBAT SC to each crop, as a precaution against development of disease resistance.

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



#### WITHHOLDING PERIODS:

CUCURBITS, ONIONS:	DO NOT HARVEST FOR 7 DAYS AFTER APPLICATION.
VARIETIES ONLY), POTATOES:	DO NOT HARVEST FOR 14 DAYS AFTER APPLICATION.
GRAPEVINES:	DO NOT HARVEST FOR 4 WEEKS AFTER APPLICATION.
OILSEED POPPIES:	DO NOT HARVEST FOR 6 WEEKS AFTER APPLICATION.

#### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

#### FUNGICIDE RESISTANCE WARNING

#### GROUP 40 FUNIGICIDE

For fungicide resistance management, ACROBAT SC is a Group 40 fungicide.

Some naturally occurring individual fungi resistant to ACROBAT SC may exist through normal genetic variability in any fungal population. The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the fungal population if ACROBAT SC is used repeatedly. These resistant fungi may NOT be controlled by ACROBAT SC and other Group 40 fungicides, thus resulting in a reduction in efficacy and possible yield loss.

Since the occurrence of resistant fungi is difficult to detect prior to use, BASF Australia Ltd accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of ACROBAT SC to control resistant fungi.

For resistance management, this product should always be used in conjunction with mancozeb or POLYRAM. These mixtures combine the locally systemic, translaminar properties of dimethomorph with the protective properties of products such as mancozeb and POLYRAM. It should always be used as part of a protective spray programme and applied before disease symptoms appear. To prevent or delay the development of strains of disease fungi resistant to dimethomorph, it is recommended that this product is used in spray programmes including fungicides with different modes of action. Refer to the CRITICAL COMMENTS section of this label. Consult a BASF representative for further information if required.

#### MIXING

Half fill the spray vat with water and commence agitation. Add the required volume of ACROBAT SC and allow to disperse. Add the correct amount of mancozeb or POLYRAM as directed. Add the remainder of the water with agitation running. Add wetting agent, if required, when spray tank is full. Ensure thorough mixing and constant agitation to keep the product in suspension.

#### APPLICATION

Ensure thorough coverage of plants, especially the underside of leaves and young grape bunches. DO NOT apply by aircraft.

### **APPLICATION TO GRAPEVINES**

#### **Dilute spraying**

- Use a sprayer designed to apply high volumes of water up to the point of run-off and matched to the crop being sprayed.
- Set up and operate the sprayer to achieve even coverage throughout the crop canopy. Apply sufficient water to cover the crop to the point of run-off. Avoid excessive run-off.
- The required water volume may be determined by applying different test volumes using different settings on the sprayer, from industry guidelines or expert advice.
- Add the amount of product specified in the Directions for Use table for each 100 L of water. Spray to the point of run-off.
- The required dilute spray volume will change and the sprayer set up and operation may also need to be changed as the crop grows.



#### Concentrate spraying

- Use a sprayer designed and set up for concentrate spraying (that is a sprayer which applies water volumes less than those required to reach the point of run-off) and matched to the crop being sprayed.
- Set up and operate the sprayer to achieve even coverage throughout the crop canopy using your chosen water volume.
- Determine an appropriate dilute spray volume (See Dilute Spraying above) for the crop canopy. This is needed to calculate the concentrate mixing rate.
- The mixing rate for concentrate spraying can then be calculated in the following way:

#### EXAMPLE ONLY

- 1. Dilute spray volume as determined above: For example 1500 L/ha
- 2. Your chosen concentrate spray volume: For example 500 L/ha
- 3. The concentration factor in this example is:  $3 \times (i.e. 1500 L \div 500 L = 3)$
- 4. If the dilute label rate is 36 g/100 L, then the concentrate rate becomes 3 x 36, that is 108 g/ 100 L of concentrate spray.
- The chosen spray volume, amount of product per 100 L of water, and the sprayer set up and operation may need to be changed as the crop grows.
- For further information on concentrate spraying, users are advised to consult relevant industry guidelines, undertake appropriate competency training and follow industry Best Practices.

For concentrate application, use a spray volume of at least 250 litres per hectare.

For dilute application, apply to run-off. See Dilute spraying above.

#### COMPATIBILITY

ACROBAT SC should always be mixed with mancozeb or POLYRAM as directed. Due to the range of mancozeb formulations available, compatibility has NOT been tested on all products. Users are advised to test the tank mix on a small area of the crop to be treated, prior to use.

ACROBAT SC can be tank-mixed with MVP<sup>™</sup> Bio-encapsulated Insecticide, Dipel+ Forte, Lorsban+ EC, Kocide+ or DELAN® Fungicide.

Avoid mixing with strongly alkaline or acidic materials.

#### PRECAUTION

#### EXPORT OF TREATED FRUIT OR WINE

Growers should Note that Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) or import tolerances do NOT exist in all markets for fruit treated with ACROBAT SC Fungicide. Additionally, some export markets have established MRLs different to those in Australia. If you are growing fruit for export (either fresh or as wine), please check with BASF Australia Ltd or the Australian Wine Research Institute <u>http://www.awri.com.au</u> for the latest information on MRLs and import tolerances BEFORE using ACROBAT Fungicide.

#### **RE-ENTRY PERIOD**

DO NOT allow entry into treated areas until the spray has dried. When prior entry is necessary, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist and a washable hat and chemical resistant gloves. Clothing must be laundered after each day's use.

#### PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT

Highly toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms. DO NOT contaminate ponds, dams, streams, waterways or drains with the chemical or used containers.

DO NOT apply under meteorological conditions or from spraying equipment which could be expected to cause spray to drift onto nearby susceptible plants, adjacent crops, crop lands or pastures.

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