

Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority

# PERMIT TO ALLOW MINOR USE OF A REGISTERED AGVET CHEMICAL

# PRODUCT FOR CONTROL OF THRIPS IN CELERY AND LETTUCE

# **PERMIT NUMBER – PER83203**

This permit is issued to the Permit Holder in response to an application granted by the APVMA under section 112 of the Agvet Codes of the jurisdictions set out below. This permit allows a person, as stipulated below, to use the product in the manner specified in this permit in the designated jurisdictions. This permit also allows the Permit Holder and any person stipulated below to claim that the product can be used in the manner specified in this permit.

# THIS PERMIT IS IN FORCE FROM 16 MARCH 2017 TO 31 DECEMBER 2024

**Permit Holder:** HORTICULTURE INNOVATION AUSTRALIA LTD Level 7, 141 Walker Street NORTH SYDNEY NSW 2060

Persons who can use the product under this permit:

Persons generally.

## **CONDITIONS OF USE**

## **Products to be used:** REGENT 200SC INSECTICIDE (APVMA No. 46793) PLUS OTHER REGISTERED PRODUCTS Containing: 200 g/L FIPRONIL as the only active constituent.

### **Directions for Use:**

Сгор	Pest	Rate
Celery	Western Flower Thrips (Franklinella occidentalis)	
Lettuce (head and leafy)	Onion Thrips ( <i>Thrips tabaci</i> )	250 mL/ha
(field-grown only)	Western Flower Thrips (Franklinella occidentalis)	

## **Critical Use Comments:**

- For effective control, proper timing and good coverage is essential. Careful monitoring should identify the earliest incursions to allow timely application.
- Use a spray volume of 400-1000 L/ha.
- DO NOT apply more than 3 applications per crop.
- DO NOT reapply less than 3 days after the last application for celery.
- DO NOT reapply less than 14 days after the last application for lettuce.
- DO NOT feed to livestock intended for export.

## Withholding Period:

Celery: DO NOT harvest for 7 days after application. Lettuce: DO NOT harvest for 10 days after application.

## Jurisdiction:

All States and Territories, except VIC.

Note: Victoria is not included in this permit, as their Control-of-Use legislation means a permit is not required to legalise this off-label use in that State.

## **Additional Conditions:**

This permit allows for the use of a product in a manner specified on the permit. Persons who wish to prepare for use and/or use products for the purposes specified in this permit must read, or have read to them, the details and conditions of this permit. Unless otherwise stated, the use of the product must be in accordance with the product label.

#### To Avoid Crop Damage

The sensitivity of the crop to be treated under this permit has not been fully evaluated. It is advisable to only treat a small area to ascertain the reaction before treating the whole crop.

#### Export of treated produce

Temporary Maximum Residue Limits (TMRLs) have been established to allow treated produce to be used for human consumption. An MRL has been established for FIPRONIL in CELERY and in LETTUCE, HEAD and LETTUCE, LEAF. MRLs can be found in the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code (MRL Standard) Instrument 2019*. MRLs apply only to produce marketed and consumed in Australia. If treated produce is to be exported, residues must not exceed the limits/tolerances of the importing country.

## **Other Matters**

Continued issuance of this permit is subject to the outcomes of the current APVMA review of fipronil. This permit may be impacted by the outcomes of this review.

Issued by the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority Note: Note: 17/3/2017 - Version 2 issued to correct transfer of holder details 09/12/2021 – Permit expiry extended to 31/12/2024. Permit issued as version 3.