

EXTENSION OF AUTHORISATION FOR A MINOR USE OF A PLANT PROTECTION PRODUCT

PLANT PROTECTION PRODUCTS REGULATION (EC) No. 1107/2009

Product name: Exemptor

Active ingredient: 10 % w/w thiacloprid

MAPP number: 15615

Product authorisation holder: Bayer CropScience Limited (Registered Company no. 218826)

Marketing company: Everris Ltd

This Extension of authorisation ends: on the final expiry date of use for the authorised product (unless otherwise stated)

If the authorisation of the above product is withdrawn or amended before the end date above, this Extension of authorisation will end on the same date as the authorisation for the product. This Extension of authorisation will be withdrawn or amended before its end date if a decision is taken to withdraw or amend this Extension of authorisation under Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 on any other grounds.

Extent of authorisation: United Kingdom

This extension of authorisation for minor uses applies to all UK parallel trade products issued under Article 52 of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 for which Exemptor with MAPP 15615 is the reference product.


Signed by: Wayne Moleod
Signing time: Thursday, February 23 2017, 15:26:14 GMT
Location: CRD York
Reason to sign: For the Health and Safety Executive

HSE Digital Signature

This and the attached Appendices 1 and 2 are signed by the Health and Safety Executive (“HSE”) for and on behalf of the Secretary of State, the Welsh Ministers, the Scottish Ministers and the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development in Northern Ireland.

Date of issue: 23 February 2017

EXPLANATORY NOTES

1. This is Extension of authorisation number 0555 of 2017.
2. This Extension of authorisation will be published on the website of the Chemicals Regulation Division of the HSE.
3. Application reference number: COP 2016/02920
4. Persons using the product to which this Extension of authorisation applies should acquaint themselves with and observe all requirements contained in the Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009, including the duty on the holder of any Extension of authorisation to notify information on potentially dangerous effects, a contravention of which is a criminal offence under those Regulations.
5. Neither the efficacy nor the phytotoxicity of the product for which this Extension of authorisation has been granted has been assessed and, as such, the user bears the risk in respect of failures concerning its efficacy and phytotoxicity.

ADVISORY INFORMATION

IMPORTANT: When applying this product under the terms of this Extension of Authorisation, comply with any resistance guidance or restrictions stated on the product label.

Total reliance on one pesticide will hasten the development of resistance. Pesticides of different chemical types or alternative control measures should be included in the planned programme. Alternating with different modes of action is a recognised anti-resistance strategy.

Use no more than two applications of any neonicotinoid insecticide (e.g. acetamiprid, clothianidin, imidacloprid or thiacloprid) on any crop. Where a neonicotinoid insecticide has previously been used on the crop (e.g. as a seed treatment or soil treatment), use no more than a single foliar application of any neonicotinoid.

Total reliance on one pesticide will hasten the development of resistance. Pesticides of different chemical types or alternative control measures should be included in the planned programme. Alternating insecticides with different modes of action is a recognised anti-resistance strategy and Exemptor should always be used in conjunction with other insecticides of a different mode of action. This includes consideration of sequences involving seed or soil treatments followed by foliar sprays. Where a neonicotinoid seed or soil treatment has been used, the first subsequent foliar spray should be a non-neonicotinoid containing product with a different mode of action.

This Extension of Authorisation relates to the use of 'Exemptor' (M15615) incorporated into reduced peat and non-peat based organic growing media at a rate of 400 g product per cubic metre of growing media.

The product must not be used on non-organic type growing substrates (e.g. hydroponics, rockwool, ceramic). Exemptor may be used as a compost-incorporated treatment for raising the following protected and outdoor container grown ornamental crops only: bedding plants, pot plants and hardy nursery stock.

Exemptor is to be incorporated into compost for the control of vine weevil , aphids, white fly, leaf beetle and Sciarid fly. The rates of use table on the product label should be followed to adjust the rate of product incorporation in line with the pest to be controlled and the duration for which control is required.

This product must only be incorporated into compost using suitable automated equipment.

APPENDIX 1: CONDITIONS OF EXTENSION OF AUTHORISATION

The conditions below are obligatory. They must be complied with when the Extension of authorisation occurs. Failure to comply with the following conditions will result in the withdrawal or amendment of the Extension of authorisation under Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 and may result in other enforcement action, including prosecution. For the purposes of this Extension of authorisation only, the conditions and/or requirements shown below supersede any corresponding conditions and/or requirements set out on the label or otherwise provided for under the product authorisation **which would otherwise apply**.

Use:

Field of use: **ONLY AS AN INSECTICIDE**

User: Professional

Crops/situations:	Maximum individual dose: (g product / m ³ soil)	Maximum total dose:	Maximum number of treatments: (per crop)	Latest time of application:
Ornamental plant production	400	-	1	-

Operator Protection:

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

Operators must wear suitable protective gloves and suitable respiratory protective equipment* when handling the product or treating compost.
*Disposable filtering facepiece respirator to at least EN149 FFP2 or equivalent.

- (2) However, engineering controls may replace personal protective equipment if a COSHH assessment shows that they provide an equal or higher standard of protection.

Other specific restrictions:

- (1) This product must only be applied in accordance with the terms of this extension of authorisation, the product label and/or leaflet and any additional guidance on extensions of authorisation.

- (2) Treated compost must not be re-used for cultivation of edible crops for human or animal consumption, or flowering plants. Waste treated plants must not be composted.

APPENDIX 2: GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR AN EXTENSION OF AUTHORISATION

Failure to comply with the following conditions will result in the withdrawal or amendment of the Extension of authorisation under Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 and may result in other enforcement action, including prosecution.

Adverse effects:

The authorisation holder must immediately notify the Secretary of State, the Scottish Ministers and the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development in Northern Ireland (care of the Health and Safety Executive), if they have any new information on the potentially adverse effects of the authorised product, or of residues of an active substance in that product when used in accordance with the conditions of this Extension of authorisation. For those products authorised under Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 authorisation holders must also tell the other relevant competent authorities of the EC Member States (a list of which is available from the Health and Safety Executive) and the EC Commission. Failure to comply with this requirement is an offence.

Provision of information:

The authorisation holder must comply with all requests for information required by, or on behalf of, the Secretary of State, the Scottish Ministers or the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development in Northern Ireland in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009.