

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

# Chipco Ronstar<sup>®</sup> G

**SELECTIVE HERBICIDE**

**Active Constituent: 20 g/kg OXADIAZON**

<b>GROUP</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>HERBICIDE</b>
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**For the control of certain weeds in woody ornamental shrubs and trees in nurseries or in turf as specified in the DIRECTIONS FOR USE table**

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

### Resistant Weeds Warning

**Chipco Ronstar G** Selective Herbicide is a member of the Oxidiazole group of herbicides. **Chipco Ronstar G** has the inhibitors of protoporphyrinogen oxidase mode of action. For weed resistance management, **Chipco Ronstar G** is a Group G Herbicide. Some naturally occurring weed biotypes resistant to **Chipco Ronstar G** and other inhibitors of protoporphyrinogen oxidase herbicide 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 **Chipco Ronstar G** or other inhibitors of protoporphyrinogen oxidase herbicides. Since the occurrence of resistant weeds is difficult to detect prior to use, Bayer CropScience accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of **Chipco Ronstar G** to control resistant weeds.

This product is a pre-emergent herbicide. Control of germinating weed seedlings can be expected for up to 10 weeks after application.

**NOTE ON ORNAMENTALS:** **Chipco Ronstar G** has been used on a wide range of ornamental plant species without damage. However, some species and varieties are particularly sensitive to chemical products. As this sensitivity could be related to local conditions, it is advisable to treat only a small number of plants first, in order to determine their reaction to the product, before treating a whole crop.

**Tolerant Nursery Species:** Some of the species of the genera listed below have been shown to tolerate **Chipco Ronstar G** at a dose rate of 20g per square metre.

Abelia	Bauhinia	Cuphea	Hakea	Kunzea	Metrosideros	Ravenala
Acacia	Boronia	Cupressus	Hebe	Lagerstroemia	Monstera	Rosa
Acalypha	Browallia	Dampiera	Helichrysum	Lantana	Nerium	Rosmarinus
Agapanthus	Callistemon	Dodonaea	(perennial)	Lavandula	Omolanthus	Russelia
Agonis	Callitris	Eriostemon	Hemiandra	Leea	Pandorea	Schefflera
Allamanda	Camellia	Escallonia	Hibbertia	Leptospermum	Phoenix	Sollya
Ardisia	Chamelaucium	Eucalyptus	Ixora	Leucodendron	Photinia	Viburnum
Araucaria	Coleonema	Eutaxia	Jasminum	Leucospermum	Prostanthera	Weigela
Azalea	Coprosma	Gardenia	Juniperus	Macrozamia	Protea	Westringia
Banksia	Cotoneaster	Grevillea	Kennedia	Melaleuca		

## APPLICATION

Apply using a properly calibrated granular applicator which will apply the granules in a uniform pattern. Uniform application is essential for satisfactory weed control. Calibrate the applicator prior to use according to the manufacturer's instructions, and check applicator frequently to ensure that the equipment is working properly. After application, ensure granules are washed or brushed off the foliage, particularly the foliage of prostrate and dense ground-cover plants. **DO NOT** apply granules when foliage is wet.

### Turf

As above. Ensure that the turf area is free of leaves and other debris, mowing if necessary, so that the granules reach the soil surface. Measure the area to be treated and apply the required amount using a properly calibrated granular applicator as above. Oscillating spout and rotary type fertilizer spreaders are recommended for large areas. Activity of this product is dependent on moist soil conditions. If rain is not received within 2 days after application, apply thorough sprinkler irrigation to wash granules off the leaves and help distribute the granules on the soil surface.

**DO NOT** apply granules when the turf foliage is wet,

If the soil is to be top-dressed with fertilizer, **DO NOT** apply this product until the top-dressing operation is completed.

### Plant-Back Periods

Ryegrass: Allow four months after last application to lapse before reseeding.

Bentgrass: Allow five months after last application to lapse before reseeding.

**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. Store in a locked room or place away from children, animals, food, feedstuffs, seed and fertilisers. Shake empty into granule applicator. DO NOT dispose of undiluted chemicals on site. Puncture or shred 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. Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

**SAFETY DIRECTIONS**

Avoid contact with eyes. Do not inhale dust. Wash hands after use.

**FIRST AID**

If poisoning occurs contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (ph. 13 11 26).

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

Additional information is listed in the Material Safety Data Sheet.

**EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY**

This product must be used strictly as directed, and in accordance with all instructions appearing on the label and in other reference material. So far as it is lawfully able to do so, Bayer CropScience Pty Ltd accepts no liability or responsibility for loss or damage arising from failure to follow such directions and instructions.

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**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

**Restraints**

**DO NOT** mix granules with the soil.

**DO NOT** apply to newly seeded turf areas.

**DO NOT** apply to soft, annual flowering plants, ferns or bulbs unless they are listed as tolerant species.

**DO NOT** use in glasshouses or poorly ventilated polyhouses.

SITUATION	WEEDS CONTROLLED	STATE	RATE	CRITICAL COMMENTS		
<b>Container- grown woody ornamental shrubs, trees and vines.</b> (See list of tolerant species)	Bittercress (Flickweed) ( <i>Cardamine hirsuta</i> ) Creeping Oxalis (Yellow Wood Sorrel) ( <i>Oxalis corniculata</i> ) Petty Spurge ( <i>Euphorbia peplus</i> ) Sorrel ( <i>Rumex acetosella</i> ) Sowthistle ( <i>Sonchus</i> spp.)	All States	200 kg per ha <b>OR</b> 20 g/m <sup>2</sup>	Apply to soil surface of newly potted or freshly weeded containers. Repeat applications may be made at 10 week intervals.		
				<b>Rate For Individual Container Sizes</b>		
				Container Size	Amount required per container	
					Round Container	Square Container
				10.2 cm ( 4 in) 0.16 g 0.21 g		
				15.2 cm ( 6 in) 0.4 g 0.5 g		
				25.4 cm (10 in) 1.0 g 1.3 g		
				40.6 cm (16 in) 2.6 g 3.3 g		
				50.8 cm (20 in) 4.1 g 5.2 g		
<b>Field-grown ornamental crops</b> <b>Transplants only:</b> Aster, Carnation, Chrysanthemum Seed and Transplant Gypsophila.	Trefoils (Lotus) ( <i>Lotus</i> spp.) Willow Herbs ( <i>Epilobium</i> spp.) Winter Grass (Goosegrass) ( <i>Poa annua</i> )	NSW only		Apply to freshly weeded flower beds. Repeat applications at 10 week intervals. <b>DO NOT</b> apply to Zinnia or annual Helichrysum seed or transplants.		
<b>Recreational Turf:</b> includes fairways, golf tees, municipal sports fields, industrial and commercial lawns.  <b>Warm season turfgrass species only:</b> Bahia Grass ( <i>Paspalum notatum</i> ), Buffalo grass ( <i>Stenotaphrum secundatum</i> ), Common Couch ( <i>Cynodon dactylon</i> ), ( <b>NOT</b> Santa Anna) Hybrid Couch ( <i>Cynodon dactylon</i> C. <i>transvaalensis</i> ), Kikuyu ( <i>Pennisetum clandestinium</i> ), Queensland Blue Couch ( <i>Digitaria didactyla</i> ), Saltwater Couch ( <i>Paspalum vaginatum</i> ), Zoysia ( <i>Zoysia matrella</i> )	Crowsfoot Grass ( <i>Eleusine indica</i> ), Summer Grass ( <i>Digitaria ciliaris</i> )#	All States	150 kg per ha (1.5 kg per 100 m <sup>2</sup> )	Apply prior to germination of the weeds (usually from late winter to early Spring, late August to early September). #Summer grass will be suppressed at this rate.  <b>DO NOT</b> apply on turf containing Carpet Grass ( <i>Axonopus</i> spp.), Centipede Grass ( <i>Eremochloa ophiuroides</i> ) and Dichondra unless some damage is acceptable. Avoid contact with flowers and shrubs except as directed elsewhere in this document. Owing to the varying cultivation practices used, it is not recommended to apply this product on putting greens and bowling greens. Refer to the <b>General Instructions</b> for more details on application and plant back periods.		
	Winter grass ( <i>Poa annua</i> ) Creeping oxalis (Yellow Wood Sorrel) ( <i>Oxalis corniculata</i> )	All States	200kg per ha (2.0kg per 100m <sup>2</sup> )	Apply prior to germination of the weeds (usually from late summer to mid-autumn, February to May, and early spring, August to October).  <b>DO NOT</b> apply on turf containing Carpet Grass ( <i>Axonopus</i> spp.), Centipede Grass ( <i>Eremochloa ophiuroides</i> ) and Dichondra unless some damage is acceptable. Avoid contact with flowers and shrubs except as directed elsewhere in this document. Owing to the varying cultivation practices used, it is not recommended to apply this product on putting greens and bowling greens. Refer to the <b>General Instructions</b> for more details on application and plant back periods.		

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