

IMPORTANT: READ THE LABEL ON THE PRODUCT CONTAINER BEFORE USING

Oberon[®]
Insecticide

Contains : 240g/litre spiromesifen in the form of a suspension concentrate.

A contact acaricide/insecticide for the control of two spotted spider mite in capsicums and greenhouse whitefly in cucumbers and tomatoes.

Registered pursuant to the ACVM Act 1997, No P7567
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HSNO Classifications: 6.5B, 6.9B, 9.1A,



WARNING:

Harmful – may cause sensitisation from prolonged skin contact.

Harmful – may cause organ damage from repeated oral exposure at high doses.

Very toxic to aquatic organisms – must not be applied directly onto or into water.

PRECAUTIONS:

PERSONAL PROTECTION:

Do not eat, drink or smoke while using.

Wear protective clothing such as impervious gloves, waterproof hat, coat and trousers when using.

Remove protective clothing and wash hands and face thoroughly before meals and after work.

May be harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin.

STORAGE: Store in original container tightly closed and in a locked dry, cool, well ventilated area, away from food stuffs. When stored appropriately this product should show no significant degradation for 2 years from the date of manufacture. Contact your supplier for further information about the use of this product if it is older than this.

SPILLS AND DISPOSAL: When dealing with spills wear personal protective clothing and equipment as described in the PERSONAL PROTECTION section.

Contain the spill by damming, recover spilt product by absorbing with sawdust or an inert absorbent material then transfer the recovered spilt material to a properly labelled drum. Deal with all spillages immediately. If contamination of drains, streams, watercourses, etc. is unavoidable, warn the local water authority.

Disposal: Dispose of this product only by using according to the label or at an approved landfill. Avoid contamination of any water supply with product or empty container.

Container Disposal: Triple rinse container and add residue to mixture. Take to Agrecovery collection site.

FIRST AID

If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.

For advice, contact the National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON (0800 764766) or a doctor immediately.

If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin with running water, if irritation occurs seek medical advice

If splashed in eyes, wash out immediately with water, if irritation persists get medical advice.

If inhaled move the victim to fresh air immediately.



Oberon is a contact acaricide/insecticide to be applied as a foliar application for use in greenhouse situations for the control of two spotted spider mite in capsicums and greenhouse whitefly in cucumbers and tomatoes.

Resistance Management:

Resistance to this acaricide/insecticide could develop from repeated use. To minimize this risk, use strictly in accordance with the label instructions. **Oberon** may be applied up to a maximum of 2 times in total per crop cycle. At other times use an acaricide/insecticide from a different chemical class and consider biological control.

DO NOT try to rescue a badly infested crop with this product.

Crop Safety:

Oberon is generally safe when applied in the correct manner to capsicums, cucumbers and tomatoes. **Oberon** can cause damage and should not be used on other plant genus or species. Due to the large number of varieties of capsicums, cucumbers and tomatoes, it is impossible to test all for tolerance to **Oberon**. The professional user should determine if **Oberon** could be used safely prior to commercial use. Follow and do not exceed the recommendation in the DIRECTIONS FOR USE section. Always test a few plants before spraying the whole crop. Manifestation of symptoms could take up to 4 weeks to become visual following the application.

The risk of phytotoxicity in some cultivars may be reduced by spraying in early morning or late afternoon, when drying is slower or when the sun intensity is low and relative humidity >70%.

Safety to bumblebees and biological control agents

Bumblebee hives can be left in the greenhouse while the crop is being sprayed. **Oberon** is safe to *Encarsia formosa*, but moderately harmful to *Phytoseiulus persimilis*.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Mixing:

Pour **Oberon** directly into the spray tank with agitators running.

RECOMMENDATION:

This label should be read in conjunction with an Oberon Technical Bulletin supplied with the product which is available from Horticulture.

Crop	Pest	Rate	Remarks
Capsicums	Two spotted spider mite	60ml/100 litres of water/1000 square metre. Do not apply more than 60ml of Oberon/1000 square metres.	Make two applications at 7 day intervals starting on appearance of pest. Do not apply more than 2 applications per crop cycle. Ensure thorough coverage. Do not apply to plants suffering from stress e.g. transplant shock.
Cucumbers Tomatoes	Greenhouse whitefly	As for above	As for above

Compatibility:

Do not apply in tank-mix with other pesticides and/or adjuvants.

Do not apply other pesticides within 7 days before or after applying Oberon.

Withholding Period:

Capsicums, Cucumbers, Tomatoes.....1 day

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