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DO NOT USE ON ST. AUGUSTINEGRASS, FLORATAM, DICHONDRA, LIPIA, CARPETGRASS OR BENTGRASS LAWNS.

Covers 5,000 SQ FT

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN!  
CAUTION

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS  
AZINPHALPHOS-METHYL 10.0%  
METHYL 2,4-D 1.0%  
OTHER INGREDIENTS 89.0%  
NET WT 14.29 lb (6.48 kg)

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AT 1 1/4" & 1 1/8" INK IS ALLOWED



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### SPREADER SETTINGS

Spreading Tips: Apply header strips. Then apply product in longest direction of lawn. For best results, use a Scotts® spreader. Covers 5,000 sq ft. This package applies 2.86 lb of product per 1,000 sq ft.

Spreader Settings	Directions	Spreader Settings	Directions
<b>Scotts® Broadcast Rotary Spreaders</b> <b>3 1/2</b>	Each pass should be within 5 feet of each other to ensure overlap.	<b>Drop Spreaders</b> <b>5</b>	Make sure spreader wheel completely overlaps previous wheel marks.

For additional spreader settings, please call 1-800-543-TURF (8873).

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### Well-fed lawns are more efficient at using available water.

Feeding with Scotts® lawn food helps grow a thick lawn with more roots to better absorb water and nutrients than an unfed lawn. This helps protect your lawn against heat, drought and other stresses.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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This product applies 1.6 pounds of 2-4-D per acre per application.

#### APPLICATION PRECAUTIONS

- Apply when weeds are actively growing when daytime temperatures are consistently above 60 °F.
- Apply on a calm day.
- Apply to moist grass. To help granules stick to weed leaves, the grass should be thoroughly watered or wet from dew before applying this product.
- Grass should not touch the bottom of a drip spreader. All grass should be mowed a day or two before application.

#### APPLICATION RESTRICTIONS

- Do not apply product to wetted grass or pots directly or through drift. Keep people and pets off lawn during application. Do not allow people or pets to enter treated areas until grass has settled.
- Do not apply directly to or near water, storm drains, gutters, sewers, or drainage ditches. Do not apply within 25 feet of rivers, fish ponds, lakes, streams, reservoirs, marshes, estuaries, bays, and oceans. Do not apply when windy. Apply this product directly to your lawn, and sweep any product landing on the driveway, sidewalk, gutter, or street, back onto the treated area. To prevent product run-off, do not over water the treated area to the point of runoff or apply when rain or when rain is expected that day.
- On basis and coolshade lawns, wait until after the second mowing of the year but NOT before mid-March. In the fall, DO NOT treat coolshade after the first of October and DO NOT treat basis after the first of November.
- Do not use this product on lawns, shrubs, fruit or vegetable plants or on creeping bentgrass, St. Augustine, Plectranthus and dichroa lawns. Do not use on grass, bahia, centipede grass, zoysia lawns, under certain conditions, some temporary discoloration may result.
- Apply only to grass. Do not allow granules of dust to drift onto flowers, shrubs, fruit or vegetables.
- The maximum number of broadcast applications per treatment site is two per year.
- Allow a minimum of 30 days between applications.

#### EXTREME TEMPERATURES

- Do not apply when temperatures are consistently above 90 °F.

#### WATERING OR RAIN

- Do not water or mow lawn for at least 24 hours after application. Granules must remain on weed leaves for 24 hours to be effective.
- Do not apply if rain is expected within the next 24 hours.

#### IMPORTANT

##### WHAT TO EXPECT

- Weed stems and leaves will begin to wilt and curl in a few days but a month or more may be required for control.
- This product will not prevent weed seeds from producing new plants.

Control the following weeds: aster, bluegrass, centipede, chickweed, buckhorn, fall fescue, henbit, lambsquarters, Canada thistle, creeping charlie, foxtail, groundsel, knotweed, lambsquarters, little bluestem, spurge, yellow foxtail, yellow nutsedge, winter fat, winter annuals, curly dock, dandelion, dicentra, dallisgrass, dallisgrass/parrotgrass, English daisy, evening primrose, filaree, fleabane, ground Ivy, hawkweed, iris, juncos, knotweed, morning glory, lamb's quarters, ligulate (seedling), lipa (seedling), mallow, morning glory, nutcracker, prostrate spurge, pigweed, plantain, prostrate spurge, purple spurge, red root, red root (seedling), scab, pigweed, shepard's grass, smartweed, southern spurge, sparrowgrass, velvet, wild carrot, yarrow, yellow rock.

#### SEEDING/SODDING/SPRIGGING

- Wait until the new grass has been mowed at least four times before applying STEP 2 Weed Control plus Lawn Food.
- If you are planning to seed, sod or sprig, you should wait at least one month after you have applied STEP 2 Weed Control plus Lawn Food.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in a dry place. Reseal opened bag by folding top down and securing. Store in original container in a secure area away from children and pets.

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#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:

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This chemical has properties and characteristics associated with chemicals detected in groundwaters. The use of this chemical in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in groundwater contamination. Application around a system or well may result in contamination of drinking water or groundwater.

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STEP 2 Weed Control Plus Lawn Food 28-0-3 F 543

#### Guaranteed Analysis

Total Nitrogen (N) ..... 28.0%

2.7% Ammoniacal Nitrogen

13.9% Urea Nitrogen

10.5% Other Water Soluble Nitrogen\*

0.9% Water Insoluble Nitrogen\*

Soluble Potash (K<sub>2</sub>O) ..... 3%

Sulfur (S) ..... 4%

4.2% Combined Sulfur (S)

Derived from: Ammonium Sulfate, Methyleneureas, Urea

and Potassium Sulfate.

\*9.8% slowly available Nitrogen from Methyleneureas,

and Potassium Sulfate.

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metals in this product is available on the Internet

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ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:  
2,4-D<sup>1</sup> ..... 1.21%  
Mecoprop-p<sup>1</sup> ..... 9.61%  
OTHER INGREDIENTS: ..... 98.18%  
Total ..... 100.00%

<sup>1</sup>0.01% is 2,4-D acid equivalent per pound of product.  
<sup>2</sup>0.001 lbs MCP<sup>2</sup> is acid equivalent per pound of product.

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