# Release®

# PLANT GROWTH REGULATOR

# **SOLUBLE POWDER**

# **Active Ingredient:**

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# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

1.0	FIRST AID			
	If on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>		
	If inhaled	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>		
	If in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>		
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Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 800-892-0099 (24 hours) for emergency medical treatment and/or transport emergency information. For all other information, call 800-6-VALENT (682-5368).

### 2.0 PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

# 2.1 Hazards To Humans (and Domestic Animals) CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through skin or inhaled. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Causes moderate eye injury. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

# 2.2 Personal Protective Equipment

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants.
- Waterproof gloves.
- Shoes plus socks.

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

# 2.3 User Safety Recommendations

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside.
   Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

# 2.4 Environmental Hazards

Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

## 3.0 DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

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#### 4.0 | AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), and restricted entry intervals. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of <u>4</u> hours. Exceptions: After treated seeds are planted, the Worker Protection Standard, under certain circumstances, allows workers to enter the planted area if there will be no contact with anything that has been treated.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil or water, is:

- Coveralls.
- · Waterproof gloves.
- · Shoes plus socks.

### 5.0 STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

**Pesticide Storage:** Keep containers tightly closed when not in use.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Disposal: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container 1/4 full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Once cleaned, some agricultural plastic pesticide containers can be taken to a container collection site or picked up for recycling. To find the nearest site, contact your chemical dealer or manufacturer, or contact Ag Container Recycling Council at 202-861-3144 or www.acrecycle.org. If recycling is not available puncture and dispose of the container in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

#### 6.0 GENERAL INFORMATION

**IMPORTANT:** Before application, read directions thoroughly and use only as directed.

Release® contains an extremely potent natural plant growth regulator. One gram of *Release* contains 100 milligrams of active ingredient. Consult your local experiment station specialist, distributor, or the Valent Agricultural Specialist in your area for the application best suited for your conditions.

Release is a plant growth regulator product designed to be used as a seed treatment for rice, wheat, and sorghum seed. When applied according to the label directions, Release stimulates seed germination and promotes faster and uniform stand establishment. The following table describes Release use applications and expected benefits.

### 7.0 RELEASE SEED TREATMENT APPLICATIONS

For application to Rice, Wheat, and Sorghum seed.

	Release		
Crop	Use Rates	Use Restrictions	
Rice	0.18 to 0.7 oz	For use with drill	May promote
Use Rates for	product in 8-20	or broadcast	germination and
All States	fl oz water/	seeding systems.	emergence for
Except	100 lbs seed	<b>Do not</b> apply	semi-dwarf and
California:	(Equivalent	Release prior	tall varieties.
	to 5 to 20 g	to a 24 hour	
	Release in 237-	presoak or to	May help
	591 ml water/	water used for	increase final
	45 kg seed)	the presoak.	stand density
Use Rates for	0.35 to 0.7 oz of	Do not exceed	and uniformity
California:	product in 8-20 fl	0.7 oz product/	when seeds are
	oz water/100 lbs	100 lbs of seed	planted deeper
	seed. (Equivalent	(20 g product/	to receive ade-
	to 10 to 20 g	45 kg seed).	quate moisture.
	Release in 237-		
	591 ml water/45		
	kg seed)		
Wheat*	0.35 to 1.05 oz	Do not exceed	May promote
	product in 8-20	1.05 oz product/	germination and
	fl oz water/	100 lbs of seed	emergence, par-
	100 lbs seed	(30 g product/	ticularly for seed
	(Equivalent	45 kg seed).	with dormancy
	to 10 to 30 g		problems that
	Release in		are planted
	237-591 ml/		under cool soil
	45 kg)		conditions.
Sorghum*	0.35 to 1.05 oz	Do not exceed	May promote
	product in 8-20	1.05 oz prod-	germination
	fl oz water/	uct/100 lbs	and emergence
	100 lbs seed	of seed (30 g	particularly
	(Equivalent	product/45 kg	for seed with
	to 10 to 30 g	seed).	dormancy
	Release in	,-	problems that
	237-591 ml/		are planted
	45 kg)		under cool
	TO NY)		soil conditions.
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<sup>\*</sup>Not for use in California.

## 7.1 Mixing Instructions

RICE, WHEAT, AND SORGHUM

Release may be applied to seed with standard mist treating equipment. For best results, higher treatment volumes of 12 to 20 fluid ounces per 100 lbs of seed (355 to 591 ml per 45 kg seed) ensures complete and uniform coverage.

Fill the treatment tank with half of the final tank mix volume. Add the required amount of *Release* and mix thoroughly while adding water and other co-applied seed treatment products (see Compatibility with Other Chemicals section) to the desired final volume.

#### 7.2 Use Precautions

**Do not** use treated seed for food, feed, or oil purposes. An approved dye must be added to distinguish *Release*-treated seed and prevent inadvertent use as food or feed.

#### 8.0 COMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER CHEMICALS

Release is compatible with most commonly used fungicide seed treatments (e.g. Vitavax® and Dithane®), standard dyes, and sticker/binding agents. When preparing tank mixes, ensure adequate physical compatibility and mixing. Release has been shown to be incompatible with zinc oxide and copper hydroxide containing products, which may be applied as seed treatments.

#### 9.0 NOTICE TO USER

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Read and follow the label instructions before using.

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