# SCOTTS® ECOSENSE® WEED-B-GON® READY-TO-USE LAWN WEED CONTROL Herbicide

Granular DOMESTIC

Eliminate The Weeds You Have - Prevent New Weeds From Growing

Kills Weeds Not Lawns [Flash] With Bio-Phoma

### **GUARANTEE:**

Phoma macrostoma strain (naturally occurring fungus) 94-44B......92% \*Contains a minimum of 1 x  $10^3$  cfu/gram

CAUTION - EYE IRRITANT POTENTIAL SENSITIZER

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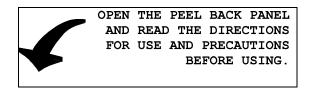
NET CONTENTS: 1 kg - 25 kg
Date of Manufacture:

READ THE LABEL AND PEEL BACK PANEL BEFORE USING KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

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Phoma macrostoma can be used on established turfgrass and during the new seeding of the following grasses to prevent broadleaf weeds and control existing broadleaf weeds: bentgrass, bermudagrass (do not use at the time of seeding with bermudagrass), fine fescue, tall fescue, Kentucky bluegrass, perennial ryegrass, annual ryegrass, and mixtures of these grasses without harming lawn grasses.

### Controls:

Weeds controlled or suppressed with one pre-emergence application of Phoma macrostoma		
Weeds controlled:	Weeds suppressed:	
Dandelion Scentless chamomile	White clover Canada thistle	
English daisy	Black medic Chickweed	
	Broadleaf plantain Common ragweed	
	Wild mustard	

Weeds controlled or suppressed with 2 or 3 post-emergence applications of <i>Phoma macrostoma</i>		
Weeds controlled:	Weeds suppressed:	
White clover Black medic	Dandelion Canada thistle Broadleaf plantain	

## What is Bio-Phoma<sup>TM</sup>?

Scotts® EcoSense® Weed-B-Gon® Ready-to-Use Lawn Weed Control Herbicide contains *Phoma macrostoma; a Bio-pesticide which is derived from a* naturally occurring fungus discovered growing on Canada thistle plants in Saskatchewan.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

- > DO NOT apply to any body of water.
- > DO NOT contaminate irrigation or drinking water supplies or aquatic habitats by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

# TO PREVENT NEW WEEDS IN YOUR LAWN (PRE-EMERGENT WEED CONTROL)

# • Where to Apply:

Can be applied to established lawns as well as newly seeded lawns.

# • How to Apply / What to Expect:

- Apply to established lawns in the early spring or fall before weeds appear in your lawn and have a chance to germinate. After application the appearance of new weeds will be significantly reduced or eliminated, while the lawn remains unaffected.
- Can be applied in either the spring or fall, at the same time or soon after planting grass seed to prevent weed establishment. Emerging grass is unaffected.

# TO ELIMINATE WEEDS IN YOUR LAWN (POST-EMERGENT WEED CONTROL)

# • Where to Apply:

Can be applied to established lawns as well as newly seeded lawns

# • How to Apply / What to Expect:

- Apply directly to weeds on the lawn 2-3 times per season at monthly intervals. Product is working when the leaves turn yellow then become bleached white. The patented Bio-Phoma Formula causes weeds to turn white and their roots to stop growing. The white weeds cannot produce chlorophyll and eventually starve to death.
- Symptoms may first appear in about one week after application when temperature is between 15-30°C.

#### SPREADER SETTINGS:

Spreader	Pre- Emergent	Post- Emergent
	Setting	Setting
Scotts® Broadcast/Rotary Spreaders	TBD	TBD
Apply header strips. Then apply product		
in longest direction of lawn. Shut off		
spreader or stop each time you reach a		
header strip. Each pass should be within		
1.5 metres (5 feet) of each other to		
ensure an overlap.		
Scotts® Drop Spreader	TBD	TBD
Mow lawn first. Apply 2 header strips.		
Apply in longest direction of lawn,		
overlapping wheel marks.		

[Illustration of spreading patterns]

**Coverage:** If not using a Scotts® spreader, apply at the preemergent rate of 1.65 kg per 100 sq. metres (3.4 lb per 1,000 sq. feet) or the post-emergent rate of 3.17 kg per 100 sq. metres (6.5 lb per 1,000 sq. feet) per application.

#### APPLICATION TIPS:

- Mow prior to application. Then do not mow your lawn again until the product has been washed from the grass by rainfall or watering and the turf has dried.
- Avoid contact with desirable flowers, vegetables, and fruit bearing shrubs. If contacted wash away with water.
- This product will not control grassy weeds such as crabgrass.
- While this product is in use do not apply in conjunction with any other lawn disease control product.
- For best results, apply to wet or dry grass as long as the soil is moist when the temperature is between 15-30°C (60-85°F) in the day. To further enhance control, watering or rainfall should occur within 24-72 hours after application. Avoid applying in windy conditions.
- For best results, apply with a Scotts® spreader at the recommended setting listed above.

#### PRECAUTIONS:

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.** May cause sensitization. May irritate eyes. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

#### TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Treat symptomatically.

#### STORAGE:

DO NOT contaminate food/feed when storing this product. Store unused product in original container away from children and direct sunlight. Store at  $23\,^{\circ}\text{C}$  or below for up to one year from the date of manufacture.

#### DISPOSAL:

Do not reuse empty container. Dispose of empty container with household garbage. Unused or partially used products should be disposed at provincially or municipally designated hazardous waste disposal sites.

# First Aid:

IF SWALLOWED: Call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice. IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-tomouth, if possible. Call a poison control centre or doctor for further treatment advice. IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice. Take container, label or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

# Scotts No-Quibble Guarantee®

If for any reason you, the consumer, are not satisfied after using this product, you are entitled to get your money back. Simply send us proof of purchase and we will mail you a refund cheque promptly.

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