Kumulus[®] DF

Fungicide

Kumulus DF Q&A

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Q	Why use Kumulus [®] DF?			A	 BioGrow certified Easy handling and mixing Micro-granular formulation that flows readily Reduced dust Dissolves in water rapidly Erinose mite control Powdery mildew resistance breaker 	
Q	Product type?			A	Protectant fungicide	
Q	Active ingredient/formulation?			A	800 g/kg sulphur water dispersible granule	
Q	Application rates?					
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	Apple	Powdery mildew	100 - 200 g per 100 L	May be applied from bud movement to harvest, however, use before December as may affect fruit finish
				- DO NOT apply in mixture with captan
				- DO NOT apply to sulphur sensitive varieties eg Kidds Orange Red, Cox's Orange Pippin or Red Delicious
				- DO NOT apply in temperatures above 25°C
				- DO NOT apply to pears
	Grapes	Powdery mildew	150 - 300 g per 100 L	Apply at bud swell and repeat at 10-14 day intervals as required
				- Use higher rates when disease is evident
				- Erinose mites will also be controlled
	Peas	Powdery mildew	100 - 200 g per 100 L	Apply when conditions favour disease and repeat as necessary
				- Use the higher rate when infection has already occurred
	Peaches,	Rust	100 – 200 g per 100 L	Apply at fruit set and repeat at 21 day intervals until harvest
	Plums &			Use higher rate when conditions favour disease
	Nectarines			- DO NOT apply to apricots
	Roses	Powdery mildew	200 – 300 g per 100 L	Apply on 14-day schedule using higher rate during periods of severe disease pressure
				- DO NOT use in mixture with maldison
	Tamarillos	Powdery mildew	100 – 200 g per 100 L	Apply on a regular 10-14 day schedule throughout the growing season
	Vegetables	Powdery mildew	100 – 300 g per 100 L	Apply at 10-14 day intervals during periods that favour infection
			or 2-3 kg/ha	Use the high rate when infection pressure is high



Water rate & concentrate spraying?



Sufficient to achieve full coverage If concentrate spraying adjust dilutions rates accordingly

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Q	Pack size?	A	15 kg bags (Agrecovery® friendly)
Q	Resistance management?	A	Kumulus DF is a Group M2 fungicide
Q	Withholding period?	A	Nil days all crops. Avoid visible residues
Q	Compatibility?	A	Compatible with most insecticides, fungicides and foliar fertilisers DO NOT use in mixtures with captan, maldison, spraying oils or formulations containing mineral oils DO NOT apply within 3 weeks of an oil spray
Q	Mixing?	A	Spray tanks with modern venturi and mechanical agitation systems, ¾ fill the tank with water then add the required amount of Kumulus DF directly into the spray tank with agitators running. In spray tanks with less effective bypass agitation, Kumulus DF should be pre-mixed with water in a bucket before adding to the partly filled spray tank. When used in mixtures pre-dilute in the additive product prior to its addition to spray tank with agitators running, first add Kumulus DF then the additive product and use immediately.

Kumulus DF rapidly disperses in water... and stays in suspension



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