

FIFRA SECTION 24(c) SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING  
FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN OREGON

**RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE**

**Due to eye and skin effects.**

For retail sale to and use by Certified Applicators, or persons under their direct supervision, and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's certification.



**Comite®**

**AGRICULTURAL MITICIDE  
FOR SWEET CORN**

EPA REG. NO. 400-104 EPA SLN NO. OR-080015

**COMPOSITION**

Active Ingredients: (% by weight)	
Propargite (Sulfurous acid, 2-[4-(1,1-dimethyl-ethyl) phenoxy] cyclohexyl-2-propynyl ester)* .....	73.6%
Other Ingredients .....	26.4%
Total:.....	100.0%

\*Contains 6.55 lbs. active ingredient per gallon

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
DANGER • PELIGRO**

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates and may cause reproductive effects in wildlife. Do not apply directly to water or areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash water.

**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 through any type of irrigation system.

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.

**COMITE - SWEET CORN (Fresh, Processing and Grown for Seed):**

**Ground or Aerial Application:** Apply at the rate of 2 - 3 pints of COMITE per acre in a minimum of 20 gallons of water per acre by ground or 10 gallons by aerial application. Apply at the 1st indication that mites are present when corn is 3 - 4 feet high or prior to ear formation whichever comes first. Observe an REI of 13 days. The pre-harvest interval is 30 days and ear formation to harvest is approximately 30 days. If using overhead sprinkler irrigation equipment, apply in 0.1 to 0.2 inches of water.

**CHEMIGATION  
OVERHEAD IRRIGATION**

Apply COMITE at 2 - 3 pints per acre when corn plants are about 3 - 4 feet high or when mite populations begin to build. Make only one spray application per season via chemigation or conventional method. COMITE is not systemic in action; therefore complete coverage of both upper and lower leaf surfaces is necessary for effective control.

**PRECAUTIONS**

Apply this product only through sprinkler systems, including center pivot, lateral move, end tow, side (wheel) roll, traveler, big gun, solid set, or hand move irrigation systems. Do not apply this product through any other type of irrigation system.

Crop injury, lack of effectiveness, or illegal pesticide residues in the crop can result from nonuniform distribution of treated water.

If you have questions about calibration, you should contact State Extension Service specialists, equipment manufacturers or other experts.

Do not connect an irrigation system (including greenhouse systems) used for pesticide application to a public water system unless the pesticide label-prescribed safety devices for public water systems are in place.

A person knowledgeable of the chemigation system and responsible for its operation, or under the supervision of the responsible person, shall shut the system down and make necessary adjustments should the need arise.

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**THIS LABEL IS IN ADDITION TO THE STANDARD FEDERAL LABEL PRINTED ON THE CONTAINER**

**Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions on the EPA registered label.**

**This label must be in the possession of the user at the time of the pesticide application.**

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The system must contain a functional check valve, vacuum relief valve, and low pressure drain appropriately located on the irrigation pipeline to prevent water source contamination from backflow.

The pesticide injection pipeline must also contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of liquid back toward the injection pump.

The pesticide injection pipeline must also contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being drawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.

The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops. The irrigation line or water pump must include a functional pressure switch which will stop the water pump motor when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.

Systems must use a metering pump, such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock.

Do not apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.

Constant agitation must be maintained in the chemical supply tank during the entire period of insecticide application.

Inject the product with a positive replacement pump into the main line ahead of a right angle turn, to insure adequate mixing.

Application of more than label recommended quantities of irrigation water per acre may result in decreased product performance by removing the chemical from the zone of effectiveness.

Do not apply when system connections or fittings leak, when nozzles do not provide uniform distribution or when lines containing the product must be dismantled and drained.

Greater accuracy in calibration and distribution will be achieved by injecting a larger volume of more dilute mixture per hour. Pesticide should be applied continuously for the duration of the water addition.

Where sprinkler irrigation patterns do not overlap sufficiently unacceptable mite control may result. Where sprinkler distribution patterns overlap excessively crop injury may result.

Posting of areas to be chemigated is required when 1) any part of a treated area is within 300 feet of sensitive areas such as residential areas, labor camps, businesses, day care centers, hospitals, in-patient clinics, nursing homes or any public areas such as schools, parks, playgrounds, or other public facilities not including public roads, or 2) when the chemigated area is open to the public such as golf courses or retail greenhouses.

Posting must conform to the following requirements:

Treated areas shall be posted with signs at all usual points of entry and along likely routes of approach from the listed sensitive areas. When there are no usual points of entry, signs must be posted in the corners of the treated areas and in any other location affording maximum visibility to sensitive areas. The printed side of the sign should face away from the treated area towards the sensitive area. The signs shall be printed in English. Signs must be posted prior to application and must remain posted until the foliage has dried and soil surface water has disappeared. Signs may remain in place indefinitely as long as they are composed of materials to prevent deterioration and maintain legibility for the duration of the posting period.

All words shall consist of letters at least 2½ inches tall, and all letters and the symbol shall be a color which sharply contrasts with their immediate background. At the top of the sign shall be the words "KEEP OUT", followed by an octagonal stop sign symbol at least 8 inches in diameter containing the word "STOP". Below the symbol shall be the words, PESTICIDE IN IRRIGATION WATER".

#### **RESTRICTIONS/PRECAUTIONS**

- Make only 1 application per season regardless of application method.
- Do not apply within 30 days of harvest.
- Do not plant small grains in rotation within 82 days after last application of propargite to corn.

You may contact the Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife, National Marine Fisheries Service or US Fish & Wildlife Service for information on listed threatened or endangered species.

See product Federal label and follow all directions, including any directions for use of buffers.

For propargite uses that are not restricted by a U.S. District Court final order, do not apply by ground application equipment within 50 feet or by aerial application within 75 feet of lakes, reservoirs, rivers, permanent streams, marshes or natural ponds: estuaries and commercial fish farm ponds.

Certain uses of propargite may be restricted by a U.S. District Court final order. You may refer to the Oregon Department of Agriculture website at <http://egov.oregon.gov/ODA/PEST/buffers.shtml> or to <http://www.epa.gov/espp.litstatus/wtc/maps.htm> for information regarding pesticides that may be impacted by the final order.

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