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This label for Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide expires and must not be distributed or used in accordance with this SLN registration after April 4, 2022.

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**AND USE ONLY IN LOUISIANA**

### FIFRA Section 24(c) Special Local Need Registration

**IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELING.**

**ALL APPLICABLE DIRECTIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS ON ALL THE EPA REGISTERED LABELS ARE TO BE FOLLOWED. THIS LABELING MUST BE IN THE POSSESSION OF THE USER AT THE TIME OF PESTICIDE APPLICATION.**

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

For aerial application of Command<sup>®</sup> 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide on rice.

Apply in a minimum of 5 gallons of finished spray per acre.

Apply prior to weed emergence during the period from 14 days pre-plant to 7 days post-plant or apply post-plant to rice through the 5 leaf stage to provide pre-emergent and extended residual grass control. If grass is already present, include a post emergence grass herbicide with the application.

Observe all buffer restrictions noted in the Application Precautions and Restrictions sections.

Partial weed control may result if levees are pulled after Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide has been applied.

Additional use of labeled post-emerge herbicide applications may be required where existing grass weeds are present at the time of application.

CROP	PESTS	RATE OF APPLICATION			
		Soil Texture	Broadcast Rates Per Acre*	Pounds Active Ingredient per Acre	Acres per Gallon
Rice	Barnyardgrass (Watergrass) (Including herbicide resistant types) Broadleaf Signalgrass Crabgrass (Large, Smooth) Panicum (Common, Fall, Texas) Sprangletop	Coarse (light) Soils: (sand, loamy sand, sandy loam)	11 - 14 fl oz	0.25 - 0.33	11.6 – 9.1
		Medium Soils: (loam, silt, silt loam, sandy clay, sandy clay loam)	17 - 21 fl oz	0.4 – 0.5	7.5 – 6.0
		Fine (heavy) Soils: (silty clay, clay loam, silty clay loam, clay)	21 - 34 fl oz	0.5 - 0.8	6.0 – 3.76
		* Select lower to higher rates based on lighter to heavier soil types.			

**CROP SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:**

Application of Command<sup>®</sup> 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide to fields that have been precision leveled with deep cuts may result in rice crop injury including stand loss. Consult with rice specialists for soil amending practices that can reduce potential for herbicide injury in precision-leveled fields.



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**AERIAL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

Aircraft used to apply Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide shall be configured and operated in such manner as to minimize off-site spray movement to desirable species.

**In order to reduce the potential for off-site movement from a treated field, the aerial applicator must:**

1. The applicator must offset applications ½ swath towards the upwind direction
2. The applicator must use a coarse spray quality
3. Boom length from end nozzle to end nozzle should be 75% of less of wing span or rotor width
4. Do not apply in wind speeds greater than 10 mph
5. Do not apply during temperature inversions
6. Release height should be 10 feet or less above the canopy

**APPLICATION PRECAUTIONS:**

Caution must be taken to minimize off target drift of Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide as off-site movement of Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide can cause foliar whitening or yellowing of some plants.

Do not apply Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide within 1,200 feet of the areas listed below:

Towns and Housing Developments  
Commercial Vegetable Production (except peppers, pumpkins, succulent peas, sweet corn, sweet potato and winter squash)  
Commercial Fruit / Nut Production  
Commercial Nurseries  
Commercial Greenhouses

Do not make applications of Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide when spray particles may be carried by air currents to areas where desirable crops and plants are growing, or when temperature inversions exist. Applicator must determine that wind direction is blowing away from desirable crops and plants before making the application.

Prior to application, adjacent properties not owned or leased by the USER of Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide must be checked for desirable plants such as in home gardens or yards, and applications within 300 feet of desirable plants must be avoided.

**RESTRICTIONS:**

Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide may be applied to water seeded rice 14 days prior to planting or during rice pegging up to re-flooding but prior to grass emergence.

With split applications do not apply more than a total of 34 fl oz/A Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide (0.8 lbs ai/A) per season. Do not apply Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide on rice fields in which concurrent crayfish or catfish farming is included in the cultural practices.

Do not use water containing Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide residues from rice cultivation to irrigate food or feed crops, which are not registered for use with Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide.

**REPLANTING INSTRUCTIONS**

If initial planting of rice fails to produce a uniform stand, rice may be replanted in fields treated with Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide. Do not retreat fields with a second application of Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide. Do not replant treated fields with any crop at intervals that are inconsistent with the ROTATIONAL CROP GUIDELINES on this labeling.

**ROTATIONAL CROP GUIDELINES**

Rotate to crops as listed below, otherwise crop injury may occur.

Note: When using Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide with other registered herbicides always refer to rotational restrictions and precautions on the other product's label.

ANYTIME - Cotton\*, Peas, Peppers, Pumpkins, Rice, Soybeans, Squash, Sweet Potatoes, Tobacco and Tuberos and Corm Vegetables  
9 MONTHS - Cotton, Corn (Field, Pop, Seed, Sweet), Cucurbits, Dry Beans, Peanuts, Potatoes, Snap Beans, Sorghum, Sugar Beets, and Tomatoes (Transplanted)

12 MONTHS - All crops

- Refer to "REQUIREMENTS FOR PLANTING TIME APPLICATIONS" and "REPLANTING INSTRUCTIONS" in the Command 3ME Microencapsulated Herbicide Section 3 label.

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