

Environmental Information Sheet

WEEDAZOL TL MAFF/MAPP 11968

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A 225 g/L soluble concentrate formulation containing amitrole a triazole herbicide for use in Orchards, fallow and stubble and headlands.

Maximum application rate: Orchards, Fallow and stubble and headlands: 20 L/ha
Headlands: 30 L/ha

Section	Profile
<p>1. WILDLIFE</p> <p>Mammals and Birds</p>	<p>Weedazol TL is not classified as '<i>Harmful to game and wildlife</i>'</p> <p>Weedazol TL is of high toxicity to birds and mammals. It is recommended that livestock should not be grazed on treated grassland for 2 weeks after application.</p> <p>No risk management is necessary to protect wild mammals and birds as Weedazol TL is of low risk to mammals and birds grazing in treated areas.</p>
<p>2. BEES</p>	<p>No risk management necessary and there is no requirement to avoid application of the product when bees maybe foraging on flowering weeds.</p>
<p>3. NON TARGET INSECTS AND OTHER ARTHROPODS</p>	<p>No risk management necessary</p> <p>Weedazol TL poses a low risk to a range of arthropod species commonly found in and around treated areas, including ground beetles and aphid parasitoids.</p>
<p>4. AQUATIC LIFE</p>	<p>Weedazol TL is of low toxicity to fish and of moderate toxicity to daphnia, algae and harmful to certain aquatic higher plants such as duckweeds (<i>Lemna</i>). Care should be taken to minimise drift when applying Weedazol next to shallow ponds, ditches or slow flowing streams. Care should be taken to ensure that surface waters and ditches are not contaminated with the product or used container.</p> <p>No risk management necessary. When used according to the label instructions there will not be sufficient contamination of water to present a risk to aquatic life.</p> <p>Not categorised under the LERAP scheme.</p>

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<p>5. SOIL and GROUNDWATER</p> <p>Earthworms</p> <p>Soil Micro-organisms</p>	<p>Weedazol TL is of low persistence in the soil. Amitrole is not strongly adsorbed to soil and can be considered moderately mobile. However, use of Weedazol TL in accordance with the label presents a low risk to groundwater, therefore no risk management is necessary.</p> <p>Weedazol TL is of moderate toxicity to earthworms. No risk management is necessary.</p> <p>No risk management necessary. No effects on soil microbial processes were found so the risk is considered low.</p>
<p>6. NON-TARGET PLANTS</p>	<p>Weedazol TL is a total weedkiller herbicide and is likely to be harmful to some species of wild flowers which are found at the margins of fields. Therefore particular care should always be taken to minimise drift when applying Weedazol TL close to conservation headlands and field boundaries, such as hedgerows, which may provide an important habitat for wild flowers.</p>

ALWAYS READ THE LABEL: USE PESTICIDES SAFELY

Care must be taken to minimise the risk of surface water contamination from farmyard and field sources.

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