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PastorTrio – Established Grass, New Leys and Maize

PastorTrio™ now runs into its 2nd season for use on established grass, new sown leys, grass grown for seed and maize. Many grassland herbicides have recently lost approval for use in new sown leys. This option will fill a vital gap. PastorTrio, with three actives: florasulam, fluroxypyr & clopyralid delivers a very wide spectrum of weed control. It controls fat hen, charlock, chickweed, mayweed, seedling docks & thistles and has useful activity on redshank, orache, fumitory and others.

Profile:
- 100 g/l fluroxypyr + 80 g/l clopyralid + 2.5 g/l florasulam
- Use at 1.0 l/ha on new sown leys from 1st Feb to 31st August
- Apply from third leaf visible stage of the grass
- Comes in a 2 litre pack and should be applied in 200 litres water
- Will kill clover

Maize

Weeds in young maize crops can also be controlled with PastorTrio. This is the first approval for florasulam in maize. Combined with fluroxypyr and clopyralid, it presents a comprehensive post emergence broad leaved weed control solution.

Profile:
- Apply at 1.0 l/ha from 10th April to 31st May and between the 3-6 leaf stage
- Do not apply once the crop is over 20 cm tall
- Excellent control of black nightshade, field bindweed & black bindweed

Click here for the technical information sheet for PastorTrio.
Grassland Pesticide Training

It is now legal requirement under the Sustainable Use Directive (SUD) that only trained professionals are permitted to provide pesticide advice to farmers. Teagasc is running two professional training courses at its Research and Training Centres in Moorepark and Ballyhaise. Places are limited and early booking is recommended.

Course 1
29th March 2018

Course 2
16th April 2018

Who is it for?
This course has been designed for anyone providing advice to grassland farmers and ensures compliance with the SUD Directive. e.g. Company representatives, farm advisers, agricultural merchants etc.

Learning Objectives
- Appraise the biology and control of weeds, pests and disease of grassland
- Appraise integrated pest management, pesticide use and efficiency
- Support farmers preparing for the sprayer test
- Devise integrated pest management practices for grassland
- Advise on best practice for integrated pest management in grassland
- Appraise legislation relating to pesticide use

Eligibility
- Level 5 in an agricultural course or handling and distribution of pesticides course; or
- Level 6 (appropriate qualification) and suitable level of experience (preferably 5 years or more in the industry)

Visit Course Website
Top Tips for Optimal Spring Grassweed Control with Broadway® Star

1. Apply to as small a target weed as possible:
   - Brome up to GS24
   - Ryegrass up to GS29
   - Wild Oats up to GS 29, Tame Oats up to GS24
2. Apply during a period of active growth – 2-3 days active growth either side of the application
3. Ensure correct application rate – don’t stretch a pack to fit a field
4. Always apply with a recommended adjuvant
5. Apply to a dry leaf and at least 2 hours rain free
6. Ensure optimal application techniques are followed:
   - Apply in 130-150 l/ha using a Fine to Medium spray quality
   - Ensure boom height is correct and appropriate forward speed chosen
   - Flexibility on nozzles - Air Inclusion, Twin Fluid, Flat Fan, Variable pressure FF

Zypar – A new solution for Winter Cereals

Zypar™ is a new herbicide for the control of broad-leaved weeds in winter and spring cereals (excluding Oats). Spring application to winter oats will follow in the 2019 season.

Zypar is a combination of the new active ingredient ARYLEX™ active together with the well established active ingredient florasulam. Regardless of weather conditions, Zypar sets the industry bench mark for consistent, robust control of your most competitive weeds including cranesbill, mayweed, groundsel, poppy, fumitory, fat hen, charlock, cleavers and chickweed – whatever the weather!

Zypar benefits -
- Provides broad spectrum weed control irrespective of the weather or weed growth pattern – if you can travel it will work
- No following crop restrictions
- No cultivations required before sowing most crops
- Robust weed control: brassica weeds, chickweed, cleavers, fumitory, fat hen, dead nettle, mayweeds, poppy and cranesbill
- Excellent multiway compatibility including: ACCase graminicides, ALS graminicides, PGRs, fungicides and trace elements

More information can be found at www.dowagro.com/ie/

Use plant protection products safely. Always read the label and product information before use. PAY ATTENTION TO THE RISK INDICATIONS AND FOLLOW THE SAFETY PRECAUTIONS ON THE LABEL. Triple Rinse Containers and Invert to Dry at Time of Use.

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Pastor Trio contains florasulam, fluroxypyr and clopyralid
Broadway Star contains pyroxsulam and florasulam
Zypar contains florasulam and halauxifen-methyl (Arylex™ active)