

# CAUTION

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READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

# OVERTURE<sup>®</sup>

## FUNGICIDE

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 125 g/L EPOXICONAZOLE

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For the control of certain fungal diseases including stripe rust of wheat, and specified fungal diseases of barley, alone or in a tank mix with Accolade, as specified in the DIRECTIONS FOR USE table.

**IMPORTANT: READ THE ATTACHED LEAFLET BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT**

Contents: 20L

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## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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## FIRST AID

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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## NOTICE TO BUYER

This product must be used in accordance with the directions for use. Where this product is not a good of a kind ordinarily acquired for personal, domestic or household use or consumption under the Australian Consumer Law, Sipcam's liability for any direct, indirect or consequential loss which you incur, including, without limitation, loss or damage to crop, loss of equipment, property damage, personal injury or death is limited, at Sipcam's option, to the replacement of the product or the supply of an equivalent product. By opening this package, you agree to be bound by these terms. If you do not agree to these terms, please return the entire unopened package intact to Sipcam or the place in which you purchased this product for a full refund.

Batch No:

Date of Manufacture:



**This product is NOT a Dangerous Good under the Australian Code for the transport of Dangerous Goods by road and rail.**

**For specialist advice in emergency only, call 1800 033 111 all hours, Australia wide.**

## G.H.S. STATEMENTS

**HAZARDS** H335: May cause respiratory irritation. H351: Suspected of causing cancer. H361: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

**PREVENTION** P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P271: Use only outdoors or in a well ventilated area.

**RESPONSE** P301+P330+P331+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor if you feel unwell. P302+P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332+P337+P313: If skin irritation occurs or if eye irritation persists: Get medical advice

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**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

**TABLE 1: Overture applied in a tank mix with Accolade**

CROP	DISEASE	RATE PER HA	CRITICAL COMMENTS
<p><b>When tank mixing Overture with Accolade:</b>            Observe the most conservative WHPs, re-application intervals and other instructions on the label of this and the mixture product.            Do not apply to wheat and barley crops more than once per season (640 mL Accolade/ha rate) or more than twice per season (320 mL Accolade/ha rate). DO NOT exceed a total rate of 500mL/ha of Overture in barley in a growing season. Treatment with Overture + Accolade will give approximately three weeks disease suppression.            Economic responses may not be gained by spraying crops past flowering stage. The effects of fungicide application will not be clearly seen for 7-10 days after application.</p>			
Wheat	Leaf rust ( <i>Puccinia recondita</i> , <i>Puccinia triticina</i> )	500 mL plus 320-640mL Accolade	Apply when conditions favour disease development and preferably prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply between stem elongation and ear emergence complete (ZGS 32-59) if disease is present. DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59.
	Stripe rust ( <i>Puccinia striiformis</i> ) Septoria nodorum blotch ( <i>Septoria nodorum</i> )	250-500 mL plus 320-640mL Accolade	Use the higher rates under higher disease pressure or when longer disease control is required. Ensure thorough coverage
	Powdery mildew ( <i>Blumeria graminis</i> <i>f.sp.tritici</i> )	250 mL plus 320-640mL Accolade	Apply when conditions favour disease development and prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply during early tillering (ZGS 21-22) stage of the crop if disease is present. DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59. Repeat spraying may be required particularly if infection pressure persists. Regularly monitor crops from 3-4 weeks after the first application for signs of reinfection.
Barley			<b>DO NOT exceed a total rate of 500mL/ha of Overture in barley in a growing season.</b>
	Leaf rust ( <i>Puccinia hordei</i> )	250-500 mL plus 320-640mL Accolade	Apply when conditions favour disease development and preferably prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply between stem elongation and ear emergence complete (ZGS 32-59). DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59. Apply the higher rate when disease is present on the top leaf or conditions are favourable for disease development at these stages of crop development.
	Net form of net blotch ( <i>Pyrenophora teres f. sp. teres</i> )	250-500 mL plus 320-640mL Accolade	Apply when conditions favour disease development and prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply between stem elongation and ear emergence complete (ZGS 32-59) if disease is present. DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59. Two applications of Overture Fungicide at the lower rate may provide better control than a single application under certain conditions. If applying a 2-spray program apply only 250mL/ha per application, the first application at ZGS 31-32 if the disease is present. Aim to apply the second application around ZGS 37-39 but no later than ZGS 59, if infection pressure persists.

CROP	DISEASE	RATE PER HA	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Barley (contd)	Leaf scald ( <i>Rynchosporium secalis</i> ), Powdery mildew ( <i>Blumeria graminis</i> <i>f.sp.hordei</i> )	250mL plus 320- 640mL Accolade	Apply when conditions favour disease development and prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply between early tillering and flag leaf emergence (ZGS 21-39) if disease is present. DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59. Repeat spraying may be required, particularly if infection pressure persists. Regularly monitor the crop from 3-4 weeks after the first application for signs of re-infection.

**TABLE 2: Overture applied alone**

CROP	DISEASE	RATE PER HA	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Wheat	Leaf rust ( <i>Puccinia recondita</i> ),	500 mL	Apply when conditions favour disease development and preferably prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply between stem elongation and ear emergence complete (ZGS 32-59) if disease is present. DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59.
	Stripe rust ( <i>Puccinia striiformis</i> )	250-500 mL	
	Septoria nodorum blotch ( <i>Septoria nodorum</i> )		
	Powdery mildew ( <i>Blumeria graminis</i> <i>f.sp.tritici</i> )	250 mL	Apply when conditions favour disease development and prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply during early tillering (ZGS 21-22) stage of the crop if disease is present. DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59. Repeat spraying may be required particularly if infection pressure persists. Regularly monitor crops from 3-4 weeks after the first application for signs of reinfection.
Barley			<b>DO NOT exceed a total rate of 500mL/ha of Overture in barley in a growing season.</b>
	Leaf rust ( <i>Puccinia hordei</i> )	250 to 500 mL	Apply when conditions favour disease development and preferably prior to development of disease in the crop. Aim to apply between stem elongation and ear emergence complete (ZGS 32-59). DO NOT apply later than ZGS 59. Apply the higher rate when disease is present on the top leaf or conditions are favourable for disease development at these stages of crop development.
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**NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION.**

#### **WITHHOLDING PERIODS:**

**DO NOT HARVEST FOR 6 WEEKS AFTER APPLICATION.**

**DO NOT GRAZE OR CUT FOR STOCKFOOD FOR 6 WEEKS AFTER APPLICATION.**

#### **EXPORT SLAUGHTER INTERVAL (ESI):**

**AFTER OBSERVING THE PERIOD FOR GRAZING OR CUTTING FOR STOCKFOOD, LIVESTOCK THAT HAVE BEEN GRAZED ON OR FED TREATED CROPS SHOULD BE PLACED ON CLEAN FEED FOR 3 DAYS PRIOR TO SLAUGHTER.**

#### **Export of treated cereals**

Growers should note that Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) or import tolerances do not exist in all markets for cereals treated with OVERTURE Fungicide. Additionally, some export markets have established MRLs different to those in Australia. If you are growing cereals for export, please check with Sipcarn or your grain exporter for the latest information on MRLs and import tolerances BEFORE using OVERTURE Fungicide.

#### **LIVESTOCK DESTINED FOR EXPORT MARKETS**

The grazing withholding period only applies to stock slaughtered for the domestic market. Some export markets apply different standards. To meet these standards, ensure that in addition to complying with the grazing withholding period, the Export Slaughter Interval is observed before stock are sold or slaughtered.

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

OVERTURE Fungicide is a broad spectrum contact and systemic fungicide. It is taken up via the stem and foliage and is translocated upwards and outwards to provide protection to new growth. Thorough coverage of the crop is necessary for best results. Check the crop regularly for any symptoms of disease infection. Apply as soon as disease is present on the flag leaf or flag-2. Application beyond flag leaf emergence (ZGS 39) may not provide any yield benefit, particularly under dry seasonal conditions.

**Yield potential:** crops with potential yield under 2 t/ha are unlikely to give economic responses to a fungicide spray except under conditions of very severe disease. Economic responses are most likely with crops with potential yield of over 3 t/ha

#### **MIXING**

OVERTURE Fungicide is a suspension concentrate formulation. The addition of a non-ionic surfactant is generally not required, although under certain environmental conditions and lower total application volumes, the addition of Chemwet 1000 or other recommended surfactant may assist in providing better coverage of sprayed surfaces. Add the product to the half-filled spray vat while agitating. Continue to agitate while topping up the tank and during spraying.

For tank mixtures with Accolade: Half fill the spray tank with clean water and start agitation. Shake the closed Accolade 250 SC Fungicide container. Whilst filling the remainder of the spray tank add the required amount of Accolade 250 SC Fungicide, adding Overture last. Maintain agitation until spraying is complete. **DO NOT** leave the spray mix in the sprayer overnight.

#### **APPLICATION**

##### Ground

Apply in a water volume of between 50 and 100L/ha, using flat fan nozzles operating at around 50 cm above the top of the crop. Use the higher water volume in crops with heavier canopies.

For tank mixtures with Accolade, apply in 80-100L of water/ha.

##### Aerial

Apply with suitable aircraft, set up and operated to apply fungicides to cereal crops in a minimum water volume of 20L/ha (alone or in a tank mixture with Accolade).

## COMPATIBILITY

Overture is compatible with Accolade 250 SC Fungicide. For further information on compatibility please contact your local reseller or Sipcam representative.

## FUNGICIDE RESISTANCE WARNING

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OVERTURE Fungicide is a member of the DMI group of fungicides. For fungicide resistance management the product is a Group 3 fungicide. Some naturally occurring individual fungi resistant to the product and other Group 3 fungicides may exist through normal genetic variability in any fungal population. The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the fungal population if these fungicides are used repeatedly. These resistant fungi will not be controlled by this product or other Group 3 fungicides, thus resulting in a reduction in efficacy and possible yield loss. Since the occurrence of resistant fungi is difficult to detect prior to use, Sipcam accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of this product to control resistant fungi.

## RE-ENTRY PERIOD

DO NOT allow entry into treated areas until the spray has dried. If prior entry is necessary wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist (or equivalent clothing) and chemical resistant gloves. Clothing must be laundered after each day's use.

## PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT

Highly toxic to aquatic organisms. DO NOT apply under weather conditions or from spraying equipment which could be expected to cause spray drift onto adjacent crops, crop lands, livestock, pastures, wetland, waterbodies or watercourses. DO NOT apply OVERTURE Fungicide aerially if waterbodies, watercourses or wetlands are within 30 meters downwind of the application area. DO NOT contaminate streams, rivers or waterways with the chemical or used containers.

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