

FIFRA Section 2(ee) Recommendation

For control of darkling ground beetles on tomato via broadcast, granular, drop spreader, and aerial applications in CA and AZ only

This recommendation is made as permitted by Section 2(ee) of FIFRA, as amended, and has not been submitted to or approved by the US Environmental Protection Agency.

All applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions on the EPA-registered labels must be followed. Please contact your Certis USA regional sales manager to determine the specific requirements for FIFRA §2(ee) recommendations in your respective state.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

Crop: Tomato

Application Rate: 20–44 lbs. Bug-N-Sluggo®/A (0.5–1.0 lb/1,000 ft²) [0.014–0.031 lbs. a.i. Spinosad/A]

BROADCAST (HAND OR POWER OPERATED), GRANULAR, OR DROP SPREADER (GRAVITY/ROTARY) APPLICATION DIRECTIONS: Apply at the higher rate if the infestation is severe. Reapply after heavy rain or watering. Reapply as the bait is consumed or at least every 2 to 4 weeks. Do not apply more than 3 times in any 30-day period. Scatter the bait around the perimeter of the tomato plantings to intercept darkling ground beetle entering the tomato plantings. If pests are inside the rows, then scatter the bait on the soil around the plants and between the rows.

AERIAL APPLICATION: Apply uniformly with appropriate, calibrated equipment within the application rates on the EPA label. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas. Test for phytotoxicity prior to aerial applications on sensitive soft leaved plants such as leafy greens and herbs, or take precautions to avoid contact with sensitive plant parts. Aerial applications count towards the maximum number of yearly applications for Spinosad. Do not apply more than the maximum number of yearly applications specified on the EPA-registered label, including both ground and aerial applications. Refer to EPA-approved label for complete list of **USE RESTRICTIONS**.

Crop-Specific Restrictions:

Do not make more than 6 applications of this product per calendar year. Do not make more than a total of 0.45 lbs. a.i. Spinosad (including foliar and seed uses) per acre per crop. Do not apply to seedling fruiting vegetables grown for transplant within a greenhouse, shade house, or field plot.

Do not make applications less than 4 days apart.

Do not apply within 1 day of harvest.

This FIFRA Section 2(ee) recommendation contains new or additional directions for use of this product, which may not appear on the package label. Read and observe the precautionary statements plus all other information appearing on the product labels. **This recommendation must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.**

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