



PESTICIDE ADVISORY NOTICE

Reminder - Use of Chlorpyrifos on Christmas Trees Only Allowed April 1 - June 15

Use Limitations When Using Chlorpyrifos: This is a reminder about how the law adopted on December 15, 2020, impacts Christmas tree growers.

In Oregon:

(1) Christmas trees are the only site on which aerial applications of chlorpyrifos are allowed. In addition, applications are only allowed from April 1 through June 15 of each year, and are prohibited at all other times.

Aerial applications on Christmas trees are only allowed for the use of Lorsban Advanced under Special Local Need (SLN) or 24(c) registration, OR-090008. See resources below for SLN label access.

(2) Ground applications of chlorpyrifos on Christmas trees are also limited to April 1 through June 15 of each year, and are prohibited at all other times.

(3) Follow all other applicable restrictions in the new law, including but not limited to: buffer requirements next to certain waterways and sensitive areas; certification and licensing requirements for applicators; certification or training requirements for mixers/loaders; extended REI; clarification of respirator requirements; and recordkeeping requirements.

Remember: After December 31, 2023, it will no longer be legal to use a chlorpyrifos-containing product on Christmas trees - so do not stock up.

Resources

Access the rule, timeline and Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) at:

<https://oda.direct/ChlorpyrifosTraining>

For a copy of SLN OR-090008, go to <https://picol.cahnr.wsu.edu/Search/Details/15980> and click "Download: OR". For all SLN labels go to: <https://picol.cahnr.wsu.edu/Search/Quick> (select "SLN by Number" under Express Searches).

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