

# PERMIT TO ALLOW MINOR USE OF A REGISTERED AGVET CHEMICAL PRODUCT FOR CONTROL OF SILVERLEAF WHITEFLY IN OKRA AND LEAFY LETTUCE

#### **PERMIT NUMBER – PER12351**

This permit is issued to the Permit Holder in response to an application granted by the APVMA under section 112 of the Agvet Codes of the jurisdictions set out below. This permit allows a person, as stipulated below, to use the product in the manner specified in this permit in the designated jurisdictions. This permit also allows the Permit Holder and any person stipulated below to claim that the product can be used in the manner specified in this permit.

## THIS PERMIT IS IN FORCE FROM 30 MARCH 2015 TO 30 APRIL 2026

#### **Permit Holder:**

HORTICULTURE INNOVATION AUSTRALIA LTD Level 7, 141 Walker Street NORTH SYDNEY NSW 2060

Persons who can use the product under this permit:

Persons generally.

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## **CONDITIONS OF USE**

## **Products to be used:**

GLOBACHEM'S IMIDA 200 INSECTICIDE (APVMA No. 87144) PLUS OTHER REGISTERED PRODUCTS

Containing: 200 g/L IMIDACLOPRID as the only active constituent.

IMTRADE IMIDACLOPRID 350 SC INSECTICIDE (APVMA No. 63795)

PLUS OTHER REGISTERED PRODUCTS

Containing: 350 g/L IMIDACLOPRID as the only active constituent.

#### **RESTRAINT:**

DO NOT use on crops produced hydroponically or in glasshouses and other covered situations. DO NOT apply any other group 4A insecticides as a foliar spray after soil application or injection of imidacloprid.

DO NOT apply more than one application per crop if transplants have been previously treated with a Group 4A insecticide.

#### **Directions for Use:**

Crop	Pest	Rate
Leafy Lettuce Okra	(Romisia tahaci)	200 g/L imidacloprid products: 25 mL/100 m row
		350 g/L imidacloprid products:  14 mL/100 m row

## **Critical Use Comments:**

Sub-surface trickle irrigation:

- Apply 5-7 days after planting out (or 5-7 days from seed emergence if planted from seed). Use a spray volume appropriate for the equipment.
- DO NOT apply using surface trickle irrigation or any other type of above ground irrigation system.
- Subsequent irrigations should occur only when soil moisture measurements indicate the need for addition of water. Do not over irrigate or cause runoff. In situations where root development in the crop is slow, evidence of control may be delayed.

## Furrow spray:

- Apply not earlier than 5 days prior to planting.
- Use at least 2 L of spray mix per 100 m row.
- Do not leave exposed to sunlight. Sprayed soil should be covered immediately.
- After final shaping of the planting bed, the treated layer of soil should be approximately 100 mm below the soil surface.
- At planting, steps should be taken to ensure workers do not contact treated soil.

## Plant hole drench:

- Apply at planting or within 2 days after planting, with a spray volume sufficient to allow 50 mL drench per plant.
- DO NOT apply by this method where plant spacing along the row exceeds 60 cm.
- Steps should be taken to ensure workers do not contact treated soil or drench mixture.

Both soil type and watering regime may significantly affect the length of time imidacloprid is available for control of foliar pests. High organic matter content and efficient watering may aid in retaining imidacloprid within the root zone and increase the length of protection.

Dangerous to bees. Toxic to certain aquatic species. Refer to 'Protections' statement on the product label.

## Withholding Period:

Not required when used as directed.

DO NOT graze any treated area or cut for stock food. DO NOT feed produce or turf clippings from treated area to animals, including poultry.

# **Jurisdiction:**

All States and Territories, except VIC.

Note: Victoria is not included in this permit, as their Control-of-Use legislation means a permit is not required to legalise this off-label use in that State.

## **Additional Conditions:**

This permit allows for the use of a product in a manner specified on the permit. Persons who wish to prepare for use and/or use products for the purposes specified in this permit must read, or have read to them, the details and conditions of this permit. Unless otherwise stated, the use of the product must be in accordance with the product label.

The holder of the permit must notify the APVMA of new information, including relevant information in accordance with section 161 of the Schedule to the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code Act 1994, in accordance with the obligation imposed by that section.

## To Avoid Crop Damage

The sensitivity of the crops to be treated under this permit has not been fully evaluated. It is advisable to only treat a small area to ascertain the reaction before treating the whole crop.

## Export of treated produce

Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) or Temporary Maximum Residue Limits (TMRLs) have been established to allow treated produce to be used for human consumption. MRLs can be found in the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (MRL Standard for Residues of Chemical Products) Instrument 2023*. MRLs apply only to produce marketed and consumed in Australia. If treated produce is to be exported, residues must not exceed the limits/tolerances of the importing country.

#### Other Matters

Continued issuance of this permit is subject to the outcomes of the current APVMA review of imidacloprid. This permit may be impacted by the outcomes of this review.

# Issued by the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority

Note: 09/02/2018 – Permit updated to amend holder details. Permit issued as Version 2.

14/04/2020 – Permit holder address updated. Crops in permit title corrected. Reference to 'Protections' statements added. Permit expiry extended to 31/04/2025. Permit issued as Version 3.

07/01/2025 – Permit updated to remove broccoli, cabbage, and cauliflower. Nominated product updated. Additional critical use comments added. Permit expiry extended to 30/04/2026. Permit issued as Version 4.