

PERMIT TO ALLOW MINOR USE OF A REGISTERED AGVET CHEMICAL PRODUCT FOR CONTROL OF LEPIDOPTERAN (LARVAE) PESTS IN SWEET CORN

PERMIT NUMBER – PER84531

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 25 OCTOBER 2017 TO 31 AUGUST 2025

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.

CONDITIONS OF USE

Products to be used:

PRODIGY INSECTICIDE (APVMA No. 61605)

Containing: 240 g/L METHOXYFENOZIDE as the only active constituent.

Directions for Use:

Crop	Pest	Rate
Sweet Corn	Lepidopteran pests (Larval stages)	125 – 170 mL product / 100 L
	Including <i>Helicoverpa</i> spp.	

Critical Use Comments:

- Apply in sufficient water to ensure complete, thorough coverage of foliage and/or crop.
- Apply to brown eggs or at egg hatch when pest numbers reach treatment threshold levels as determined by field checks. Maintain field checks and re-apply after 7 days if necessary. Ensure thorough coverage of plants. Use boom spray or equivalent.
- DO NOT apply more than three (3) foliar applications per crop.
- Efficacy may be reduced in crops that grow rapidly as Prodigy will not control target pests on unsprayed new growth. Monitor such crops closely after spraying and re-spray with a different insecticide product if necessary.
- DO NOT apply when there is livestock, pasture or any land that is producing feed for livestock within 15 m downwind of the application area.
- DO NOT apply if rain or overhead irrigation is expected within 6 hours. Retain the first flush of irrigation tailwater/storm water in the tailwater dam after application.
- DO NOT use in covered or protected situations such as glasshouses, greenhouses, shade houses or plastic tunnels.
- DO NOT apply by air.
- DO NOT spray across open bodies of water.
- DO NOT apply under meteorological conditions or from spraying equipment which could be expected to cause spray to drift onto adjacent areas, particularly wetlands, waterbodies or watercourses.
- DO NOT contaminate wetlands or watercourses with this product or used containers.

Withholding Period:

Harvest: Do not harvest for 1 days after application.

Grazing: Do not graze or cut for stock food for 1 day after application.

DO NOT send animals for slaughter that have grazed treated sweet corn UNLESS they are first placed on clean feed for 10 DAYS before leaving the farm.

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.

To Avoid Crop Damage

The sensitivity of the crop 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

Temporary Maximum Residue Limits (TMRLs) have been established to allow treated produce to be used for human or animal consumption. A TMRL has been established for methoxyfenozide in sweet corn, and in sweet corn forage or fodder. MRLs can be found in the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Code (MRL Standard) Instrument 2019*. 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.

Issued by the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority

Note: 6/08/2020 – Permit updated to update jurisdiction and export of treated produce statements. Permit expiry extended to 31/08/2025. Permit issued as Version 2.