



**PERMIT TO ALLOW MINOR USE OF AN AGVET CHEMICAL PRODUCT  
FOR THE CONTROL OF VARIOUS INSECTS IN BLUEBERRIES AND CERTAIN  
RUBUS AND RIBES CROPS**

**PERMIT NUMBER – PER84972**

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 any person to claim that the product can be used in the manner specified in this permit.

**THIS PERMIT IS IN FORCE FROM 12 FEBRUARY 2018 TO 28 FEBRUARY 2023.**

**Permit Holder:**

RASPBERRIES AND BLACKBERRIES AUSTRALIA INC.  
C/- HORTICULTURE INNOVATION AUST LTD,  
Level 8, 1 Chifley Square  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

**Persons who can use the product under this permit:**

Person generally.

## CONDITIONS OF USE

### Product to be used:

STARLET 100EC INSECTICIDE – 85244- (100 g/L bifenthrin)

PLUS OTHER REGISTERED PRODUCTS

Containing 100g/L BIFENTHRIN as their only active constituent.

VENOM PROFESSIONAL 240SC INSECTICIDE – 84018 - (240 g/L bifenthrin)

PLUS OTHER REGISTERED PRODUCTS

Containing 240g/L BIFENTHRIN as their only active constituent.

RELYON STARLET 250EC INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE – 83211 - (250 g/L bifenthrin)

PLUS OTHER REGISTERED PRODUCTS

Containing 250g/L BIFENTHRIN as their only active constituent.

### Directions for Use:

Crop	Pest	Rate
Rubus <i>spp.</i> ,  Ribes <i>spp.</i> , (not including currants)	Monolepta beetle ( <i>Monolepta australis</i> )  Plague thrips ( <i>Thrips imagines</i> )	<b><u>100 g/L BIFENTHRIN products</u></b> 600 mL/ha  <b><u>240 g/L BIFENTHRIN products</u></b> 250 mL/ha  <b><u>250 g/L BIFENTHRIN products</u></b> 240 mL/ha
Blueberries	Elephant weevil ( <i>Orthorhinus cylindrirostris</i> )	

### Critical Use Comments:

#### All crops

- Apply a maximum of 4 foliar applications with minimum re-treatment interval of 7 days using air blast sprayers.
- Apply in a minimum spray volume of 200 L/ha.
- Apply by ground rig only.

#### Rubus and Ribes

- For thrips: Timing of application will be at flowering when the numbers of thrips are sufficient to require control. Growers should monitor thrips numbers and spray when economic damaging thresholds are reached.
- Monolepta beetle: Spray when adults are observed.

#### Blueberries only

- For Elephant Weevil: Apply 1 week after pruning or when adults have emerged and are present and are observed on cut surfaces or foliage of pruned plants.

### Withholding Period:

DO NOT harvest for 1 day after application.

### Jurisdiction:

All States (except Victoria)

(Note: Victoria is not included in this permit because of their 'control-of-use' legislation means that a permit is not required to legalise this off-label use in VIC.)

**Additional Conditions:**

This Permit provides for the use of a product in a manner other than specified on the approved label of the product. Unless otherwise stated in this permit, the use of the product must be in accordance with instructions on its label.

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.

**TO AVOID CROP DAMAGE:**

The sensitivity of some species and varieties of the crops to be treated under this permit has not been fully evaluated. It is advisable, therefore, to only treat a small number of plants to ascertain their reaction before treating the whole crop.

**Export of produce:**

To allow treated produce to be supplied or otherwise made available for human consumption Temporary Maximum Residue Limits (TMRL) have been established for bifenthrin covering the commodity Blackberries, Blueberries, Cloudberry, Dewberries (including Boysenberry and loganberry) Gooseberry and Raspberries at 3mg/kg. The MRLs applies only to produce marketed and consumed in Australia. If treated produce is to be exported, due account should therefore be taken of the residue definition and residue limits/import tolerances of importing countries and that any residues must not exceed those requirements of the importing country.

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