



FUSILADE MAX® Grass weed control in potatoes

In the post-diquat era, previously reliable potato weed control strategies may need a rethink.

With residuals and alternative contact BLW herbicides likely applied earlier than previously, later emerging grasses and cereal volunteers will require a proven graminicide with rate flexibility to match species and size.

Key benefits

- ✓ Robust, reliable control of annual and perennial grass weeds and volunteer cereals.
- ✓ Advanced "Isolink" technology delivers greater uptake of active ingredient into target leaf.
- √ No additional wetter required.
- ✓ Wide weed spectrum including wild oats, ryegrass and brome.
- Can be use on all varieties of potatoes across all soil types.
- ✓ Approval for both seed & ware potatoes.

Application

- FUSILADE MAX works on contact with the target weed leaf – best results are achieved from applications made to small, actively growing weeds.
- Apply when access to the target is still good, before row closure to obtain sufficient coverage.
- Applications must be made before flowering and tuber initiation and at least
 90 days before harvest.
- The maximum application rate of FUSILADE MAX on potatoes is 2.0 I/ha (single application per crop).

Rates & timings	
Volunteer cereals	0.4 - 0.5 I/ha [lower rate at 2-3 leaf stage]
Wild oats	0.4 - 0.6 I/ha [lower rate at 2-3 leaf stage]
Brome (sterile), Ryegrass (perennial or Italian)	1.0 - 1.5 I/ha [higher rate will give more reliable control of tillering weeds]
Couch	1.5 - 2.0 I/ha [control levels may vary from suppression to complete control according to length & fragmentation of rhizomes, target leaf area & spray coverage]

Experience suggests...

...it is best to **avoid tank-mixes containing both graminicides and blight sprays** – ideally leave at least 72 hours between applications.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Nufarm Technical updates are eligible for 1 BASIS CPT/year Ref: CP/112075/2122/g. Email claim to linda@basis-reg.co.uk Fusilade Max contains fluazifop-P-butyl.

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Details of application rates and timings are given in Nufarm labels and product literature; both of which can be accessed from our website www.nufarm.com/uk. Alternatively, ring the Nufarm helpline on $01274\,694714$, Monday to Friday $9.00\,-17.00$

