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BASAGRAN TIMING

Crops: Dry Beans, Peas, fababeans, soybeans, corn, flax, wheat (including underseeded forages on label).
Please read label for complete instructions.

Keys to success

1. Apply to young actively growing weeds. Insure timing is correct -too big is too late. Field scout 14-24 days after seeding to identify weeds present.
2. Apply the correct rate for the target weed. See the label for a full description of leaf stage and height for the specific weed. Low rates (.7 L/ac can be used for easy to control weeds early - .910 L/ac is used for harder to control weeds .)
3. Thorough coverage. BASAGRAN is a contact herbicide - it must hit it to kill it. Water is your cheapest herbicide. Use 10-20 gpa.
4. Conditions . BASAGRAN performs best above 20 degrees C. Less than 16 degrees is less than optimum. Same with relative humidity - above 80% is good. Less than 40% is less than optimum.
5. REMEMBER THE ASSIST. This additive is important to get control by spreading out the droplets over the leaf surface - 1% v/v in normal conditions - .5% v/v under hot & dry conditions.

Lots of interest and use of BASAGRAN this year - Good spraying

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