



**Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, § 18 Crisis Emergency Exemption**

**Malathion 57 EC  
(34704-108)**

**FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

**Effective Dates: AUGUST 16, 2023 to August 31, 2023**

**EMERGENCY EXEMPTION DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

- IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELING.
- THIS LABELING MUST BE IN THE POSSESSION OF THE USER AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION.
- ALL APPLICABLE DIRECTIONS, RESTRICTIONS, WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD REQUIREMENTS, AND PRECAUTIONS ON THE EPA REGISTERED PRODUCT LABEL FOR MALATHION 57 EC (34704-108) ARE TO BE FOLLOWED.
- **POLLINATOR PROTECTION:** THIS PESTICIDE IS HIGHLY TOXIC TO BEES EXPOSED TO DIRECT TREATMENT ON BLOOMING CROPS OR WEEDS. WHEN SUNFLOWERS OR BROADLEAF WEEDS ARE BLOOMING APPLY IN LATE EVENING ONLY (BETWEEN 6 PM AND MIDNIGHT).
- AVOID ACCIDENTAL EXPOSURE TO PRAIRIE HABITATS AND KNOWN MILKWEED STANDS.
- ANY ADVERSE EFFECTS RESULTING FROM THE USE OF MALATHION 57 EC UNDER THIS EMERGENCY EXEMPTION MUST BE IMMEDIATELY REPORTED TO THE SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

Target Crop	Target Pest	Use Rate pints/ Acre	Application Instructions
Sunflowers	Red Sunflower Seed Weevil <i>Smicronyx fulvus</i>	1.6 pints	Begin treatment when 10% of sunflowers are blooming. Prior to making 2 <sup>nd</sup> application, scouting of the treatment area is recommended and a 2 <sup>nd</sup> application may be made if weevil counts exceed the economic threshold.

**Specific Use Restrictions:**

- **Maximum Single Application Rate:** Do not exceed 1.6 pints Malathion 57 EC/ Acre (1.0 lbs. AI/A )
- **Maximum Number Applications/year:** 2 applications
- **Annual Maximum Application Rate:** 3.2 pints per acre per year (2.0 lbs. AI per acre per year)
- **Minimum Retreatment interval:** 5 days
- **Restricted Entry Interval (REI):** 12 hours
- **Pre-Harvest Interval (PHI):** 7 Days

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