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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



LOWER RATES FOR PROXOL NOW APPROVED

Kalamazoo, Michigan (June 19, 1978) -- Proxol 80 SP, an insecticide for use on golf courses and other fine turf areas, has received label approval for reduced rates in the control of cut worms, sod web worms and army worms. The new low application rate is 1-1/2 oz. of Proxol per 1,000 sq. ft.

This reduced rate of applying Proxol offers the flexibility of adjusting the dosage to insect population pressures. In addition to improved economics of spraying fairways and other large turf areas, the lower rate of application permits the programming of Proxol 80 SP with turf fungicides on an alternate weekly basis.

For golf course greens and other small turf areas, Proxol should be mixed in 5 to 10 gallons of water for uniform application to 1,000 sq. ft. On fairways and larger areas, Proxol should be applied using sufficient water (not less than 10 gallons per acre) for complete coverage.

Apply Proxol 80 SP when the insect population reaches sufficient levels to warrant control spraying. For best results, mow the turf and rake dead grass from the damaged spots before watering the turf, and allow the grass to dry before spraying.

As a part of a total pest control program, Proxol helps keep insects under control, thus contributing to the health and appearance of fine turfs. It selectively controls damage causing insects without appreciatively reducing beneficial insect populations.

Proxol can be used at higher rates in the control of white grubs, as well as cut worms, sod web worms and army worms.

For more information concerning the use of Proxol 80 SP at the new reduced rate, write: "Proxol 80 SP" TUCO, Division of The Upjohn Company, 9823-190-1, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49001.

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