Amchem Solves Brush Killer Shortage

With the war in Vietnam requiring our country's entire supply of 2,4,5-T chemical brush killer to defoliate and kill jungle growth, this year's domestic brush control programs appeared to be in trouble. Even if some of the material were to become available, the domestic market would have to wait for its supply until large industrial needs were met.

Enter Amchem Products, Inc., Ambler, Pa., to the rescue! A 2,4-DP material proved to be the chemical to solve the shortage problem. Amchem's development of a new product-BRUSH-KILLER 170-will not only serve as a substitute for 2,4,5-T but is destined to become an accepted chemical in its own right, a situation not originally anticipated, says the company.

BRUSHKILLER 170 is to be used for stump, frill, basal, modified basal or foliage spray in water, oil-water or oil carriers. Available to the local market, it brightens the brush control situation and should prove to be a solid working partner with WEEDONE BRUSHKILLER 32. already on the market.

Both chemicals can be used in a variety of ways at any time of the year to control a large variety of woody plants.

Animal Repellent Offers Long-lasting Results

Repel, a new animal repellent especially effective against rabbits and deer, is now available from Leffingwell Chemical Co.

The long-lasting repellent, safe to use on all plants, does not harm animals because its potency is due to odor and not to toxicity or taste, says Leffingwell.

Diluted with the proper amount of water, Repel may be applied by power rig or hand sprayer on plants, shrubs or crops. Painted on tree trunks, it helps eliminate girdling, according to the company.

For further information write: Leffingwell Chemical Co., P.O. Box 188, Brea, Calif. 92621.

Brochure on Surfactants and Wetting Agents

"WATER-IN," Inc. has announced the publication of a new brochure describing the uses and application rates for its wetting agents and surfactants.

The illustrated booklet discusses practical uses not commonly associated with these substances as they apply to soils plus a new "dry" surfactant that eliminates pre-wetting of soils and mulch prior to planting.

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