

IN REG # 2018083190  
PRODUCT: CHATEAU SW FOR APPLN TO  
ROW MIDDLES // TRANSPLANTED MELONS  
EPA REG # SLN IN-180004  
COMPANY: IN VEGETABLE GROWERS ASSOC.

Dear IVGA MEMBER,

Thank you for your interest in the IVGA 24(c) Special Local Need Label program for CHATEAU Herbicide. Please find enclosed several documents which must be completed before the label can be issued.

1. The Program Agreement must be signed verifying you understand IVGA and Valent does not recommend the use of CHATEAU herbicide on transplanted melons. The agreement also specifies you have read, executed and understand the other enclosed documents.
2. The Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement must be completed to include the county or counties of use in Indiana, the acres of fruiting vegetables and melons to be treated, and the rate of application. The Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement must be signed by you and notarized. A new Waiver of Liability of Indemnification Agreement must be signed each calendar year.
3. The fee structure for participation in the program is a \$100.00 Annual Processing fee for administering the program. Please submit appropriate payment with the enclosed documents.

Upon receipt of the above items, I will sign the agreement as President on behalf of IVGA, and authorize a copy of the CHATEAU herbicide label to be sent to you. A copy of the Waiver of Liability and Indemnification will also be sent with the label. You must retain a copy of the Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement for two years.

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions. Thank you for your interest and participation in this association program.

Sincerely,

John Young  
President



INDIANA VEGETABLE GROWERS ASSOCIATION  
IVGA, PO Box 1321, Valparaiso, IN 46384, ivga@ivga.org

## 24(c) PROGRAM AGREEMENT

For Special Local Need 24(c) Third Party Label for Use of CHATEAU herbicide in transplanted and melons in INDIANA.

While the IVGA does not recommend the use of Chateau herbicide on transplanted melons in Indiana, it holds this Special Local Need 24(c) label for this registered use as a service to Indiana growers who have decided that losses from weeds outweigh the risk of crop injury.

All users of third party 24 (c) special local need labels held by the IVGA must be current dues-paying member of the IVGA. No commercial Indiana grower applying for this label will be denied membership in this Association.

By signing this Program Agreement, you willingly agree to the following statements,

1. I am a grower member of IVGA in good standing.
2. I have paid the appropriate administrative fee to participate in this program. (\$100.00 Annual Processing fee. Make check out to IVGA.)
3. I have read and understand the 'Conditions of Use' fact sheet attached to this agreement which outlines the specific directions regarding soil/crop preparation, application rates and other safety precautions.
4. I have fully completed the information required, signed and notarized the Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement for the use of Chateau in transplanted melons in the state of Indiana. The original notarized copy of the Indemnification Agreement is enclosed for the IVGA to sign and authorize.
5. I understand I must keep a copy of the Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement for a period of two years after the IVGA has returned a signed and authorized copy.
6. I understand a new Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement must be signed each calendar year.

Sign your name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print your name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Upon receipt and approval of these documents, your copy of the Special Local Need 24(c) Chateau label will be sent to you. Please return these documents to:

**John Young, President**  
**Indiana Vegetable Growers Association**  
**5028 E. Landersdale Rd., Mooresville IN 46158**  
**317-752-0559**



**WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT FOR THE USE OF CHATEAU HERBICIDE ON MELONS IN THE STATE OF INDIANA**

Valent has followed appropriate procedures with the Indiana Office of the State Chemist and the Environmental Protection Agency, and has obtained a Section 24 (c) Special Local Needs registration for the use of Chateau Herbicide on melons.

NEITHER THE IVGA NOR VALENT RECOMMENDS THE USE OF CHATEAU HERBICIDE ON MELONS. The decision to use or not to use this herbicide must be made by each individual user and/or grower on the basis of possible crop injury from Chateau Herbicide, the severity of weed infestations, the cost of alternative weed controls, and other factors.

VALENT INTENDS THAT THIS SECTION 24 (c) LABEL BE DISTRIBUTED ONLY BY THE INDIANA VEGETABLE GROWERS ASSN. (IVGA) TO END USERS AND/OR GROWERS WHO AGREE IN WRITING TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED BY THE IVGA INCLUDING A WAIVER AND RELEASE FROM ALL LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION BY THE USER AND/OR GROWER OF VALENT, IVGA, AND OTHERS FOR FAILURE TO PERFORM AND FOR CROP DAMAGE FROM USE OF CHATEAU HERBICIDE ON MELONS. IF SUCH TERMS AND CONDITIONS ARE UNACCEPTABLE, RETURN THE CHATEAU HERBICIDE AT ONCE UNOPENED.

**THIS PRODUCT, WHEN USED ON MELONS, MAY LEAD TO CROP INJURY, LOSS, OR DAMAGE.**

VALENT RECOMMENDS THAT THE USER AND/OR GROWER TEST THIS PRODUCT IN ORDER TO DETERMINE ITS SUITABILITY FOR SUCH INTENDED USE. VALENT MAKES THIS PRODUCT AVAILABLE TO THE USER AND/OR GROWER SOLELY TO THE EXTENT THAT THE BENEFIT AND UTILITY, IN THE SOLE OPINION OF THE USER AND/OR GROWER, OUTWEIGH THE EXTENT OF POTENTIAL INJURY ASSOCIATED WITH THE USE OF THIS PRODUCT. THE DECISION TO USE OR NOT USE THIS PRODUCT MUST BE MADE BY EACH INDIVIDUAL USER AND/OR GROWER ON THE BASIS OF POSSIBLE CROP INJURY FROM CHATEAU HERBICIDE, THE SEVERITY OF WEED INFESTATION, THE COST OF ALTERNATE WEED CONTROLS, AND OTHER FACTORS. BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF CROP DAMAGE, ALL SUCH USE IS AT USER'S AND/OR GROWER'S RISK.

The undersigned agrees to follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions set forth in the attached Section 24 (c) Special Local Need label for Chateau herbicide on melons, and the EPA registered Chateau herbicide label.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ THE ABOVE AND UNDERSTANDS THAT THE IVGA AND VALENT ARE NOT ADVOCATING OR RECOMMENDING THE USE OF CHATEAU ON MELONS. The undersigned hereby agrees that he/she will be solely liable for failure of Chateau to perform effectively or for crop-related damage from the use of Chateau on melons and indemnifies and holds harmless all third parties, including but not limited to, Valent, IVGA, the dealer or distributor from whom the pesticide was purchased including their officers, directors, staff and employees from all claims of failure of Chateau Herbicide to perform effectively or for crop-related damage from the use of Chateau on melons.

Please continue to the next page for user and/or grower signature.

Initials: Grower \_\_\_\_\_ IVGA \_\_\_\_\_

This Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement will apply to all applications, in accordance with labeling instructions, of Chateau Herbicide on melons during the calendar year indicated below (user and/or grower signature date). A new Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement will be signed each calendar year.

County (ies)	Acres	Rate per Acre
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Mail this two-page form with the administration fee (\$100) to the **John Young, President, Indiana Vegetable Growers Association, 5028 E. Landersdale Rd., Mooresville, IN 46158**, email address: [ivga@ivga.org](mailto:ivga@ivga.org). Make checks out to IVGA. A copy will be returned to you for your records. Contact John Young at 317-752-0559 if you need additional information.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Grower and/or user Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (print) Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address (Street, RD, PO Box) City/State/Zip Code

STATE OF INDIANA

\_\_\_\_\_  
County

I, \_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that

\_\_\_\_\_ personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

**THE INDIANA VEGETABLE GROWERS ASSOCIATION AUTHORIZATION:**

Authorized signature \_\_\_\_\_ Payment \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY IN THE STATE OF Indiana

**CHATEAU® Herbicide SW**

EPA Reg. No. 59639-99

EPA SLN No. SLN IN-180004

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE IN ROW MIDDLES OF TRANSPLANTED**

**MELON SUBGROUP**

**APPROVED CROPS:** Melons: citron melon, muskmelon (such as cantaloupe, casaba, honeydew, etc. and watermelon).

**GENERAL RESTRICTIONS AND LIMITATIONS**

- CHATEAU can only be applied in row middles between raised plastic mulched beds that are at least **4 inches higher** than the treated row middle and the mulched bed must have **a minimum of a 24-inch bed width**.
- Spray must remain between raised beds and contact no more than the bottom 1 inch of the side of the raised bed.
- Do not apply after crops are transplanted.
- Do not apply more than 4 oz. of CHATEAU per acre during a single application.
- All applications must be made with shielded or hooded equipment.
- Injury can occur if soil particles treated with CHATEAU contact the crop.
- A rainfall or irrigation after application, but prior to transplanting, is required.

**RATE**

- Up to 4 ounces/acre per application

**TIMING TO CROP**

CHATEAU may be applied at 4 oz. per acre as a shielded or hooded application to row middles after plastic is laid up to transplanting. Spray must be directed to the row middle and contact no more than the bottom 1 inch of the side of the raised bed. If the top of the mulch beds (where plants are to be transplanted) is contacted, severe injury can occur due to foliage contact with treated plastic.

**WEED CONTROL AND TANK MIXING**

CHATEAU provides preemergence residual control of the weeds listed in **Table 1** as well as to assist in the postemergence control of emerged weeds. A registered preemergence grass herbicide may be added for control of additional grassy weeds. For control of emerged weeds, tank-mix CHATEAU with paraquat, Aim, glyphosate, or other registered burndown herbicide. Refer to tank mix partner label for recommended rates and application parameters.

**CHATEAU herbicide**

**Table 1. Weeds Controlled by Preemergence Application of CHATEAU at 4 oz./A**

<b>BROADLEAF WEED SPECIES</b>		<b>GRASS WEED SPECIES</b>
Bristly Starbur	Morningglories	Barnyardgrass
Carpetweed	Mustards	Bluegrass, Annual
Chickweeds	Nightshades	Crabgrass, Large
Coffee Senna	Pigweed Species	Foxtail, Giant
Eclipta	Palmer Amaranth	Goosegrass
Eveningprimrose, Cutleaf	Prickly Lettuce (China Lettuce)	Panicums (Fall & Texas)
Fleabane	Prickly Sida (Teaweed)	Signalgrass, Broadleaf
Florida Beggarweed	Puncturevine	
Florida Pusley	Purslane, Common	
Hemp Sesbania	Radish, Wild	
Henbit	Ragweed, Common	
Lambsquarters, Common	Spotted Spurge	
Mallow, Common	Tropic Croton	
Mallow, Little		

\* Refer to Federal Label for additional weeds controlled.

**Table 2. Rotational Restrictions for CHATEAU**

<b>RATE</b>	<b>CROPS</b>	<b>ROTATION INTERVALS</b>
2 oz./A	Soybean, Peanut, Sugarcane	None
	Cotton, Field Corn, Rice, Sorghum, Sunflower, Tobacco and Wheat	1 Month
	Barley, Dry and Snap Beans, Peas, Rye, Sweet Corn	3 Months
	All other crops not listed	4 months if soil is tilled prior to planting 8 months if no tillage is performed
3 oz./A	Soybean, Peanut, Sugarcane	None
	Field Corn and Sorghum	1 Month
	Cotton, Field Corn, Rice, Sorghum, Sunflower, Tobacco and Wheat	2 Month
	Barley, Dry and Snap Beans, Peas, Rye, Sweet Corn	4 Months
	All other crops not listed	5 months if soil is tilled prior to planting 10 months if no tillage is performed
4 oz./A	Registered Crops	None
	Cotton, Field Corn, Peanut, Rice, Sorghum, Soybean, Sunflower, Tobacco and Wheat	4 Months
	All other crops not listed	6 months if soil is tilled prior to planting 12 months if no tillage is performed

**TANK CLEANOUT**

Refer to Federal label for tank cleanout procedures. A tank cleaner specifically designed for CHATEAU may be purchased through your local dealer.