

Best Practices

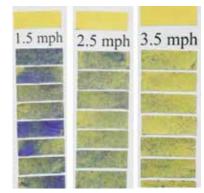
Zeal® MVP Miticide: Optimized Formulation Delivers Better and More Comprehensive Performance

Zeal® MVP Miticide is an optimized EC formulation of Etoxazole that delivers better and more comprehensive performance versus original Etoxazole water soluble packet formulations. Zeal MVP provides long-lasting control of mites, such as two-spotted spider mite, Pacific spider mite, Banks grass mite and European red mite. Refer to the label for specific mite species for your respective crop. Plus, Zeal MVP is an excellent fit in resistance management programs that include rotation or combination of different classes of chemistries.

- Proprietary liquid formulation that better delivers active ingredient to reach mites
- Enhanced control at all life stages, including adult suppression

Zeal MVP Best Management Practices

- Treat as populations are building
 - When weather forecast predicts hot and dry conditions, spray sooner instead of later
- Mite thresholds should drive application timing, not calendar
- Mild winters result in large overwintering populations
 - If warm spring continues, threshold will be reached earlier than previous years
 - Scout historical hot spots and early plantings
 - Spider mite populations mid- to late-season are more difficult to control on most crops
- Coverage is essential
 - Spray field at calibrated speed. Calibrated at 2.5 mph, sprayed at 3.5 mph cuts rate approximately 30%.
 - Avoid adjuvants known to inhibit translaminar activity
 - Treat whole fields—never skip borders or portions of the field as mites may already be there
- It can take 7–10 days to see full results with Zeal MVP. Wait 14 days after applying Zeal MVP before applying another miticide with a different mode of action.
- Zeal MVP continues to be easy on beneficials, including sixspotted thrips, lady beetles and lacewings



Spray Distribution Study

To aid in resistance management, use the maximum labeled rate of Zeal MVP (34.6 fl oz/A) in almonds, corn and grapes



