

# **PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET**

# Metalaxyl 250 EC Systemic Fungicide (Group D)

Active Constituents: 250 g/L Metalaxyl

For the control of phytophthora heart rot and root rot of pineapples

### **Benefits:**

- Economically and effectively controls phytophthora heart rot and root rot of pineapples
- Permit for use in ginger (PER11719) for Pythium rhizome rot
- Can be used as a phytophthora resistance management tool when rotated with other mode of action fungicides like phospot (phosphorous acid)
- Manufactured locally in Queensland Australia
- Can be applied in tank mixes with a range of other chemicals and/or fertilisers, though jar test with unfamiliar mixes

### **Product Characteristics:**

### Pack Size:

Available in 5 L pack



**Light Colour** 



Phytophthora Root Rot and Heart Rot in Pineapples









## Directions for Application (Refer to product label for more detailed instructions)

CROP	DISEASE	STATE	RATE	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Pineapples	Heart Rot and Root rot caused by Phytophthora sp	QLD & WA Only	High volume application 2L in 2000 to 5000L of water per hectare	Spray immediately after planting and repeat at 4 to 8 week intervals during summer, autumn and winter. Use the shorter interval during periods of wet weather, or in areas with past histories of the disease. Thoroughly spray pineapple foliage and surrounding soil. For the first treatment, hand drenching is preferred to spraying. Use 2000L/ha for young plants, increasing up to 5000L/ ha for large plants. METALAXYL 250 EC should be applied in alternate years only. In intervening years, use other recommended fun- gicides .

**NOTE**: Do not foliar apply during the heat of the day (> 25 DegC) when evaporation rates are at their highest. It is recommended that when foliar applying to a crop or area for the first time, or in combination with other chemicals, a small test area should be sprayed and observed for phytotoxicity prior to the total spray. Foliar spraying is recommended during early morning or late afternoon. Use the minimum foliar application rate on young or sensitive crops. Applying additional products in the same tank mix increases the phytotoxic risk to crops. Because climatic and soil conditions, application methods, irrigation and agricultural practices are beyond the control of Barmac and cannot be foreseen, Barmac accepts no responsibility whatsoever for any commercial damage, loss or other result following the use of this product whether used in accordance with directions or not, subject to any overriding statutory provi-

