

Product overview

Inego® 100 EC is a post-emergent herbicide that controls or suppresses key grass weeds in wheat and barley. Inego is registered for:

- Control of susceptible populations of Canary grass (*Phalaris minor*) and Paradoxa Grass/Annual Phalaris (*Phalaris paradoxa*) and Wild Oats (*Avena* spp.) from 2-leaf to end of tillering (GS12-29).
- Suppression of susceptible populations of Annual Ryegrass (*Lolium rigidium*) from 2-leaf to early tillering (GS12-22).
- Selective spray topping of Wild Oats (*Avena* spp.) to reduce panicle numbers and/or weed seed viability.

At a glance

Efficacy	Inego provides robust early post-emergent control of susceptible Wild Oat, Canary Grass and Annual Phalaris populations.
Reduces Wild Oat seed set	Inego is registered for spray topping to reduce Wild Oat panicle numbers and weed seed viability.
Flexible timing	Inego has a wide application window from 2-leaf to first awns visible in wheat and barley (GS12–49).
Compatibility	Inego is compatible with a wide range of herbicides, fungicides and insecticides for flexible application.

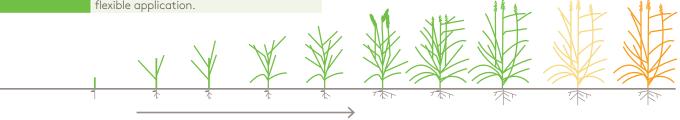
Mode of action

GROUP 1 HERBICIDE

Inego 100 EC is a Group 1 herbicide that contains 100 g/L pinoxaden, the only member of the phenyzpyrazoline ('den') subgroup of acetyl CoA carboxylase (ACCase) inhibitors. Applied to target weeds, pinoxaden is translocated to the growing point, where it inhibits lipid (fat) synthesis. Visual symptoms may not become evident for several weeks after application. Full effects are typically observed four weeks after application. Inego also contains 25 g/L cloquintocet-mexyl, a herbicide safener that ensures a high level of crop safety in wheat and barley.

Crop growth stage

Apply to wheat and barley between the 2-leaf to first awns visible (GS 12-49), as indicated in Figure 1.



Growth Stage	GS00-09	GS10-19	GS20-29	GS30-39	GS40-49	GS50-59	GS60-69	GS70-79	GS80-89	GS90-99
Development Phase	Germination	Seedling growth	Tillering	Stem elongation	Booting	Ear emergence	Flowering		Dough development (grain fill period)	Ripening

Figure 1. Crop growth stage for applying Inego.



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Application rate

Inego is applied at 150 to 300 mL/ha, depending on the target weed species, growth stage and region (Table 1).

Adjuvant

Always apply Inego with a penetrant adjuvant (e.g. Adigor*, Hasten*, Liberate* or Uptake*) at 500 mL/100 L water. For aerial application, apply a penetrant adjuvant at 500 mL/ha.

Compatibility

Inego is compatible with a range of herbicides, fungicides and insecticides. Please refer to the ADAMA Inego compatibility guide located on the ADAMA website (www.adama.com).

Application

Ground application: Apply using 50 to 100 L/ha of water using a nozzle delivering a medium spray quality. Ensure even and thorough spray coverage of the target weed. Use larger droplet sizes when targeting dense weed populations. Use higher spray volumes when targeting annual ryegrass.

Aerial application: Apply a minimum of 20 L water per ha at 2 to 3 m above the crop.

Restraints

DO NOT apply if rainfall is expected within 30 minutes. DO NOT apply to weeds under stress from very dry, waterlogged, cold or frosty conditions; nutrient deficiency; or the use of pre-emergent herbicides.

Resistance management

Group 1 herbicides have a high risk of resistance developing in target weeds. Herbicide resistance surveys have indicated that resistance to 'den' herbicides has increased significantly in some regions. Conduct a herbicide resistance test if the level of resistance to 'den' herbicides is unknown or control failures have been observed with Group 1 products. If the resistance level is nil or low, Inego can still be used effectively and preferably in conjunction with a herbicide resistance management strategy (e.g. use in sequence with registered pre-emergent herbicides, crop rotation, grazing, fallow management, harvest weed seed destruction and other tactics). Please refer to your local ADAMA representative or WEEDSMART for more information.

Crop safety

Tank-mixing Inego with some herbicides (e.g. Bonanza® Elite, Paragon*, Legacy® MA, Triathlon® and Quadrant®) and penetrant adjuvants may result in crop yellowing or crop injury. To avoid reduced efficacy or crop injury, apply Inego first and allow at least 10 days before applying another herbicide.

Withholding periods

Harvest: Not required when used as directed.

Grazing: DO NOT graze or cut for stock for 21 days after application.

Livestock Export Interval (EI): Not required when used as directed.

Table 1. Inego application rates by weed growth stage in wheat and barley.

Weed species	Target weed size range	State	Application rate	Critical comments		
Canary grass, Paradoxa grass (Annual Phalaris)	2-leaf to	All states	200 to 250 mL/ha^	Apply the lower rate when weeds are small and actively growing. Use the		
Wild oats (Black oats)	end of tillering (GS 12-29)	Southern NSW, Vic, Tas, SA and WA	150 to 200 mL/ha^	higher rate when growing conditions are not ideal and weeds are under minor		
		Qld, Northern NSW		stress, larger in size or in high density.		
Wild oats (Black oats) selective spray topping to reduce panicle numbers/seed viability	GS 30-47	All states	200 mL/ha^	Applications during weed stem elongation will reduce panicle numbers. Applications after flag leaf emergence will reduce weed seed viability.		
Annual ryegrass (suppression)	2-leaf to early tillering (GS 12-22)	All states	250 to 300 mL/ha^	Use the lower rate on a low density of small weeds. Use the higher rate on moderate density of larger weeds. For best results apply after a pre-emergent herbicide application.		

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[^]Always apply Inego with an adjuvant (see below).



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