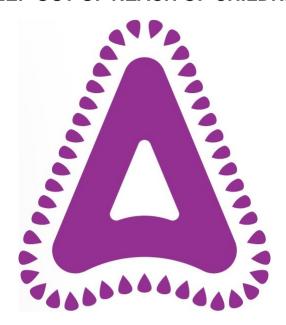
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Batch Number: Date of Manufacture: Bar code to be inserted

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#### **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE is not systemic. Therefore thorough coverage is essential. After application, INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE quickly moves into young leaves from where it is taken up by the feeding leafrollers, mites and tomato-potato psyllid. INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE takes about 7 days to achieve maximum control.

When INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE comes into contact with soil it readily and tightly binds to the soil and becomes inactive. INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE that is not absorbed into plants is quickly degraded.

#### **Integrated Pest Management**

INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE is compatible with IPM programmes using the predator mites *Typhlodromus pyri*, *Phytoseiulus persimilis* and *T. occidentalis* (although INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE may suppress numbers temporarily).

For effective mite control, regularly monitor crops every 3 to 5 days during the season. For effective leafroller and tomato-potato psyllid control, regularly monitor crops during the season in accordance with industry programmes.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

### TAKE ALL REASONABLE STEPS TO ENSURE THAT THE SUBSTANCE DOES NOT CAUSE ANY SIGNIFICANT ADVERSE EFFECTS TO THE ENVIRONMENT BEYOND THE APPLICATION AREA.

It is an offence to use this product on animals.

The rates suggested are for high volume spraying to run off. For concentrate spraying adjust dilution rate accordingly.

CROP	PEST	RATES	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Apples, pears	European red mite, two- spotted mite	37.5 mL+ 500 mL all-purpose spraying oil/100 L of water Alternatively, mix with a non-ionic surfactant at label rates. Apply a minimum of 2000 L of spray mixture/sprayed ha.  Note: DO NOT exceed 1.5 L INVERT EW or 10 L of spraying oil/ha.	Apply a minimum of 2000 L of spray mixture/sprayed ha. For optimum residual control, apply before there is a build-up of mite populations in the period from petal fall to mid-December. Make only 1 application per season.  Crop safety: All-purpose spraying oils may cause damage to sensitive varieties such as Cox's Orange, Gala and Anjou pears. DO NOT use all-purpose spraying oil within 21 days before or after spraying captan. Use a non-ionic surfactant when a captan-based spraying program is in use in the orchard, as captan is not compatible with oil-based applications. A very small amount of transient apple fruit blemish has been associated with low water volume applications. Please refer to the label precautions and directions of other products before mixing with INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE.  Caution: DO NOT apply INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE  • When unusually hot conditions are present or expected within 24 hours after application.  • Under poor or slow drying conditions.  • With equipment that may leave large droplets on fruit after application.
Avocados	Six-spotted mite	37.5 mL + 500 mL all-purpose spraying oil/100 L of water Alternatively, mix with a non-ionic surfactant at label rates.	For optimum residual control, apply in early spring before there is a build-up of mite populations. The first application should be made when mites are first found and before severe infestation and defoliation has occurred. Subsequent applications should be made at a 14 to 28 day spray interval. To prevent resistance developing apply a maximum of 3 applications per season.
Kiwifruit	Leafrollers	25 mL/100 L of water + a non-ionic surfactant at label rates. Spray to the point of fun off (approx. 2000 L /ha) ensuring not less than 500 mL INVERT EW /crop ha.	Apply immediately after flowering, followed by 2 further sprays at 14 day intervals. Further applications should be made at 3 week intervals or if monitoring shows a need. The final spray must NOT be made within 120 days of harvest. DO NOT mix any foliar fertilisers or nutrient products with INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE on kiwifruit.

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Ornamentals (roses, chrysanthemums, carnations, indoor foliage plants)	Two spotted mite	25-50 mL/100 L of water. Apply a minimum of 750 mL INVERT EW/ha.	Ensure thorough coverage and penetration into the plants, particularly the undersides. Use the higher rate under high mite pressure. Apply on the first appearance of the pest. Make 2 applications 7-10 days apart, with a maximum of 3 applications per season.  Crop safety: DO NOT use on ferns or Shasta daisies. If unsure of crop safety, apply to a few plants first before spraying the rest of the crop.
Potatoes	Tomato- potato psyllid	600 mL/ha + a suitable adjuvant at label rates	Apply at the first appearance of the pest. Ensure thorough crop coverage and penetration of the spray into the crop. Inadequate coverage can result in reduced pest control. Make a maximum of 4 applications per season at 7 day intervals as part of a pest control program.
Strawberries	Two- spotted mite	100 mL/100 L of water. Apply a minimum of 600 mL INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/ MITICIDE/ ha.	Apply at the first appearance of mites when numbers exceed 3 to 5 mites/leaf. Make 2 applications 7 to 10 days apart, with a maximum of 3 applications per season. Ensure thorough coverage of the plants.
Tomatoes (indoor)	Two- spotted mite, tomato russet mite	60-90 mL/100 L of water. Apply a minimum of 300-450 mL INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/ MITICIDE/ha and a minimum of 500 L of water/ha	Apply on the first appearance of Mites. Use the higher rate under high Mite pressure and where Russet Mite is obvious or the main Mite present. Apply a maximum of 3 applications per season.

It is an offence for users of this product to cause residues exceeding the relevant MRL in the Food Notice: Maximum Residue Levels for Agricultural Compounds.

#### WITHHOLDING PERIODS

Avocados: 14 days
Kiwifruit: 120 days
Pipfruit: 14 days
Potatoes: 14 days
Strawberries: 3 days
Tomatoes: 3 days

#### **MIXING**

Add the required amount of INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE to the partly filled spray tank. Then add the remainder of the water. If oil is recommended, add this after the INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE is well mixed. Wetting agent is NOT required in strawberries, tomatoes or ornamentals.

#### **COMPATIBILITY**

INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE is compatible with most of the commonly used insecticides and fungicides. Mixtures with more than one chemical are NOT recommended. As formulations of other manufacturer's products are beyond the control of ADAMA, all mixtures should be tested prior to use.

#### **EQUIPMENT**

Apply using well maintained and accurately calibrated spray equipment.

#### **RAINFALL**

DO NOT apply if rainfall is expected before spray would have dried, as reduced efficacy may result. DO NOT overhead irrigate within 24 hours after application.

#### RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT

INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE contains the GROUP 6 Avermectin insecticide, abamectin. Do not use another product containing a fungicide in the same group in conjunction with INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE. Intensive use of INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE could result in the development of resistant strains of mites and insects. To minimise this risk, use INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE strictly in accordance with label directions. When used for the control of mites it is recommended to alternate the use of INVERT EW INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE with products from other chemical groups. Refer to https://resistance.nzpps.org/index.php for current resistance management strategies for the pests listed.

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