

# A proven performer on Wintergrass

# What is Pronamide Selective Herbicide?

**Pronamide Herbicide** is a selective herbicide containing 500g/L of the active ingredient propyzamide. It is specifically registered for the pre and post emergent control of wintergrass (*Poa annua*) in turf.

## **Features of Pronamide Selective Herbicide:**

- Offers both Pre & Post Emergence Control
- Unique Application Timing Flexibility Can't miss the application window.
- Different Mode of Action Group Post Emergent Perspective
- Cost effective form of Wintergrass Control
- Excellent safety on Warm Season Grasses
- Turf Specific Registration
- Available in 5L & 20L pack sizes

# Mode of Action of Pronamide Selective Herbicide:

**Pronamide** is a residual, soil acting herbicide. Its active ingredient, propyzamide, is readily absorbed by roots. It works primarily by preventing cell division (mitosis). **Pronamide** impacts upon mitosis, by preventing proteins required for spindle fibre production. Spindle fibres are critical in transferring DNA to new cells in the mitotic sequence. As a result of **Pronamide** application, spindle fibres do not form, leading to lack of cell division, which leads to cessation of growth and eventual death.

Plant symptoms of susceptible plants following Pronamide application includes;

- 1. Germination is not inhibited but seedlings fail to emerge from the soil.
- 2. Root tips become club shaped and swollen
- 3. Stem base become swollen
- 4. Leaves become discoloured and less erect
- 5. Leaves gradually change colour to red / yellow

QUALITY • VALUE • RELIABILITY

Control may only take a matter of weeks in good growing conditions. However, it can take months where plant growth is limited by temperature and light eg. Harsh winter conditions.

#### **Application:**

**Pronamide** is applied at a rate of 1.2L/Ha. To enhance plant movement into the soil, it is recommended that **Pronamide** be tank mixed with **Dispatch** at the rate of 2L/Ha. For optimum results it is best to apply **Pronamide** Herbicide prior to or to young, actively growing wintergrass plants in Autumn / early Winter. Mature Wintergrass plants become difficult to control, with bio-type differences also having an impact on performance.

	PRONAMIDE AT A GLANCE		
	Active Ingredient:	500g/L Propyzamide	
	Pack Size:	5L & 20L	
	Pre OR Post Emergence Activity:	Pre and Post	
	Rate:	1.2L/Ha	
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5L	Mode of Action Group	Group D Herbicide	
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With follow-up Irrigation	XR Teejet	110 04 - 08	240 – 470L/Ha	3 bar	8km/hr		
Without follow-up Irrigation	TurfJet	TF5	950L/ha	3 bar	5km/hr		

## **Key Application Considerations**

• **Pronamide** breaks down more quickly in warmer soils. The cooler the soil, the longer the period of control. A drop in soil temperature of 10 degrees celcius, roughly doubles the half life of propyzamide.

• Moisture is important as **Pronamide** is only absorbed by roots, with no foliar uptake. Without sufficient moisture in the soil layer, **Pronamide** cannot be taken up by the target weeds.

## **COMPARISON OF POST EMERGENT HERBICIDES**

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Post Emergent Wintergrass Control Product	PRONAMIDE Propyzamide	MONUMENT Trifloxysulfuron	COLISEUM Rimsulfuron	POACHEK Endothal	
Mode of Action Group	Group D	Group B	Group B	Group K	
Pre or Post Emergent Activity	Pre & Post	Post Only	Post Only	Post Only	

#### **COMPARISON OF PRE EMERGENT HERBICIDES**

Wintergrass Pre Emergent Control Product	PRONAMIDE Propyzamide	RIFLE 440 Pendimethalin	EMBARGO Oryzalin	BARRICADE Prodiamine
Mode of Action Group	Group D	Group D	Group D	Group D
Pre or Post Emergent Activity	Pre & Post	Pre Only	Pre Only	Pre Only
Active Ingredient Output (based on label rates)	600g/Ha	990g – 1496g/Ha	1200g – 2000g/Ha	480 – 1,920g/Ha

#### Pack Sizing:

**Pronamide** comes in 5L & 20L pack sizes. The 20L pack size is ideal for large area applications.

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For more information, contact your local Turf distributor.