

WARNING
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN



Active ingredient: Contains 185 g/L Tea Saponins in the form of a soluble concentrate

A molluscicide for the control of slugs and snails in horticultural, agricultural, cereal and ornamental crops.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

SlugX contains tea saponins which are derived from the tea plant, *Camellia sinensis*. Tea saponins act as a natural surfactant, removing the protective slime layer on the soft body membranes of slugs and snails. This causes slugs and snails to dehydrate, with death soon following. Saponins also act as a repellent and have anti-feeding qualities.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is an offence to use this product on animals.

CROP	PEST	USE RATE	CRITICAL COMMENTS
Horticultural crops, including vegetables, fruits and berries. Agricultural crops, including pasture and forage crops. Cereal crops. Ornamental crops.	Slugs and Snails	575 mL/100 L or 2.3 L/ha	SlugX is a protectant molluscicide, thorough coverage of the foliage is essential. Apply in the evening or early morning when slugs and snails are likely to come into contact with the SlugX . Apply diluted SlugX directly to seedlings and surrounding soil to protect early stages of plant development from mollusc damage. Reapply diluted SlugX to the whole plant every 3 weeks when mollusc infestation occurs.

WITHHOLDING PERIODS: One day for all crops.

MIXING

SlugX is 100% water soluble. Half fill spray tank and commence gentle agitation. Slowly add **SlugX** to the spray tank. Top up with the required quantity of water and maintain agitation throughout the spraying operation. **SlugX** may cause excessive foaming. If foaming is an issue, add an anti-foaming agent to the spray mix.

COMPATIBILITY

SlugX has been designed specifically for use on crops close to harvest to prevent slug and snail damage or inclusion into harvested fruit and vegetables so it is recommended to trial any tank mixtures prior to general application.

SlugX is not phytotoxic and can be applied to seedlings that are susceptible to mollusc damage. However, prior to using **SlugX** on a new crop it is recommended to test a small section of crop (1m²) before general application.

APPLICATION

This product can be applied through conventional hydraulic ground sprayers, orchard sprayers and mist blowers. For further information on concentrate spraying, users are advised to consult relevant industry guidelines, undertake appropriate competency training, and follow industry Best Practices.

RESITANCE MANAGEMENT

SlugX contains tea saponins, which have not been assigned to a mode of action group. While no resistance to tea saponins has been recorded, it is recommended that an integrated approach to slug and snail control is adopted, using multiple control options if possible. Follow label directions carefully to ensure best results. Further information on resistance management can be found at <https://resistance.nzpps.org/index.php>

READ LABEL BEFORE USE



WARNING

Harmful if inhaled. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. Designed for biocidal action.

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

Keep out of reach of children. Wear protective gloves and eye/face protection when handling. Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight.

TRANSPORT

Not classified as a hazardous substance for transport.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

When mixing or applying wear impervious, elbow-length gloves and eye/face protection. Wash hands, arms and face with soap and water before meals and after work.

SPILLAGE

Exclude all bystanders from the vicinity of the spill and prevent material from entering waterways. Wear appropriate protective clothing as in the personal protection section of this label to clean up spills. Absorb spills with an inert material (such as vermiculite, earth, sand or synthetic absorbent substance) and place in waste containers. Wash area thoroughly and absorb any remaining liquid with further inert material. Dispose of the waste safely in an approved landfill.

DISPOSAL

Product Disposal: If possible, dispose of product by using according to label directions. Otherwise dispose of to an approved landfill or other waste disposal facility in accordance with local regulations.

Container Disposal: Triple rinse container and add rinsate to spray tank. Puncture empty packaging and dispose of to an approved recycler or to an approved landfill.

SAFETY DATA SHEET

A safety data sheet for this product is available at www.waikaitu.com

FIRST AID

If medical advice is needed, have the product container or label at hand.

For advice call the National Poison Centre, telephone 0800 POISON (0800 764 766)

IF SWALLOWED: Contact a POISON CENTRE or doctor for advice.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor if you feel unwell.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and was before reuse. If skin irritation occurs get medical advice/attention

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.

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