

Company Name: EZYCROP PTY LTD

Product Name: Ezycrop 200SG Gibberellic Acid GA3 Plant Growth Regulator

**APVMA Approval No:** 81168/102465



Label Name:	Ezycrop 200SG Gibberellic Acid GA3 Plant Growth Regulator		
Signal Headings:	READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING		
Constituent Statements:	ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 200 g/kg GIBBERELLIC ACID		
Mode of Action:			
Statement of Claims:	For foliar spray application to certain varieties of Grapes, Citrus and Prunes to promote desirable harvest effects, as specified in the Directions for Use.		
Net Contents:	500 g		
Restraints:	RESTRAINTS: Apply in water. Note: 5 g product per 100 L = 10 ppm. Use with a non-ionic wetter. DO NOT apply to plants under pest, nutritional or water stress. DO NOT apply with aircraft.		
Directions for Use:	: This section contains file attachment.  File Name: DFU - Ezy Gibberellic 200 - 0415.docx  File Size: 16614 bytes		
Other Limitations:			
Withholidng Periods:	WITHHOLDING PERIOD: NOT REQUIRED WHEN USED AS DIRECTED.		
Trade Advice:			

General This section contains file attachment. Instructions: File Name: GI - Ezy Gibberellic 200 -0415.docx 16480 bytes File Size: Resistance Warning: **Precautions:** Precaution: Use all solutions on the day of preparation. **Protections:** PROTECTION OF CROPS, NATIVE AND OTHER NON-TARGET PLANTS DO NOT apply under weather conditions or from spraying equipment that may cause spray to drift onto nearby susceptible plants/crops. PROTECTION OF LIVESTOCK, WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSATACEANS AND **ENVIRONMENT** DO NOT contaminate wetlands or watercourses with this product or used containers. Storage and STORAGE AND DISPOSAL Disposal: Store in the closed, original container in a cool, well-ventilated area, as cool as possible. DO NOT store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Triple-rinse containers before disposal. Add rinsings to spray tank. Do not dispose of undiluted chemicals on site. If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or designated collection point. If not recycling, break, crush, or puncture and deliver empty packaging to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury the empty packaging 500 mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots, in compliance with relevant local, state or territory government regulations. Do not burn empty containers or product.

Safety Directions: SAFETY DIRECTIONS Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wash hands after use.
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First Aid Instructions:	FIRST AID If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 13 11
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## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

CROP	Rate per 100 L	CRITICAL COMMENTS
CITRUS		Apply in a minimum volume of 5000 L/ha to ensure thorough coverage of
		fruit.
		DO NOT use where blemish is a problem.
		For optimum results adjust the spray tank solution to pH 4.0 - 4.5 (see
		mixing instructions).
Navel &	5 – 10 g	For reduction in Ceasing:
Valencia		Prior to applying Ezycrop 200SG Gibberellic Acid GA3, remove all
Oranges		previous season Valencia oranges. Apply Ezycrop 200SG Gibberellic Acid
		GA3 when Navel/Valencia oranges are between 30 – 50 mm fruit size or
		golf-ball stage (generally January-February).
		Rates lower than 10 g:
		Should be used when it is anticipated that fruit will be harvested  for early resolved.
		for early markets.
Marral		May be used on application to late navel selections.  To delegate the selection of the
Navel	5 g	To delay rind aging for late marketing (or those which will be stored for more than 2 weeks prior to sale) and reduce rind blemish and for longer
Oranges		storage life, apply when oranges turn from green to silver (colourbreak).
		If fruit-drop is a problem, then apply a stop-drop spray. Ezycrop 200SG
		Gibberellic Acid GA3 is compatible with stop-drop sprays containing 2,4-D sodium salt. Use the 2,4-D at 10 ppm.
Mandarins	5 g	To delay rind aging for late marketing and reducing rind blemish apply at
Wandaniis	J 9	three-quarters to full colour.
Grapefruit	-	To delay rind aging, apply the spray when grapefruit turn from green to
Grapoman		silver (colourbreak) for grapefruit to be harvested up to mid-November, or
		apply the spray mid-June for grapefruit to be harvested in December or
		January.
Lemons	1	To delay rind aging, apply 4-6 weeks ahead of maturity of fruit.
GRAPES		
Currants -	0.5 g + 100 ppm	To achieve berry thinning:
dried fruit	Cycocel	Apply single, combined application (commonly used in NSW and SA) at
		100% capfall. Ensure thorough coverage of bunches.
	100 ppm Cycocel	To achieve berry thinning:
	followed by 0.5 g	Split application (commonly used in Vic):
	Ezycrop 200SG	(a). Apply Cycocel 7 days after bunch droop.
	Gibberellic Acid GA3	(b). Apply Ezycrop 200SG Gibberellic Acid GA3 at 80 - 100% capfall.
	200 ppm Cycocel	Use the 200ppm rate of Cycocel on vigorous vines.
	followed by 0.5 g	
	Ezycrop 200SG	
	Gibberellic Acid GA3	
	300 ppm followed by	Use the 300 ppm rate of Cycocel on excessively vigorous Carina vines
	0.5 g Ezycrop 200SG	only. Ensure thorough coverage of bunches.
	Gibberellic Acid GA3	
Sultanas -	5 g	To achieve berry thinning:
dried fruit	Jy	Apply when bloom or blossom is at 100% capfall stage (full flowering).
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Sultanas -		Prune according to vigour of the vine – avoid exceeding 8 canes (except
fresh fruit		in special circumstances).
ii Coii ii dit		Commence thinning late October. Thin bunches to leave one bunch per
		shoot (the largest).
		Do not exceed 30 bunches per vine. Bunch trimming should be carried out
		before fruit-set to reduce the incidence of tight bunches. For adequate
		coverage of table grapes apply product in a minimum volume of 2250 L/ha
		directed at the bunch area.
	5 g	To achieve bunch elongation (stretch):
	· ·	Apply when bunches are half to two-thirds of their final length (when
		bunches are betweenj 10 – 15 cm in length). This application is usually
		applied 10 - 14 days before the first sight of bloom.
	5 g	To achieve thinning, two separate applications of 5 g within the same
_		season are required:
	5 g	Apply first application of 5 g at 40% capfall.
	45	Apply second application of 5 g at 80% capfall (usually 2 - 3 days later).
	15 g	To achieve increase in berry size, two separate applications of 15 g
		within the same season are required:
	15 a	Apply first application of 15 g when smallest berry size is 4 mm and larger berries up to 6 mm (berry shatter may be incomplete at this size).
	15 g	Apply second application of 15 g at 5 to 7 days later. Trim bunches within
		two weeks of shatter to leave 3 to 4 shoulder sprigs.
		All spray timing stages should be judged on the top part of the bunch, as
		the bottom is removed at trimming.
Early	10 g	To achieve increase in berry size:
Madeleine	J	Apply when berries reach 4 mm in diameter. Excessively vigorous vines
		should be cinctured 3 - 5 days before treatment with this product.
Perlette	6 g	To achieve thinning:
		Apply at 70% capfall.
	10 g	To achieve increase in berry size:
		Following the 6 g application for thinning, apply the 120 g application
		when berries reach 4 – 5 mm in diameter.
		Trim bunches as required.
Flame	5 g	To achieve thinning:
Seedless	45	Apply at 70% capfall.
	15 g	To achieve increase in berry size, two separate applications of 15 g
		within the same season are required:
	45	Apply first application of 15 g when berries have reached 7 – 9 mm in
	15 g	diameter.  Apply second application of 15 g when berries have reached 9 – 10 mm in
		diameter.
PRUNES	5 g	Apply 3 - 4 weeks before normal harvest date (when fruit shows
	ŭ	approximately 14% soluble solids) to delay harvest 14 - 17 days. This
		delayed maturity will result in increased sugar content band thus dry-out
		ratio.
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NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISEDE UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION.

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

#### **FRUIT QUALITY (GRAPES)**

**Bunch elongation** (Stretch): This product, sprayed onto bunch stems when bunches are half to two-thirds of their final length (usually 10 - 15 cm), causes them to grow longer than normal and may prevent over-tightness of bunches. This application is usually applied 10 - 14 days before first sign of bloom.

**Thinning:** If sprayed on flowers as they are beginning to open, this product reduces the number of berries on the bunch; i.e. – it has a thinning effect.

**Berry Size:** The product increases berry size when applied after commencement of flowering. The effect is greatest when applied at shatter.

#### Mixing:

Prepare a concentrate solution in 1 to 5 L of water with sufficient products for the required vat volume and strength of spray, add solution to water in the spray vat and agitate.

*Citrus only:* Ensure the spray mix is in the range of 4.0 - 6.0; however optimum results occur when the spray mix is in the pH range of 4.0 - 4.5. Use a portable pH meter or calibrated pH strips to determine a spray mix pH. Sample 2 or 3 times and average the reading. Adjust high pH's with a suitable acidifying solution and recheck the pH after 5 minutes agitation.

#### **Wetting Agent:**

Add a maximum of 100 ppm of a non-ionic spreader.

Citrus only: If using an adjuvant which includes a spreader, do not add additional spreader.

#### **CROP MANAGEMENT**

**Fresh Sultanas:** Prune according to the vigour of the vine. Avoid exceeding 8 canes except in special circumstances. Commence thinning in late October. Thin bunches to leave one bunch per shoot (the largest). DO NOT exceed 30 bunches per vine. Bunch trimming should be carried out after fruit set to reduce the incidence of tight bunches.

**Citrus:** To maximise product effectiveness and fruit quality, ensure good penetration of spray by skirting and pruning the inside of trees. Hand thinning of fruit may also be of benefit. Even trees with a history of little creasing may require management in "heavy crop" years or with age. Ezycrop 200SG Gibberellic Acid GA3, particularly at higher rates (20 ppm) can delay colouring by 1 - 2 weeks, early in the season.

#### **APPLICATION**

**(Fresh Sultanas):** Make sure vines are watered prior to application of this product. Apply in cool conditions or at night. Where this product is used for dried fruit production, drive-past overall spraying is adequate. For fresh fruit production, good results depend on the thorough wetting of bunches and spraying at the correct stage.

If the bunches are missed, they will not react to Gibberellic acid (GA).

# FOR RECOMMENDATIONS FOR OTHER GRAPE VARIETIES CONSULT YOUR LOCAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

**Citrus:** Spray in the cool of the morning or after irrigation in the afternoon. Avoid product application within 4 weeks of any oil spray as oil restricts GA uptake.

Typical water volumes are 5,000 L for small trees, 7,500 L for medium trees and 10,000 L for large trees. For creasing-reduction sprays to be effective, trees must be sprayed to run-off.

### **COMPATIBILITY**

Ezycrop 200SG Gibberellic Acid GA3 can be combined in the spray vat with 2,4-D as a cling spray, as well as with products containing Cycocel, certain insecticide, fungicide or nutritional sprays. Always carry out a small test mix to check compatibility before spraying larger areas. Always check the label instructions for all products used.