

Drift Minimization and Surfactant Recommendations

Drift Control. Appropriate drift control should be used with all herbicides when using the truck handgun, fixture or Flex-5 booms. Drift control is not required when using backpack sprayers.

The operator, however, should *always* ensure that the herbicide is being placed on target regardless of the method of application. If wind conditions are such that the spray cannot be kept on target, the operator should *cease* spray operations.

Drift control should be shaken thoroughly, then slowly injected into the system, using the integral drift control injector. *Addition of drift control through the main tank lid is not recommended.*

Drift control rates are eight fluid ounces per 100 gallons of water.

Surfactant. A surfactant is required when using an Approved Aquatic Herbicide and Escort XP. The surfactant rate for Approved Aquatic Herbicide is two quarts per 100 gallons of water. The surfactant rate for Escort XP is one quart per 100 gallons of water. The surfactant rate for Transline is two quarts per 100 gallons of or 0.5 percent when spraying Mesquite and Huisache.