

Sharpen®

Powered by **Kixor®** Herbicide

Harvest Aid and Desiccation in Soybeans

Benefits of Sharpen® Herbicide

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- Effective desiccation of soybeans
- Facilitates ease of harvest with excellent late season broadleaf weed control

Fast and Complete

- Three to five times faster than glyphosate
- Excellent leaf, pod, and stem desiccation for improved time management and harvest efficiency
- Sharpen herbicide offers 3 days PHI vs 7 days with paraquat¹

Flexible

- Low use rate allows for easy storage and transport
- Tank mix² with other harvest aid/desiccant products
- Not a restricted use pesticide



Sharpen herbicide simplifies desiccation – help maximize your harvestable yield and increase your harvest efficiency.

Sharpen Herbicide in Soybeans



Sharpen Herbicide (1.5 fl oz/A) + MSO + AMS



Untreated Check

Mississippi State University Research Trial, Stoneville, MS – 5 DAT.

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Technical Information Bulletin

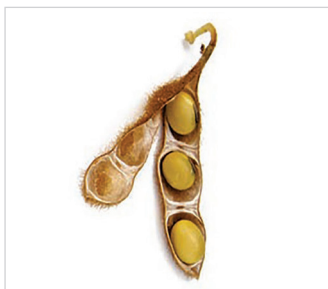
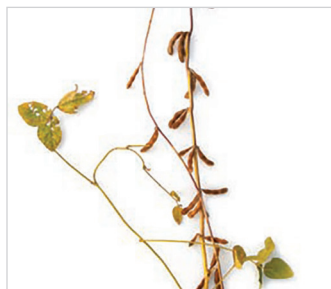
Best Use Recommendations

Spray over the top of soybeans that have reached physiological maturity. Harvest can typically commence within 6 to 10 days after application, when environmental conditions are favorable and the product has been applied at accurate crop staging. Actual time to harvest depends on environmental conditions which may increase or decrease time to harvest.

Optimal Timing

Indeterminate Varieties: Greater than 65% brown pods and greater than 70% leaf drop or when seed moisture is 30% or less.

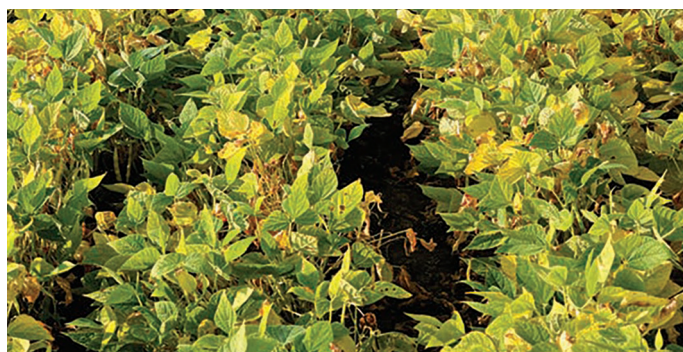
Determinate Varieties: Beans are fully developed, more than 50% leaf drop and remaining leaves are yellowing.



Too Early for Application

(Applications may result in yield loss)

More than 35% of the pods within the soybean crop are still green. There is limited leaf drop and many green leaves. Application at this time may cause a reduction in yield and seed quality.



Optimal Use Information

- Sharpen® herbicide can be tank mixed with Gramoxone or sodium chlorate, but not glyphosate for soybean desiccation²
- Sharpen herbicide rate (fl oz/A): 1.0 to 2.0, single application
- Maximum cumulative amount per cropping season for desiccation uses (fl oz/A): 2.0
- PHI (days)³: 3 (soybean seed)

Crop-Specific Restrictions

- **DO NOT** apply to soybeans grown for seed production.
- **DO NOT** graze or feed desiccation treated hay or straw to livestock.

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¹: Information derived from herbicide product labels. ²: Before mixing components, always conduct a compatibility jar test. Always consult respective product labels for specific mixing instructions. The most restrictive label applies. ³: PHI – preharvest interval, minimum time elapsed between last Sharpen herbicide application and crop harvest.

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