

Derogation for Acetamiprid 2016/17

[Derogation compiled by the Deciduous Industry Crop Protection Advisory Group (CPAG)]

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| Crop | Apples & Pears | | |
| Country of Origin | South Africa | | |
| Supplier | | | |
| Chemical (ai) | Acetamiprid (Acetamidine) 200g/kg | Trade name/s | Mospilan 20 SP |
| Pest/Disease | Mealybug | | |
| Rationale for use | Only effective chemical available for Summer application against mealybug. Simultaneous control of codling moth. | | |
| Alternative, either cultural or chemically? | Treatment in the dormant period with Prothiofos or Chlorpyrifos according to level of infestation. | | |
| What prevention methods are available? | Treatment in the dormant period with Prothiofos or Chlorpyrifos according to level of infestation. | | |
| Dose rate requested | 50 g/100L water | % of full rate? | 100% |
| No of applications requested? | Maximum 2 | Timing i.e. interval between applications | 10 –14 days |
| Harvest Interval | 50 days, but not later than 15 December. | Stewardship and engineering mechanism that prevent environmental issues | As per label. Product is not used while beehives are in the orchard or while blossoms are still on trees. |
| Time scale for exit | As soon as a suitable alternative is available. | | |