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# GibbSTART

# MAX

Plant Growth Regulator - a liquid Gibberellic acid product for the stimulation of pasture growth in the early spring.

Active Ingredient: Contains 200g/L Gibberellic acid in the form of a Soluble Concentrate.

## Read directions before use

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**Wear eye protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.**

Apply to pasture at 40mL/ha plus a surfactant (e.g. Donaghys Wetter Sticker).

Apply as a spray in a minimum volume of 100L/ha.

**DO NOT** apply GibbSTART MAX to plants under stress when there is insufficient soil moisture to support rapid plant growth.

**SHELF LIFE.** When stored appropriately, this product should show no significant degradation for two years from the date of manufacture. Contact your supplier for further information about the use of any product that is older than this.

**AVOID USE ON PASTURES AND OVER-SOWN  
GRASSES LESS THAN ONE YEAR OLD.**

**Enough to treat 125 ha**

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**SPILLAGE AND DISPOSAL:** When dealing with spills wear personal protective clothing and equipment. Contain and collect spillage, use appropriate tools to collect up the spill and to place in a waste disposal unit. Rinse the affected area with water, collecting the water for disposal through waste water system. If spray mixture is spilled, absorb and collect in drums for waste disposal. Deal with all spillages immediately. If contamination of drains, streams, watercourses, etc. is unavoidable, warn the local water authority.

**Container disposal:** Donaghys is a member of Agrecovery so please take any triple rinsed containers to an Agrecovery site. Visit [www.agrecovery.co.nz](http://www.agrecovery.co.nz) or freephone 0800 247 326

**SAFETY DATA SHEET:** A safety data sheet is available from Donaghys Ltd. Call customer service Toll Free on 0800 942 006 or visit [www.donaghys.co.nz](http://www.donaghys.co.nz)

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** GibbSTART MAX is a plant growth regulator that will stimulate pasture growth in colder conditions in early spring and late autumn. GibbSTART MAX should be applied strategically to established pastures at the recommended rates and frequency.

**CRITICAL COMMENTS:** Apply GibbSTART MAX 3 to 5 days after grazing when the pasture has started to grow again. Growth stimulation is usually seen within 7 days of application. Do

not graze within 2 weeks of an application as pasture quality is affected by gibberellin application. Grazing should recommence within 28 days of application to ensure the extra pasture growth is utilized and grass does not become rank.

Pastures including over sown grasses should be at least 1 year old prior to a GibbSTART MAX application. As with all gibberellin applications, the use of GibbSTART MAX can cause rapid pasture growth utilizing stored energy reserves of the plants. There may be a subsequent lag in growth. Such a lag becomes more likely if repeat applications are made without time for recovery of reserves. Quick repeat applications are likely to give diminishing returns. Donaghys recommend one-off strategic applications to address a feed deficit.

DO NOT apply to pasture more than four times in a calendar year. For best results, apply when there is sufficient soil moisture and soil nutrient availability to support rapid plant growth. Soil temperature should be less than 13°C for optimum response.

**APPLICATION:** GibbSTART MAX is compatible with Donaghys N-Boost® and dissolved urea fertilizer. GibbSTART MAX must be mixed in spray solution before adding N-Boost®. At low soil temperatures (especially less than 10°C), there may be limited nitrogen response.

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## IMPORTANT NOTICE - CONDITIONS OF SALE ACCEPTANCE AND USE OF THIS PRODUCT WILL BE DEEMED TO BE ACCEPTANCE OF THESE CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Results from the use of this product may be affected by factors beyond Donaghys control. These factors include but are not limited to mixing, use, time of application, weather, crop, crop lifecycle and resistance to the active ingredient, even though the product is reasonably fit for its stated purpose and label directions have been followed. Donaghys will replace any defective product free of charge, but to the extent permitted by law all other warranties, representations, conditions or obligations whether imposed or implied by law or otherwise, and the manufacturer's and supplier's liability for any indirect special or consequential losses or damages of any kind arising out of the supply and/or use of this product, including where it arises out of negligence, are expressly excluded.

**IN ANY EVENT, TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, THE  
MANUFACTURER'S AND SUPPLIER'S LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF  
THE SUPPLY AND OR USE OF THIS PRODUCT IS LIMITED TO THE  
AMOUNT PAID FOR THE SPECIFIC PRODUCT.**

## WARNING

**Hazard Classification Eye irritation Category 2  
Contains 20% Gibberellic acid and <15% diethylene glycol Monoethyl ether  
Harmful if swallowed. Irritating to eyes and skin.  
Read label before use.**

**FIRST AID: Call a POISON CENTRE (0800 764 766) or doctor/ physician  
if you feel unwell.**

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

**IF IN EYES:** Rinse cautiously in water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.

**IF INHALED:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If irritation occurs get medical advice/attention.

**IF ON SKIN:** Wash skin with soap and water. If skin irritation occurs get medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing before re use.

**IF INGESTED:** Give water to drink. If vomiting occurs give more water. Seek medical attention.

**STORAGE:** Keep out of reach of children. Store in original container tightly closed and in a locked, dry cool area away from foodstuffs.

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