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This year we will be applying a growth regulator as part of the renovation and overseeding process. A few weeks prior to the scalping/renovation process (winter rye grass), the grass will be sprayed with a growth regulator so the Bermuda does not grow back as quickly during the scalping process. The purpose of using this treatment is to reduce the number of clippings and make this process smoother, which will reduce the amount of dust associated with the renovation process. Our spray crew applicators are trained and certified for proper application according to OSHA.

The concentration of the solution being sprayed is one percent (1%) of the product. Some locations may use a light blue-green color marker to identify areas that have been sprayed. The color marker fades out with exposure to sunlight after 24 to 48 hours. This treatment is an environmentally safe process and is not toxic to pets. It is safe for people and pets to be on the grass 15 minutes after the grass is sprayed.

Attached is additional information on the product.

Thank you,

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*Vintage Landscape, Vintage Nursery, Tree Rite, Vintage Outdoors and Water Rite*

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# Podium™

## **FOR TURF GROWTH MANAGEMENT**

*For managing growth,  
improving quality and stress  
tolerance, and edging of  
warm- and cool-season  
turfgrasses*

<i>Active Ingredient:</i>	
Trinexapac-ethyl	
(CAS No. 95266-40-3) . . . .	11.3%
<i>Other Ingredients:</i>	88.7%
<i>Total:</i>	100.0%

*Podium is a microemulsion  
concentrate containing one  
pound trinexapac-ethyl per  
gallon.*

*EPA Reg. No. 100-937  
EPA Est. 62171-MS-003*

**KEEP OUT OF REACH  
OF CHILDREN.**

**CAUTION**

*See additional precautionary  
statements and directions for  
use inside booklet.*

*Product of Switzerland  
Formulated in the USA*

**SCP 937B-L1C 1109  
4035680**

**1 gallon**

**Net Contents**

<b>FIRST AID</b>	
<b>If on skin or clothing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>• Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice</li> </ul>
<b>If in eyes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>• Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
<b>NOTE TO PHYSICIAN</b>	
If a large amount has been ingested, lavage stomach. An aqueous suspension of activated charcoal can be given to absorb remaining toxicant. Treat symptomatically.	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.	
<b>HOT LINE NUMBER</b>	
For 24-Hour Medical Emergency Assistance (Human or Animal) or Chemical Emergency Assistance (Spill, Leak, Fire, or Accident), Call 1-800-888-8372	

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, or clothing.

**Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)**

Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are listed below. If you want more options, follow the instructions for Category C on an EPA chemical resistance category selection chart.

**Applicators and other handlers must wear:**

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves (such as nitrile, butyl, neoprene, or barrier laminate).
- Shoes plus socks

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Temporary initial discoloration is possible with aggressive application rates of Podium to turf with *Poa annua*. The following spring, apply the upper end rate of Podium for the turf type and setting listed in the Application Rate Table. Actual conversion success will also depend on growing conditions, fertilization, rainfall, and other agronomic and environmental conditions.

Podium will keep *Poa annua* seedheads lower in the canopy when applied prior to seedhead emergence. Podium can be tank mixed with Proxy® (ethephon) for improved seedhead suppression. Apply 0.125 – 0.25 oz/1000 sq ft of Podium + 5.0 oz/1000 sq ft of Proxy 3-4 weeks prior to expected seedhead emergence. A follow-up application can be made two weeks after the initial application. See Proxy label for use information and restrictions.

### BERMUDAGRASS OVERSEEDING

An application of Podium to bermudagrass will enhance the establishment of cool-season turfgrasses. Application of Podium, along with cultural practices that help ensure new seedling vigor and growth, will also result in fewer clippings and less maintenance traffic on new seedlings. Podium is foliarly absorbed, so germination and seedling growth is not affected.

Apply Podium before verticutting, scalping, spiking, or other similar operations to the bermudagrass. Apply Podium 1-5 days before seeding.

Podium can be applied post-overseeding to enhance ryegrass establishment and reduce bermudagrass competition on fairways and tees. Apply Podium at 0.20 to 0.35 oz per 1000 sq ft once the ryegrass is about at 85% cover. Approximate timing would be just after the first mowing of the ryegrass. A second application 21-28 days later improves the ryegrass color and density.

Temporary initial discoloration of turfgrass is possible with aggressive application rates of Podium. Use normal seeding rates for your area and turf setting (lawn, fairway, etc.). Actual overseeding success will also depend on growing conditions, fertilization, rainfall, and other agronomic and environmental conditions. For maintenance applications, see the Application Rate Table.

### APPLICATION WITH TURF MARKING PAINT

Podium can extend the duration of marking visibility when applied before or with marking agents. Mix Podium with water first when combining with latex-based marking agents. Refer to the marking agent's product label for further instructions.

Apply Podium at 1 oz/gal of marking paint mix to treat approximately 1,000 sq ft of line surface area. Refer to the Podium + Tank Mixtures section of this label for additional instructions.