

# Evaluation of Zidua in Celery and Onion

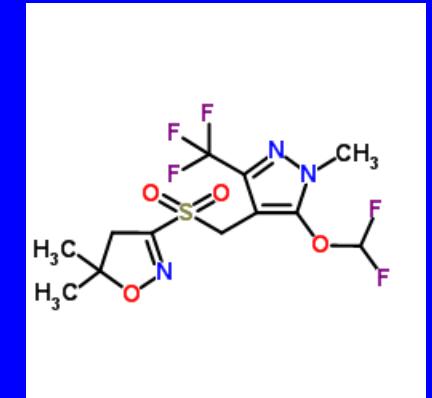
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# Zidua herbicide

- ❖ Pyroxasulfone



- ❖ Very long fatty acid inhibitor (group 15)
- ❖ Kumiai Chemical is evaluating in vegetables together with IR-4
- ❖ Not volatile, soil persistence similar to Dual Magnum

# Zidua environmental fate

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|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Adsorption/desorption<br/>soil</b> | <b>Koc 57-114 moderate</b> |
| <b>Soil dissipation</b>               | <b>16-26 day half life</b> |
| <b>Aquatic dissipation</b>            | <b>&lt;1 day in water</b>  |
| <b>Hydrolysis</b>                     | <b>stable</b>              |
| <b>Photolysis</b>                     | <b>minimal</b>             |

# Zidua tests - 2015

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- ❖ Green onion
- ❖ Bulb onion
- ❖ Celery
- ❖ Garlic (planned)
- ❖ Strawberry (planned)

# Zidua - celery

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- ❖ May to June 2015
- ❖ Zidua rates 2 & 3 oz ai/A
- ❖ Applied post transplant
  - ❖ 1 day
  - ❖ 2 weeks
  - ❖ 4 weeks
- ❖ Replicated 4 X
- ❖ Caparol 3.2 pints/A 2 w post transplant - standard

# Zidua evaluation in celery – % weed control

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| Herbicide | Rate/A  | Time    | Nettle | Purslane |
|-----------|---------|---------|--------|----------|
| Zidua     | 2 oz    | 1 day   | 63 bc  | 87 bcde  |
| Zidua     | 3 oz    | 1 day   | 74 c   | 89 cde   |
| Zidua     | 2 oz    | 2 weeks | 45 b   | 57 bc    |
| Zidua     | 3 oz    | 2 weeks | 41 b   | 50 b     |
| Caparol   | 3.2 pts | 2 weeks | 98 d   | 100 e    |
| Control   | 0       | NA      | 0 a    | 0 a      |

# Zidua evaluation in celery – % injury, height

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| <b>Herbicide</b> | <b>Rate/A</b> | <b>Time</b> | <b>Injury %</b> | <b>Height in.</b> |
|------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Zidua            | 2 oz          | 1 day       | 14 abc          | 21.4 a            |
| Zidua            | 3 oz          | 1 day       | 19 ab           | 20.5 a            |
| Zidua            | 2 oz          | 2 weeks     | 3 cde           | 21.0 a            |
| Zidua            | 3 oz          | 2 weeks     | 11 abcde        | 21.1 a            |
| Caparol          | 3.2 pts       | 2 weeks     | 1 de            | 21.4 a            |
| Control          | 0             | --          | 0 e             | 20.4 a            |

# Zidua evaluation in celery – marketable yield per acre

| Herbicide | Rate/A  | Time    | 1,000<br>stalks/A | 1,000<br>Lbs./A |
|-----------|---------|---------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Zidua     | 2 oz    | 1 day   | 23.5 a            | 64.7 a          |
| Zidua     | 3 oz    | 1 day   | 22.2 a            | 54.0 a          |
| Zidua     | 2 oz    | 2 weeks | 21.5 a            | 56.0 a          |
| Zidua     | 3 oz    | 2 weeks | 21.9 a            | 54.3 a          |
| Caparol   | 3.2 pts | 2 weeks | 22.2 a            | 55.2 a          |
| Control   | 0       | --      | 18.0 a            | 46.8 a          |

# Celery summary

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- ❖ Control of nettle and purslane with Zidua were less than Caparol
- ❖ Zidua injury to celery was marginal at one day after transplanting but did not reduce yields
- ❖ Zidua applied 2 weeks after transplanting caused less injury than at 1 day but provided less weed control

# Zidua – green onion

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- ❖ February 23 to May 19, 2015
- ❖ Zidua rates 0.5, 1 & 2 oz ai/A
- ❖ Applied post transplant
  - ❖ Preemergence (PRE)
  - ❖ PRE + 4-6 leaf
- ❖ Replicated 4 X
- ❖ Dacthal 8 pints/A PRE- standard

# Zidua evaluation in green onion – % weed control

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| Herbicide | Rate/A      | Time        | Purslane | Total |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------|
| Zidua     | 0.5 oz      | PRE         | 93 b     | 73 bc |
| Zidua     | 1 oz        | PRE         | 100 b    | 85 c  |
| Zidua     | 2 oz        | PRE         | 98 b     | 81 bc |
| Zidua     | 15 fb 15 oz | PRE fb 4 If | 96 b     | 67 b  |
| Zidua     | 30 fb 30 oz | PRE fb 4 If | 96 b     | 80 bc |
| Dacthal   | 8 pts       | PRE         | 100 b    | 80 bc |
| Control   | 0           | NA          | 0 a      | 0 a   |

# Zidua evaluation in green onion – injury & height

| Herbicide | Rate/A           | Time        | Injury % | Height (in) |
|-----------|------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| Zidua     | 0.5 oz           | PRE         | 16 b     | 11.7 a      |
| Zidua     | 1 oz             | PRE         | 44 a     | 11.6 ab     |
| Zidua     | 2 oz             | PRE         | 56 a     | 8.1 bc      |
| Zidua     | 0.5 fb<br>0.5 oz | PRE fb 4 If | 15 b     | 12.0 a      |
| Zidua     | 1 fb 1 oz        | PRE fb 4 If | 60 a     | 7.8 c       |
| Dacthal   | 8 pts            | PRE         | 15 b     | 12.6 a      |
| Control   | 0                | NA          | 0 b      | 12.6 a      |

# Zidua evaluation in green onion – yield

| Herbicide | Rate/A           | Time        | Number<br>1,000<br>1,000/A | 1,000<br>Lbs/A |
|-----------|------------------|-------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Zidua     | 0.5 oz           | PRE         | 1054 a                     | 12.3 a         |
| Zidua     | 1 oz             | PRE         | 906 a                      | 7.3 ab         |
| Zidua     | 2 oz             | PRE         | 876 a                      | 5.9 b          |
| Zidua     | 0.5 fb<br>0.5 oz | PRE fb 4 If | 932 a                      | 12.0 a         |
| Zidua     | 1 fb 1 oz        | PRE fb 4 If | 836 a                      | 5.6 b          |
| Dacthal   | 8 pts            | PRE         | 841 a                      | 12.8 a         |
| Control   | 0                | NA          | 928 a                      | 11.8 a         |

# Zidua green onion trial

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Zidua



Dacthal



# **Green onion summary**

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- ❖ Zidua provided good control of purslane at 0.5 oz/a PRE
- ❖ Zidua PRE was safe at 0.5 oz/A
- ❖ Zidua PRE at 2 oz/A reduced onion yield

# Zidua – bulb onion

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- ❖ February 23 to August, 2015
- ❖ Zidua rates 0.5, 1 & 2 oz ai/A
- ❖ Applied post transplant
  - ❖ Preemergence (PRE)
  - ❖ PRE + 4-6 leaf
- ❖ Replicated 4 X
- ❖ Dacthal 8 pts/A PRE, GoalTender & Buctril POST 0.5+1.5 pts/A- standard

# Zidua evaluation in bulb onion – % weed control

| Herbicide | Rate/A       | Time             | Clover  | Total  |
|-----------|--------------|------------------|---------|--------|
| Zidua     | 2 oz         | PRE              | 10 abc  | 69 c   |
| Zidua     | 3 oz         | PRE              | 62 de   | 80 c   |
| Zidua     | 2 oz         | 2-3 If           | 5 ab    | 9 ab   |
| Zidua     | 3 oz         | 2-3 If           | 38 bcde | 45 abc |
| Zidua     | 1.5 fb<br>oz | 2-3 fb<br>4-6 If | 71 e    | 56 c   |
| Dacthal   | 8 pts        | PRE              | 57 de   | 83 c   |
| GoalTend  | 0.5 pts      | 2-3 If           |         |        |
| Buctril   | 1.5 pts      | 2-3 If           |         |        |
| Control   | 0            | NA               | 0 ab    | 0 e    |

# Zidua evaluation in bulb onion – injury and height

| Herbicide | Rate/A           | Time             | Injury % | Height (in) |
|-----------|------------------|------------------|----------|-------------|
| Zidua     | 2 oz             | PRE              | 7.0 ab   | 13.6 b      |
| Zidua     | 3 oz             | PRE              | 9.0 a    | 8.6 c       |
| Zidua     | 2 oz             | 2-3 If           | 2.5 cd   | 17.1 ab     |
| Zidua     | 3 oz             | 2-3 If           | 5.6 bc   | 15.1 ab     |
| Zidua     | 1.5 fb<br>1.5 oz | 2-3 fb<br>4-6 If | 2.5 cd   | 18.6 a      |
| Dacthal   | 8 pts            | PRE              | 0.3 d    | 18.9 a      |
| GoalTend  | 0.5 pts          | 2-3 If           |          |             |
| Buctril   | 1.5 pts          | 2-3 If           |          |             |
| Control   | 0                | NA               | 0.0 d    | 17.9 a      |

# Zidua evaluation in bulb onion – total yield

| Herbicide  | Rate/A       | Time             | No.<br>1,000/A | 1,000 lb/A |
|------------|--------------|------------------|----------------|------------|
| Zidua      | 2 oz         | PRE              | 26 ef          | 33 ef      |
| Zidua      | 3 oz         | PRE              | 17 f           | 21f        |
| Zidua      | 2 oz         | 2-3 If           | 47 abc         | 60 abc     |
| Zidua      | 3 oz         | 2-3 If           | 36 de          | 46 cde     |
| Zidua      | 1.5 fb<br>oz | 2-3 fb<br>4-6 If | 43 bcd         | 51 abcd    |
| Dacthal    | 8 pts        | PRE              | 46 abcd        | 60 abc     |
| GoalTender | 0.5 pts      | 2-3 If           |                |            |
| Buctril    | 1.5 pts      | 2-3 If           |                |            |
| Control    | 0            | NA               | 56 a           | 66 a       |

# Bulb onion summary

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- ❖ Zidua must be applied after emergence at rates 2 oz or less
- ❖ Probably the best way to use Zidua is as a sequential treatment following Dacthal

# **Satellite – transplanted lettuce**

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- ❖ Two trials in 2015
- ❖ **Satellite (pendimethalin) rates 1.5, 2.1 & 4.2 pints/A**
- ❖ Applied PRE and POST transplant
- ❖ Replicated 4 X
- ❖ Balan 2 lbs product/A PRE standard
- ❖ Prefar 5 qts/A PRE and POST standard

# Satellite evaluation in transplanted lettuce— % weed control

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| Herbicide | Rate/A    | Time | Nettle | Purslane |
|-----------|-----------|------|--------|----------|
| Balan     | 2 lb prod | PRE  | 50 a   | 78 a     |
| Satellite | 1.5 pts   | PRE  | 62 a   | 75 a     |
| Satellite | 2.1 pts   | PRE  | 59 a   | 83 a     |
| Satellite | 4.2 pts   | PRE  | 55 a   | 82 a     |
| Pefar     | 5 qts     | PRE  | 63 a   | 80 a     |
| Control   | 0         | NA   | 0 b    | 0 b      |

# **Satellite evaluation in transplanted lettuce— crop injury 10 DAT**

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| <b>Herbicide</b> | <b>Rate/A</b> | <b>Time</b> | <b>Trial 1</b> | <b>Trial 2</b> |
|------------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| Balan            | 2 lb prod     | PRE         | 0.0 d          | 0.3 bcd        |
| Satellite        | 1.5 pts       | PRE         | 0.0 d          | 0.1 cd         |
| Satellite        | 2.1 pts       | PRE         | 0.0 d          | 0.0 d          |
| Satellite        | 4.2 pts       | PRE         | 0.1 d          | 0.0 d          |
| Prefar           | 5 qts         | PRE         | 0.0 d          | 0.4 bcd        |
| Control          | 0             | NA          | 0.0 d          | 0.0 d          |

# Satellite evaluation in transplanted lettuce— marketable yield 1,000 lbs/A

| Herbicide | Rate/A    | Time | Trial 1 | Trial 2 |
|-----------|-----------|------|---------|---------|
| Balan     | 2 lb prod | PRE  | 33.9 a  | 28.4 a  |
| Satellite | 1.5 pts   | PRE  | 32.5 a  | 20.7 a  |
| Satellite | 2.1 pts   | PRE  | 35.4 a  | 25.9 a  |
| Satellite | 4.2 pts   | PRE  | 32.8 a  | 22.1 a  |
| Prefar    | 5 qts     | PRE  | 32.8 a  | 21.8 a  |
| Control   | 0         | NA   | 34.2 a  | 22.0 a  |

# Satellite transplanted lettuce

Satellite



Prefar



# Satellite – summary

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- ❖ **Satellite is safe to transplanted lettuce**
- ❖ **Control of nightshade and groundsel is better than Prefar**
- ❖ **Control of nettle and purslane are similar to Balan and Prefar**
- ❖ **Awaiting decision by UPI to see if they will label the product.**
- ❖ **Do not use on seeded lettuce!**