



Reduce Pineapple Sunburn Damage

Plant Surface Protection can mean more profitable pineapple crops.

Sunburn and heat stress take a toll on pineapple plantations. As part of a planned treatment program, Surround® WP crop protectant can significantly reduce pineapple sunburn and bleaching.

Surround represents a breakthrough opportunity for Plant Surface Protection in pineapple crops

When applied before severe summer conditions set in and maintained throughout the hot season, Surround covers plant surfaces with a protective film – a layer of specially engineered kaolin particles that reflect harmful infrared and ultraviolet radiation.

Surround offers proven protection against fruit sunburn and heat stress. It is easy to mix and spray. Australian growers have successfully used Surround since 2001 in apples, plums, pineapples and other fruit and vegetables with significant reductions in sunburn, bleaching and heat stress.

Apply 50 kg per hectare, then follow up with 25 kg per hectare spray(s).
Reapply, as required, to maintain coverage.

Surround® WP
Crop Protectant

Getting the most from Surround® WP crop protectant

- Apply initial applications before the first heat event. Check local historical temperature records.
- Keep the fruit and foliage covered, building multiple layers. The most common problem in sunburn reduction programs is under-treatment.
- A critical time for sunburn management is just prior to harvest. As the pineapple fills, its increased weight causes an outward shift of the fruit in the canopy, exposing new areas of the fruit to the sun. To maximise sunburn management, it may be necessary to apply Surround at this time.
- Apply in a water volume of approximately 1000 to 1250 litres per hectare using a calibrated boom fitted with flat fan nozzles.
- Heavy rainfall, new growth and wind erosion will reduce coverage. Reapply to maintain coverage.

Important: Always read the label before buying and follow label instructions when using this product.

Surround® Protection you can see.
Performance you can trust.

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