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## ENIDE RECOMMENDED FOR TRIAL USE ON TOBACCO BEDS

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Enide 50W has now been cleared for use on tobacco beds. Treatments with Enide on tobacco beds in mid to late March, at time of seeding have given satisfactory weed control in experimental plots during the past 2 years. No injury or reduction in stand of tobacco plants was observed on plots treated at this time. Reduction in stand of plants did occur in plots treated in late fall, and there are some indications that there may be a reduction in stand from early treatments in February. To insure best results, the chemical should be applied evenly over the treated area.

Until additional information is obtained and tobacco growers get more experience with its use, Enide 50W for 1967 is recommended for trial use on only a part of the plant bed.

### When to treat.

When weather permits after March 10, apply immediately after seeding.

### How to apply.

Apply with back-pack or other low-pressure sprayer evenly over the area. For best distribution it is suggested that the material be applied by spraying over the area at least twice, once in each direction. Sprinkler irrigation of at least 1/2 inch of water should follow the application.

### Rates to use.

For an area of plant bed 9 feet by 10 feet, mix 3 level teaspoonfuls of Enide 50W in 1 to 2 quarts of water.

For an area of plant bed 12 feet by 10 feet, mix 4 level teaspoonfuls of Enide 50W in 1 to 2 quarts of water.

These directions are to be used in accordance with all precautions and warnings contained on the Enide 50W label. Read the complete product label.

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