

# DEVOUR™

## AQUATIC WASTE & SLUDGE REDUCER (WSP)

### PRINCIPAL FUNCTIONING AGENTS

Proprietary blend of specialized enzymes, facultative and nonfacultative bacteria, buffering agents and medium ..... 100% DEVOUR is certified nonpathogenic.

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT

Individuals hyperallergic to enzymes or other related proteins should not handle this product. Although DEVOUR is not absorbed through the skin, applicators and handlers should wear latex gloves.

### STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

**If Swallowed:** Rinse mouth with water.

**If Inhaled:** Remove to fresh air.

**If in Eyes:** Flush with water for 15 minutes.

**If on Skin:** Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin contact area with plenty of soap and water.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

DEVOUR is a proprietary blend of enzymes, facultative and nonfacultative bacteria formulated to accelerate the breakdown of partially decomposed organic matter, thus reducing waste and sludge accumulation in lake and pond bottoms. DEVOUR requires no special permits or applicator's license. DEVOUR is ideal for aquaculture production, golf courses and other recreational or ornamental bodies of water where clarity and a balanced ecosystem is desirable. DEVOUR is nontoxic, noncaustic and noncorrosive.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Begin applying DEVOUR once water temperature reaches 55° F. Continue treatments until desired results are achieved.

*First: Calculate the surface acres of the pond. (Surface Acre = 43,560 square feet)*

*To calculate surface area of round ponds:*

$$\text{Surface Acres} = \frac{\pi r^2}{43,560} \quad \pi = 3.14 \quad r = \text{radius of pond}$$

SA = Surface Acres

*To calculate surface area of rectangular ponds:*

$$\text{Surface Acres} = \frac{\text{Length} \times \text{Width}}{43,560}$$

### Dispersion of Water-Soluble Packets:

Large Ponds and Lakes: (2+ acres) Apply 1/2-pound water-soluble packets in a uniform 20-foot to 50-foot grid pattern across lake, via boat, for even distribution.

Small Ponds: (0-2 acres) Throw 1/2-pound water-soluble packets into water, distributing them evenly across the pond.

### APPLICATION USE RATES

#### Initial Dosage Application Rates

Initial dosage will require 3-6 lbs. per surface acre of water. 6 lbs. per surface acre of water for severely degraded or highly eutrophic ponds.

Trophic Status	Water Quality	Total Phosphorus	Application Rate
Oligotrophic	Clean, clear water	>0.019 ppm	0 lbs./Surface Acre
Mesotrophic	Semiclear water	0.020 - 0.079 ppm	3 lbs./Surface Acre
Eutrophic	Light limited	0.080 - 0.39 ppm	4-5 lbs./Surface Acre
Hypereutrophic	Pea soup green	0.40 ppm and greater	6 lbs./Surface Acre

Severely degraded ponds may require up to 2 to 3 initial dosage applications.

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### Maintenance Dosage Application Rates

Maintenance dosage will require 1.5 to 2.0 lbs. per surface acre every 2 weeks until desired results are achieved.

When water temperatures are below 55° F, use the following corrected dosage recommendations:

### Temperature Correction Chart

Optimum results are obtained when water temperatures are over 60° F.

<i>Temperature Range</i>	<i>Multiply Dosage By:</i>
55°F or Above	1.00
54° F - 52° F	1.11
51° F - 47° F	1.25
46° F - 43° F	1.43
42° F - 40° F	1.53

### Parameters For Best Results

1. pH	Optimum 7, Min. 4.5, Max. 9.5
2. D.O.	>2.0 ppm, Min. 1.0 ppm
3. Water Temperature	Optimum 80° F, Min. 55° F, Max. 95° F
4. Alkalinity (Calcium hardness)	> 100 ppm

Oxygen demand may be temporarily elevated during the initial use of this product. Marginal ponds with low oxygen conditions should be monitored during application or aerated if oxygen depletion is expected.

### STORAGE

Store in dry area at room temperature not to exceed 100° F.

Do not allow product to become wet or moist.

### CONDITIONS OF SALE

Note: Read the information contained herein before buying or using this product. If the stated terms are not acceptable, return the product at once unopened. It is critical that this product be used and mixed only as specified on this label. Neither the manufacturer nor the seller makes any representation or warranty, expressed or implied, with respect to the results from the use of this material. Buyer and user assume all risks of use and/or handling. Precision Laboratories, Inc. warrants that this material is reasonably fit for use as specified on this label. No agent or representative is authorized to make any other representations concerning this material. Unforeseen factors beyond Precision's control prevent elimination of risks in connection with the use of its chemicals. Such risks include, but are not limited to, damage to plants and/or crops to which the material is applied, or lack of complete control and damage caused by drift to other plants or crops. Such risks may occur even though the product is reasonably fit for use as stated herein and even though label directions are followed. Follow directions carefully. Timing, mixture, method of application, weather and other conditions are influencing factors in the use of this product and are beyond the control of the seller. Except to the extent prohibited by applicable law, the exclusive remedy of the user or buyer and the limit of liability of the company or any other seller for any and all losses, personal injuries or damages resulting from the use of this product, shall be the purchase price paid by the user or buyer for the quantity of product involved.

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