

BOSTON CROP SPRAYERS LTD

Boston Crop Sprayers Ltd have over 20 years experience in soil sterilization. We currently work in Lincolnshire, Shropshire, Yorkshire, Cambridgeshire, Suffolk and Norfolk.

We started using Metam 510 in 2009 after Telone was withdrawn from use in March 2008. It is old chemistry that has been used for many years and is widely used in Holland for PCN and weed control in high value crops.

Metam 510 currently has registration until December 2014 and is marketed by Certis.

Boston Crop Sprayers are currently the only contractor in the UK and Metam 510 is the only sterilant for PCN control so early planning is essential.

We apply the Metam 510 with our own purposely-designed machine. The chemical is delivered usually direct to farm in 800-litre IBC containers. Soil has to be free of trash, moist and a temperature of 10o/c or above at 15cm deep.

Spring application is very difficult with soil temperatures required to be 10o/c the window before planting is very tight. The label recommendation is eight weeks. Optimum time for application is as soon as possible after harvest to the end of October.

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