



FIESTA (FeHEDTA), is an effective tool powerful enough to kill or suppress a wide range of broadleaf weeds while being considered less toxic to the environment.

While it is not “a silver bullet”, **FIESTA** works quickly killing weeds down to the root, with no unpleasant odor. Dying weeds will be seen within hours of application. Treated weeds, moss or algae will turn brown or black. Occasionally a darkening of the grass leaf blade can occur after treatment; however the grass recovers within a few days to weeks. Lawn areas can be overseeded, if necessary, within one day of treatment with **FIESTA**.

In our experience **FIESTA** works in the spring (when weeds are small and growing) but is most effective in the fall - when environmental conditions are cool and there is ample moisture. EDMONDS recommends two applications 3-4 weeks apart in late August – early September. People and pets can enter a treated site when the spray has dried (in about three hours).

What Is FeHEDTA? (The Technical in Short Form)



The key metallic chemical element, Iron, (symbol “Fe”) acts as a selective herbicide when chelated with hydroxyethylenediaminetriacetic acid (HEDTA) to form FeHEDTA (FIESTA).

Broadleaved plants are generally more susceptible to FIESTA herbicidal effects than are grass species. Iron can function as a catalyst for oxygen reduction, thereby producing unstable and highly reactive oxygen species, including hydroxyl radicals that cause cellular damage. Excessive uptake of FeHEDTA, by many broadleaved species, leads to tissue necrosis and ultimately plant death.

FIESTA is approved for use in HRM under Amendment to Administrative Order #23, Respecting Pesticides, Herbicides and Insecticides.