Metazachlor and Quinmerac are fundamental to early season weed control in oilseed rape. However, the frequency and magnitude of concentrations in raw surface water represent a real risk to restrictions being placed on these active ingredients. Time for action is NOW.

**METAZACHLOR MATTERS STEWARDSHIP GUIDELINES**

- Maximum dose rate for winter oilseed rape is 750g/ha
- Land that is not drained – no timing restrictions.
- Drained land - Avoid applications after 1st October
  - If soil/seedbed are favourable and drains are not flowing, applications can continue until 15th October
- Drained land in Drinking Water Safeguard Zones – no applications after 1st October
- Go to www.wiyby.co.uk for zoning details

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