



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY
AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

March 25, 2015

Mr. John Pazdera
Pesticide Registration Manager for,
International Paint, LLC
2270 Morris Ave.
Union, NJ 07083

Subject: Label Notification per PRN 2007-4 – to revise the Storage and Disposal statement and change “Statement of Practical Treatment subheading to read “First Aid”
Product Name: Optima Activator
EPA Registration Number: 2693-194
Application Date: March 19, 2015
Decision Number: 502546

Dear Mr. Pazdera:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4 for the above referenced product. The Antimicrobials Division has conducted a review of this request for applicability under PRN 2007-4 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN-2007-4.

The label submitted with the application has been stamped “Notification” and will be placed in our records.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on non-refillable containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by non-notification via PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please contact Karen M. Leavy at (703)-308-6237 or by email at Leavy.Karen@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Elizabeth H. Watkins".

Elizabeth Watkins
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Office of Pesticide Programs

**OPTIMA
ACTIVATOR**

Activator Part B of a Two Part Antifouling Paint System

Activated Biolux Blocks Slime

New Optima - Technology so new it uses special activators
to provide revolutionary antifouling protection

Simple to Use - Just mix with Optima Blue Base Part A (EPA Reg. No. 2693-193)
and apply.

Active Ingredient:

Zinc 2-pyridinethiol 1-oxide* = 47.04% EPA Registration No. 2693-194

Inert Ingredients: = 52.96%

100.00% EPA Establishment No. 2693-NJ-1

*Zinc Pyrithione

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

See side panel for additional precautionary statements

Mix only with Optima Base Part A

NET CONTENTS: 1 PINT, 0.47 L

Activator Part B

When components Optima – Blue and Optima Activator are mixed the resulting paint is **CORROSIVE**, and may cause severe eye irritation that could lead to irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear protective eye wear.

International Paint Inc.
2270 Morris Ave.
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ACCEPTED

03/25/2015

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide
and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the
pesticide registered under
EPA Reg. No. 2693-194

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

DANGER

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. May be fatal if inhaled. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe spray mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Residential(non-commercial) users are advised to wear chemical resistant gloves, protective eyewear (goggles, safety glasses, or face shield), long-sleeved shirt and long pants, socks and shoes. In addition to these minimum PPE, commercial users must wear a disposable coverall with hood and chemical resistant footwear.

While removing existing paint by sanding or blasting, or applying new antifoulant paint, commercial users must wear a respirator with an **organic vapor removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-23C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number TC-14G), or a NIOSH approved full face respirator with an organic vapor removing cartridge with a P-100 prefilter. Residential(non-commercial) users are advised to wear the same respirators, cartridges, and prefilters as required by commercial users.**

FIRST AID:

IF SWALLOWED:

- Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.
- Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.
- Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.
- Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:

- Take off contaminated clothing.
- Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

IF INHALED:

- Move person to fresh air.
- If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

IF IN EYES:

- Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.
- Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

OTHER: Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:

This material is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not allow chips and dust generated during paint removal to enter water. Dispose of paint debris in an approved landfill. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans and other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent to sewer system without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS:

Do not store with or mix with strong oxidizing agents or strong (concentrated) acids. In case of contamination, do not reseal container. If possible, isolate container in open air or well ventilated area. Fumes caused by contamination may be hazardous.

OPTIMA ACTIVATOR

Activator Part B of a Two Part Antifouling Paint System

Directions for Use

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

For use only by commercial or professional applicators at boat or ship construction, maintenance, or repair facilities and marinas. Not intended for application by residential (non-commercial) users.

This is the activator for the **OPTIMA ANTIFOULING PAINT**. It must be mixed in a ratio of 1 part Activator to 7 parts Base. Complete directions for use and application are contained on the Optima – Blue (EPA Reg. No. 2693-193) Base Part A label. Only use this product after first mixing with Optima – Blue (EPA Reg. No. 2693-193) Base Part A.

DRY TIME CHART

Temperature °F (°C)	Pot Life Maximum	Overcoating Time	
		Min	Max
40°F (5°C)	2 Hours	7 hr	2 wk
50°F (10°C)	2 Hours	6 hr	2 wk
60°F (15°C)	2 Hours	5 hr	2 wk
75°F (24°C)	2 Hours	4 hr	2 wk
95°F (35°C)	2 Hours	3 hr	2 wk

LAUNCH TIME CHART

WEATHER CONDITIONS	Dry	Humid	
Relative Humidity %	50%	75%	85%
Temperature	Min	Min	Min
40°F (5°C)	48 Hrs	72 Hrs	Do Not
50°F (10°C)	36 Hrs	48 Hrs	Apply
60°F (15°C)	16 Hrs	24 Hrs	48 Hrs
75°F (24°C)	5 Hrs	7 Hrs	36 Hrs
95°F (35°C)	2 Hrs	5 Hrs	24 Hrs

Mix only what can be used in 2 hours. Pot life can be extended slightly with the addition of paint conditioner 2616.

The maximum time to launch is indefinite, as you can launch the boat anytime after the minimum time, ensuring maximum flexibility. **OPTIMA** must be fully dry before launching. It should not be applied to pad or block areas immediately prior to launching.

KEEP FROM FREEZING

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times

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For information call 908-686-1300

Or write: Interlux, 2270 Morris Ave, Union, NJ 07083