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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Office of Pesticide Programs
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20460



EPA Reg. Number:

73722-1

Date of Issuance:

May 5, 2004

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:
 Registration
 Reregistration

Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Boracol® 20-2

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Sasco Products Limited
31 Ilseley Avenue
Dartmouth, NS, Canada, B3B1L5

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 4.

2. Make the labeling changes listed below before you release the product for shipment:

a. Add the phrase "EPA Registration Number 73722-1"

Signature of Approving Official:

Adam Heyward
Product Manager Team-34
Regulatory Management Branch II
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

Date:

May 5, 2004

EPA Form 8570-6

CONCURRENCES

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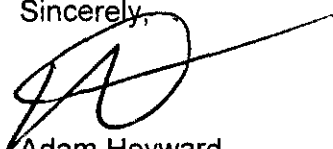
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3. Submit three (3) copies of the revised final printed label bearing the revisions prior to releasing this product for sale.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,



Adam Heyward
Product Manager 34
Regulatory Branch II
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

Enclosure

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SASCO PRODUCTS LIMITED

BORACOL® 20 - 2

REMEDIAL WOOD PRESERVATIVE FOR STRUCTURES

Protection of Wood against Fungal Decay and Insect Damage

FOR COMMERCIAL USE ONLY

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

GUARANTEE:

(Na ₂ B ₄ O ₇ · 4H ₂ O) Disodium Octaborate Tetrahydrate	19.60%
Other Ingredients	80.40%
Total	100.00%

CAUTION

Keep out of Reach of Children

Net contents: _____ Litre

EPA Registration No.: 73722-1
Establishment No.: 081051-CAN-001
Pest Controls Act

Developed by: *Canadian Importer and Agent:*
WOOD-SLIMP GmbH SASCO PRODUCTS LTD.
CH-7001 Chur 31 Ilsley Avenue
Switzerland Dartmouth, Nova Scotia B3B 1L5

Directions For Use:

Product Limitations:

- Boracol 20-2 is not to be used in habitable portions of dwellings or where prolonged human exposure may occur.
- Boracol 20-2 is not to be used in areas where the product is subject to leaching by direct water or rain.
- Boracol 20-2 is to be applied only by brush, roller or spray equipment. The set up of outdoor dip treating equipment is prohibited.
- Boracol 20-2 is not to be applied in areas where food is stored, prepared or kept. Do not apply to food contact surfaces.
- Boracol 20-2 is not to be used on wood which is in direct ground contact.
- Boracol 20-2 is not to be used in animal rearing or farrowing pens.

Applications:

- Apply Boracol 20-2 to wood which is free of paint and other impermeable coatings. If a finish is to be applied over Boracol 20-2 be sure it is compatible.
- Remove structurally unsound timbers if possible prior to treatment.
- Cover all electrical equipment to prevent Boracol entering electrical panels, boxes junctions, switches, water heaters, etc. Remove insulation from contact with the wood to be treated.
- Boracol 20-2 can be used for the initial treatment of new structures and for the remedial treatment of existing wood structures where fungi and wood boring insects may become established. Examples include: attics, ventilated crawl spaces, exterior decorative skirtages and siding which is protected from direct rain fall.

Boracol 20-2 is a clear solution of 19.6 percent disodium octaborate tetrahydrate in propylene glycol and water. The product is designed to be applied full strength and should not be diluted. Apply to wood surface until refusal has occurred.

The product will diffuse into wood. The rate and depth of penetration is somewhat dependent on time and the moisture content of wood. A depth of 3-5 mm penetration can be expected with greater penetration occurring with time.

Boracol is an effective fungal and insect preventative treatment. Boracol 20-2 is also effective for the remedial treatment of wood against established fungi and insect colonies. The product efficacy is dependent on the active ingredient contacting the fungi or insects and must be taken up by them in their wood destroying activities.

A level of 0.1 percent boric acid equivalent in wood is required for insect control. Insect colonies may exist deep in wood structures for several years (3-5). Remedial treatments of Boracol 20-2 will help control insects as they emerge and will reduce the likelihood of re-infestation.

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

COVERAGE, GUIDELINES

- Rough sawn timber (brush): 1 litre to approx. 3 m² surface
 - Smooth prepared timber (brush): 1 litre to approx. 3-4 m² surface
 - By spray (either rough or smooth surface): 1 litre to approx. 3-4 m² surface.
- If the wood is already attacked by fungi or insects, it may absorb more per m²*

CLEANING

Ordinary tap water will clean tools, etc., equipment and spillages.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT HAZARD TO HUMAN AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed and absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

FIRST AID

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. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for treatment advice.
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 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.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

In case of emergency call 1-800-566-6844

Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor or going in for treatment.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, ocean and other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. This pesticide is toxic to fish. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office or the EPA."

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Keep container closed. Store in cool well-ventilated area away from source of ignition and incompatible materials.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on or at an approved waste disposal facility. Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple rinse or equivalent. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose off in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

NOTICE TO BUYER:

Seller's guarantee shall be limited to the terms set out on this label and subject thereto, the buyer assumes the risk to persons or product from the use or handling of this product and accepts the products on that condition.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
- EPA Letter Dated:

MAY - 5 2004

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide, registered under EPA Reg. No. 73722-1

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