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Attached please find the environmental fa	te review of:	
Reg./File No.: 82-CA-92		
Chemical: Bayleton		
Type Product: Fungicide		
Product Name: Bayleton 50 WP		
Company Name: CDFA		
Submission Purpose: Use on cucurbit powdery mildew - rotational		
crop problem?		
ZBB Code: Sec. 18	ACTION CODE: 510	
Date in: 8/12/82	EFB # 431	
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Ecological Effects Branch		
Residue Chemistry Branch		
Toxicology Branch		

1.0 INTRODUCTION

The California Department of Food and Agriculture has requested a specific exemption to use Bayleton 50 WP on cucurbits for control of powdery mildew. No more than 29,625 pounds active ingredient will be used over 79,000 acres.

2.0 Bayleton

 $1-(4-\text{chlorophenoxy})-3,3-\text{dimethyl-}1-(1\underline{H}-1,2,4-\text{triazol-}1-y1)-2-\text{butanone}$

- 3.0 CONCLUSIONS and RECOMMENDATIONS
- 3.1 EFB concurs with the granting of the emergency exemption.
- 3.2 The EFB review of June 11, 1982 addressed the Bayleton rotational crop issue. The conclusions/recommendations reached in that review are repeated below:
 - l. Definitive amounts of Bayleton and some of its degradation products were identified in the $^{14}\mathrm{C}$ rotational crop study. In addition, some of the cold studies showed higher residues at longer intervals than those found in the $^{14}\mathrm{C}$ studies.
 - 2. Considering all the rotational crop data, the following crop rotation restrictions can be supported:

"Small grains - Small grains may be planted 4 months after application but only the grain may be used for food or feed. Alternately, small grains may be planted 1 year after application."

"Root crops - Root crops may be planted 4 months after application but the tops may not be used for food or feed. Alternately, root crops may be planted 1 year after application."

3. The data do not support any interval on leafy vegetables. A rotational crop study conducted under use conditions is needed.

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