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Attached, please find the EAB review of:

Reg./File # : 100-607, 628, 629

Chemical Name : Metalaxyl

Type Product : Fungicide

Product Name : Ridomil

Company Name : Ciba-Geigy

Purpose : Review new label

MRID : _____

Date Received : 6/02/88 Action Code: 335

Date Completed: _____ EAB #(s): 80799-800-801

Monitoring study requested: _____ Total Reviewing Time: 0.5 days

Monitoring study volunteered: _____

Deferrals to: _____ Ecological Effects Branch
_____ Residue Chemistry Branch
_____ Toxicology Branch

1. CHEMICAL: Metalaxyl, Ridomil, N-(2,6-dimethylphenyl)-N-(methoxyacetyl)-alanine methyl ester
2. TEST MATERIAL: N/A
3. STUDY /ACTION TYPE: Review revised label.
4. STUDY IDENTIFICATION: N/A
5. REVIEWED BY:
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7. CONCLUSIONS: The revised label is for the addition of tolerances in or on the grass forage, fodder and hay and the nongrass animal feeds crop groupings when grown as rotational crops to metalaxyl target crops. Also, it is unclear whether this request is for a new use or a revised use on sugar beets and legume vegetables. EAB cannot recommend new uses for metalaxyl until the groundwater issue (discussed in the EAB FRSTR document, 7/9/87) is resolved. Tolerances for rotational crops are the purview of Residue Chemistry Branch.
8. RECOMMENDATIONS: See Conclusions above.
9. BACKGROUND: The EAB chapter of the Metalaxyl FRSTR (submitted on 7/9/87) requested a field retrospective leaching study.
10. DISCUSSION OF INDIVIDUAL TESTS AND STUDIES: N/A
11. COMPLETION OF ONE-LINER: N/A
12. CBI APPENDIX: None.