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PREVENTION, PESTICIDES  
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

JAN 31 2002

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Subject: Thiabendazole RC,  
EPA Reg. No. 100-963,  
Amendment dated October 4, 2001.

Dear Ms Rezaaiyan:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable provided the following changes are made:

1. Reinstate the First Aid Statements for, "If in eyes." Please note that the First Aid Statements for all routes of exposure have been revised. See PR Notice 2001-1 for these statements and compliance date of October 1, 2003, for making these revisions.
2. Revise the glove statement in the precautionary section from, "rubber gloves" to "chemical resistant gloves."

The label for the alternate brand name Thiabendazole MF has not been reviewed. All precautionary statements, restriction, limitation and ingredient statement for this label must be identical to the master label, Thiabendazole RC. The alternate brand name was approved through the notification process on January 31, 2001 and copy of this label is in the file for this product.

The revised basic confidential statement of formulation (CSF) dated March 1, 2001 is acceptable. This CSF supercedes all other previously accepted basic formulations. A copy of this CSF has been placed in the file for this product.

Please submit one (1) copy of your final printed label before releasing the product for shipment. If the conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subjected to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA Section 6 (e). Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended labeling constitute acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Tara Chand-Goyal at (703) 308-8257.

Sincerely yours,

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Cynthia L. Giles-Parker  
Product Manager (22)  
Fungicide Branch  
Registration Division (7505C)

Attachment: Label stamped "ACCEPTED" with comments

(Domestic)

Thiabendazole Technical RC

Fungicide

For use only in the manufacture of EPA registered fungicides

Active Ingredient:	
Thiabendazole (CAS No. 148-79-8) .....	99.5%
Other Ingredients:	0.5%
Total:	100.0%

EPA Reg. No. 100-963

EPA Est. 39578-TX-1

Product of India

Product I.D. 30827

50 pounds Net Weight  
U.S. Standard Measure

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

**CAUTION**

See additional precautionary statements at end of label.

**ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
In EPA Letter Dated:  
JAN 31 2002**

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

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<b>FIRST AID</b>	
<b>If swallowed</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call a physician or Poison Control Center.</li> <li>• Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger.</li> <li>• Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
<b>If on skin</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wash with plenty of soap and water.</li> </ul>
<b>If inhaled</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth.</li> </ul>
<p>Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.</p>	
<p><b>HOT LINE NUMBER</b></p> <p>For 24 Hour Medical Emergency Assistance (Human or Animal)  Or Chemical Emergency Assistance (Spill, Leak, Fire or Accident),  Call  <b>1-800-888-8372</b></p>	

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**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

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**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wear rubber gloves and protective clothing when handling. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**Environmental Hazards**

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or other waters, unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination 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. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

**CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITATION OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY**

**NOTICE:** Read the entire Directions for Use and Conditions of Sale and Limitation of Warranty and Liability before buying or using this product. If the terms are not acceptable, return the product at once, unopened, and the purchase price will be refunded.

The Directions for Use of this product should be followed carefully. It is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as manner of use or application, weather or crop conditions, presence of other materials or other influencing factors in the use of the product, which are beyond the control of SYNGENTA CROP PROTECTION, Inc. or Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by Buyer and User, and Buyer and User agree to hold SYNGENTA and Seller harmless for any claims relating to such factors.

SYNGENTA warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated in the Directions for Use, subject to the inherent risks referred to above, when used in accordance with directions under normal use conditions. This warranty does not extend to the use of the product contrary to label instructions, or under abnormal conditions or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to or beyond the control of Seller or SYNGENTA, and Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. SYNGENTA MAKES NO WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE.

In no event shall SYNGENTA or Seller be liable for any incidental, consequential or special damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. **THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF THE USER OR BUYER, AND THE EXCLUSIVE LIABILITY OF SYNGENTA AND SELLER FOR ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, LOSSES, INJURIES OR DAMAGES (INCLUDING CLAIMS BASED ON BREACH OF WARRANTY, CONTRACT, NEGLIGENCE, TORT, STRICT LIABILITY OR OTHERWISE) RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT, SHALL BE THE RETURN OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF THE PRODUCT OR, AT THE ELECTION OF SYNGENTA OR SELLER, THE REPLACEMENT OF THE PRODUCT.**

SYNGENTA and Seller offer this product, and Buyer and User accept it, subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Limitations of Warranty and of Liability, which may not be modified except by written agreement signed by a duly authorized representative of SYNGENTA.

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. This product is for the manufacture of EPA registered fungicides only and is not for resale under this label.

### **Instructions to Formulators**

This technical product may be used only for the manufacture of EPA registered fungicides for use on the following: apples, bananas, carrots, citrus, fruits, Hubbard squash, mushrooms, papaya, pears, potatoes, sweet potatoes, tobacco, wheat, and elm and sycamore tree injection. This product may be used to formulate products for specific use(s) not listed on this label if the formulator, user group, or grower has complied with U.S. EPA data submission requirements regarding the support of such use(s). Formulators using this product are responsible for obtaining EPA registration for their formulated products.

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### **STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

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Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Store in a cool, dry place.

#### **Pesticide Disposal**

Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

#### **Container Disposal**

Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of liner and fiber drum in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by state and local authorities.

For minor spills, leaks, etc., follow all precautions indicated on this label and clean up immediately. Take special care to avoid contamination of equipment and facilities during cleanup procedures and disposal of wastes. In the event of a major spill, fire, or other emergency, call 1-800-888-8372, day or night.

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For non-emergency (e.g., current product information) call  
Syngenta Crop Protection at 1-800-334-9481.

Product of India

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7/1/01 – Change CAS to 99.5, other to 0.5

10/3/01 – Revise EPA Est. & Product ID