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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES, AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

June 1, 2009

Patrick McCain Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. P.O. Box 18300 Greensboro, NC 27419

Dear Mr. McCain:

Subject:

Amended label to add restriction to potato use and update storage and disposal

CruiserMaxx<sup>™</sup> Potato Insecticide and Fungicide

EPA Reg. No. 100-1248

Your submission dated March 10, 2009; resubmission dated May 28, 2009

The proposed labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, is acceptable with the following comments:

• Move the sentence "User is responsible for ensuring that the seed bag meets all requirements under the Federal Seed Act" so it appears directly before the sentence beginning with, "In addition..."

A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Please submit two copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. If you have any questions, please contact Julie Chao by phone at: (703) 308-8735, or by email at: chao.julie@epa.gov.

Regards,

Venus Eagle

Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch Registration Division (7505P)

Enclosure

### (booklet)

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Total:

See additional precautionary statements and directions for use in booklet.

EPA Reg. No. 100-1248 EPA Est. XXXXX

SCP 1248A-M(draft-d) [1 gal., 2.5 gal.]

SCP 1248A-ML(draft-d) [15 gal., 120 gal.]

1 gallon 2.5 gallons 15 gallons \_\_\_\_ gallons

**Net Contents** 

ACCEPTED
With COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated:
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100.00%

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, As amended, for the pesticide Registered under EPA Reg. No:

100-1248

<sup>\*</sup>CAS No. 153719-23-4 \*\*CAS No. 131341-86-1

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# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

# **Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**

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1-800-888-8372

Harmful if swallowed. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling, and before eating, drinking, chewing gum or using tobacco.

### Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are listed below. If you want more options, follow the instructions for Category C on an EPA chemical resistance category selection chart.

# Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves (such as barrier laminate, butyl rubber ≥ 14 mils, nitrile rubber ≥ 14 mils, neoprene rubber ≥ 14 mils, polyvinyl chloride [PVC] ≥ 14 mils or Viton® ≥ 14 mils, section category C)
- Shoes plus socks

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions exist for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

### **Engineering Control Statements**

When handlers use closed systems in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

### **User Safety Recommendations**

#### Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

# **Environmental Hazards**

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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. To the extent permitted by applicable law: (1) this warranty does not extend to the use of the product contrary to label instructions, or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to or beyond the control of Seller or SYNGENTA, and (2) Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, SYNGENTA MAKES NO WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY EXCEPT AS WARRANTED BY THIS LABEL

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### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

### AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restrictedentry interval (REI) of 12 hours. Exception: If the seed is treated with the product and the treated seed is soil-injected or soil-incorporated, the Worker Protection Standard, under certain circumstances, allows workers to enter the treated area if there will be no contact with anything that has been treated.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker-Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water is:

- Coveralls
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FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS FOR USE AND PRECAUTIONS ON THIS LABEL MAY RESULT IN CROP INJURY, POOR INSECT AND/OR DISEASE CONTROL, AND/OR ILLEGAL RESIDUES.

Treatment of highly mechanically scarred, bruised, or damaged seed or seed pieces, or seed known to be of low vigor and poor quality, except for the purpose of curative control of existing disease pests, may result in reduced germination and/or reduction of seed and seedling vigor. Treat a small quantity of seed using equipment similar to that

planned for treating the total seed lot. Conduct germination tests on a small portion of seed before committing the total seed lot to a selected seed treatment. Due to seed quality and seed storage conditions beyond the control of Syngenta, no claims are made to guarantee the germination of carry-over seed or propagating material for all crop seed.

Follow recommended Syngenta minimum germination guidelines and seed carryover recommendations when treating seed lots.

#### **USE INFORMATION**

CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide seed treatment contains the active ingredients of thiamethoxam insecticide and fludioxonil fungicide.

Thiamethoxam is a systemic seed treatment insecticide belonging to the neoticotinoid class of chemistry. Thiamethoxam protects against certain chewing and sucking insects through contact and ingestion. These insects include: green peach aphids, Colorado potato beetles, flea beetles, leafhoppers, leaf miners, psyllids and whiteflies. When rate ranges are given, use higher rates when insect pressure is expected to be high.

Fludioxonil protects against damage from certain soil-borne and seed-borne diseases of crop plants. Fludioxonil is active against *Fusarium* dry rot seed decay, seed-borne *Rhizoctonia* that causes stem canker and tuber black scurf and seed-borne *Helminthosporium solani*, the causal agent of silver scurf diseases on potato tubers.

CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide does not control bacterial disease or diseases present within the seed.

CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide is to be used as an integral part of a potato pest management strategy. This strategy includes the use of high quality certified seed, proper crop rotation, insect population thresholds, appropriate control measures, optimal harvest time for tubers and proper handling of tubers without bruising. Consult your local agricultural extension agent for more detailed information on insect management practices.

The expected length of protection against the labeled pests is dependent upon the rate used, accurate application of the products to ensure the seed tubers receive the target rate of the active ingredients. Consult your local Syngenta representative or dealer for information relative to your area.

### SEED BAG LABEL REQUIREMENTS

Federal law requires that bags containing treated seeds shall be labeled with the following statements:

- This seed has been treated with thiamethoxam insecticide and fludioxonil fungicide.
- Do not use for feed, food, or oil purposes.

In addition, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency requires the following statements on bags containing seeds treated with CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide:

- Store away from feeds and foodstuffs.
- Wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants and chemical resistant gloves when handling treated seed.
- User is responsible for ensuring that the seed bag meets all requirements under the Federal Seed Act.
- Treated seeds exposed on soil surface may be hazardous to wildlife. Cover or collect treated seeds spilled during loading.
- Dispose of all excess treated seed.
- Do not contaminate water bodies when disposing of planting equipment wash waters.
- Dispose of seed packaging in accordance with local requirements.
- In the event of a crop failure or harvest of a crop grown from CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide treated seed, the field may be replanted immediately to barley, canola, corn, cotton, cucurbit vegetables, fruiting vegetables, legume vegetables (including soybeans), mint (peppermint and spearmint), oil seed crops (rapeseed, Indian rapeseed, Indian mustard seed, field mustard seed, black mustard seed, flax seed, safflower seed, crambe seed and borage seed), root vegetables (except sugar beets), sorghum, strawberry, sunflowers, tobacco, tuberous and corm vegetables and wheat. For any other crop, the minimum plantback interval is 120 days from the date CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide treated seed was planted. A cover crop other than the crops listed above that is planted for erosion control or soil improvement may be planted sooner than the 120 day interval; however, the crop may not be grazed or harvested for food or feed.
- Do not allow children, pets, or livestock to have access to treated seed.
- Dispose of all excess treated seed. Leftover treated seed may be doublesown around the headland or buried away from water sources in accordance with local requirements. Do not contaminate water bodies when disposing of planting equipment washwaters.
- Do not use at a rate that will result in more than 0.266 lb. thiamethoxam per acre (120.66 grams a.i./A) per season.
- Treated seed must be planted into the soil at a depth greater than 1 inch.

 Do not make any soil or foliar application of products containing thiamethoxam to potatoes grown from seed treated with CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide.

### MIXING PROCEDURES

**Important:** Always re-circulate CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide thoroughly before using.

Apply CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide seed treatment using only Syngenta approved equipment that is designed to apply liquid seed treatments to potatoes. Follow the equipment manufacturers' instructions for set-up and calibration.

CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide will require dilution prior to atomization and application to potatoes (see equipment use instructions).

Under certain disease conditions, additional amounts (see **CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide Rate Table**) of Maxim 4FS fungicide may be mixed with the CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide seed treatment and applied through a calibrated liquid seed treater.

Thoroughly mix the specified amount of CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide and any additional Maxim 4FS into the required of water for the dilution rate required.

Other tank mix partners may be used with CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide; however, the user must consider the use rate, formulation, seed and crop safety factors and compatibility of each product to be mixed when determining total application volume.

The total quantity of water and product volume must be adjusted based upon the amount of seed moved under the hood. It is mandatory that the equipment be calibrated to deliver a maximum of 4 fluid ounces of mixture per 100 pounds of seed consistently. Applying excess moisture may predispose the seed to rotting, resulting in poor emergence and stand.

#### **APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

**Note**: If inert dust (fir bark, talc, etc.) or a dust-based fungicide is to be applied, apply the CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide seed treatment before applying the dust.

Registered dust based fungicides can be applied as a supplemental treatment after the CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide application. Follow label instructions for these products and ensure that the maximum allowable rates for an active ingredient are not exceeded.

Apply CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide seed treatment only in well ventilated areas.

Ensure that spray nozzles are properly hooded and shielded to prevent spray from moving off target.

Apply the mixture as a fine spray over the cut or whole seed tubers.

#### **CROP USE DIRECTIONS**

### CRUISERMAXX POTATO INSECTICIDE AND FUNGICIDE RATE TABLE

Seeding Rate 100 lbs./A	Fluid Ounces of CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide per 100 lbs. of Potato Seed Tubers	Volume of Maxim 4FS Needed to Attain 2.5 Grams a.i. (Fludioxonil) per 100 kg.
Less than 22	0.22 – 0.27 fl. oz.	0.03 – 0.04 fl.oz.
22 – 25	0.19 – 0.23 fl. oz.	0.04 – 0.05 fl. oz
26 – 30	0.19 fl. oz.	0.05 fl. oz.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rates shown are for standard 2.5 ounce seed pieces sizes.

**Note:** for all other seed sizes or seeding rate make sure you do not apply more than a total or 0.125 lbs. active ingredient (thiamethoxam)/A.

### **Treated Seed Storage**

If the treated tubers need to be stored or held for a few days, make sure that there is adequate cool air (60 degrees Fahrenheit) movement through the pile of cut seed potatoes at a relative humidity of 85 – 90%. Cut and treated seed should not be piled above 6 feet in height. Best results are obtained if potatoes are planted immediately after treatment with CruiserMaxx Potato Insecticide and Fungicide. When transporting cut and treated seed, make sure the seed is covered.

### **ROTATIONAL RESTRICTIONS**

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### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

### **Pesticide Storage**

Store in a cool, dry place. Storage for extended periods above 90°F is not recommended.

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.

## Pesticide Disposal

Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. If these wastes cannot be used 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 in proper disposal methods.

### Container Handling (<5 gallons)

Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. 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. Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

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# CONTAINER IS NOT SAFE FOR FOOD, FEED, OR DRINKING WATER!

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

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SCP 1248A-M(draft-c) [1 gal., 2.5 gal.] SCP 1248A-M(draft-c) [15 gal., 120 gal.]

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1 gallon

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**Net Contents** 

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Product ID XXXXX

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### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

### **Pesticide Storage**

Store in a cool, dry place. Storage for extended periods above 90°F is not recommended.

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.

## **Pesticide Disposal**

Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. If these wastes cannot be used 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 in proper disposal methods.

### Container Handling (> 5 gallons)

Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. 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 ½ full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other side and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use and disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

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