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Syngenta crop Protection, Inc.  
P.O. Box 18300  
Greensboro, N.C. 37419  
Attention: Garrett B. Schifilliti

**Subject: AZOTECH**  
EPA Registration No. 100-1258  
Notification Dated August 7, 2007

This will acknowledge receipt of your notification indicating an addition of a 264 gallon package size to the label, submitted under the provisions of FIFRA Section 3(c)(9). Based on a review of the submitted material, the following comments apply.


The Notification dated August 7, 2007 is in compliance with PR Notice 98-10 and is acceptable. This information has been added to your file.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marshall Swindell".

Marshall Swindell  
Product Manager (33)  
Regulatory Management Branch 1  
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

	United States <b>Environmental Protection Agency</b> Washington, DC 20460	<input type="checkbox"/> Registration <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	OPP Identifier Number <b>NOTIFICATION</b>
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**Application for Pesticide - Section I**

1. Company/Product Number  100-1258	2. EPA Product Manager  Marshall Swindell	3. Proposed Classification  <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) AzoTech™	PM# 33	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. P. O. Box 18300 Greensboro, NC 27419  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. <b>Expedited Review.</b> In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to:  EPA Reg. No. _____  Product Name _____	

**Section - II**

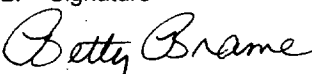
<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment - Explain below.  <input type="checkbox"/> Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notification - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____ <input type="checkbox"/> "Me Too" Application.  <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Explain below.
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**Explanation:** Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For Section I and Section II.)  
 This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR Notice 98-10 and EPA regulations at 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling or the confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms of PR Notice 98-10 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.  
 Per PR Notice 98-10, Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. is providing a Notification and copies of the AzoTech label indicating an addition of a package size. We plan to produce a 264 gallon package size in 2007 and have added that size to our current label. Three copies of the label with the 264 gallons net content size highlighted are attached. This is the only change made to this label. Syngenta respectfully requests that this Notification be accepted with the attached self-addressed return postcard by September 30, 2007 to allow printing of labels for the 2007 use season.

**Section - III**

<b>1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:</b>			
Child-Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes* <input type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	2. Type of Container <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Paper <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____
*Certification must be submitted If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt.    No. per Container		If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt.    No. per container	
3. Location of Net Contents Information  <input type="checkbox"/> Label <input type="checkbox"/> Container	4. Size(s) Retail Container	5. Location of Label Directions <input type="checkbox"/> On Label <input type="checkbox"/> On Labeling accompanying product	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input type="checkbox"/> Lithograph <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Paper glued <input type="checkbox"/> Stenciled			

**Section - IV**

<b>1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)</b>		
Name Betty Brame	Title Regulatory Specialist	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 333-632-466
Certification I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.		6. Date Application Received (Stamped)
2. Signature 	3. Title  Regulatory Specialist	
4. Typed Name Betty Brame	5. Date August 7, 2007	

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August 7, 2007

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Arlington, VA 22202

Attention: Mr. Marshall Swindell, PM Team 33

Dear Mr. Swindell:

**SUBJECT: AZOTECH™  
EPA REG. NO. 100-1258  
NOTIFICATION OF ADDITION OF PACKAGE SIZE**

Per PR Notice 98-10, Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. is providing a Notification and copies of the AzoTech label indicating an addition of a package size. We plan to produce a 264 gallon package size in 2007 and have added that size to our current label. Three copies of the label with the 264 gallons net content size highlighted are attached. This is the only change made to this label. Syngenta respectfully requests that this Notification be accepted with the attached self-addressed return postcard by September 30, 2007 to allow printing of labels for the 2007 use season.

To complete this notification, EPA Form 8570-1 is also enclosed. If you have any questions, please contact me at 336-632-7466.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty Brame  
Regulatory Specialist

Enclosures

(264 Gallon Refillable)  
PSL

**AzoTech™**  
**For Industrial Use Only**

**AzoTech** is a formulation of two fungicides acting synergistically to inhibit the growth of many fungi associated with odors, staining, discoloration, and general biodeterioration caused by molds and mildew. This product is not intended to protect users or others against food-borne or disease causing organisms.

**Active Ingredients:**

Azoxystrobin: methyl(E)-2-{2-[6-(2-cyanophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yloxy]phenyl}-3-methoxyacrylate* .....	15.0%
Thiabendazole: 2-(thiazol-4-yl)benzimidazole* .....	19.5%
<b>Other Ingredients:</b>	<b>65.5%</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Contains 1.5 lb. azoxystrobin and 1.9 lb. thiabendazole per gallon; total 3.4 lb. active ingredient per gallon.

AzoTech weighs 9.84 lb. per gallon.

\*IUPAC (International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry designation)

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

**CAUTION**

See additional precautionary statements and directions for use described below or inside booklet.

Reformulation is prohibited. See individual container labels for repackaging limitations.

EPA Reg. No. 100-1258

EPA Est. 100-NE-001

Formulated in the USA

Product ID 36042 (264 gallons)

SCP 1258A-L5A 0107 [264 gallon] (2,600 pounds)

264 gallons  
(2,600 pounds)  
Net Contents

<b>FIRST AID</b>	
<b>If on skin or clothing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>• Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
<b>If in eyes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>• Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
<b>If swallowed</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>• Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>• Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>• Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
<b>If inhaled</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>• If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.	
<b>HOTLINE NUMBER</b> 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>	

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**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

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**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Applicators and other handlers must wear:**

- Long-sleeved shirts and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material; such as polyvinyl chloride, nitrile rubber or butyl rubber.
- Shoes plus socks

### **Environmental Hazards**

This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. 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. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

Notify State and/or Federal authorities and Syngenta immediately if you observe any adverse environmental effects due to use of this product.

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

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**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. Ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as manner of use or application, 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. To the fullest extent allowed by State law, 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 this product contrary to label instructions, 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.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, SYNGENTA or Seller shall not 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 Limitation of Warranty and 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.

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#### GENERAL INFORMATION

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AzoTech is a formulation of two fungicides which act synergistically to inhibit the growth of many fungi associated with odors, staining, discoloration, and general biodeterioration caused by mold and mildew fungi. AzoTech can be applied to, or impregnated in, paper, wallboard, gypsum, paperboard, water-based paints, stains and coatings, caulks, sealants, adhesives, textiles, rubber and plastics. AzoTech is not intended to protect users or others against food-borne or disease causing organisms. AzoTech is not for use in food or feed handling areas.

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#### MANUFACTURING USE DIRECTIONS FOR INCORPORATION INTO MATERIALS

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Do not use this product in the production of pulp and paper that will contact food.

#### PAPER, WALLBOARD (DRYWALL AND GYPSUM BOARD) AND PAPERBOARD PRODUCTS

AzoTech may be used to protect wallboard, paper, and paperboard products which do not come into contact with food. Examples of paper products which are unlikely to be used in food contact and which may be protected with AzoTech are wallboard paper, insulation backing, newsprint, photographic paper, and drawing paper.

Add AzoTech with thorough agitation at any time during the formulation and manufacturing procedure to components of drywall. Add AzoTech to the white water, size press, or water box at a rate of 3.3 to 13.3 pounds of formulated product per ton of dry paper. The amounts of active ingredient (in parts per million, ppm) corresponding to different product addition rates are shown in the table below:

<b>Parts per million (ppm) AzoTech active ingredients corresponding to recommended addition rates to dry paper</b>				
	<b>Pounds AzoTech per ton dry paper:</b>			
	<b>3.3 lb.</b>	<b>6.7 lb.</b>	<b>10.0 lb.</b>	<b>13.3 lb.</b>
Azoxystrobin	248 ppm	503 ppm	751 ppm	939 ppm
Thiabendazole	322 ppm	654 ppm	976 ppm	1298 ppm

Regardless of application method, the maximum rate of application shall not exceed 13.3 pounds of product per ton of dry paper.



AzoTech may be applied to the gypsum core of wallboard to inhibit the growth of fungi. Apply 0.33 to 1.00 pounds of formulated product per 1000 pounds of dry gypsum.

### **CEILING TILES**

To inhibit the growth of fungi in ceiling tiles and in mineral-based materials used in the manufacture of ceilings, add 0.3 to 2.2% AzoTech based upon weight of the wet slurry. AzoTech can be added at any time during the formulation procedure.

### **WATER-BASED PAINTS, STAINS, AND COATINGS**

AzoTech will provide dry film protection against mold and mildew fungi which attack aqueous (water-based) paints, stains, and coatings. Testing should be conducted to confirm compatibility of AzoTech with specific products. Recommended AzoTech addition rates are dependent upon the individual formulation and the expected environmental hazard and exposure conditions. Add AzoTech at rates from 0.2% to 2.0% by weight of finished product.

### **LATEX CAULKS, SEALANTS, ADHESIVES AND BINDERS**

AzoTech will inhibit fungal molds and mildews in latex caulks, sealants, adhesives, and binders. AzoTech can be applied to joint compounds, ceramic tile adhesives, adhesives for wall covering, adhesive emulsions, acrylic, polyvinyl acrylic and silicone-based interior and exterior sealants, carpet backing adhesives and air filter binders. Sufficient mixing to ensure adequate dispersion is required. To inhibit fungal growth, AzoTech should be added at levels between 0.1% and 2.0% by weight of finished product. AzoTech cannot be used in food grade coatings, adhesives, paper or paperboard which will come into contact with food.

### **NATURAL AND SYNTHETIC FIBERS - TEXTILES, FABRICS, CANVAS AND CORDAGE (NOT FOR APPAREL)**

AzoTech will inhibit molds and mildews which cause odors and stains on products such as canvas, cordage, filters, shower curtains and drapes. AzoTech also protects building materials such as awnings, boat covers, carpets (carpet backing only), cordage, tents, tarpaulins and wall-covering yarn. To inhibit fungal growth, AzoTech should be added at levels between 0.2% and 1.5% by weight of finished product.

### **RUBBER AND PLASTIC PRODUCTS**

AzoTech is recommended for PVC (polyvinylchloride), polypropylene, polyethylene, polyurethane, rubber, thermoplastic rubber, and other polymeric products, coatings, adhesives, foams, and sealants requiring protection against biodeterioration. Do not use AzoTech in plastics that can be used in the manufacture of food and beverage containers, including plastic piping for carrying water or beverages and piping for food processing equipment.

To inhibit fungal growth, AzoTech should be added at levels between 0.5% and 1.5% by weight of finished product. The temperature stability of AzoTech may be influenced by the choice of heat stabilizer and plasticizer in the formulation. Testing should be done to confirm compatibility of AzoTech with specific rubber or plastic products.

**AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS**

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. Refer to supplemental labeling under "Agricultural Use Requirements" in the Directions for Use section for information about this standard.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

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

**Pesticide Storage**

Store in original containers only. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Store in a secure area inaccessible to children and away from food or feed. In case of spill on floor or paved surfaces, mop and remove to chemical waste storage area until proper disposal can be made if product cannot be used according to the label.

**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**

Triple rinse (or equivalent); then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities.

**DO NOT USE CONTAINER FOR FOOD, FEED, OR DRINKING WATER.**

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Syngenta Crop Protection at 1-800-334-9481.

