



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (7505C)
401 "M" St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:
228-288

Date of Issuance:
NOV 4 1994

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:
 X Registration
 Reregistration

Term of Issuance:
Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:
Riverdale Triplet
MC SAF

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):
Riverdale Chemical Company
425 West 194th Street
Glenwood, IL 60425-1584

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 4.
2. Submit an acceptable acute inhalation toxicity study performed with this product within eight (8) months of the date of this Notice. A copy of the review of the original acute inhalation study submitted in connection with this product is included with this letter to provide the specific details on the deficiencies found in that study. If you prefer, the original study is upgradeable with the submission of additional information.
3. Make the following label changes before you release the product for shipment:
 - a. Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 228-288".

Signature of Approving Official:

Date:
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- b. Due to eye irritation, this product requires restricted use classification. Alternatively, a heading may be added to the front panel to read "For Sale To and Use By Professional Personnel Only. Not For Sale To Homeowners."
- c. Rewrite the fourth sentence of the Precautionary Statements to read "Harmful if swallowed, absorbed through skin or inhaled."
- d. Add the statement "Call a physician or Poison Control Center" to the beginning of the "IF SWALLOWED" statement.
- e. Add the following statement to the Statement of Practical Treatment:

"NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate use of gastric lavage."

4. Submit one copy of the revised final printed label for the record before you release the product for shipment.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Joanne I. Miller
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Registration Division (7505C)

Enclosure

DK: 305-7546: FHB/PM23

CONCURRENCES

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RIVERDALE

TRIPLET® MC SAF

Selective Broadleaf Weed Control For Turfgrasses
To Control Dandelion, Clover, Henbit, Plantains, Wild Onion, and
Many Other Broadleaf Weeds

Contains 2,4-D, Mecoprop and Dicamba

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Dimethylamine Salt of 2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid*	10.86%
Dimethylamine Salt of 2-(2-Methyl-4-Chlorophenoxy)propionic Acid**	37.81%
Dimethylamine Salt of Dicamba(3,6-Dichloro-o-anisic Acid)***	4.62%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	46.71%
TOTAL	100.00%

Isomer Specific AOAC Method, Equivalent to:

*2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid	9.02%	0.86 lbs./gal.
**2-(2-Methyl-4-Chlorophenoxy)propionic Acid	31.25%	2.96 lbs./gal.
***3,6-Dichloro-o-anisic Acid	3.84%	0.36 lbs./gal.

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER - PELIGRO

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que
se la explique a usted en detalle.

**SEE SIDE PANELS FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
AND STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT**

EPA REG. NO. 228-E11

NET CONTENTS GALS.

EPA EST. NO. 228-IL-1

MANUFACTURED BY

RIVERDALE CHEMICAL COMPANY

GLENWOOD, ILLINOIS 60425-1584

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated

NOV 4 1994

Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.
228-288

(Side Panels)

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

DANGER - PELIGRO

Corrosive, causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes, or on skin or clothing. Avoid inhalation of spray mists. Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Wear face shield or goggles and long pants, long-sleeved shirt, socks, shoes and rubber gloves when mixing, loading or applying this product. In addition to the clothing and eye protection listed above, commercial mixers/loaders must wear chemical resistant in place of rubber gloves except when the product is to be applied to a golf course. After using this product, rinse gloves before removing, remove clothing and launder separately before reuse, and promptly and thoroughly wash hands and exposed skin with soap and water. Remove saturated clothing as soon as possible and shower. The maximum number of broadcast applications per treatment site is 2 per year. Do not allow people (other than applicator) or pets on treatment area during application. Do not enter treatment areas until spray has dried.

If this container is over one gallon and less than five gallons, then persons engaged in open pouring of this product must also wear coveralls or a chemical resistant apron. If this container is five gallons or more in capacity, then a mechanical system (probe and pump) must be used for transferring the contents of this container. If the contents of a non-refillable pesticide container are emptied, the probe must be rinsed before removal.

Please see additional Precautionary Statements in Directions For Use instructions.

STATEMENTS OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF IN EYES: Hold eyelids open and flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention at once.

IF SWALLOWED: Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg whites, gelatin solution, or if these are not available drink large quantities of water. Get medical attention. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If irritation develops, get medical attention.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. Get medical attention.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Drift or runoff may adversely affect aquatic invertebrates and non-target plants. Do not apply directly to water or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from target area. Clean and rinse spray equipment using soap or detergent and water, and rinse thoroughly before reuse for other spraying. When cleaning equipment, do not pour the washwater on the ground; spray or drain over a large area away from wells and other water sources. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system. Do not contaminate domestic or irrigation waters.

Most cases of groundwater contamination involving phenoxy herbicides such as 2,4-D and MCPP have been associated with mixing/loading and disposal sites. Caution should be exercised when handling these herbicides at such sites to prevent contamination of groundwater supplies. Use of closed systems for mixing or transferring this pesticide will reduce the probability of spills. Placement of the mixing/loading equipment on an impervious pad to contain spills will help prevent groundwater contamination.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT. USE STRICTLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS AND DIRECTIONS.

Triplet® MC SAF is for use on Lawns, Turf, Golf Courses, (Fairways, Aprons, Tees and Roughs), Parks, Cemeteries and similar non-crop areas. Not for use on turf being grown for sale or other commercial use as sod, or for commercial seed production, or for research purposes.

USE PRECAUTIONS

Avoid mist to vegetables, flowers, ornamentals, shrubs, trees and other desirable plants. Do not pour spray solutions near these plants. Do not spray on carpetgrass, dichondra nor on lawns or turf where desirable clovers are present. Avoid fine mists. Except as noted, use only lawn-type sprayers. Coarse sprays are less likely to "wind-drift". Use coarse spray droplets. Do not spray roots of ornamentals and trees. Do not exceed specified dosages for any area; be particularly careful within the dripline of trees and other species. Do not apply to newly seeded grasses until well established. Do not spray when air temperature exceeds 90°F. Avoid applying during excessively dry or hot periods unless irrigation is used. For optimum results: (1) turf should not be mowed for 1 to 2 days before and after application; (2) do not apply if rainfall is expected within 48 hours; nor should lawns be irrigated (watered) for 48 hours following application. Reseed no sooner than three to four weeks after application of this product. Failure to observe all precautions may result in injury to turf and/or susceptible plants.

Triplet MC SAF Herbicide can be mixed with some liquid fertilizers or liquid iron materials. Because liquid fertilizer and liquid iron differ in pH, free ammonia content, density, salt concentration, and percentage of water, a compatibility test is recommended prior to mixing in application equipment. All regulations, either State or Federal, relating to the application of liquid fertilizers or liquid iron and this product must be strictly followed.

WEEDS CONTROLLED

Bedstraw	Dock	Morningglory
Black medic	Ground ivy	Peppergrass
Buckhorn	Healall	Pigweed
Burdock	Henbit	Plantain
Chicory	Knotweed	Poison ivy
Chickweed	Lambsquarters	Poison oak
Clover	Lespedeza	Purslane
Dandelion	Mallow	Ragweed
Sheep sorrel	Spurge	Wild lettuce
Shepherdspurse	Wild carrot	Wild onion
Speedwell	Wild garlic	Yarrow

and other broadleaf weeds.

ORNAMENTAL LAWNS AND TURF

APPLICATIONS:

Cool Season Grasses -

RATES:

Use this product at the rate of 3 to 4 pints per acre (1.1 to 1.5 fl. oz. per 1000 sq. ft.).

For Normal Application - Use 40 to 80 gallons of water per acre. (1 to 2 gallons water per 1,000 square ft.)

For Professional Lawn Maintenance - Use 1 to 5 gallons of water per 1,000 square feet. Higher water volumes may be used when tank-mixed with a turf fertilizer. Follow fertilizer labels for proper amounts to add.

Warm Season Grasses -

St. Augustine and Centipede - Apply Triplet MC SAF at a rate of 1 to 1-1/2 pints in 40 to 200 gallons of water per acre. Repeat after 3 weeks if necessary. Use reduced rates if grass is stressed from heat or drought. Exercise care when applying during growth stages from dormancy to green-up and from green-up to dormancy. Some temporary discoloration may occur on these grasses. St. Augustine and Centipede Turfgrasses are sensitive to 2,4-D and great care should be taken to prevent overdosing.

For Bahia, Common Bermuda, and Zoysia grasses - Apply Triplet MC SAF at a maximum rate of 2 to 2-1/2 pints in 40 to 200 gallons of

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water per acre. Use reduced rates if grass is stressed from heat or drought. Exercise care when applying during growth stages from dormancy to green-up and from green-up to dormancy. Some temporary discoloration may occur on warm season grasses.

NOTE: If Bermudagrass is dormant, up to 4 pints per acre may be used. However, some hybrid Bermuda grasses may be sensitive to this product. Contact your local extension service weed control specialist.

Bentgrass:
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On closely mowed Bentgrass (putting and bowling greens), apply product at a maximum rate of one fluid ounce in 5 gal. water per 1,500 square ft. - preferably in May or mid-August through September. Slight turf yellowing will disappear after about one week.

NOTE

Care should be taken to avoid overdosing Bentgrass, St. Augustine, and Centipede grasses or injury may result. Large volumes of spray water (i.e. one fluid ounce in 5 gallons water per 1,500 square feet) will aid in obtaining uniform coverage. If hand-type sprayers are used, it is preferable to use a single nozzle sprayer rather than a multiple nozzle boom as sideways application with a boom where the spray from more than one nozzle is allowed to fall on the same area will result in heavy local over-application and subsequent turf discoloration or injury.

Herbi™ Controlled
Droplet Applicator:

For cool season grasses - add 2 to 3 pints of Triplet MC SAF to the Herbi 5 pint container. Fill balance of container with water. Keeping container agitated, spray entire contents over 33,000 sq. ft. (approx. 3/4 acre). Do not overlap spray patterns.

For listed warm season grasses - add 1.0 to 2 pints of Triplet MC SAF to the Herbi 5 pint container and fill balance of container with water. Follow Herbi spray instructions for cool season grasses. Use reduced rates if grass is stressed from heat, drought, etc.

Other Controlled
Droplet Applicators:
(CDA), atomizers,
and Spinning disk
Applicators:

For cool season grasses - Use Triplet MC SAF at the rate of 3 to 4 pints per acre (1.1 to 1.5 fl. oz. per 1000 sq. ft.) in sufficient water to assure coverage (1 to 4 water per acre is normal for this type of equipment). Do not overlap spray patterns.

For listed warm season grasses - Use 1 to 2-1/2 pints of Triplet MC SAF per acre (.4 to .9 fl. oz. per 1000 sq. ft.) in sufficient water to assure coverage (1 to 4 gal. of water per acre is normal for this type equipment); and follow CDA spray instructions for cool season grasses. Use reduced rates if grass is stressed from heat, drought, etc.

Lower Volume
Equipment

Use as little as 5 gallons water per acre. Use only application equipment that is capable of spreading a uniform droplet, wetting each weed surface. Take special care to prevent overdosing.

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STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Always use original container to store pesticides in a secured warehouse or storage building. Do not store near seeds, fertilizers, insecticides or fungicides. Store at temperatures above 32°F. If allowed to freeze, remix before using. This does not alter this product. Containers should be opened in well ventilated areas. Keep container tightly sealed when not in use. Do not stack cardboard cases more than two pallets high. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

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PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are toxic. If container is damaged or if pesticide has leaked, contain all spillage. Absorb and clean up all spilled material with granules or sand. Place in a closed, labeled container for proper disposal. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixtures or rinsate is a violation of Federal law and may contaminate groundwater. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use 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.

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 approved by State and local authorities. Plastic containers also disposable by incineration, or if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

WARRANTY

Riverdale Chemical Company warrants that this herbicide conforms to the chemical description on its label. When used in accordance with label directions under normal conditions, this herbicide is reasonably fit for its intended purposes. Since timing, method of application, weather, plant and soil conditions, mixtures with other chemicals, and factors affecting the use of this product are beyond our control, no warranty is given concerning the use of this product contrary to label directions or under conditions which are abnormal or not reasonably foreseeable. The user assumes all risks of any such use.

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