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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (H7505C)
401 "M" St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

x Registration
Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

EPA Reg. Number:

Date of Issuance:

239-2651

OCT 01 1996

Term of Issuance: Until Reregistration

Name of Pesticide Product:

Bug-Geta Snail & Slug Pellets

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

The Solaris Group of Monsanto Company P.O. Box 5006 San Ramon, CA 94583-0906

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 confess

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregisteration 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 or other material required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) or FIFRA sec. 4 when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.
- 2. Add the phrase EPA Registration No. "239-2651" to your label before you release the product for shipment.

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- 3. After further consideration we have determined that the claims listed below are either Bitrex related safety claims or claims that imply that this product is somehow safer that other metaldehyde products.
 - a. Delete the clam "....An effective Bittering Agent."
 - b. The Bitrex Logo can only include the phase "Contains Bitrex." The other claims "...the bittest stuff on earth" must be deleted.
- c. Revise the statement "Can be used around Fruits and Vegetables / All around your home/ All areas in the garden" to read "Can be used around all areas of home garden/ around Fruits and Vegetables. Do not allow the pellets to contact the edible portion of any food or feed crop."

Please note: the claims crumble / meal / bait / granular formulation does not agree with the primary name of this product registration (BUG - GETA Snail Slug Pellets).

- 4. The Statement "NEW FORMULATION" must be deleted from the labeling after six (6) months of this of this product registration.
- 5. Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

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.

Sincerely,

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Dennis H. Edwards, Jr. Product Manager 19 Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch Registration Division (7505C)

[ICON] OUTDOOR USE ONLY ORTHO® BUG-GETA® Snail & Slug Pellets [8/29/96] [ORTHO' BUG-GETA Snail & Slug Crumble / Meal / Bait / Granules] Can be used around Fruits and Vegetables / All around your home / All areas in the garden May be used up to harvest New Crumble formulation Improved coverage Kills snails & slugs New "crumble / meal / bait / granule" formulation - goes further Crumble / Meal/ bait/ granule formulation spreads easily through a Whirlybird Multi-Purpose Spreader New ready-to-use formulation / Easier to spread / Spreads farther NEW FORMULATION -TREATS TWICE AS MANY SO FT [8/29/96] Better coverage - rainfast formulation Expanded coverage = more dead snails Improved coverage / Now 1 lb covers up to 2000 sq ft. / Covers 2X as much area Economical to use Finely crushed granule for more even distribution Contains a bittering agent Contains BITREX, AN EFFECTIVE BITTERING AGENT Contains BITREX [LOGO]: Contains Bitrex - the bitterest stuff on earth Contains added bittering ingredient Begins protecting your plants right away from snail & slug damage Protects: Flowers, Fruits, Vegetables, Potted plants, Ornamentals Protects garden plants and flowers from snail & slug damage Kills Snails & Slugs / Stops them in their tracks Controls snails and slugs in areas where they hide Remains effective after rain or sprinkling Guaranteed to stop snail & slug attacking your garden* * or your money back rat commutatives in EPA Lotter Dated 2 lb 4 oz will bait 4,500 sq ft 5 lb will bait 10,000 sq ft OCT 01 1996 Under the Pederal Insecticide, Fongicide, and Redeattedde Act CAN BE USED AROUND FRUITS & VEGETABLES amended, for the posticide registered under EPA Reg. No. Active Ingredient 239-2651 Metaldehyde (2,4,6,8-tetramethyl-1,3,5,7tetraoxycyclo-octane)..... Inert Ingredients..... KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION THIS PESTICIDE MAY BE FATAL TO DOGS OR OTHER PETS IF EATEN. KEEP PETS OUT OF TREATED AREA. See side panel for additional precautionary statements.

NET WT. 2 LBS. 4 OZ./1.02 kg NET WT. 5 LBS. / 2.26 KG NOTE: THIS PACKAGE IS SOLD BY WEIGHT. CONTENTS MAY HAVE SETTLED DURING SHIPMENT. [Back Panel]

Bug-Geta Snail & Slug Pellets; is a new crumble / meal / bait / granule formulation. This product is specially formulated to attract and control/ kill snails & slugs. The finely crushed crumble / meal / bait / granule is easy to use. Apply with Whirlybird Multi-Purpose Spreader. Kills/ Controls snails & slugs protecting / preventing garden plants from damage. Specially formulated for residential use.

BUG-GETA Snail & Slug Pellets, is specially formulated to attract and control snails and slugs. The finely crushed crumble / meal / bait / granules are easy to use. 1 lb of BUG-GETA Snail & Slug Pellets, will bait 2,000 sq ft.

The presence of snails and slugs can be detected by their shiny mucous-like trail. They are night feeders and prefer damp, cool places in the ornamental garden, flower, under boards or flower pots and around fences, hedges, and bushes.

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

DIRECTIONS: Bait areas likely to be infested at the beginning of the spring planting season before damage occurs. Treatment every two weeks should give satisfactory control. During period of high rainfall or frequent waterings, it may be necessary to treat more often. Crumble / Meal / Bait / Granules may be applied using a Whirlybird Multi-Purpose Spreader.

Prior to spring planting, bait areas to prevent damage to transplants or seedlings. Repeat treatment every two weeks or as needed. During periods of high rainfall or frequent irrigations, repeat treatments maybe needed more frequently.

If ground is dry, water area to be treated thoroughly. Do not place product in piles. Scatter the crumble / meal / bait / granules around flowers, ornamental plants, and lawn areas. Apply one pound of meal to each 2,000 sq ft. Apply only to soil surface around plants. Do not apply to foliage or other plant parts. Always wear protective gloves.

Sprinkle lightly with water after application.

HOME LAWNS AND GROUNDCOVERS: Apply 1 1b per 2,000 sq ft by scattering directly from container or by using an ORTHO WHIRLYBIRD Spreader at setting No. (to be determined).

HOME GREENHOUSES AND LATH HOUSES: Distribute crumble / meal /' bait / granules on and beneath benches, but do not place in pots or flats unless plants are well established. Keep crumble/meal/bait/granules from coming in contact with plants.

If soil is dry, irrigate prior to or sprinkle lightly after distributing pellets.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES: To control snails and slugs around the following fruits and vegetables, apply to the soil surface around the plants. Do not contaminate edible parts.
FRUITS-Apples, Avocados, Blackberries, Cherries, Citrus, Grapes, Peaches, Plums, Strawberries.

VEGETABLES-Asparagus, Beans, Beets, Cabbage, Carrots, Corn Cucumbers, Eggplant, Lettuce Melons, Onions, Peas, Peppers, Potatoes, Radishes, Spinach, Squash, Tomatoes and Turnips.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Keep pesticide in original container. Store in a cool, dry place, preferably in a locked storage area. DISPOSAL: Partially filled or empty carton may be disposed of by securely wrapping original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash.

Do not reuse carton.

NOTICE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash with soap and water after handling.

[child/ pet icon] Keep out of reach of children and domestic animals. IMPORTANT: KEEP CRUMBLE / MEAL / BAIT / GRANULES AWAY FROM CHILDREN, DOGS, AND PETS. BAIT MAY BE ATTRACTIVE TO DOGS. CONFINE PETS DURING APPLICATION TO PREVENT THEM FROM BELIEVING THEY ARE BEING FED. USE AND STORE UNDER CONDITIONS WHERE THERE WILL NOT BE A HAZARD.

FIRST AID: If swallowed - Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger, or if available by administering syrup of ipecac. If person is unconscious, do not give anything by mouth and do not induce vomiting. If medical advice cannot be obtained, take person and product container to the nearest emergency treatment facility. If in eyes - Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a doctor if irritation persists. If on skin - wash with plenty of soap and water. If inhaled, remove person from exposure area.

Note to Physicians: Emergency Information-call 1-800-454-2333. ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. '...'

₱Medical Information call 1-800-454-2333 Product Information call 1-800-225-2883

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