United State Environmental Protes Washington, D	ection Agency	Registration Amendment Other
Applic	cation for Pesticide - Section	ı I
1. Company/Product Number 241-411	2. EPA Product Manager M. Waller	3. Proposed Classification  None Restricted
Company/Product (Name)     Stature Fungicide	PM# Team 21	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) BASF Corporation 26 Davis Drive, P.O. Box 13528 Research Triangle Park, NC 27709-3528  Check if this is a new address	(b)(i), my product is sin	. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) milar or identical in composition and labeling
	Section - II	
Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated	PR Notice 98-10. This notification is consise made to the labeling or the confidential styralse statement to EPA. I further understar	tent with the provisions of PR Notice 98-10 and EPA atement of formula of this product. I understand that ad that if this notification is not consistent with the
	Section - III	
1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:  Child-Resistant Packaging  Yes  No  * Certification must be submitted  It "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt.		2. Type of Container  Metal Plastic Glass Paper Other (Specify)
Label Container	s) Retail Container 5. L	ocation of Label Directions
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	Section - IV	
Contact Point <i>(Complete items directly below for identif</i> Name  Jeffrey S. Barnes	Title Registration Scientist	Telephone Nc. (Include Area Code) 919-547-2317

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# Stature® fungicide

#### WETTABLE POWDER

FOR USE ON ORNAMENTAL CROPS GROWN IN COMMERCIAL GREENHOUSES, LATH AND SHADEHOUSES, AND IN FIELD OR CONTAINERS OUTDOORS

#### **ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:**

dimethomorph.	9.0%
mancozeb	60.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS	31.0%
TOTAL	100.0%

U.S. Patent No. 5,952,496 and Re. 35,985 EPA Reg. No. 241-411

EPA Est. No. 5905-GA-01

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION/PRECAUCION

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle. (If you do not understand this label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

See Inside for Additional Precautionary Statements and Directions for Use

Net Contents: 3.5 lbs.

BASF Corporation 26 Davis Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 **NOTIFICATION** 

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FIRST AID		
If swallowed	<ul> <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>	
If on skin or clothing	<ul> <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>	
If in eyes	<ul> <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>	
	HOT LINE NUMBER	

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact BASF Corporation for emergency medical treatment information: 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

## HAZARDS TO HUMANS (AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS)

**CAUTION.** Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Do not breathe dust or spray mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE):

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

### Applicators and other handlers (other than mixers or loaders) must wear:

- Coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material
- Shoes plus socks

#### Mixers and Loaders must wear:

- Coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material
- Shoes plus socks
- Protective eyewear
- Chemical-resistant apron when cleaning equipment, mixing or loading

Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

When handlers use closed systems or enclosed cabs 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 handlers 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 PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or disposing of wastes.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Carefully read and understand the Directions for Use and restrictions before applying this product.

THIS LABEL MUST BE IN THE POSSESSION OF THE USER AT THE TIME OF FUNGICIDE APPLICATION.

DO NOT use on plants for food or feed purposes.

DO NOT apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

DO NOT apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

#### 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 restricted entry interval (REI) of 24 hours.

PPE requirements 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 over long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material
- Shoes plus socks

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

DO NOT contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

**Storage:** Store in a cool, well-ventilated area. DO NOT allow to become overheated in storage. Keep container closed when not in use.

**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 bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

STATURE is a 69% wettable powder (WP) fungicide used for the control of a broad spectrum of diseases on ornamental plants grown in greenhouses, lath and shadehouses, and in field or containers outdoors. STATURE is a broad-spectrum fungicide to be used in a preventative spray program. Consult the Use Direction Table.

STATURE must be used in accordance with this label. STATURE has a different mode of action than other fungicide chemical classes. It can be used in disease management programs where fungicide rotation is emphasized to help prevent the development of resistance.

Carefully read, understand, and follow all directions and precautions.

Disease pressure and environmental conditions will determine the length of the spray interval. Sprayers should be properly calibrated before application.

RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT: STATURE is a broad-spectrum protectant fungicide. If not applied on a routine protectant spray schedule, crops should be examined on a weekly basis. Fungicide application should be made, at the recommended label use rate and spray schedule, at the first sign of disease, or during environmental conditions favorable for disease development. Resistance management strategies advise not to apply at rates lower than recommended on the label.

**COMPATIBILITY OF MIXTURES:** The tank-mixing behavior of this fungicide with other pesticides has not been fully investigated. This product is believed to be compatible with most commonly used fungicides, insecticides, micronutrients, growth regulators, and spray adjuvants. Consult specific product labels for additional information. It is always advisable to conduct a tank compatibility test when you plan to mix this product with other products. To determine the physical compatibility of this with other products, use a jar test. Using a quart jar, add the proportionate amounts of the products to approximately one quart of water with agitation. Add dry formulations first, then flowables, then emulsifiable concentrates last. After thorough mixing, allow this mixture to stand for 5 minutes. Look for signs of separation, globules, sludge, flakes or other precipitates. DO NOT tank mix with the other pesticides if the jar test with STATURE has indicated incompatibility.

PREPARATION OF SPRAY SOLUTION: Read COMPATIBILITY OF MIXTURES section prior to any tank mixing with this product. Fill the spray tank until it is approximately 1/2 full with clean water. Add STATURE to the spray tank while agitating. Agitation must be engaged prior to the addition of the product to obtain a complete and uniform mixture of STATURE. Add other fungicides, insecticides, growth regulators, micronutrients, and spray adjuvants after STATURE has been placed in suspension. Once mixing is complete, add water to desired volume.

When preparing spray solutions for use in a hand sprayer, premix as a slurry in a small container, and then add to sprayer containing 1/3 to 1/2 the desired final water volume and agitate. Once mixing is complete, add water to desired volume.

Please refer to the following table when mixing spray solutions.

#### Mixing Spray Solutions of STATURE

Spray Volume	Pounds of Formulated Product	Ounces of Formulated Product	Grams of Formulated Product
100	1.75	28	794
10	0.175	2.8	79
5	0.09	1.4	40

**APPLICATION:** Carefully read, understand, and follow all directions and precautions.

Disease pressure and environmental conditions will determine the length of the application interval. Under severe or threatening disease conditions, the minimum interval should be used.

For proper application, determine the number of square feet to be treated and the gallonage to be applied per 1000 square feet. Prepare only the amount of spray solution required to treat the measured area. Careful calibration of spray equipment is recommended prior to use. If you have lestions about calibration, you should contact State Consultant, equipment manufacturers or other experts.

#### **OUTDOOR-GROWN AND GREENHOUSE GROWN ORNAMENTALS**

Use Rate: For use on ornamentals grown in greenhouses, lath and shadehouses, and those grown in the field or containers, apply the equivalent of 1.75 lbs. STATURE fundicide per 100 dallons of dilute spray. Consult the dilution table above for product use in smaller volumes.

Thoroughly spray plant foliage until runoff.

Spray Interval: Begin spraying STATURE when plants are well established or at first sign of disease. in a full coverage spray at 7-10 day intervals throughout the production cycle. Disease pressure and environmental conditions determine spray intervals. Applications should begin prior to the onset of disease infection. Apply STATURE fungicide to insure spray runoff.

Maximum Use Rates: DO NOT exceed 2.25 lbs/acre/application and no more than 11.25 total lbs/acre in any one season.

Neither the manufacturer nor the seller has determined the effects of using STATURE fungicide on all ornamental species and cultivars. For this reason, it is recommended that prior to any largescale application on such plants, the user should determine the effects of STATURE fungicide by testing a small section of the type of plants to be treated. User assumes all risks arising out of application to unlabeled plants. The DISCLAIMER applies to all uses.

## ORNAMENTALS RECOMMENDED FOR TREATMENT WITH STATURE INCLUDE CROPS, SUCH AS BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

#### Flowering Annual and Perennial Plants and **Bulbs:**

African violet<sup>a</sup> (1,2,4,6) Ageratum (2) Alyssum (1) Anemone (1.5)

Artemisia (1) \*ster, perennial (1,2,5)

alea<sup>b</sup> (2,3,4) Begonia (2,5) Black-eyed Susan (Rudbeckia) (1,2)

Bleedingheart (2) Bluebells (Campanula) (5)

Butterfly flower (2) Carnation (1,2,5) Centaurea (1) Christmas and

Thanksgiving cactus<sup>a</sup> (2,4)

Chrysanthemum<sup>c</sup> (2,3,5) Cineraria (2)

Columbine (2.5)

Coral bells (Heuchera) (2) Coreopsis (2)

Cyclamen (2) Dahlia (2) Delphinium (2) Dianthus (1,5) Dusty miller (2)

Fuchsia (2.5) Gardenia (2) Geranium (1,2,5)

Gerbera daisy (1,2) Geum (1)

Gladiolus<sup>d</sup> (2)

Gloxinia (2) Hydrangea (2) Impatiens (1) Iris (2,5)

Jerusalem cherry (2)

Kalanchoe (2) Lily (2)

Lisianthus (1,2) Lupine (Lupinus) (1)

Marigolde (2) Miniature Rose<sup>a</sup> (1,2,4,5)

Monkey flower (Mimulus sp.) (1) Narcissus (2)

Orchid (2)

Pepper, ornamental (1,2) Pansy<sup>a</sup> (1,2,4,5,6)

Petunia (2) Phlox (1,2) Poinsettia (2,4,5) Polyanthus (2) Potentilla (1)

Primrose (1,5) Ranunculus (1,2,5) Rose (cut or potted) (1,2,4,5)

Scabiosa (1) Snapdragon<sup>a</sup> (1,4,6)

Statice (Limonium) (1,2)

Stock (1) Sunflower (1) Tulip (2) Verbena (2)

Veronica (Speedwell) (1) Viola<sup>a</sup> (1,2,4,6)

Vinca<sup>a</sup> (Periwinkle) (2,4,6)

Zinnia (2)

#### Foliage Plants:

African violeta (1,2,4) Alaria<sup>a</sup> (2.4) Aloe vera<sup>a</sup> (2,4)

Anthurium (2) Chinese evergreen (Aglaonema spp.) (2)

Christmas and

Thanksgiving cactus<sup>a</sup> (2,4)

Cordyline (Ti plant)<sup>a</sup> (2,4)

Croton (2)

Dieffenbachia<sup>a</sup> (2.4) Dracaena<sup>a</sup> (2,4)

English ivya (4) Fern (2)

Ficus (2)

Grape ivy, Kangaroo vine (Cissus spp.)<sup>a</sup> (1,2,4)

Hibiscus (2) Hosta (2) Lady palm (2)

Lipstick vine (2) Myrtle (2)

Orchid (2) Peperomia<sup>a</sup> (2,4)

Philodendron<sup>a</sup> (2,4) Pilea<sup>a</sup> (4)

Rattlesnake plant (Calanthea spp.) (2)

Schefflera<sup>a</sup> (2,4) Spathiphylluma (4)

Syngonium (2) Taliflower

(Anthurium spp.) (2) Wax plant (Hoya spp.) (2)

Venus flytrap (2)

Yucca (2)

Zebra plant (Aphelandra) (2)

#### Woody Ornamentals (Shrubs and Trees):

Arborvitae (2)

Ash (2)

Aspen (2,4)

Azalea<sup>b</sup> (2.3.4)

Birch (2,4,7)

Bottlebrush (4)

Buffaloberry (2) Camellia<sup>b</sup> (3)

Cedar (2)

Conifers9 (2,4,5,8)

Crabapple

(ornamental) (2,4,5)

Cypress (2,9)

Dogwood, flowering<sup>h</sup> (2)

Elm (2)

Eucalyptus (2,4) Fatsia (2,5)

Filbert<sup>f</sup> (2)

Fir<sup>9</sup> (2,4,8)

Firethorn (Pyracantha) (2)

Gardenia (2) Gold dust tree

(Aucuba japonica) (2)

Hawthorn (2,4,5)

Hebe (1,2)

Hickory<sup>1</sup> (2)

Holly (2,4)

Hollyhock (2,5) Honeysuckle (2)

Horsechestnut, Buckeye (2)

Indian rubber tree (2)

Juniper (2)

Laurel, mountain<sup>b</sup> (2,3)

Lavender (2)

Ligustrum (2)

#### ORNAMENTALS RECOMMENDED FOR TREATMENT STATURE INCLUDE CROPS, SUCH AS BUT NOT LIMITED TO (con't):

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**Woody Ornamentals** Maple<sup>f,i</sup> (2) (Shrubs and Trees): Oak (2,7) Lilac (2.4) Oleander (2) Linden (2) Osage orange (2) Locust (2) Palms (2) Magnolia (2) Peony' (2,3) Mahogany (2) Photinia (2)

<sup>a</sup>For suppression of aerial Phytophthora and control of certain crown and root rots listed below, apply a directed spray (sprench) to stem and crown of plants prior to visible disease symptoms and continue preventative applications on a 5-7 day spray interval.

<sup>b</sup>Apply in full coverage spray, 2 to 3 times per week, while flowers are opening. Direct spray into flowers and thoroughly drench the soil.

<sup>c</sup>Apply twice weekly during blooming period.

<sup>d</sup>Make regular weekly applications starting before diseases appear and increase to 2 or 3 applications per week during periods of heavy disease and during rainy weather. On flower spikes, reduce spray concentrations to 1 lb. per 100 gals.

Pine (2.4) Sequoia (2) Pleomele (2) Skunkbush (2,3) Sumac (Viburnum) (1) Poplar (2) Redbud (2.4) Sweet Gum (4) Redwood (2) Tulip Tree (2,4) Rhododendron<sup>b</sup> (2,4,5) Walnut' (2,4)

DO NOT USE on French dwarf double or Signettype marigold seedlings.

DO NOT USE fruit for food or feed purposes. DO NOT USE ON SUGAR MAPLES INTENDED FOR THE PRODUCTION OF MAPLE SYRUP.

<sup>9</sup>Begin applications in spring or early summer before infection occurs. Repeat after heavy rains and at two-week intervals as long as needed.

Apply when buds begin to open, when bracts have fallen, 4 weeks later and again in late summer after flower buds for next season have formed.

Apply in early spring and early fall, drenching soil around plants as well as the foliage. Promptly destroy all infected plant parts.

#### DISEASES CONTROLLED WITH STATURE

#### Apply as directed above unless otherwise noted.

1. Downy mildew diseases caused by:

Bremia Pseudoperonospora Peronospora Plasmopara

2. Leaf Spots/Foliar Blights:

Actinopelte leaf spot Curvularia leaf spot Afternaria leaf spot/blight Cylindrosporium leaf spot Anthracnose Dactylaria leaf spot Ascochyta blight Didymellina leaf spot Black leaf spot Elsinoe leaf spot Botrytis blight Entomosporium leaf spot Cercospora leaf Frabraea leaf spot spot/blight/frogeye Frogeye leaf spot

Fusarium leaf spot Gloesporium leaf spot Guignardia leaf spot Herpobasidium blight Leptosphaeria brown spot Septoria leaf spot Mystrosporium ink spot Phompsis blight Phyllosticta leaf spot

Phytophthora leaf spot Purple spot Ramularia leaf spot Scirrhia brown spot Smoulder Sphaeropsis

3. Flower Spots/Blights:

Botrytis petal spot Botrytis blossom blight Petal blight

4. Stem and Crown Rots\*:

Cylindrocladium root rot Aerial Phytophthora crown rot and stem blight

5. Scab diseases caused by:

Cladosporium Fusicladium Sphaceloma Venturia

6. Rust diseases caused by:

Cronartium Pucciniastrum Puccinia Melampsora Endocronatium Melampsoridium hydragngea **Uromyces** Gymnosporangium Phragmidium

7. Taphrina Leaf Blister

8. Needle Cast of Conifers caused by:

Rhabdoclime Cvclaneusma Lophodermium Scirrhia Naemacyclus Hvpoderma Rhizosphaera Sphaeropsis Ismiella Pestalotia

#### 9. Monochaetia canker

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#### **DISCLAIMER**

The label instructions for the use of this product reflect the opinion of experts based on research and field use. The directions are believed to be reliable and should be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated

th use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or the use of, or application of the product contrary to label instructions, all of which are beyond the control of BASF Corporation. All such risks shall be assumed by the user.

BASF shall not be responsible for losses or damages resulting from use of this product in any manner not set forth on this label. User assumes all risks associated with the use of this product in any manner not specifically set forth on this label.

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**ATTENTION:** This product contains mancozeb and ETU, chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer. ETU is also known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

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