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Subject:

Forum Fungicide

EPA Registration No. 241-427

Your Amendment dated April 25, 2008

Decision No. 380808

Dear Dr. Birk:

The supplemental labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended is acceptable provided the supplemental labeling must be incorporated into the main label within 18 months or at your next label printing, whichever comes first.

One copy of the label stamped "Accepted with comments" is enclosed for your records. Please submit one copy of the final printed label before the product is released for shipment. If you have any questions, please contact Tamue L. Gibson by phone at (703) 305-9096 or via email at gibson.tamue@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Mary L. Waller

Product Manager (21)

Fungicide Branch

Registration Division (7505P)

Mary L. Waller

Enclosure

ACCEPTED WHI COMMENTS is EPA Letter Dated



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Under the Federal Insecticies Fundicide, and Redenticide Act as smended, for the pesticide registered under RPA Res. No



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Supplemental Labeling

Brassica Leafy Vegetables In California Only

ALL APPLICABLE DIRECTIONS, RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS ON THE FORUM CONTAINER LABEL MUST BE FOLLOWED; HOWEVER, THE DIRECTIONS FOR USE ON THIS Supplemental Labeling specifically supersede those appearing on the forum CONTAINER WHICH INDICATES THAT USE ON BRASSICA LEAFY GREENS IS NOT REGISTERED IN CALIFORNIA. THIS LABELING MUST BE IN THE POSSESSION OF THE USER AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION.

Expires December 31, 2009

EPA Reg. No. 241-427

U.S. Patent No. 5,952,496

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
dimethomorph*	43.5%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	56.5%
TOTAL:	100.0%

^{*}Equivalent to 4.18 pounds dimethomorph per gallon.

Directions For Use

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

DO NOT apply this product when wind conditions favor drift.

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.

General Information

Forum® fungicide should be used in a preventive spray program to manage the target diseases. Maximum results can only be achieved by thorough plant coverage. Forum must be used in accordance with this label. It is recommended that this product be used within an Integrated Pest Management Program.

In order to reduce the risk of the development of fungicide resistance, Forum must be used as a tank mix with a fundicide that has a different mode of action (non-Group 15 fungicide) and is effective against the

pathogen of concern. Refer to the respective tank mix partner labeling for rates, methods of application, proper timing, restrictions and precautions. Always use in accordance with the more restrictive label restrictions and precautions. DO NOT use a pesticide product that contains a prohibition against tank mixing.

Disease pressure, plant growth rate, and environmental conditions will determine the length of the spray interval and frequency of application. Sprayers should be properly calibrated before application. Apply material with adequate spray pressure and gallonage and use proper nozzle arrangement to provide full coverage.

Forum may be applied by ground, aerial or chemigation according to label directions.

Directions For Application

Maximum benefit of Forum from foliar applications requires thorough coverage of the plant. To obtain thorough coverage of foliage, use proper spray pressure and a minimum of 20 gallons per acre for ground applications and 5 gallons per acre for aerial applications.

Table 1. Forum⁶ fungicide Crop-specific Use Recommendations

Crop	Target Disease	.Use Rate (ozs Product per Acre per Application)	General Recommendations	Restrictions
Brassica Leafy Vegetables Leafy Broccoli raab Chinese cabbage (Bok choy) Collards Kale Mizuma Mustard greens Mustard spinach Rape greens Head and Stem Broccoli Brussels sprouts Cabbage Cauliflower Cavalo broccolo Chinese broccoli Chinese cabbage (Napa) Chinese mustard Kohlrabi	Downy mildew (Peronospora parasitica)	6	Forum must be applied as a tank mix with another fungicide that has a different mode of action (non-Group 15 fungicide). DO NOT make more than 2 sequential applications of Forum before alternating to another fungicide with a mode of action different from Forum (non-Group 15 fungicide) for at least 1 applications. Begin applications when conditions favor disease development. Continue applications on a 7-day spray schedule as needed until weather conditions favoring infection and sporulation decrease.	than 5 applications per season. DO NOT exceed 30 ozs per acre per growing season. DO NOT use less than 20 gallons of water per acre for ground applications and 5 gallons per acre for aerial applications. Leafy Brassica greens may be harvested on the day of the last application after sprays have dried. DO NOT apply within 7 days of harvest of Brassica head and stem vegetables.

ROTATIONAL CROP GUIDELINES

After making the last Forum application, rotational crops may be planted at the following intervals:

1. Anytime

Brassica leafy vegetables, bulb vegetables, cucurbit vegetables, fruiting vegetables, hops, lettuce (head and leaf), potatoes, taro, tobacco and tomatoes

2. One month

barley, oats, wheat leafy vegetables, such as spinach and celery root/tuber vegetables, such as carrot, radish, and sugar beet

3. Seven months

alfalfa	peas
beans	rice
clover	sorghum
corn	soybeans

4. Twelve months

All other crops.

Conditions of Sale and Warranty

The **Directions For Use** of this product reflect the opinion of experts based on field use and tests. The directions are believed to be reliable and must be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the 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 use of the product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling, all of which are beyond the control of BASF CORPORATION ("BASF") or the Seller. To the extent consistent with applicable law, all such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer.

BASF warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the **Directions For Use**, subject to the inherent risks, referred to above.

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