



## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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OFFICE OF  
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND  
TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Subject: Label Amendment Submission of 02/18/94 in Response to PR Notice 93-7  
EPA Reg. No. 279-3059  
POUNCE 1.5G INSECTICIDE

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is accepted. A copy of your proposed labeling stamped "ACCEPTED WITH COMMENTS" is enclosed.

**WHAT THIS ACCEPTANCE MEANS:**

Based on your certification, the Agency has accepted the labeling changes that are necessary to comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) labeling requirements of 40 CFR part 156, subpart K, described in PR Notices 93-7 and 93-11. Any other labeling changes submitted in connection with this amendment application but not directly related to compliance with the WPS have not been reviewed or accepted by the Agency. If you wish to make such changes, you must submit a separate amendment application proposing them. If your product is currently suspended, the acceptance of this labeling amendment does not affect the suspension in any way.

**WHAT YOU NEED TO DO NEXT:**

Send to EPA one (1) copy of the final printed labeling:

- BEFORE selling or distributing any product bearing the final printed labeling
- AND
- WITHIN one year from date of this acceptance.



Recycled/Recyclable  
Printed with Soy/Canola Ink on paper that  
contains at least 50% recycled fiber

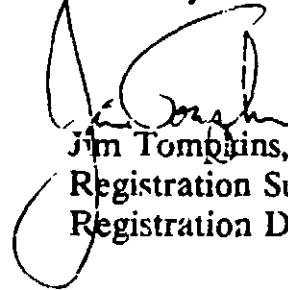
Submit the final printed labeling via the U.S. Postal Service to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)  
Office of Pesticide Programs (7505C)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
401 M Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20460-0001

Hand or courier deliveries of final printed labeling may be made to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)  
Office of Pesticide Programs  
Room 266A, Crystal Mall 2  
1921 Jefferson Davis Highway  
Arlington, VA 22202

Sincerely,



Jim Tompkins, Deputy Chief  
Registration Support Branch  
Registration Division (7505W)

Attachment

Code 692

**RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE**

For retail sale to and use only by certified applicators or persons under their direct supervision, and only for those uses covered by the certified applicator's certification.

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Net Weight

# Pounce® 1.5 G

## Insecticide

EPA Reg. No. 279-3059

EPA Est. 279-

<b>ACTIVE INGREDIENT:</b>	<b>By Wt.</b>
*Permethrin** .....	1.50%
<b>INERT INGREDIENTS:</b> .....	98.50%
	<u>100.0%</u>

\*(3-Phenoxyphenyl)methyl (±) *cis-trans* 3-(2,2-dichloroethenyl)-2,2-dimethylcyclopropanecarboxylate  
\*\**cis/trans* ratio: Max. 55% (±) *cis* and min. 45% (±) *trans*  
U.S. Patent No. 4,024,163

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
CAUTION**

### STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If **swallowed**, drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

If in **eyes**, flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

If on **skin**, wash with soap and water.

For Emergency Assistance Call: (800) 331-3148.

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards To Humans (and Domestic Animals)

**Caution**  
Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing.

#### Personal Protective Equipment:

Applicators and other handlers must wear: long-sleeved shirt and long pants, waterproof gloves, and shoes plus socks.

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

See other panels for additional precautionary statements.

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with COMMENTS  
In EPA Letter Dated  
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Agricultural Chemical Group 279-3059  
Philadelphia PA 19103

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### User Safety Recommendations: Users should:

- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

### Environmental Hazards

This product is extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. 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 apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas. Drift and runoff treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

### 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 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 required 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, waterproof gloves, and shoes plus socks.

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**Pesticide Storage**  
Do not store in or around the home.

Keep out of reach of children and animals. Store in original containers only. Store in a cool, dry place and avoid excess heat. Carefully open containers. After partial use, fold and roll back bags, clamp and close tightly. Do not put concentrate or diute material into food or drink containers. Do not contaminate other pesticides, fertilizers, water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

In case of spill, avoid contact, isolate area and keep out animals and unprotected persons. Confine spills. Call FMC: (800) 331-3148.

To confine spill: If liquid, dike surrounding area or absorb with sand, cat litter or commercial clay. If dry material, cover to prevent dispersal. Place damaged package in a holding container. Identify contents.

**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.

**Returnable/Refillable Container:** Do not rinse container. Return empty container to point of purchase.

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## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

**Almonds:** To control ants—Use Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 26 pounds (0.4 pound active) per acre. Apply as a broadcast treatment by ground equipment or aircraft when ants appear. Overhead moisture following application will enhance activity.

Do not apply more than 0.8 pound active per acre during hull split. Do not apply more than 2 pounds active ingredient per acre per season. Do not apply within seven days of harvest. Do not graze livestock in treated orchards.

### Field Corn, Popcorn, Field Corn Grown for Seed

**Preemergent Use:** To control Armyworms and Cutworms—Use Pounce 1.5 G insecticide at a rate of 6.7 to 13.3 pounds (0.1 to 0.2 pound active) per acre in the time period from five days prior to planting up to emergence of the crop. Apply either as a broadcast using ground or aerial equipment or as a 7-inch band. For the band application use Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 8 to 16 ounces per 1,000 linear feet of row.

**Foliar Use:** To control Armyworms, Cutworms, European Corn Borer, Southwestern Corn Borer, Western Bean Cutworm, and Stalk Borers—Use Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 6.7 to 13.3 pounds (0.1 to 0.2 pound active) per acre. When treating for Armyworms, Cutworms, European Corn Borer, Southwestern Corn Borer and Western Bean Cutworm apply when eggs begin to hatch. For treatment of Stalk Borers, Pounce 1.5 G must be applied when or shortly before the Stalk Borer larvae are moving into the corn from the surrounding weeds and grasses. Mowing or burn-down herbicide is suggested to initiate movement of Stalk Borer larvae. Apply by aircraft broadcasting over corn plants or with ground equipment by directing the granule into the whorl.

Do not apply more than 0.4 pound active per acre after brown silk stage. Do not exceed a total of 1.0 pound active per acre per season.

**Pistachios:** To control ants—Use Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 26 pounds (0.4 pound active) per acre. Apply as a broadcast treatment by ground equipment or aircraft when ants appear. Overhead moisture following application will enhance activity.

Do not apply more than 0.8 pound active per acre per crop season. Do not apply after 10% hull split. Nuts may be harvested on the day of application. Do not graze livestock in treated orchards.

### Sweet Corn

**Preemergent Use:** To control Armyworms and Cutworms—Use Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 6.7 to 13.3 pounds (0.1 to 0.2 pound active) per acre in the time period from five days prior to planting up to emergence of the crop. Apply either as a broadcast using ground or aerial equipment or as a 7-inch band. For the band application use Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 8 to 16 ounces per 1,000 linear feet of row for 40-inch row spacing.

**Foliar Use:** To control Armyworms, Cutworms, European Corn Borer, Western Bean Cutworm, Southwestern Corn Borer and Stalk Borer—Use Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 6.7 to 13.3 pounds (0.1 to 0.2 pound active) per acre. When treating for Armyworms, Western Bean Cutworm, Southwestern Corn Borer, and European Corn Borer apply when eggs begin to hatch. For treatment of Stalk Borer, Pounce 1.5 G must be applied when or shortly before Stalk Borer larvae are moving into sweet corn from the surrounding weeds and grasses. Mowing or burn-down herbicide is suggested to initiate movement of Stalk Borer larvae. Apply by aircraft by broadcasting over sweet corn plants or with ground equipment by directing the granule into the whorl.

Apply every five days or as needed. Do not apply more than 1.2 pounds active ingredient per acre per crop season. Do not apply within 1 day of harvest of ears or forage or livestock grazing.

### Corn Insecticide Applicator Settings

Pounce 1.5 G is a dense, free flowing insecticide requiring accurate equipment calibration to apply the recommended amount per acre. Calibrate your planter to the speed at which you plan to travel during planting operation. The following are approximate settings for guidance in calibration:

Application Rate Pounds/Acre	6.7			10.0			13.3		
Ounces/1000 Linear Feet	8			12			16		
Planter Speed (mph)	4	6	8	4	6	8	4	6	8
Equipment:	Gauge Setting								
Gandy Model 901	14	17	20	17	21	25	20	25	28
John Deere MaxEmerge									
(Even Notch)	8	12	16	12	17	22	15	22	27
(Odd Notch)	7	10	12	10	13	16	12	16	19
1-H Case	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.7	2.1	1.7	2.2	2.8

### Corn Application Rates

When the granular application equipment is set to deliver Pounce 1.5 G at a rate of 12 ounces per 1,000 linear feet (0.15 pound active per acre) the total amount applied per acre will vary depending on row spacings.

Use table below to determine the Pounce 1.5 G needs for each acre:

Row Spacings (inches)	40	36	36	32	30	28
Pounce 1.5 G (pounds per acre)	9.8	10.3	10.9	12.2	13.0	14.0

### Dealers Should Sell in Original Packages Only.

**Terms of Sale or Use:** On purchase of this product buyer and user agree to the following conditions:

**Warranty:** FMC makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Except as so warranted, the product is sold as is. Buyer and user assume all risk of use and/or handling and/or storage of this material when such use and/or handling and/or storage is contrary to label instructions.

**Directions and Recommendations:** Follow directions carefully. Timing and method of application, weather and crop conditions, mixture with other chemicals not specifically recommended and other influencing factors in the use of this product are beyond the control of the seller and are assumed by the buyer at his own risk.

**Use of Product:** FMC's recommendations for the use of this product are based upon tests believed to be reliable. The use of this product being beyond the control of the manufacturer, no guarantee, expressed or implied, is made as to the effects of such or the results to be obtained if not used in accordance with directions or established safe practice.

**Damages:** Buyer's or user's exclusive remedy for damages for breach of warranty or negligence shall be limited to direct damages not exceeding the purchase price paid and shall not include incidental or consequential damages.

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