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

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Term of Issuance: Unconditional

EPA Reg. Number:

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NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

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Name of Pesticide Product:

TALSTAR GH FLOWABLE INSECTICIDE/MITICIDE

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

FMC Corp Agricultural Products Group 1735 Market St

Philadelphia, Pa 19103

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 unconditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5). Once a pesticide is registered, however, it is not regarded as permanently acceptable. Registration does not eliminate the need for continual reassessment of pesticides. If the Agency determines that, at any time, additional data are required to maintain in effect an existing registration, the Agency will require submission of such data under FIFRA section (3)(c)(2)(B).

- 2. Make the following label changes:
 - a. Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 279-3193."
 - b. The Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) under the precautionary statements section is different than that appearing under Agricultural Use Requirements. If this is added to address specific CAPR concerns, then the labeling must clearly indicate that these PPE requirements are for use in California, and also list appropriate PPE requirements for use outside of California.

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- c. Revise the front panel statement to read: "Only for Use and Storage by Commercial Applicators for Non-Food Use on Indoor Ornamentals and Greenhouses."
- 3. Submit two copies of the revised final printed label for the record.

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,

George LaRocca
Product Manager 13
Insecticide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)



For Commercial Non-Food Use on Indoor Ornamentals and Greenhouses.

EPA Reg. No. 279- いんじつ	EPA Est. 279-
Active Ingredient:	By Wt.
Bifenthrin*	7.9%
Inert Ingredients:	92.1%
	100.0%

*Cis isomers 97% minimum, trans isomers 3% maximum.

Talstar $^{\circ}$ GH Flowable insecticide/milicide contains $^{\prime}$, pound active ingredient per gallon.

U.S. Patent No. 4,238,505

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

See other panels for additional precautionary information.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

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 linger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention.

IF IN EYES: Flush with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists

Note to Physician:

This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, the stomach and intestine should be evacuated. Treatment is symptomatic and supportive. Digestible fats, oils, or alcohol may increase absorption and so should be avoided.

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For Emergency Assistance Call: (800) 331-3148



FMC Corporation Agricultural Products Group Philadelphia PA 19103

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ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated

FEB 25 1998

Under the Federal Insecticide, Funcicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the posticide registered under EPA Reg. No.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
Hazards to Humans (and Domestic Animals)

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing dust (vapor or spray mist).

Personnel Protective Equipment:

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

Greenhouse Applicators must wear:

 Full body chemical-resistant protective suit (such as barrier lam inate, butyl rubber, nitrile rubber, polyvinyl chloride, or equiva lent).

Greenhouse Harvesters must wear:

 Regular length gloves plus a long sleeved shirt or elbow-length (gaunlet type) gloves during the 30 days following application.

Mixers and Loaders must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves such as barrier laminate, butyl rubber, nitrile rubber, neoprene rubber, polyvinyl chloride or viton.
- · Shoes plus socks
- · Protective eyewear

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

User Safety Recommendations

Users Should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticióe gets inside.
 Then wash thoroughly and put on clear clothing.
- 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 pesticide 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. Drift and run-off from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment

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.

Do not apply this product through any kind of irrigation system.

AGRICULTURE 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 intervals. The requirements in this lox only apply to users 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 12 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
- Chemical-resistant gloves, such as barrier laminate or butyl rubber or nitrile rubber or neoprene rubber or polyvinyl chloride or viton.
- Shoes plus socks

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Prohibitions: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

Pesticide Storage: Keep out of reach of children and animals. Tore in original containers only. Store in a cool, dry place and void excess heat. Carefully open containers. After partial use replace lids and close tightly. Do not put concentrate or dilute material into food or drink container.

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: Pesticide wastes are toxic. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. Dispose of excess or waste pesticide by use according to label directions, or contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

Container Disposal Plastic Container: Triple rinse (or equiva-lent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of

Returnable/Refillable Sealed Container: Do not rinse container. Do not empty remaining formulated product. Do not break seals. Return intact to point of purchase.

General Application

Talstar® GH Flowable insecticide/miticide formulation mixes readily with water and other aqueous carriers, and controls a wide spectrum of insects and mites on trees, shrubs, foliage plants, non-bearing fruit and nut trees, and flowers in greenhouses. Non-bearing crops are perennial crops that will not produce a harvestable raw agricultural commodity during the season of application.

Talstar GH Flowable may be tank-mixed with other products, including insect growth regulators. When tank mixing Talstar GH Flowable with other products, observe all precautions and limitations on each separate product label. The addition of spreader stickers is not necessary. The physical compatibility of Talstar GH Flowable may vary with different sources of pesticide products, and local cultural practices. Any tank mixture which has not been previously tested should be prepared on a small scale (pint or quart jar), using the proper proportions of chemicals and water to ensure the physical compatibility of the mixture

The following procedure is recommended for preparation of a new The following procedure is recommended for preparation of a new tank mix, unless specified otherwise in label directions: (1) Add wettable powders to tank water, (2) Agitate, (3) Add liquids and flowables, (4) Agitate, (5) Add emulsifiable concentrates, and (6) Agitate. If a mixture is found to be incompatible following this order of addition, ty reversing the order of addition, or increase the volume of water. Note: If the tank-mixture is found to be compatible after increasing the amount of water, then the sprayer will need to be recalibrated for a higher volume application. Do not allow tank mix to stand overnight.

Maximum rates: Do not apply more than 0.5 oz of Talstar GC Flowable per 1,000 square feet in a single application. Reapplications must be at intervals of 30 days or longer

Resistance: Some insects are known to develop resistance to products used repeatedly for control. Because the development of resistance cannot be predicted, the use of this product should conform to resistance management strategies established for the use area. Consult your local or state pest management authorities for details.

If resistance to this product develops in your area, this product, or other products with a similar mode of action, may not provide adequate control. If poor performance cannot be attributed to improper application or extreme weather conditions, a resistant strain of insect may be present. If you experience difficulty with control and suspect that resistance is a reasonable cause, immediately consult your local company representative or pest management advisor for the best alternative method of control for your area.

APPLICATION RECOMMENDATIONS

Ornamentals in Greenhouses, Lath Houses and Shade Houses, including Non-Bearing Fruit and Nut Trees

Greenhouses are any structure or space that is enclosed with a covering and that is of sufficient size to permit worker entry. This includes, but is not limited to, polyhouses and similar structures.

For greenhouse applications, apply 0.125 to 0.5 fluid ounces of Talstar GH Flowable per 1,000 square feet. Talstar GH Flowable may be diluted and applied in various volumes of water providing that the maximum label rate (0.5 fluid ounce per 1,000 square feet) is not exceeded. Talstar GH Flowable may be applied through low volume application equipment by dilution with water or other carriers and providing that the maximum label rate (0.5 fluid ounce per 1,000 square feet) is not

Repeat treatment (at a minimum interval of 30 days) as necessary to acheive control using higher application rates as pest pressure & foliage area increases.

ORNAMENTAL APPLICATION RATES

The application rates listed in the following table will provide excellent control of the respective pests under typical conditions. However, at the discretion of the applicator, Taistar* GH Flowable insecticide/miticide may be applied at up to 0.5 fluid ounce per 1,000 square feet to control each of the pest listed in this Table.

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Pest	Application Rate falstar GH		
	Fluid Ounces per 1,000 square feet		
Aphids Bagworms¹ Cutworms Elm Leaf Beetles Fall Webworms Lace Bugs Leaf Feeding Caterpillars Plant Bugs (Including Lygus spp.) Tent Caterpillars	0.125 - 0 .25		
Ants Beet Armyworm Black Vine Weevil (Adults) Brown Soft Scales Broad Mites Budworms California Red Scale (Crawlers)² Centipedes Citrus Thrips Clover Mites Crickets Diaprepes (Larvae; Adults) Earwigs European Fled Mite Flea Beetles Fungus Gnats (Adults) Grasshoppers Gypsy Moth Caterpillars Leafhoppers Leafrollers Mealybugs Millipedes Mites Orchid Weevil Pillbugs Pine Needle Scales (Crawlers)² San Jose Scales (Crawlers)² Sowbugs Spider Mites Spiders Thrips Tip Moths Twig Borers² Weevils Whitefflies	0.25 - 0.5		
Japanese Beetle (Adult) Leafminers Pecan Leaf Scorch Mite Pine Shoot Beetle (Adults)	0.5		

¹Bagworms: Apply when larvae begin to hatch and spray larvae directly. Applications when larvae are young will be most effective.

²Scale Crawlers and Twig Borecs: Treat trunks, stems and twigs in addition to plant foliage.

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.

Use of Product: FMC's recommendations for 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 demages for breach of warranty or negligence shall be limited to direct damages not exceeding the purchase price paid and shall ant include incidental or consequential damages.

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