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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Frederick J. Hageman UNIROYAL CHEMICAL CO INC 74 AMITY ROAD BETHANY, CT 06524

Subject:

Label Amendment Submission of 09/20/93 in Response to PR Notice 93-7

EPA Reg. No. 400-83

OMITE-57E

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 subject to the comments reflected on the enclosed sheet. 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:

By the next label printing make all the specified changes to your labeling. 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.

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

UNIROYAL CHEMICAL CO. INC. OMITE-57E 400-83 09/20/93 Original Submission

Add the following statement to the "Personal Protective Equipment" section on your proposed labeling immediately following the statement requiring an enclosed cab: "The enclosed cabs must be used 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 handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS." The exact location is shown in Section A of Part 1 of the Product Worksheet in Supplement Three-A to PR Notice 93-7.

You have incorrect wording in the second-to-last sentence in the first paragraph in the Agricultural Use Requirements box on your proposed label. The sentence must be as follows: "It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), notification to workers and restricted-entry interval."

Delete the crossed-out statements on your proposed label. They are redundant statements or phrases.

Correct the typographical errors circled on your proposed label.

Add chemical resistant apron for mixing and loading to PPE for applicators and other handlers.

DMITE®-57E

AGRICULTURAL MITICIDE

RECOMMENDED FOR AGRICULTURAL USE ONLY



ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated

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Under the Federal Insecticide.

COMPOSITION

Active Ingredients: (% by weight) Propargite [2-(p-tert-butylphenoxy) cyclohexyl 2-propynyl sulfite]57% Inert Ingredients43%

*Contains 5 lbs. Active per Gallon UNIROYAL CHEMICAL COMPANY. INC., Middlebury. CT 06749

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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER PELIGRO

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

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF IN EYES. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water. See a physician.

IF SWALLOWED: Do not induce vomiting. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg whites or gelatin solution. If these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air. Apply artificial respiration if symptoms indicate. Call a physician.

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

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS DANGER

Corrosive, causes eye damage. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through skin. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not get in eyes. on skin or on clothing. Wash hands and face thoroughly with soap and water after use and before eating or smoking.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

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

Applicators and Other Handlers Must Wear: A long-sleeved shirt & long pants; chemical resistant gloves such as barrier laminate, or nitrite. rubber, or neoprene rubber, or viton; shoes plus socks; protective evewear chemical resistant headgear for overhead exposure. Applicators. if applying more than 72 ounces of OMITE-57E per acre in air blast equipment must be in an enclosed cab.

Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentgrate. 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, enclosed cabs, or aircraft 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 handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

- · Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- 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. Do not apply directly to water or wetlands (swamps, bogs, marshes, and potholes). Drift or runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Flammable, keep away from heat and open flame.

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 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 7 days.

Exception: After the first 48 hours of the REI, workers may enter the treated area to perfrom hand labor or other tasks involving contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, without time limit, if they wear the early-entry personal protective equipment listed below.

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 nitrite/ rubber, or neoprene rubber, or viton
- · shoes plus socks
- · protective eyewear
- chemical resistant headgear for overhead exposure

Notify workers of the application by warning them orally and by posting warning signs at entrances to treated areas.

USE RESTRICTIONS

Applicators, if applying more than 72 ounces of OMITE-57E per acre in air blast equipment must be in an enclosed cab.

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

Do not graze or feed livestock on cover crops grown among the trees listed on this label.

Do not plant any food or feed crop in rotation within 6 months after last application of propargite unless the crop is a registered use for propargite.

Do not feed animals apple pomace made from treated apples.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

OMITE-57E is a liquid emulsifiable concentrate for preparing sprays to control European red, Pacific spider, strawberry spider, two-spotted spider, McDaniel and Peach silver mites.

OMITE-57E is not systemic in action, therefore complete coverage of both upper and lower leaf surfaces and of fruit is necessary for effective control.

Add recommended dosage (from table) of OMITE-57E to the spray tank, agitate and spray thoroughly to cover foliage and fruit for best results.

DOSAGE INSTRUCTIONS

COMPATIBILITIES: OMITE57E is compatible with most pesticides (see caution statements). Check with your supplier for details. Observe all cautions and limitations on labeling of all products in used in mixtures. **NOTE:**

A. OMITE-57E is not compatible with foliar spray oils. (Further information available from supplier). Leaf injury may occur.

B. OMITE-57E is not compatible with alkaline materials such as lime, lime sulfur or Bordeaux. The effectiveness of OMITE will be reduced.

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DOSAGE INSTRUCTIONS

CROPS'AND MITES CONTROLLED	AMOUNT OMITE-57E PER ACRE EITHER AS DILUTE OR CONCENTRATE	Dilute Spray OMITE-57E PER 100 GALLONS OF WATER	GALLONS SPRAY SOLUTION PER ACRE	Concentrate Spray OMITE-57E PER ACRE	GALLONS SPRAY SOLUTION PER ACRE	APPLICATION NOTES
APPLES European red Pacific spider two-spotted spider	32 to 96 fl. oz. (1 to 3 qts.)	8 to 12 fl. oz.	400 to 800	1 to 3 qts.	50 to 100	Spray can be applied up to within seven days of harvest. Use from 1 to 3 applications per year as mites appear.
PLUMS - PRUNES European red two-spotted spider Pacific spider	24 to 120 fl. oz. (% to 3% qts.)	8 to 12 fl. oz.	300 to 1000	24 to 120 fl. cz. (% to 3% qts.)	300 to 1000	Spray can be applied up to within 28 days of harvest. Two treatments can be made per season.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple rinse (or equivalent). 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 smoke.

IMPORTANT NOTICE—Seller warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on the label when used in accordance with the directions and instructions specified on the label under normal conditions of use, but neither this warranty nor any other warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, express or implied, extends to the use of this product, contrary to label instructions, or under abnormal conditions, or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to seller, and buyer assumes the risk of any such use.

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