



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (R7505C)
401 "M" St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:

499-493

Date of Issuance:

MAR 1, 2002

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

- Registration
- Reregistration

Term of Issuance:

Unconditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

TC 227

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Whitmire Micro-Gen Research Laboratories
3568 Tree Court Industrial Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63122-6682

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).

1. Make the following label changes:

- a. Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 499-493".
- b. Under the sub-heading, "CONTROLS" remove the statement (but not limited to) from your labeling.

Signature of Approving Official:

M. Johnson /PM/EG/RD

Date:

March 1, 2002

c. In accordance with PR Notice 2001-6, revise the disposal instructions to read:

IF EMPTY: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

IF PARTLY FILLED: Call your local solid waste agency or [toll free number which meets the criteria in paragraph II.E.] for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

d. Revise the First Aide Statement to read:

IF SWALLOWED: Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.
Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.
Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.
Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.
Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

IN ON SKIN or CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing.
Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

Submit two copies of the final printed label for the record.

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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 yours,



Marion J. Johnson, Jr.
Product Manager 10
Insecticide Branch
Registration Division 7505c

Whitmire Micro-Gen

TC-227

Borax Liquid Ant Bait

CONTROLS: Ants (including, but not limited to acrobat, allegheny, argentine, bigheaded, cornfield, crazy, ghost, harvester, little black, odorous house, pavement, pharaoh, pyramid, whitefooted, thief, and honey.)

FOR USE IN AND AROUND: Commercial, industrial and residential buildings including apartments, garages, food storage areas, homes, hospitals and nursing homes, hotels, motels, office buildings, restaurants and other food handling establishments, schools, supermarkets, transportation equipment (buses, boats, ships, trains, planes), utilities and warehouses

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Sodium Tetraborate Decahydrate (Borax) . . .	5.4%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	94.6%
	<hr/> TOTAL 100.0%

EPA Reg. No. 499-U0G EPA Est. No. 499-M0-1
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
CAUTION

See back panel for additional Precautionary Statements

NET CONTENTS: 0.5 Gallons



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TC 227 v1 0 Front Panel

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated:

MAR - 1 2002

**Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act,
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.**

499-493

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELING.

See supplemental label for complete Directions for Use and Storage and Disposal. Bait should be placed in areas inaccessible to children and pets.

GENERAL USE DIRECTIONS: Make bait application indoors or outside as close as possible to the site of actual or suspected ant activity. Place bait into feeder trays which permit the ants to crawl in and feed. Refill feeder trays as bait is consumed. For quick reduction, use undiluted. For general control, product may be used diluted in accordance with the chart below.

DILUTION CHART

% BORAX	AMOUNT OF CONC. (GAL)	AMOUNT OF H2O (GAL)
1.24	1	4
0.63	1	9

% BORAX	AMOUNT OF CONC. (QTS)	AMOUNT OF H2O (QTS)
1.24	1	4 (1.09 Gal)
0.63	1	9 (2.25 Gal)

1.24% BORAX IS EQUIVALENT TO 0.95% BORIC ACID

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**FIRST AID**

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HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Do not contaminate feed or food products or food preparation surfaces, dishes, kitchen utensils and food containers.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not apply where electrical short circuits might result. To prevent possible staining, spilled bait should be cleaned up immediately with a damp cloth or sponge.

A PRESCRIPTION TREATMENT® brand insecticide from:

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Supplemental Label

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EPA Reg. No. 499-UOG EPA Est. No. 499-MO-1

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INDOOR USE: Place trays behind, under or around stoves, refrigerators, dishwashers, sinks, counters, shelving, water pipes, drains, window frames, base boards and cabinets. Renew bait as needed.

OUTDOOR USE: Keep trays near cracks and crevices or voids around windows and doors, porches, screens, eaves, patios, garages, under stairways and in open crawl spaces around structures and other areas where pests hide or nest, such as tree holes and cracks in fences. Renew bait as needed.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Store product in original container in a cool, dry, locked place out of reach of children. Do not allow product to freeze.

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: Do not reuse empty container. Wrap used container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash, sanitary landfill or by other approved state and local procedures.

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