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Office of Pesticide Programs

The Sherwin-Williams Company
Environmental, Health and Regulatory Services
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Attention: Madelyn K. Harding, Senior Corporate Manager
Regulatory Affairs

Subject: Copper Bottom Anti-Fouling Paint #45
EPA Registration No. 577-569
Notification Dated August 30, 2011

This will acknowledge receipt of your notification, submitted under the provisions of FIFRA Section 3(c)(9).

Proposed Notification

- To add an establishment to the label: EPA Est. No. 577-KY-01

General Comments

Based on a review of the submitted material, the following comments apply.

The Notification is in compliance with PR Notice 98-10 and is acceptable. This information has been made a part of your file.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Martha Terry" followed by a flourish.

Marshall Swindell
Product Manager (33)
Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

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Front of Label

**Sherwin-Williams Seaguard
Copper Bottom Anti-Fouling Paint #45**

Product Color

An Anti-Fouling Boat Bottom Paint

ACTIVE INGREDIENT	
Cuprous Oxide	44.7%
INERT INGREDIENTS	55.3%
TOTAL	100.00%
(Copper as metallic 0.45%)	

THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS PETROLEUM DISTILLATES

5 U.S. Gal
18.92 L

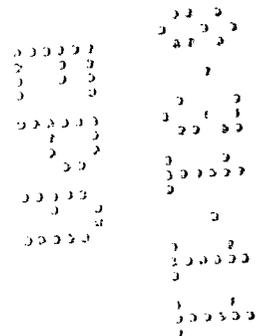
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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

WARNING

COMBUSTIBLE. VAPOR HARMFUL. IRRITATES EYES, SKIN AND RESIRATORY TRACT.

Before using, carefully read CAUTIONS elsewhere on label.



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Back or Side of Label

EPA Est. No.

- 577-VA-01
- 577-NJ-02
- 577-CA-04
- 577-GA-01
- 577-KY-01

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

For commercial or marine use only

- Mix thoroughly prior to use. Make sure no pigment remains on the bottom or sides of the cans.
- Apply at the rate of approximately 400 square feet per gallon / 2.0-2.5 mils dry per coat.
- Apply by brush, roller or spray.
- Recoat Time: 4 hours minimum
- Dry to Service: 8 hours minimum after last coat of anti-foulant.
- Application Temperature: 50°F-110°F
- Reduction: Any reduction must be compatible with existing environmental and application conditions.

Note: First coat of SeaGuard Copper Bottom Anti-fouling paint must be applied to final coat of epoxy primer while the epoxy primer is still tacky, usually within 3-5 hours.

- Surface Preparation: All surfaces referenced below must be free of all surface contaminants and moisture prior to application of primer or anti-foulant.

Previously Painted Surface with Vinyl Anti-Foulant:

Clean surface thoroughly by hydroblasting and/or scrubbing with an abrasive pad using fresh water to remove all marine growth and surface contamination. Remove all loose, flaking paint and feather the edges by sanding. For best results, sand existing anti-fouling paint film with 100 to 120 grit abrasive and wipe clean. Apply 2 coats of SeaGuard Copper Bottom Anti-Fouling Paint.

Steel: Remove all oil and grease from surface by Solvent Cleaning per SSPC-SP1. Minimum surface preparation is Near White Metal Blast Cleaning per SSPC-SP10. Blast clean all surfaces using a sharp angular abrasive for optimum surface profile (2-3 mils). Remove all weld spatter and ground all sharp edges by grinding to a minimum 1/4" radius. Apply 1 coat of TarGuard Coal Tar Epoxy at 8-16 mils dft per coat. Apply 2 coats of SeaGuard Copper Bottom Anti-Fouling Paint.

Wood: Apply first coat of SeaGuard Copper Bottom Anti-foulant reduced 20% with Reducer R2K4, Xylene. Apply 1-2 additional coats of SeaGuard Copper Bottom Anti-Fouling Paint.

Fiberglass: Remove all dirt, oil, grease, and mold release agents. Be sure to change wiping rag frequently. Sand surface with 80 grit abrasive. Apply appropriate fiberglass primer. Apply 2 coats of SeaGuard Copper Bottom Anti-Foulant

- This product is effective in preventing marine growth such as barnacles, bugulas, etc. Can be used in fresh, brackish, or salt waters.
- Shelf Life: 24 months
- Refer to product data page for additional information on surface preparation, application, environmental conditions, product uses, and limitations.
- Non-photochemically reactive

Contains solvents which can cause permanent brain and nervous system damage. Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling the contents can be harmful or fatal.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Paint Pesticide that can not be used according to label instructions must be disposed of according to federal, state or local procedures under the Resources Conservation and Recovery Act.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL

Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

NOTICE: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

FIRST AID

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a poison control center or doctor. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give any liquid to the person. 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.*

IF 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.

IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

HAVE THE PRODUCT CONTAINER OR LABEL WITH YOU WHEN CALLING A POISON CONTROL CENTER OR DOCTOR, OR GOING FOR TREATMENT.

Note to Physician

Contains petroleum distillate - vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

