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Rohm & Haas Company
Independence Mall West
Philadelphia, PA 19108

Attention: Dr. G.R. Ackermann
Manager Government Regulatory Affairs

Gentlemen:

Subject: Kathon 886 MW
EPA Registration No. 707-129
Your Application Dated October 7, 1985

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under section 3(c)(7)(A) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), is acceptable provided that you:

1. Submit/cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.
2. Make the labeling change listed below before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling:
 - References to clearances under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act are not permitted; therefore, delete the following statement:

Kathon 886 MW when used according to good manufacturing practice conforms to the following Food Additive Regulations:
21 CFR 175.105, 21 CFR 176.170, 21 CFR 176.300.

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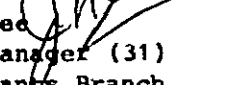
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3. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended labeling constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely yours,


John H. Lee
Product Manager (31)
Disinfectants Branch
Registration Division (TS-767C)

Enclosure

CENTER PANEL

KATHON 886 MW

An Industrial Microbicide for use in Metalworking Fluids, Metal Cleaning Fluids, Hydraulic Fluids, Photoprocessing Systems, Dispersed Pigments, Adhesives, Tackifiers, Paints, Building Materials and Polymer Latices.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

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| 5-Chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one | .8.6% |
| 2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one | .2.6% |
| INERT INGREDIENTS | .88.8% |
| TOTAL | .100.0% |

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
DANGER

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

- IF SWALLOWED: Do not induce vomiting. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg whites, gelatin solution, or if these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol. Call physician immediately.
- IF ON SKIN: Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
- IF IN EYES: Flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician.
- IF INHALED: Remove immediately to fresh air. If not breathing, apply artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call physician.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:

Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. Measures against circulatory shock, respiratory depression, and convulsions may be needed.

SEE SIDE PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS.

MANUFACTURED BY:
ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19105

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EPA Reg. No. 707-129

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Net Contents
Gallons

July 8, 1985
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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

Kathon 886 MW when used according to good manufacturing practice conforms to the following Food Additive Regulations; 21 CFR 175.105, 21 CFR 176.170, 21 CFR 176.300.

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in EPA Letter #246

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METALWORKING FLUID PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended for the control of bacteria and fungi in soluble and emulsifiable type aqueous metalworking fluids.

For the maintenance of a nonfouled system, use Kathon 886 MW at 3.5 fluid ounces (0.3 lbs.) per 1000 gallons of emulsion every 4 weeks or 3.5-16 fluid ounces (0.3-1.3 lbs.) per 1000 gallons of emulsion every 8-12 weeks. For a noticeably fouled system use an initial dose of 7-16 fluid ounces (0.6-1.3 lbs.) per 1000 gallons of emulsion to be followed by subsequent maintenance dosages depending upon the treatment interval noted above. A higher dosage range and/or increased frequency of treatment may be required depending upon rate of dilution of the preservative with makeup fluid, the nature and severity of contamination, level of control required, filtration effectiveness, system design, etc.

The preservative should be dispensed into the use-dilution of the metalworking fluid using a metering pump and uniformly dispersed throughout the system.

METAL CLEANING FLUID PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended as a preservative for use in the manufacture and use of alkaline, acid, and emulsion based metal cleaning fluids typically used in electroplating, phosphatizing, galvanizing and general metal cleaning operations.

For addition to a metal cleaning concentrate, add Kathon 886 MW at a level to ensure that the final use-dilution fluid will contain 56 to 225 ppm product (6.25 to 25 ppm active isothiazolones).

For direct addition to a fouled system, add 7.2-29 fl. oz. (0.6-2.3 lbs.) of Kathon 886 MW to each 1,000 gallons of use-dilution metal cleaning fluid every 3 to 4 weeks to provide 56 to 225 ppm product (6.25 to 25 ppm active isothiazolones). A higher dosage range and/or increased frequency of treatment may be required depending upon rate of dilution of the preservative with the make up fluid, the nature and severity of contamination, level of control required, filtration effectiveness, system design, etc.

The preservative should be dispensed into the use-dilution metal cleaning fluid using a metering pump and uniformly dispersed throughout the system.

WATER-BASED HYDRAULIC FLUID PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended as a preservative for use in the manufacture and use of high water-based hydraulic fluids and invert emulsion hydraulic fluids typically prepared by emulsifying 40% by volume water in 60% by volume of mineral oil using an oil soluble emulsifying agent.

For the maintenance of a non-fouled system, use Kathon 886 MW at 12-15 fluid ounces (1.0-1.2 lbs.) per 1000 gallons fluid every 8 weeks. For a noticeably fouled system use an initial dose of 15-25 fluid ounces (1.2-2.0 lbs.) per 1,000 gallons fluid to be followed by subsequent maintenance dosage. A higher dosage range and/or increased frequency of treatment may be required depending upon rate of dilution of the preservative with make-up fluid, the nature and severity of contamination, level of control required, filtration effectiveness, system design, etc.

The preservative should be dispensed into the use-dilution of the hydraulic fluid using a metering pump and uniformly dispersed throughout the system.

COMMERCIAL PHOTOPROCESSING SYSTEM PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended to prevent slime formation or accumulation in filters and ion exchange resin tanks of commercial photoprocessing systems.

For the maintenance of a non-fouled system, use Kathon 886 MW at 3.5-7.1 fluid ounces (0.29 lbs. to 0.57 lbs.) per 1,000 gallons of water in the system once weekly, or as needed, to maintain control of slime. For a noticeably fouled system, use an initial dose of 7.1-17.1 fluid ounces (0.57 lbs. to 1.38 lbs.) per 1,000 gallons water to be followed by subsequent maintenance dosage. A higher dosage range and/or increased frequency of treatment may be required depending upon rate of dilution of preservation with the make-up fluid, the nature and severity of contamination, level of control required, filtration effectiveness, system design, etc.

The preservative should be dispensed into the final rinse or used water collection tank.

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DISPERSED PIGMENT PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended for the control of bacteria and fungi in the manufacture and storage of dispersed pigments such as kaolin clay, montmorillite clay, titanium dioxide, calcium carbonate, calcium sulfate, barium sulfate, magnesium silicate, and kieselguhr used in paint and paper productions. 707-129

Add 0.056-0.225 lbs. of Kathon 886 MW (25-102 g) to each 1,000 lbs. (453 Kg) of fluid to provide 56 to 225 ppm product (6.25 to 25 ppm active isothiazolones).

ADHESIVE AND TACKIFIER PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended as an in-container preservative for the control of bacteria and fungi in water soluble and water dispersed adhesives such as animal glues, vegetable glues, natural rubber latices, polyvinyl acetate, styrene-butadiene, and acrylic latices. Kathon 886 MW is recommended as a preservative for tackifiers derived from rosin and hydrocarbon resins.

Add 0.056-0.225 lbs. of Kathon 886 MW (25-102 g) to each 1,000 lbs. (453 Kg) of fluid to provide 56 to 225 ppm product (6.25 to 25 ppm active isothiazolones).

PAINT AND COATING PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended as an in-container preservative for the control of bacteria and fungi in water based coatings such as paper and wood coatings, and paints used for architectural, product finishes, and special purpose coatings.

Add 0.056-0.225 lbs. of Kathon 886 MW (25-102 g) to each 1,000 lbs. (453 Kg) of fluid to provide 56 to 225 ppm product (6.25 to 25 ppm active isothiazolones). ACCEPTED
(453 Kg)

BUILDING MATERIAL PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended as an in-container preservative for the control of bacteria and fungi in building materials such as mastics, caulks, cements, spackling, and grouting. SEP 15 1986
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Add 0.056-0.225 lbs. of Kathon 886 MW (25-102 g) to each 1,000 lbs. (453 Kg) of fluid to provide 56 to 225 ppm product (6.25 to 25 ppm active isothiazolones).

POLYMER LATEX PRESERVATION

Kathon 886 MW is recommended for the control of bacteria and fungi in the manufacture and storage of synthetic and natural polymer latices including: acrylic; styrene/butadiene; carboxylated styrene/butadiene; ethylene/vinyl acetate; and biopolymers intended for industrial use, such as xanthum gum, gum arabic, guar gum, protein derived polymers, starches, and casein derived polymers.

Add 0.056-0.45 lbs. of Kathon 886 MW (25-204 g) to each 1,000 lbs. (453 Kg) of fluid to provide 56 to 450 ppm product (6.25 to 50 ppm active isothiazolones).

NOTE: To insure uniform mixing, add Kathon 886 MW to latex or solutions slowly with agitation. The actual concentrations required will depend upon such factors as the specific substance to be treated, frequency of repeated microbial contamination expected, and level of protection required.

Kathon 886 MW weighs 10.4 pounds per gallon.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

PROHIBITIONS: The product as supplied evolves gas (largely carbon dioxide) slowly. To prevent build up of pressure the product is packaged in specially vented containers. Keep this product in the original container when not in use. Container must be stored in an upright position to prevent spilling the contents through the vent. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage disposal, or cleaning of equipment.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide 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

METAL CONTAINERS: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

PLASTIC CONTAINERS: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incinerator, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

GENERAL CONSULT FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL DISPOSAL AUTHORITIES FOR APPROVED ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES.

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Under the authority of the
President, the Executive Order
as amended, for the purposes
registered under EPA Reg. 261.

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER

CORROSIVE

CAUSES EYE DAMAGE AND SKIN BURNS
MAY CAUSE ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION
MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED
MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED OR ABSORBED THROUGH THE SKIN

Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Avoid contamination of food. Do not take internally. Wash thoroughly after handling.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish and wildlife. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or public waters unless this product is specifically identified and addressed in an NPDES permit. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of waste. Apply this pesticide only as specified on this label.

CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

Rohm and Haas warrants that the product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purpose stated on the label only when used in accordance with label directions under normal conditions of use. ROHM AND HAAS MAKES NO OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES EITHER OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR USE. Handling, storage and use of the product by Buyer or User are beyond the control of Rohm and Haas and Seller. Risks such as ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences resulting from, but not limited to, failure to follow label directions will be assumed by the Buyer or User. IN NO CASE WILL ROHM AND HAAS OR SELLER BE HELD LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL OR INDIRECT DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE HANDLING, STORAGE OR USE OF THIS PRODUCT.

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