

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated:

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Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.
1187-VA-1

DIRECTIONS FOR APPLYING **LETHALAIRE** A-35

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

IMPORTANT — First read the precautions printed on Right Panel of Label

ENTOMOLOGICAL RECOMMENDATIONS: When applied as an aerosol **LETHALAIRE A-35** is recommended for use in tobacco warehouses and factories for the control of the tobacco moth, *Ephestia elutella* (Hbn.) and the cigarette beetle, *Lasioderma serricorne* (F.)

GENERAL INFORMATION: **LETHALAIRE A-35** applied as an aerosol in warehouse areas kills by contact, and the deposit of insecticide releases a vapor which continues to kill for three to four days. The insecticide volatilizes completely in about two weeks. The vapor will give good control of the tobacco moth and will also kill exposed adult cigarette beetles and young larvae, also destroying the viability of eggs in the later stages of incubation if they are exposed. Because the vapor emitted from this material will kill for several days, it is more effective than a contact insecticide which kills only during the few minutes its particles are suspended in the air.

Tobacco insects are most active between 5:00 P.M. and midnight. For this reason, aerosols applied between 5:00 P.M. and midnight give best results. Large quantities of tobacco may be treated rapidly and with relative economy.

Cigarettes made of cut cigarette tobacco after prolonged exposure to an atmosphere saturated with DDVP vapor had normal smoking flavor.

PREPARATION OF WAREHOUSE AREAS: The preparation of warehouse areas is based primarily on the number of cubic feet of area to be treated. Several **LETHALAIRE A-35** units can be mounted and wired in series. This enables two or more units to be activated simultaneously through the use of a single electrical switch. The number of units is based on an application rate of 1.25 grams of **LETHALAIRE A-35** per 1000 cubic feet (0.5 gram of DDVP per 1000 cubic feet). A single automatic **LETHALAIRE A-35** unit activated for a period of 25 seconds would treat approximately 50,000 cubic feet of area.

Treated warehouses should not be entered for a period of four hours after application, or until aerosol particles have settled.

The mechanical equipment used in the application of this insecticidal composition is covered by United States Patent Number 3,709,950, owned by Virginia Chemicals Inc.

LOT
NO.

27-323 782V

DOT SHIPPING NAME
COMPRESSED GAS, n.o.s.

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AN AEROSOL INSECTICIDE CONTAINING
40% VAPONA*
FOR THE CONTROL OF TOBACCO INSECTS

*Shell Registered Trademark

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS
2,2-Dichlorovinyl Dimethyl Phosphate (DDVP) ...
Related Compounds
INERT INGREDIENTS

Total



**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF
VAPOR EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS
DANGER! POISONOUS**

SEE RIGHT PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL
HAZARDOUS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Placard must be placed outside of treated area. Poisonous if swallowed. Read all of label carefully. Use only as directed. Keep away from heat and vapor or liquid on skin. Do not get vapor or liquid in eyes. Keep away from clothing.

ALWAYS USE AN APPROVED GAS MASK WHEN APPLYING: Wear the Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration (formerly the Institute for Occupational Safety and Health) under the provisions of 29 CFR 1910.134.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Contents under pressure. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Exposure to temperatures above 130° F may cause bursting.

THIS CYLINDER IS REFILLABLE

Return to Manufacturer for Deposit or Exchange

E.P.A. EST. 1187-VA-1

A Product of

VIRGINIA CHEMICALS INC. PORTLAND, OREGON

DROR 135" out of Red

10-1-85
(13.6 kg)

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A-35

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CONTAINING
NA*

INSECTS

By Weight

Methyl Phosphate (DDVP)	37.2%
	2.8%
	60.0%
Total	100.0%

OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS
DANGER! POISON

PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONS
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d. Keep away from heat and open flame. Do not breathe vapor. Do not get
or liquid in eyes. Keep away from feed and food products. Do not get on

ASK WHEN APPLYING: Wear a pesticide respirator jointly approved by
ministration (formerly the U.S. Bureau of Mines) and by the National
Health under the provisions of 30 CFR Part 11.

YSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

store near heat or open flame. Do not puncture or incinerate container.
F may cause bursting.

THIS CYLINDER IS REFILLABLE
Manufacturer for Deposit or Exchange when Empty.

A Product of E.P.A. Reg. No. 1187-108

ICALS INC. PORTSMOUTH, VIRGINIA

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.
Storage: Do not use or store near heat or open flame.
Disposal: This cylinder is refillable. Return to manufacturer for deposit or exchange when empty.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER

DO NOT CONTACT THE SKIN: Glove impervious to DDVP should be worn. All skin surfaces should be completely covered with protective clothing during application.
DO NOT INHALE DDVP MIST: Wear a pesticide respirator jointly approved by the Mining Enforcement Safety Administration and by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health for DDVP Protection.
ADEQUATE PERSONAL HYGIENE AND CLEANLINESS are necessary. After applying remove clothing and bathe thoroughly with warm water and soap. Wash clothing before re-use.
DO NOT CONTAMINATE FOOD: smoke, eat or chew tobacco in the operation area.

FIRST AID TREATMENT

If swallowed—Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Drink one or two glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching the back of the throat with finger. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If inhaled—Remove victim to fresh air. Apply respiration if indicated.
If on skin—Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with soap and water.
If in eyes—Flush eyes for at least 15 minutes with water. Call a physician immediately.
CALL A PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER IMMEDIATELY IN ALL CASES OF SUSPECTED POISONING. • Keep patient prone and quiet. • Start artificial respiration immediately if patient is not breathing. • Transport the patient immediately to the nearest physician.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

WARNING SYMPTOMS: Symptoms include weakness, headache, tightness in chest, blurred vision, non-reactive pin-point pupils, salivation, sweating, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and abdominal cramps.
TREATMENT: Atropine is the specific therapeutic antagonist of choice against parasympathetic nervous stimulation. If there are signs of parasympathetic stimulation, atropine sulfate should be injected at 10-minute intervals in doses of 1 to 2 milligrams until complete atropinization has occurred.
• Morphine is contraindicated. • Clear chest by postural drainage. • Observe patient continuously for 48 hours. • Repeated exposure to cholinesterase inhibitors may, without warning, cause prolonged susceptibility to very small doses of any cholinesterase inhibitor. • Allow no further exposure until time for cholinesterase regeneration has been allowed as determined by blood test.



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OFFICE OF
PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Virginia Chemicals Inc.
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NOV 24 1982

Attn: Mr. David G. Hall

Dear Mr. Hall:

Subject: Change of Propellant
Lethalaire A-35 Insecticide
EPA Reg. No: 1187-108
Lethalaire A-30 Insecticide
EPA Reg. No: 1187-67
Appl. Dates: July 22, 1982

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The requests for amended formulations for the products referred to above are acceptable and a copy of each Confidential Statement of Formula have been placed in their respective files.

At the next label printing:

1. Change the heading "HAZARDOUS TO HUMANS..." to "HAZARDS.....".
2. It is strongly suggested that the heading "THIS CYLINDER IS REFILLABLE" be changed to read: "THIS CYLINDER IS REFILLABLE BY MANUFACTURER".

Sincerely yours,

George T. LaRocca
Product Manager (15)
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division (TS-767C)

P.S. The labeling submitted with the subject applications are also acceptable and a stamped copy of each label is enclosed for your records.