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International Specialty Products  
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Attention: Sangeeta V. Khattnar

Subject: Nuosept 95 Preservative  
EPA Registration No. 1529-28  
Amendment Dated March 31, 2008

The amendment, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable.

- To Revise the Use Rates for Paints and Metal Working Fluids per the Nuosept 95 RED

A stamped copy of the "accepted" product labeling is enclosed for your records.

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

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Swindell".

Marshall Swindell  
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Enclosure

# NUOSEPT® 95 PRESERVATIVE

For use as a preservative in latex paints, latex emulsions, slurries and pigment dispersions, inks, adhesives, construction materials such as caulks and sealants, metalworking fluids, textile fiber finish solutions, paper coatings (must be limited to contact with dry food), general use in petroleum production recovery, and wax emulsions.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

### HAZARD TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

#### DANGER

Causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes or in clothing. Wear goggles, face shield or safety glasses, and rubber gloves. Harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### FIRST AID

**IF IN EYES:** Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. 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 mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for further treatment advice.

**IF ON SKIN:** 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 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 a Poison Control Center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or going for treatment.

**EMERGENCY MEDICAL INFORMATION: (800) 241-7439**

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local 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 wastes.

## PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Keep away from heat and flame. In case of fire, use spray, foam, CO<sub>2</sub> or dry chemical. Protect from freezing.



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NOTE: READ THE MATERIAL SAFETY DATA  
SHEET BEFORE  
USING THIS PRODUCT.

IN CASE OF TRANSPORTATION EMERGENCY  
CALL CHEMTREC 800-424-9300 (703-527-3887)

## ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

5-Hydroxymethyl-1aza-3, 7-dioxabicyclo - (3.3.0) octane..... 28.80%

5-Hydroxymethoxymethyl-1aza-3,7-dioxabicyclo- (3.3.0) octane..... 16.00%

5-Hydroxypoly (methyleneoxy (74% C2, 21% C3, 4% C4, 1% C5)

methyl-1-aza-3, 7-dioxabicyclo- (3.3.0) octane ..... 5.20%

INERT INGREDIENTS ..... 50.00%

TOTAL ..... 100.00%

ACCEPTED

with COMMENTS

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## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as  
amended, for the pesticide,  
registered under EPA Reg. No. 1529-28

| Use Level Summary                   |   |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| End Use                             | Recommended Use Level <sup>(1)</sup> of<br>NUOSEPT® 95 PRESERVATIVE | Point of Addition                                  |
| Adhesives (Natural-Based)           | 0.2 - 0.5   | Add to water phase or post add.                    |
| Adhesives (Synthetic)               | 0.1 - 0.5   | Add to water phase or post add.                    |
| Caulks                              | 0.1 - 0.5   | Add to water phase during manufacture.             |
| Drilling Muds                       | 0.05 - 0.2  | Add to water phase or post add.                    |
| Flooding Fluids                     | 0.01 - 0.1  | Post addition.                                     |
| Latex Emulsions                     | 0.05 - 0.3  | Post addition.                                     |
| Wax Emulsions                       | 0.2 - 0.3   | Post addition.                                     |
| Latex Paint                         | 0.1 - 0.4   | Add at any point during manufacture.               |
| Inks                                | 0.1 - 0.5   | Post addition.                                     |
| Paper Coatings                      | 0.1 - 0.5   | Add to water phase or post add.                    |
| Pigment Dispersion                  | 0.1 - 0.3   | Add at any point during manufacture.               |
| Pigment Slurry                      | 0.05 - 0.1  | Add to water phase or post add.                    |
| Sealants                            | 0.1 - 0.5   | Add to water phase during manufacture.             |
| Metalworking Fluids                 |   | Add to water phase during manufacture and service. |
| Textile Fiber Finish <sup>(2)</sup> | 0.05 - 0.1  | Add at any point during manufacture.               |

<sup>(1)</sup> Percent by weight of formulation. The optimum amount of NUOSEPT® 95 PRESERVATIVE required for adequate preservation is best determined by conducting a series of test loadings and making any subsequent adjustments.

<sup>(2)</sup> Only for use on fibers that are not in direct contact with skin.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**STORAGE** - Store indoors in a cool, dry place. Protect from heat and flame. Keep from freezing. Wear organic vapor respirator, face shield and rubber gloves when opening container and transferring contents. Reseal open container. If pesticide is spilled, extinguish sources of ignition, ventilate area and cover spill with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and dispose of as below.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL** - Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or 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 sanitary landfill or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

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EPA label amendment dated 3/31/2008 to revise the use rates for paints and metalworking fluids as noted in the RED dated 9/2005.

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