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## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

MAY 20 1993

Mr. Josh M. Dunn  
Product Safety Regulatory Manager  
U.S. Borax, Inc.  
26877 Tourney Road  
Valencia, CA 91355

Subject: Disodium Octaborate Tetrahydrate  
EPA Registration No. 1624-125  
Final Printed Label  
Your Submission Dated March 22, 1993


Dear Mr. Dunn:

The above mentioned amendment submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA adding the "Statement of Practical Treatment" to the label is acceptable.

Before the printing of your next label, change the Environmental Hazard statement to read "For terrestrial uses, do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark."

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

Sincerely,

  
Robert J. Taylor  
Product Manager (25)  
Fungicide-Herbicide Branch  
Registration Division (H7505C)

Enclosure

## CONCURRENCES

SYMBOL	H7505C							
SURNAME	Galante							
DATE	5-20-93							

ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
in EPA Letter Dated:

MAY 20 1993

under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
is accepted for the pesticide  
registered under EPA Reg. No.

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# DISODIUM OCTABORATE TETRAHYDRATE MANUFACTURING-USE ONLY

Manufactured by: U.S. Borax Inc., 26877 Tourney Road, Valencia, CA 91355  
Emergency Phone: 1-800-228-5635 ext. 144

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:

### CAUTION

#### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Caution. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contamination of food and feed. Do not leave container where children or animals may gain access.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

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.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.  
STORAGE: Store in a dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access.

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: Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

## FOR THE FORMULATION OF INSECTICIDES/FUNGICIDES

### ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Disodium Octaborate  
Tetrahydrate ..... 98%  
( $\text{Na}_2\text{B}_8\text{O}_{13} \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$ )

Inert Ingredient ..... 2%  
( $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  - absorbed moisture)

#### STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED, immediately contact a physician or Poison Control Center. If these are unavailable, give the victim 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching the back of throat with fingers. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF IN EYES, flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

IF ON SKIN, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin with soap and water.

IF INHALED, remove victim to fresh air.

### DIRECTIONS FOR

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

Disodium octaborate tetrahydrate powder for formulating into end-use fungicides for wood treatment; institutional and commercial building and crack and crevice treatment.

**FORMULATORS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR OWN REGISTRATIONS.**

### NOTICE

Because of many varying conditions of application, manufacturer warrants no specific results or performance. It may impair or vary the results or effectiveness of the product. In any event, complete control of fungi or other organisms is not guaranteed. Manufacturer or seller shall be liable for injury or damages suffered by user if product for a purpose not indicated on label is used contrary to the directions on label, or with respect to breach of any warranty specified herein. Buyer accepts these terms, and assumes responsibility for handling except when used in accordance with this label.

THERE ARE NO EXPRESS WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY FOR ANY PARTICULAR PURPOSE. SPECIFICALLY STATED HEREON, U.S. BORAX SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR DAMAGES BASED ON THE LABEL.

Net Contents: 50 lbs. (22.7Kgs)

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