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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Subject:

Label Amendment Submission of 11/17/93 in Response to PR Notice 93-7

EPA Reg. No. 2749-126 ACETO 2,4-DB 175

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is accepted subject to the comments reflected on the enclosed sheet. A copy of your proposed labeling stamped "ACCEPTED WITH COMMENTS" is enclosed.

WHAT THIS ACCEPTANCE MEANS:

Based on your certification, the Agency has accepted the labeling changes that are necessary to comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) labeling requirements of 40 CFR part 156, subpart K, described in PR Notices 93-7 and 93-11. Any other labeling changes submitted in connection with this amendment application but not directly related to compliance with the WPS have not been reviewed or accepted by the Agency. If you wish to make such changes, you must submit a separate amendment application proposing them. If your product is currently suspended, the acceptance of this labeling amendment does not affect the suspension in any way.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO NEXT:

By the next label printing make all the specified changes to your labeling. Send to EPA one (1) copy of the final printed labeling:

- BEFORE selling or distributing any product bearing the final printed labeling AND
- WITHIN one year from date of this acceptance.

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Submit the final printed labeling via the U.S. Postal Service to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs (7505C)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
401 M Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20460-0001

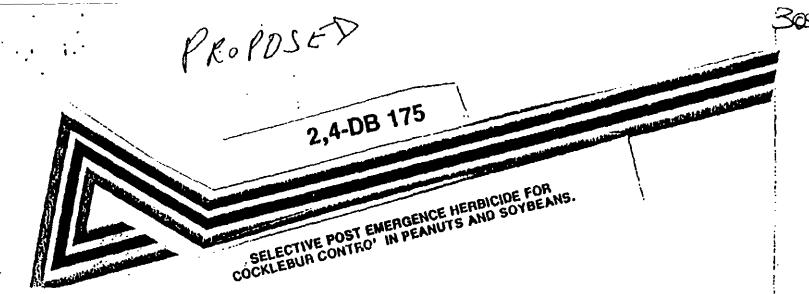
Hand or courier deliveries of final printed labeling may be made to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs
Room 266A, Crystal Mall 2
1921 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, VA 22202

Sincerely,

Jim Tompkins, Deputy Chief Registration Support Branch Registration Division (7505W)

Attachment



Active Ingredient::

Dimethylamine salt of 4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy)

butyric acid*.....23.00%

*Equivalent to 19.5% by weight of 4-(2,4-dichlorophenoxy) butyric acid, or not less than 1.75/lbs. 4-(2,4-DB) acid per gal. at 68'F.

STOP --- READ LABEL BEFORE USING

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS Is EPA Letter Dated

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

MAR 1 7 1994 Under the Federal Insecticide, Fumiliaide and Rodenticide Act as mended for the pesticide resserved under EPA Reg. No.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If Swallowed: Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

Wash contaminated areas thoroughly with soap and If on Skin: Do not reuse contaminated clothing until washed Get medical attention if irritation persists.

If in Eyes: Plush with copious amounts of clean water for 10-15 minutes. Get medical attention.

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EPA EST. NO. 33037-EN-1

NET CONTENTS GAL.

MADE IN ENGLAND

Manufactured For: ACETO AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION One Hollow Lane, Lake Success, NY 11042-1215

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing spray mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. When handling this product wear chemical resistant gloves. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

EPERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Applicators and other handlers must wear:
Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
Chemical-resistant gloves
Shoes plus socks
Chemical-resistant headgear for overhead exposure

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS:

- O Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet
- O Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not contaminate water intended for irrigation or domestic purposes. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from target area.

FOR CHEMICAL SPILL, LEAK, FIRE OR EXPOSURE, CALL TOLL FREE 1-800-424-9300

AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL DO NOT SHIP OR STORE WITH FOODS, PEEDS, DRUGS, OR CLOTHING.

DIRECTIONS FOR USB

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Top not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. If contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment(PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 48 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted is under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:

coveralls chemical-resistant gloves shoes plus socks

chemical-resistant headgear for overhead exposure

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed, by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not store this product near fertilizers, seeds, insecticides, or fungicides. Store at temperatures above 32°F. If product is allowed to freeze warm to 50°F and agitate thoroughly before using. Containers should not be stacked more than six (6) high. Reclose all partially used containers by thoroughly tightening screw cap. Damaged or leaking containers which cannot be used immediately should be transferred to suitable sound containers and properly marked. Absorb any spill with a suitable clay absorbent and dispose of as indicated under "Pesticide Disposal".

GENERAL INFORMATION

This material is not recommended as a pre-emergence treatment. Be sure sprayer is clean before using 2,4-DB 175 in it.

2,4DB 175 has given control or suppression of the following weeds depending on the size of the weed.



COMMON NAME	BOTANICAL NAME	SUPPRESSION ONLY IF LARGER THAN
Pigweed or careless weed	Amaranthus sp.	3 inches
Morningglory	Ipomoea so.	3 leet
Cocklebur	Xanthium sp.	3 leet
Velvetleaf	Abution theophrasti	1 inch
Virginia copperleat	Acalpha virginica	1 inch
Teaweed	Sida spinosa	1 inch
Common ragwood	Ambrosia artemisiilolia	1 inch
Jimsonweed	Datura stramonium	1 1/2 inch
Devils claw	Proboscidea louisianica	2 inches
Costweed	Croton lindheimerl	1 inch
Lambsquarters	Chenopodium album	1 inch
Silverleaf nightshade	Solanum elacagnifolium	
	SOYBEANS	

RESTRICTIONS AND LIMITATIONS

Drought stressed beans should not be sprayed. Do not harvest beans within 60 days alter application. Use either the over-all or the directed application. Do not use both applications on the same field in the same season. Do not use this product on soybeans that show symptoms of Phytophthora root rot disease. Do not add any wetting agents or detergents to the spray solution.

OVER-ALL APPLICATIONS:

For control of cocklebur and morningglory, use 0.8 to 1.0 pint of 2,4-DB 175 per acre (equivalent to 0.175 to 0.22 pounds active 2,4-DB acid per acre). It is very important to calibrate sprayers before application to be sure you are applying the right amount. Apply from 7 to 10 days before bloom up to mid-bloom, when soybeans are about knee-high and growing actively. Soybean foliage should be dark green indicating nodulation and nitrilication are already underway. Do not apply over-all sprays earlier than this stage of growth.

Important - Midwest:

Cocklebur must form a protective canopy over the bean plants before spraying or injury to the soybeans may result. Application after mid-bloom may affect flowering and reduce soybean yields.

Apply as a broadcast spray. Use a boom sprayer with that fan-type nozzles. Space nozzles so that one nozzle is over each row and over each middle. Adjust the height of the boom above the crop to give complete coverage of all weeds. Use low pressure (20-40 psl). Do not use boom jet nozzles.

For a time, soybeans will show some effects from the chemical in the form of temporary twisting or curling of the stems and leaves. However, these effects disappear in about 3 to 5 days. Cocklebur will die out in from 3 days to 3 weeks.