

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Lewis & Harrison
122 C Street NW, Ste 740
Washington, DC 20001

Subject: Algae-Rx
EPA Registration No. 3432-7
Amendment Date: August 24, 2003
EPA Receipt Date: August 25, 2004

Dear Ms. McCombie,

The following amendment submitted in connection with registration under the provisions of FIFRA, as amended, is acceptable with the conditions listed below.

- Minor Label Corrections

Conditions

Revise the label as follows:

1. Based on substantially similar product's acute toxicology profiles, this product is classified in toxicity category III for acute oral toxicity. Therefore revise the precautionary statement, "Harmful or Fatal if Swallowed" to read "Harmful if swallowed."
2. Under the "Directions for Use," delete the statement, "Do not use water containing residue from this product to irrigate crops used for food or feed."
3. Since this product is sold in containers ranging from 1 qt to 1 gallon, revise the Storage and Disposal statements to reflect the following:

Storage and Disposal: Store in original container and placed in a locked storage area inaccessible to children or persons unfamiliar with its use. Keep from freezing. Do not reuse container. Discard in trash.

Spills or Leakages: Mop small spills or flush away with water.

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General Comments

A stamped label accepted with conditions is enclosed. Submit three (3) copies of your final printed label before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Jacqueline McFarlane at (703) 308-6416.

Sincerely,



Velma Noble
Product Manager (31)
Regulatory Management Branch I
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

Enclosure: Stamped Label

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Algae-Rx

**FOR PREVENTING AND TREATING
ALGAE IN SWIMMING POOLS**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

n-alkyl (50% C14, 40% C12, 10% C16)
dimethyl benzyl ammonium
chloride 10%
OTHER INGREDIENTS 90%
TOTAL..... 100%

EPA Reg. No. 3432-7
EPA Est. No. 3432-PA-1

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER NET CONT. 1 QT.

See side panel for further cautions

Mfg. By: N. Jonas & Co., Inc. • Bensalem, PA 19020

**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. 3432-7

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER. CORROSIVE. Causes irreversible eye and skin burns. Do not get in eyes, or on skin, or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling. Harmful or fatal if swallowed. Avoid contamination of food. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

FIRST AID	
IF IN EYES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. •Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. •Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •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.
IF INHALED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •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.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.	
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN	
Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.	

DIRECTIONS FOR USE: It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

When first filling pool or when no algae are visible use this product at a rate of 32 fluid oz. to each 12,500 gallons of pool water. If algae growth is visible apply 32 fluid oz. to each 5,000 gallons. Vacuum pool after 24 hours to remove dead algae. If algae is still visible repeat dose as necessary until pool is free of visible algae. Thereafter follow up with maintenance dose of 32 fluid oz. per 12,500 gallons pool water every 5 to 7 days or as needed. Add this product to pool water in front of the pool return while filter is on, for best results allow filter to run for at least 24 hours after adding this product. This product is effective over all normal pool balance values. Bathers should not be in the pool when this product is added and should not re-enter for at least 15 minutes. The above directions should be followed even when the pool is not in use. Do not use water containing residue from this product to irrigate crops used for food or feed.

[For winterization application, add 1 quart of this product per 12,500 gallons pool water to treat water left in pool. This dose helps provide a measure of control of algae growth during the winter months. This treatment will also help the servicing of the pool before it is returned to use the following season.]

Do not mix this product with other pool chemicals, especially chlorine. Do not re-use container.

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STORAGE: Store in original containers and place in locked storage area. Keep from freezing. Small spills may be mopped up or flushed away with water or absorbed on some material and incinerated. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Securely wrap original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash. **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse container. Rinse thoroughly before discarding in trash.

To Calculate Gallonage For Round Or Oval Pools: Diameter of pool x diameter of pool x average depth (all in feet) x 5.9 = gallons.

To Calculate Gallonage For Rectangular Pools: average depth x length x width (all in feet) x 7.5 = gallons.