

DEC 14 2000

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RE: BELLACIDE 329
EPA Reg. No. 5185-478
Your Submission Dated 9/28/2000

The submission referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, to provide revised labels in response to the changes required in the EPA letter dated 5/8/2000, is acceptable with the following comments.

You do not have to submit final printed labels with these changes.

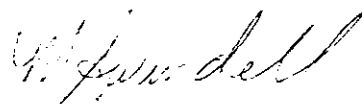
1. For the benefit of users and our reviewers, with your next regular label printing, you should increase the labeling typesize from the current 6 point, which is the absolute legal minimum, to a more readable typesize (eg., 10 point).

2. With your next regular label printing, you must boldface all headings and subheadings as they were on the label stamped 5/8/2000. Without boldface, all sections seem to run together, and it is difficult to easily distinguish subsections.

A stamped copy of the revised label is attached for your records.

If you have any questions about the comments in this letter, please feel free to contact Tony Kish at 703-308-9443, or myself at 703-308-6341.

Sincerely,



Marshall Swindell,
Product Manager Team 33,
Regulatory Management Branch I
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

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Precautionary Statements Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin or inhaled. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse. Put on clean clothing. Follow personal protective equipment manufacturer's instruction for cleaning/maintaining personal protective equipment. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Store and wash personal protective equipment separately from other laundry. Remove personal protective equipment immediately after handling the product. Wash the outside of the gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

Statement of Practical Treatment:

If Swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If on Skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention.

If Inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth to mouth. Get medical attention.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

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 sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

Precaution:

Do not use this product in recirculating cooling water systems or decorative and ornamental fountains where the treated water will come into contact with lawns, trees, shrubs, or other desirable plants, since injury may result. Water from treated systems may not be used for irrigation or spraying of agricultural crops, lawns, or ornamental plants, or for watering cattle, goats, hogs, horses, poultry, or sheep, or for human consumption.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

Storage: Protect from freezing.

Pesticide Disposal:

Waste resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Disposal:

Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incinerate, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

Directions for Use - Recirculating Cooling Water Systems, Decorative and Ornamental Fountains

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and directions.

Industrial Use Application Restrictions: Open pouring of this product is prohibited. Mixing, loading, and application must be with a closed system (one that prevents the chemical from contacting handlers or other persons) and during handling of this chemical personal protective equipment must be worn. Personal protective equipment includes a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes, socks, and chemical-resistant gloves. A chemical-resistant apron must be immediately available during loading and application and must be worn in case of a leak, spill, or other exposure to the concentrate.

When to apply: Heavy algae growth contributes to restricted water flow in recirculating cooling water systems, thereby impairing the efficiency of the system, especially heat-exchange efficiency. This product alone or a combination of this product and chlorine or a chlorine releasing agent (such as sodium, calcium, or lithium hypochlorite), used regularly controls algae and prevents re-establishment of algae when used according to directions.

Bellacide 329

For control of algae in recirculating cooling water systems, and in decorative and ornamental fountains.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Terbutylazine:

2-(tert-butylamino)-4-chloro-6-(ethylamino)-S-Triazine

INERT INGREDIENTS:

TOTAL:

44.7%

55.3%

100.0%

This product is an Aqueous Dispersion

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

Refer to Left Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements

Sold By:

Bio-Lab Inc.

PO Box 1489
Decatur GA 30031

EPA REG. NR. 5185-478

EPA EST. NR. 55618-SC-001

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

MEDICAL: 877-800-5553

TRANSPORTATION: 800-424-9300

MEDICAL (OUTSIDE USA): 303-623-5716

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Net Weight 450 lb

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated:

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Under the Federal Insecticides,
Fungicides, and Rodenticides Act as
amended, for the pesticide,
registered under EPA Reg. No.

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Directions for Use - Continued

Clean badly fouled systems before treatment. It is recommended or after cleaning a system whose efficiency is already impaired by product will be uniformly mixed, such as in the tower sump.

This product is compatible with other water treatment products, including low-foaming properties, and is non-corrosive to piping and equipment.

Treat the water early in the algal growth period (typically early spring algae). For maximum effectiveness, systems with heavy algae growth

Treatment of algae in recirculating cooling water systems and in decorative and ornamental fountains

Apply this product at a point in the system where there is good mixing, such as near the fountain recirculating water pump. This product action will reduce the risk of large algae clumps possibly clogging recirculating cooling water system.

Chlorinated Systems and/or Brominated Systems

(I) Continuous addition:

Initial Treatment- To keep systems free of algae, maintain up to 2 ppm of this product in the system water (which is equivalent to about 10,000 gallons) by dosing or regular shock doses (for example, one hour, twice a day) to achieve a maintenance level of 2 ppm of this product by continuous pump and know the volume, half-life (makeup/blowdown rate), evaporation rate, and windage loss.

Maintenance Treatment- Concentrations below the recommended level depending upon the strains of algae present. Experience will determine the proper level.

(II) Slug / Intermittent addition:

Initial Treatment- Apply sufficient product to maintain up to 2 ppm of bromination as described under the continuous addition section. For a system's volume and half-life (makeup/blowdown rate). For example, if the system's volume is 10,000 gallons and a half-life of 3 days, an initial dose of 4 ppm (about 16 fluid ounces in 10,000 gallons), followed by additions of 2 ppm of this product (about 8 fluid ounces in 10,000 gallons) every 3 days.

Maintenance Treatment- Concentrations below the recommended level depending upon the strains of algae present. Experience will determine the proper level.

It is recommended that this product be dosed at the same time as the chlorine and/or bromine dosing point.

Non-Chlorinated and/or Non-Brominated Systems

(I) Continuous addition:

Initial Treatment- To keep systems free of algae, maintain up to 2 ppm of this product in the system water (which is equivalent to about 3 ppm of 6.7 ppm of this product by continuous addition it will be necessary to know the volume, half-life (makeup/blowdown rate), evaporation rate, and windage loss.

Maintenance Treatment- Concentrations below the recommended level depending upon the strains of algae present. Experience will determine the proper level.

(II) Slug / Intermittent addition:

Initial Treatment- Apply sufficient product to maintain up to 6.7 ppm of frequency will be dependent upon a system's volume and half-life of this product in a system with a volume of 10,000 gallons and a half-life of 3 days, an initial dose of 4 ppm (about 16 fluid ounces in 10,000 gallons), followed by additions of 2 ppm of this product (about 8 fluid ounces in 10,000 gallons) every 3 days.

Maintenance Treatment- Concentrations below the recommended level depending upon the strains of algae present. Experience will determine the proper level.

Note: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with label.