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US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY OFFICE OF PESTICIDES PROGRAMS REGISTRATION DIVISION (75-767) WASHINGTON, DC 20460 NOTICE OF PESTICIDE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REGISTRATION <input type="checkbox"/> REREGISTRATION (Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended)	EPA REGISTRATION NO. 5185-484	DATE OF ISSUANCE APR 17 2000
	TERM OF ISSUANCE	
	NAME OF PESTICIDE PRODUCT ProGuard Calcium Hypochlorite Tablets	

NAME AND ADDRESS OF REGISTRANT (Include ZIP code)

Bio-Lab, Inc.
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NOTE: Changes in labeling formula differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above U.S. EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby Registered/Reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.

A copy of the labeling accepted in connection with this Registration/Reregistration is returned herewith.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an indorsement or approval of this product by this Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

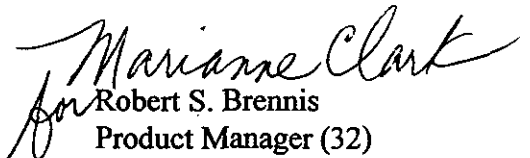
This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA section 3(c)(7)

(A) provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 3(c)(5) and section 4 when the Agency requires all registrants to similiar products to submit such data.
2. Add the phrase, "EPA Registration No. 5185-484 to your label before you release the product for shipment.
3. Submit one copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

If these conditions are not complied with the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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


 for Robert S. Brennis
 Product Manager (32)
 Regulatory Management Branch II
 Antimicrobial Division (7510C)

ATTACHMENT IS APPLICABLE

SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL	DATE
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{All text in brackets [xxx] is optional and may or may not be included on a final label.}
{All text in braces {xxx} is administrative and will not appear on a final label.}

PROGUARD Calcium Hypochlorite Tablets

- {Optional marketing statements}
- [Sanitizer for the treatment of swimming pool water]
- [Commercial use sanitizing and algae control agent]
- [Kills bacteria]
- [Controls algae]
- [For Multi-Purpose Use]
- [Sanitizer]
- [For Commercial Pool Use Only]

IMPORTANT! READ DIRECTIONS FOR USE ON BACK PANEL

USE ONLY WITH CALCIUM HYPOCHLORITE [TABLET] [PUCKS] [STICKS] [OR]
[AND][BRIQUETTE] FEEDER SYSTEMS

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Calcium Hypochlorite.....	67%
OTHER INGREDIENTS.....	33%
TOTAL.....	100%

Available Chlorine 67%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
DANGER

CONTAMINATION MAY CAUSE FIRE OR EXPLOSION!
MIX ONLY INTO WATER.

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS. FIRE OR EXPLOSION
COULD RESULT FROM IMPROPER USE! DO NOT USE CALCIUM HYPOCHLORITE TABLETS
IN ANY FEEDER, FLOATER, SKIMMER OR OTHER CHLORINATING DEVICE IN WHICH ANY
OTHER CHLORINATING COMPOUND HAS BEEN USED.

FIRST AID: IF CONTACT WITH EYES OCCURS: Immediately flush with cold water for
at least 15 minutes. Then get immediate medical attention. IF CONTACT WITH SKIN: Brush off
excess chemical and flush skin with cold water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists, get
medical attention. IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, have trained person
administer oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Call a physician immediately. IF
SWALLOWED: Drink large amounts of water. DO NOT induce vomiting. Avoid alcohol. Never
give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center
immediately. NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of
gastric lavage. [IN CASE OF MEDICAL EMERGENCY, CALL [1-877-800-5553] [telephone
number supplied by supplemental registrant]]

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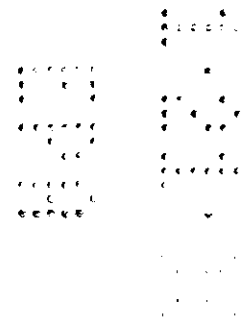
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DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

It is a violation of federal law to use in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and directions.

Easy to use Calcium Hypochlorite Tablets containing 67% available chlorine are designed for use with calcium hypochlorite [tablet] [puck][stick] [or][and][briquette] feeders. When used according to the instructions provided with the feeder, the Calcium Hypochlorite Tablets provide a steady supply of available chlorine while the pool's filter pump is in operation. Available chlorine controls the growth of algae and effectively kills many bacteria.

1. Read the Installation and Operations Manual for your calcium hypochlorite tablet or briquette feeder system.
2. Start the filter pump and check chlorine residual with a reliable test kit.
3. Fill the hopper with this product. Adjust device feed rate setting according to the operation instructions in manual. Use calcium hypochlorite tablets only in calcium hypochlorite tablet or briquette feeder systems.
4. After 24 hours, check the chlorine residual. If 1.0 to 5.0 ppm, do not change the feed rate setting, if below 1.0 ppm, increase the feed rate. Allow sufficient time (e.g. one day) after changing the feed rate setting for the chlorine residual to readjust. The pool should not be used until the 1.0 to 5.0 ppm chlorine residual is established.
5. Always maintain pH between 7.2 to 7.6 by using a suitable pH adjuster according to that product's label directions.
6. If stabilizer (cyanuric acid) is used to protect chlorine residual from breakdown by sunlight, follow label application directions for the stabilizer product and maintain the chlorine residual at 1.0 to 5.0 ppm as determined by a test kit.

Note: If algae develops, adjust pH to 7.2 – 7.4. Fill the feeder with this product. Thoroughly clean pool by scrubbing surface of algae growth and vacuum. Increase the feed rate setting until a 5.0 ppm chlorine residual is maintained. If algae persists, maintain 5.0 – 10.0 ppm free available chlorine residual for at least 4 hours or until algae is visually eliminated. Pools should not be entered until the chlorine residual reads between 1.0 to 5.0 ppm. Alternative EPA registered algicides can be used according to those product's label directions.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

Keep this product dry in tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from heat or open flame. In case of decomposition, isolate container (if possible) and flood area with large amounts of water to dissolve ALL MATERIALS BEFORE DISCARDING THIS CONTAINER. Do not reuse empty container but place in trash collection. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage or disposal, or cleaning of equipment.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS: DANGER: Highly corrosive. Causes skin and eye damage. May be fatal if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not handle with bare hands. When handling, wear rubber gloves and goggles or face shield and use only thoroughly clean, dry utensils. Irritating to nose and throat. Avoid breathing dust and fumes. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

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PHYSICAL OR CHEMICALS HAZARDS:

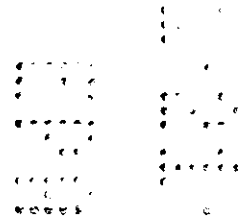
DANGER: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT. Add only into water. Contamination may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases, and possible fire and explosion. Avoid any contact with flame or burning material, such as a lighted cigarette. Do not contaminate with moisture, garbage, dirt, organic matter, chemicals, including other pool chemicals, pool chlorinating compounds, household products, cyanuric acid pool stabilizers, soap products, paint products, solvents, acids, vinegar, beverages, oils, pine oil, dirty rags or any other foreign matter. Do not use this product in any automatic chlorinating device other than calcium hypochlorite tablet or briquette feeder systems. Such improper use may cause fire or explosion. Do not permit this product to contact metal or plastic pool linings. Do not throw this product directly into pool. Do not use Trichlor-s-triazinetrione (Stabilized Chlorine) tablets or any other chlorinating compound in systems that use this product.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD:

This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, ponds, streams, estuaries, oceans or public 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.

NOTE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.

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