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PREVENTION, PESTICIDES  
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

December 22, 2003

Ronald T. Cook  
Manager, Regulatory Affairs  
**Spartan Chemical Company, Inc.**  
110 N. Westwood Avenue  
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Subject: **Germicidal Bowl Cleanse**  
EPA Registration No. 5741-11  
Application Date: December 2, 2003  
EPA Received Date: December 12, 2003

Dear Mr. Cook:

The following amendment, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable:

**Proposed Amendment**

- Revised labeling

**General Comments**

A stamped copy of the accepted labeling is enclosed. Should you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please contact me at 703-308-6422.

Sincerely,

Adam Heyward  
Product Manager 34  
Regulatory Management Branch II  
Antimicrobials Division (7510 C)



# GERMICIDAL™ Bowl Cleanse

DISINFECTS    CLEANS    DEODORIZES

**ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:**

Hydrogen chloride n-alkyl (C<sub>14</sub> -50%, C<sub>12</sub>-40%, C<sub>16</sub>-10%) dimethyl benzyl ammonium chlorides ..... 0.05%

**INERT INGREDIENTS:** ..... 76.95%

Total ..... 100.00%

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Keep Out of Reach of Children

**DANGER • POISON**

See other precautions on rear panel.

**FIRST AID**

**IF SWALLOWED:** 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 by a Poison Control Center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for further treatment advice.

**IF INHALED:** 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.

**IF IN EYES:** Hold eyelids 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. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for further treatment advice.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

In case of emergency call 888-314-6171. Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor or going in for treatment.

NET CONTENTS: 32 Fl. Oz. (One Quart) / 0.946 Liters

Germicidal Bowl Cleanse is a one-step cleaner/disinfectant for use on toilet bowls and urinals. Germicidal Bowl Cleanse is recommended for use in hotels and motels, office buildings, schools, public buildings, restaurants...any commercial, institutional or industrial building with lavatory facilities.

This product is effective only against Gram-negative bacteria.

FOR INDUSTRIAL AND INSTITUTIONAL USE ONLY

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

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

**CLEANING, DISINFECTING AND DEODORIZING TOILET BOWLS AND URINALS:**

1. With swab mop applicator, remove water from bowl by forcing over trap.
2. Press swab mop against side of bowl to remove excessive water from applicator.
3. Saturate swab mop with Bowl Cleanse (1-2 oz.) while holding applicator and bottle over bowl.
4. Swab entire surface area especially under the rim where water outlets are located.
5. Allow Germicidal Bowl Cleanse to remain wet on surface at least 10 minutes.
6. Flush toilet several times and rinse swab mop applicator thoroughly.

For heavily soiled surfaces, a preliminary cleaning is required.

**WILL NOT HARM ACTION OF SEPTIC TANKS.**

**IMPORTANT--** Use only on vitreous toilets or urinals. Add material only to water.

**DANGER**

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

Hazard to Humans and Domestic Animals

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage or skin burns. May be fatal if swallowed. Harmful if absorbed through the skin or inhaled. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Avoid breathing spray mist. Wear goggles or face shield. Wear protective clothing and rubber gloves. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

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

**Physical and Chemical Hazards**

Do not use with other chemicals. Mixtures of this product with other chemicals, particularly those containing chlorine bleach or ammonia may result in the production of toxic gases, fire or explosion.

**Container Disposal**

Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container and put in trash.

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, this product is registered for the purpose of controlling the pest

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