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Name of Pesticide Product:

Pro-Mate Ronstar 1% Plus Fertilizer

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENC

Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (7505P)
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

Registration
X Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Helena Chemical Company 225 Schilling Boulevard, Suite 300 Collierville, TN 38017

Note: Changes in labeling 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 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.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the 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 reregistered in accordance with FIFRA section 4(g)(2)(C) provided you agree in writing to:

- 1. Change the Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals statements to "Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Harmful if inhaled. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Avoid contact with skin. Avoid breathing dust.".
- 2. Change the First Aid statements to "If in Eyes: 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: 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 Inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice."
- 3. To the "hot line number" section add "Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.".

- 4. Change the PPE to "Loaders, applicators, and other handlers must wear: Long sleeved shirt and long pants, Shoes plus socks, Goggles, face shield or safety glass, and Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material.".
- 5. To the label add an Agricultural Use Requirements box and "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. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about person protective equipment (PPE), notification to workers, and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box 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 12 hours. PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is: Coveralls, Shoes plus socks, and Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material."
- 6. Delete the redundant early entry PPE and REI language already on the label.
- 7. To the Non-Agricultural Use Requirements Box add "Do not enter or allow others to enter the treated area until dusts have settled".
- 8. To the Storage and Disposal section change the heading "Storage" to "Pesticide Storage".
- 9. To the Environmental Hazards section add "or rinseate" after "washwaters".
- 10. To the Conditions of Sale change "The Company makes no" to "To the extent consistent with applicable law, the Company makes no", "The exclusive remedy" to "To the extent consistent with applicable law, the exclusive remedy", and "To the extent allowed by law" to "To the extent consistent with applicable law".

Signature of Approving Official:	Date:				
Journe J. Miller Journe Miller, Product Manager (23) Herbicide Branch, Registration Division (7505P)		2	AUG	2007	
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You will submit one copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). If you have any questions please call Erik Kraft at 703-308-9358.

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PRO-MATE® RONSTAR® 1% PLUS FERTILIZER

5905-551

50 lb. Bag Treats Up To 11,000 Sq. Ft.

FOR SALE TO AND USE BY PROFESSIONAL APPLICATORS ONLY. NOT FOR SALE TO OR USE BY HOMEOWNERS/CONSUMERS.

FOR SALE TO, USE AND STORAGE BY: NURSERY, TURF AND LANDSCAPE PERSONNEL ONLY.

FOR USE ON: PARKS, GOLF COURSES, ATHLETIC FIELDS, AND OTHER RECREATIONAL AND ORNAMENTAL TURFGRASS AREAS. NOT FOR USE ON HOME LAWNS.

CONTROLS CRABGRASS, ANNUAL BLUEGRASS, GOOSEGRASS, FLORIDA PUSLEY, OXALIS, STINGING NETTLE, CARPETGRASS, PIGWEED & OTHER WEEDS LISTED.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Oxadiazon: {2-tert-butyl-4-(2,4-dichloro-5-isopropoxyphenyl) delta 2-1,3,4-oxadiazolin-5-one}	1.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	<u>99.0%</u>
TOTAL:	100.0%

Contains RONSTAR® Herbicide a Registered Product of Bayer CropScience.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING - AVISO

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle (If you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

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 to do so by a poison control center or doctor.
- Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsing person.

If in Eyes:

- · Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water or 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

· Take off contaminated clothing.

Or Clothing:

- · Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

HOT LINE NUMBER

In case of emergency call 1-800-424-9300

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NET WEIGHT:

EPA EST. NO.: 5905-NC-018

MANUFACTURED BY
HELENA CHEMICAL COMPANY
225 SCHILLING BOULEVARD, SUITE 300
COLLIERVILLE TENNESSEE 38017

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS WARNING

Causes eye and skin irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Thoroughly wash face and hands with soap and water after exposure and before eating or smoking. Wear protective clothing including long-sleeved shirt and gloves when handling. Launder exposed clothing before reuse. Do not allow domestic animals to graze treated areas. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Loaders, applicators, and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants, and
- Shoes plus socks.

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

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- 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.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do 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 requirement specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation. Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

Not for use on plants being grown for sale or other commercial use, or for commercial seed production, or for research purposes. For use on plants intended for aesthetic purposes or climatic modification and being grown in ornamental gardens or parks, or on golf courses or lawns and grounds.

Do 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.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

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

- Coveralls
- Shoes plus socks, and
- Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from areas treated. Do not apply where runoff is likely to occur. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Apply only as specified on this label.

NON-AGRICULTURAL USES REQUIREMENTS

The requirements of this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR part 170.) The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants only on farms, forests, nurseries, sod farms or greenhouses.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Store product in its original bag, in a cool, dry, locked place out of reach of children. In case of spill, sweep up, and use according to directions or dispose of as follows.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA regional office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or, by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

USE PRECAUTIONS

<u>Do not use on Red Fescue, Bentgrass varieties, Dichondra, or Centipede grass</u> because damage will occur. <u>Do not use on Putting Greens or "Tees"</u> due to varying cultural practices used.

For St. Augustinegrass application rates above the 50 lbs. per 7,350 sq. ft. will temporarily discolor and damage the turf. If a higher rate is necessary (such as 50 lbs./5,550 sq. ft. or 50 lbs./6,450 sq. ft.) in order to control Goosegrass, Spurge, Poa Annua, Florida Pusley or Carpetgrass turf damage can be expected to the St. Augustinegrass, therefore, apply only when that damage can be tolerated and when good cultural practices are planned in order to revive the damaged turf. <u>Avoid</u> product contact with flowers and shrubs except as recommended.

For Newly Seeded Lawns - do not apply this product until after the second or third cutting. For best lawn care, place new grass seed in fall of the year. Spring preemergent weed control can then be applied. Reseeding treated areas: Delay new seeding until 4 months after treatment.

Maximum application rate of 600 pounds of finished product per acre per year (equivalent to 6 pounds ai A/year), except in areas where there is heavy weed infestation. In areas of heavy weed infestation, the maximum application rate is 800 pounds of finished product per acre per year (equivalent to 8 pounds ai A/year).

Maximum single application rate of 400 pounds of finished product per acre (equivalent to 4 pounds ai/A).

Not for use on home lawns.

For best results, water-in the product as soon as practical after application.

CONTROLS GRASS WEEDS AND BROADLEAF WEEDS

Annual Bluegrass (Poa Annua), Barnyardgrass, Crabgrass, Fall Panicum, Florida Pusley, Goosegrass, Green Foxtail, Oxalis, Stinging Nettle, Carpetgrass, Pigweed.

HOW TO APPLY

For best weed control, rake the area free of leaves and thatch and mow if necessary so that granules will reach the soil surface. Measure the area to be treated and uniformly apply the required amount using a fertilizer spreader (see Spreader Settings chart). Do not apply to turf when it is wet. Do not over-lap spreader applications on St. Augustinegrass, since discoloration "streaking" may temporarily occur from "double rate." After applications, if rain is not expected within 24 hours, sprinkle the treated turf with 1/4 to 1/2 inch of water to get maximum weed control.

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HOW MUCH TO USE

CRABGRASS

Apply 50 lbs./11,000 sq. ft. when turf has been in a yearly maintenance program (equal to 2 lbs. A.I. herbicide per acre.) Apply 50 lbs. to treat 7,350 sq. ft. of lawn if it has been heavily infested with Crabgrass; equal to 3 lb. A.I. herbicide per acre. Apply in early spring 1 to 2 weeks prior to weed seed germination. This product is a preemergent herbicide. It will not control emerged and growing weeds; only germinating weed seeds. Late application will control only those weed seeds that germinate after the application. See "WHEN TO APPLY" chart.

GOOSEGRASS AND PROSTRATE SPURGE

These weeds do not usually germinate until late spring or early summer. Apply 50 lbs. to treat 5,555 sq. ft. (4 lbs. A.I./acre) and apply 1 to 2 weeks prior to seed germination. See chart for When To Apply. See Use Precautions for St. Augustinegrass.

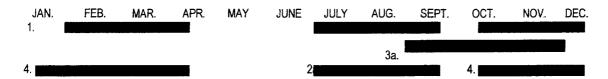
ANNUAL BLUEGRASS (POA ANNUA)

Apply 50 lbs. per 5,555 to 6,450 sq. ft. of lawn; equal to 3.5 to 4 lbs. active herbicide per acre. Apply in late summer to fall or in early spring 1 to 2 weeks before expected weed seed germination. Will not control annual bluegrass present at time of application; therefore only germinating seeds. Refer to chart for proper timing in your locale. Annual Barnyardgrass and Prostrate Spurge may also controlled by this same rate. See Use Precautions for St. Augustinegrass.

FOR PIGWEED, FLORIDA PUSLEY, OXALIS, STINGING NETTLE AND CARPETGRASS

Where these weeds are a problem, apply 50 lbs. to treat 5,555 to 6,450 sq. ft. of lawn (equal to 3.5 to 4 lbs. Active Herbicide per acre) in early spring or 1 to 2 weeks before expected weed seed germination. Will not control emerged and growing weeds; only effective against germinating weed seeds. See Use Precautions for St. Augustinegrass.

WHEN TO APPLY



- 1. For CRABGRASS and other Grasses and Broadleaf Weeds germinating in the Spring in Northern turf.
- 2. For GOOSEGRASS and other Late Germinating Annual Grasses and Broadleaf Weeds, such as PROSTRATE SPURGE. 2a. GOOSEGRASS in Southern Turf.
- 3. For POA ANNUA in Northern Turf. 3a. For POA ANNUA in Southern Turf.
- 4. For Fall-Winter-Spring control of ANNUAL WEEDS in Southern Turf.

CONDITIONS OF SALE - LIMITED WARRANTY AND LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY AND REMEDIES

Read the Conditions of Sale - Warranty and Limitations of Liability and Remedies before using this product. If the terms are not acceptable, return the product, unopened, and the full purchase price will be refunded.

The directions on this label are believed to be reliable and should be followed carefully. Insufficient control of pests and/or injury to the crop to which the product is applied may result from the occurrence of extraordinary or unusual weather conditions or the failure to follow the label directions or good application practices, all of which are beyond the control of Helena Chemical Company (the "Company") or seller. In addition, failure to follow label directions may cause injury to crops, animals, man or the environment. The Company warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purpose referred to in the directions for use subject to the factors noted above which are beyond the control of the Company. The Company makes no other warranties or representations of any kind, express or implied, concerning the product, including no implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for any particular purpose, and no such warranty shall be implied by law.

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The exclusive remedy against the Company for any cause of action relating to the handling or use of this product shall be limited to, at Helena Chemical Company's election, one of the following:

- 1. Refund of the purchase price paid by buyer or user for product bought, or
- 2. Replacement of the product used

To the extent allowed by law, the Company shall not be liable and any and all claims against the Company are waived for special, indirect, incidental, or consequential damages or expense of any nature, including, but not limited to, loss of profits or income. The Company and the seller offer this product and the buyer and user accept it, subject to the foregoing conditions of sale and limitation of warranty, liability and remedies.

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