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Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.

7401-78

ferti-lome

Termite Spray

- * Kills Established Termites and Prevents New Infestations During Swarming and Subterranean Migration.
- * Gives Long Residual Control.
- * Ideal For Home "Do-It-Yourselfers".
- * 4 1/2 Tablespoons Make 1 Gallon Spray.
- * 1 Gallon of This Concentrate Makes 56 Gallons Spray.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Technical Chlordane*	50%
Aromatic Petroleum Derivatives	43%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	7%

- * Equivalent to 30% Octachloro-4,7-methanotetrahydroindane and 20% related compounds.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL, PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

1. WHAT IS THIS PACKAGE FOR?

This product, especially formulated for the "do-it-yourselfers", makes home termite control easy and economical.

2. HOW DO YOU USE IT?

Use ferti-lome Termite Spray in a 1% water emulsion as follows: Prepare by mixing 4½ tablespoons in 1 gallon of water. Use proportionally larger amounts for larger jobs.

SUBTERRANEAN TERMITES - DIRECTIONS FOR HOMEOWNER USE

TERMITE CONTROL IN EXISTING STRUCTURES

BUILDINGS WITH BASEMENTS OR CRAWL-SPACES

First remove all wood debris and wood forms. Around piers, pipes, chimney bases and along foundations of poured concrete dig a trench 6 inches wide and 4 inches deep. For brick and block foundations dig the trench about 12 inches deep. If footing is more than 12 inches deep, make holes with a crowbar, pipe or a rod about one foot apart that extend from the trench bottom to the top of the footing. Make holes closer in hard-packed clay soils. **NEVER DIG BELOW THE TOP OF THE FOOTING.** Apply the emulsion (or solution) in the trench at a rate of 4 gallons per 10 linear feet per foot of depth. Apply half of this to the back-fill. Likewise, treat along the inside of foundations of crawl-space buildings. Cover treated soil with a thin layer of untreated soil.

For raised porches, terraces, and entrance slabs, drill holes at one foot intervals, 6 inches from the foundation, and pour one-half gallon of emulsion (or solution) into each hole. Refill holes. Slabs with heat ducts or radiating heat pipes should be treated by commercial pest control operator.

The object is to establish a treated soil barrier which will prevent termite entry. Other critical areas may also require treatment, particularly if there are inaccessible areas, basements or slab-type construction. It is suggested that you contact the Agricultural Cooperative Extension Service for advice or consult a Commercial Pest Control Service.

Avoid contamination of public and private water supplies by following these precautions. Do not allow a hose or any type of faucet extension to reach into the termite chemical solution while filling or mixing this material with water. Use anti-back-flow or anti-siphonage equipment on all filling equipment. These devices can be purchased at hardware or plumbing supply stores. Use of anti-back-flow equipment will help to insure that the user of this toxic chemical will not contaminate domestic water supplies. Refer to Federal (Federal Housing Administration), state, and local specifications for safe distances of treatment areas from wells. Soil in the vicinity of wells, cisterns or ponds should not be treated if it is water saturated, subject to excessive saturation due to an accumulation of water or if the soil to be treated around the perimeter of the structure is at a grade lower than surrounding yard or property area. If this is the situation treat as follows: **Do Not Apply Under Pressure.** Soil should be removed to an area safe from well or domestic water contamination, treated, allowed to stand undisturbed for two to four hours then returned to the trench which has been lined with 4 mil. plastic sheeting. Be careful not to puncture the plastic sheeting when returning soil to the trench. Do not treat structures that contain cisterns or wells.

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RETREATMENT RESTRICTIONS

1. Retreatment for subterranean termites should only be made when there is evidence of re-infestation subsequent to the initial treatment, or there has been a disruption of the chemical barrier in the soil due to construction, excavations, landscaping, etc.
2. Retreatments may be made to critical areas in accordance with the application techniques described above. This application should be made as a spot treatment to these areas.

Routine retreatment of the entire premises should be avoided.

3. HERE ARE THE RESULTS YOU SHOULD EXPECT

This product, used according to directions, will kill established termites and lay down a chemical barrier to prevent new infestations. However, it is essential that you inspect the treated area annually and retreat if necessary.

DISPOSAL

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

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION

May be harmful or fatal if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. Do not breathe spray mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or smoking. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Keep children and pets off treated areas. Food utensils such as teaspoons or measuring cups should not be used for food purposes after use with pesticides.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

DO NOT USE, POUR, SPILL OR STORE NEAR HEAT OR OPEN FLAME.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED - Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. 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 INHALED - Remove victim to fresh air and apply respiration if indicated.

IF ON SKIN - Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly.

IF IN EYES - Rinse eyes for at least 15 minutes with water and call a physician immediately.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish, birds and other wildlife. Birds feeding on treated areas may be killed. Do not apply directly to water. Do not apply where runoff is likely to occur. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage, or handling of this material not in strict accordance with directions given hereon.

Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.

Bonham, Texas

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Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.
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Attention: Michael Jackson

Gentlemen:

Subject: Termiticide L.I.P.
Ferti-Less Termito Spray
EPA Registration No. 7401-7B
Your Application of December 14, 1981

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records.

At the next label printing, incorporate the following revisions:

1. In the Precautionary Statements, under the subheading "Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals," revise the first sentence to read "Harmful if swallowed. May be absorbed through the skin."
2. Revise the statement of practical treatment to read:

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If swallowed - Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Gastric lavage is indicated if material was taken internally. **DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING;** vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

If inhaled - Remove victim to fresh air. Apply artificial respiration if indicated.

If on skin - Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with soap and water.

If in eyes - Flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention immediately.

3. In the Precautionary Statements, under the subheading "Environmental Hazards," delete the following sentences which may appear:

- o Birds feeding on treated areas may be killed.
- o Birds and other wildlife in treated areas may be killed.
- o Do not apply where runoff is likely to occur.
- o Do not apply when weather favors drift from treated areas.

4. In the precautions, delete "Keep children and pets off treated areas," as this implies an aboveground use, which is not permitted.

Sincerely yours,

George T. LaRocca
Product Manager (15)
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division (TS-767)

Enclosure