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Mr. Raymond H. Smith  
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Bonham, Texas 75418

Dear Mr. Smith:

Subject: Ferti-lome Systemic Evergreen Spray  
EPA Registration No. 7401-97  
Your Application Dated August 27, 1993

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable provided that you:

1. Please correct the spelling errors of the words that have been highlighted on the label.
2. 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). Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended labeling constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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

Sincerely yours,

Robert A. Forrest  
Product Manager (14)  
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch  
Registration Division (H7504C)

enclosure

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Systemic Evergreen Spray

- \* Contains Cygon
- \* Contains Triple-Action Insecticide Miticide Giving Systemic, Contact and Residual Insect Control
- \* Kills Bagworms, Mites, and Aphids on Arborvitaes, Junipers and Other Listed Shrubs and Ornamentals.
- \* Ideal For Use on Roses, Azaleas, Camellias, Gardenias, Other Evergreens, Flowers and Ornamentals
- \* Contains Spreader-Sticker
- \* 2 Tablespoons Make 1 Gal. of Spray for Evergreens

ACTIVE INGREDIENT

Dimethoate (O,O-dimethyl S-(N-methylcarbamoylmethyl) phosphorodithioate)*.....	8.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS.....	92.0%
Total	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

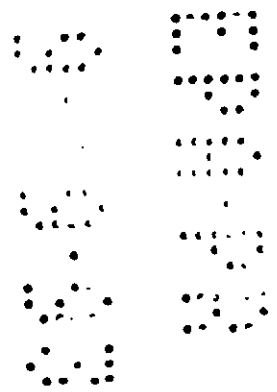
SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
in EPA Letter Dated

SEP 15 1993

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

7401-97



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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?

Specific control of evergreens more damaging insects is now available with this new ferti-lome "first".

2. HOW DO YOU USE IT?

This product is intended for ground application only.

EVERGREENS AND OTHER ORNAMENTAL PLANTS: To kill listed insects mix 2 tablespoons in 1 gallon of water. Make adequate sprays when pests appear or when damage is first observed. Do not over-dowe or over-spray. Do not use on ornamental plants not listed. The uses listed below are foliar sprays unless otherwise indicated.

Arborvitae: Bagworms, Mites, and Aphids, Scale

Juniper: Bagworms, Mites, Aphids and Midges,

Euonymus: Aphids and Scale

Holly (English and American) not Burford variety. Leaf Miners, Mites and Soft Scale. For leaf miners apply in spring when Leaf Miner Flies first appear or in early summer for the control of larva in infested areas.

Pines: Bagworms, Aphids, European and Nantucket Pine Tip Moth and Zimmerman Pine Moth.

Yew:(Taxus): Mites, Mealybugs, (For Leaf Miners apply as under Holly).

Cedar: Mites.

Hemlock: Mites and Scale.

Roses: Aphids, Leaf hoppers, Mites and Thrips.

Azlaeas: Mites, Tea Scale, Leaf Miners, Lace Bugs and Whiteflies.

Gardenias: Tea Scale and Whiteflies

Camellias: Aphids, Camellia and Tea Scale and Mites

Foliar Spray: Apply 2 sprays 6 weeks aprat the first year followed by annual applications soon after first growth begins in the spring.

Soil Drench: Apply as a soil drench around the base of plants in early spring at the rate of 12 tablespoons per 1 gallon of water per plant up to 6 feet tall. Increase the rate proporatonately for larger plants

Poinsettias: (Outdoor Plants) Aphids, Mites, Mealy Bugs and Whiteflies:

Cyperus: Aphids, Thrips,

Birch: Aphids and Leaf Miners.

Oak: Golden Oak Scale.

Gladiolus and Daylilies: Aphids and Thrips.

Iris: Aphids, Iris Borers adn Thrips. For Borer control spray when new leaves are 5-6 inches long.

3. HERE ARE THE RUSELTS YOU MAY EXPECT!

This triple-action product, used according to directions: will aid in killing and maintaining control of listed insects that attack your evergreens, shrubs, ornamentals, and flowers.

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

Storage: Store in original container and place in a locked storage area.

Disposal: Do not reuse container. Wrap and put in trash.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: May be harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or smoking. Avoid contamination of feed or foodstuffs. Do not permit children or pets in contact with treated foliage until spray has completely dried.

Food utensils such as teaspoons or measuring cups should not be used for food purposes after use with pesticides.

REQUIRED CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT FOR APPLICATION.

All Applicators including homeowners, flaggers, and all personnel involved with mixing, loading and transferring operations must wear protective clothing and equipment enumerated below. Pilots are exempt from this requirement. The protective clothing and equipment to be worn is as follows:

- a. Impermeable gloves (for example, rubber or plastic covered reinforced gloves.
- b. Boots or boot covers.
- c. Long-sleeved shirt and long pants.
- d. Wide-brimmed hat.
- e. Respirators must be worn by flaggers and mixer/loaders.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not use, pour, spill or store near heat or open flame.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

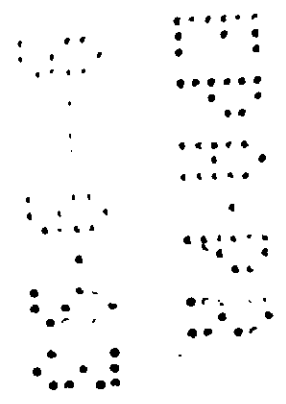
IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. If possible vomiting should be induced under medical supervision. Drink one or two glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air. 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 for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician immediately.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: This product may cause cholinesterase inhibition. Atropin is antidote.



ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to wildlife and aquatic invertebrates. For terrestrial uses, do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water by cleaning equipment or disposal of wastes.

This pesticide is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment or residues on blooming crops or weeds. Do not apply this product or allow it to drift to blooming crops or weeds if bees are visiting the treatment area.

NON-WARRANTY: FOLLOW DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY: Timing and method of application, weather and crop conditions, mixtures with other chemicals not specifically recommended, and other influencing factors in the use of this product are beyond the control of seller. Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this material not in strict accordance with directions given herewith.

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