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Dear Dr. Akers:

SUBJECT: Label Amendment - Revised Signal Word, Precautionary Labeling, Disposal Statement.  
Mecoprop-P Technical  
EPA File Symbol: 7969-92  
Your Submission Dated April 22, 1996, as Amended May 7, 1996

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. Delete the following statements from the front panel: "Harmful if swallowed, absorbed through skin. Causes irreversible eye damage." These statements are redundant and incomplete. The correct precautionary statements are presented in their entirety on page 2 of the label under Hazards To Humans and Domestic Animals.
2. Delete the phrase "if irritation persists" from the dermal statement of practical treatment.

A stamped copy of the labeling is enclosed for your records. Submit one copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

Sincerely yours,

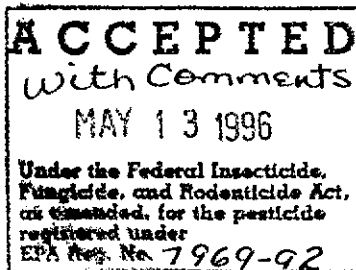
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Enclosure

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CONCURRENCES

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| SYMBOL ▶  | 7505C       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SURNAME ▶ | S. Stanton  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| DATE ▶    | May 9, 1996 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |



# Mecoprop-P Technical

## Manufacturer's Concentrate

For the preparation of mecoprop-P-containing herbicide formulations (end-use products) for acceptable use patterns.

### Active ingredient

(+)-R-2-(2-methyl-4-chlorophenoxy) propionic acid .....94.0%

Inert Ingredients ..... 6.0%

Total .....100.0%

EPA Reg. Number: 7969-92

EPA Est. Number: 7969-WG01

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. DANGER

Harmful if swallowed, absorbed through skin. Causes irreversible eye damage.

### Statement of Practical Treatment

**If in eyes:** Hold eyelids open and flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**If swallowed:** Call a doctor or get medical attention. Do not induce vomiting. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg white, or gelatin mixture, or if these are not available, large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol.

**If on skin:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

See inside for additional precautionary statements under **Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals.**

**Net contents: 25 kilograms**

**Made in Germany**

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**Specimen Label**

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**  
**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**  
**DANGER**

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Avoid contact with skin. Wear goggles or face mask. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.

**Environmental Hazards**

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, 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 sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

**Directions For Use**

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

**Only For Formulation Into A Herbicide For**

**The Following uses:**

- Nonfood Terrestrial, including Residential Lawns, Sod Farms, Ornamental Turf, Golf Courses, Parks and Playgrounds, Cemetery and Right-of-Way;
- **Uses For Which USEPA Has Accepted The Required Data Or Citations of Data That The Formulator Has Submitted In Support Of Registration;** and
- **Uses For Experimental Purposes That Are In Compliance with USEPA Requirements.**

The finished formulations of Mecoprop-P-containing herbicidal products must be prepared only with suitable solvents, emulsifiers and wetting agents which are exempt from requirements of tolerance under the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

Do not allow this chemical or dilutions of it to come into contact with sensitive crop plants, trees, or ornamentals.

**Storage and Disposal**

Do not store near other pesticides, fertilizers, or seeds. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning of equipment.

**Pesticide Disposal:**

Thoroughly clean equipment before using for other purposes. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not contaminate water used for irrigation or domestic purposes. Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate, is a violation of federal law and may contaminate groundwater. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by the 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 the application equipment. Then dispose of the 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.

**In case of medical emergency**

In case of large-scale spillage regarding this product, call:  
CHEMTREC 800-424-9300  
BASF Corporation 800-832-HELP

**In case of medical emergency**

regarding this product, call:  
Your local doctor for immediate treatment.  
Your local Poison Control Center (hospital).  
BASF Corporation 800-832-HELP.

Seller's guarantee shall be limited to the terms of the label, and subject thereto the buyer assumes any risk to persons or property arising out of use of handling and accepts the product on these conditions.

**Conditions of Sale and Warranty**

The **Directions For Use** of this product reflect the opinion of experts based on field use and tests. The directions are believed to be reliable and should be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result, because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or use of the product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling, all of which are beyond the control of BASF CORPORATION ("BASF") or the Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer.

BASF warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the **Directions For Use**, subject to the inherent risks, referred to above. **BASF MAKES NO OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY OF FITNESS OR MERCHANTABILITY OR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY. IN NO CASE SHALL BASF OR THE SELLER BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL OR INDIRECT DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT.** BASF and the Seller offer this product, and the Buyer and User accept it, subject to the foregoing **Conditions of Sale and Warranty** which may be varied only by agreement in writing signed by a duly authorized representative of BASF.

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