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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND
TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Ms. Rebecca L. Johnston
BASF Corporation
26 Davis Dr., P.O. Box 13528
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709-3528

Dear Ms. Johnston:

Subject: Drive 75% Manufacturer's Concentrate
EPA Registration Number 7969-172
Application Dated October 15, 2003

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended is acceptable, provided you make the following changes before you release the product for shipment.

1. Change order of Precautionary Statements to match order of First Aid statements. Both should be ordered so that the most severe routes of exposure are listed first.
2. Add a subheading under STORAGE AND DISPOSAL called "Pesticide Storage", with appropriate storage text, immediately following the phrase "Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage and disposal."

Submit three (3) copies of final printed labeling incorporating the above changes before you release the product for shipment. Amended labeling will supercede all previously accepted ones. A stamped copy of labeling is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Tompkins".

James A. Tompkins, haj
Product Manager 25
Herbicide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)

BASF

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated
OCT 30 2003

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

7969-172

Drive[®]

75% Manufacturer's Concentrate

For Formulating Use Only

Active ingredient:

3, 7-dichloro-8-quinolinecarboxylic acid.....75.0%

Inert ingredients:.....25.0%

Total:.....100.0%

EPA Reg. No. 7969-172

EPA Est. No. 279-NY-01

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.
CAUTION**

Precautionary Statements

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Causes moderate eye injury. May cause allergic skin response.

Environmental Hazard Statement

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

Net Contents: 100 pounds

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FIRST AID

If swallowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 person.
If on skin or clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 in eyes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. • Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If inhaled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Move person to fresh air. • If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth, if possible. • Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

HOT LINE NUMBER

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact BASF Corporation for emergency medical treatment information: 1-800-832-HELP (4357).

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 herbicides for the following uses: 1) rice and turf; 2) uses for which USEPA has accepted the required data and/or citations of data that the formulator has submitted in support of registration; and 3) uses for experimental purposes that are in compliance with USEPA requirements.

Storage and Disposal

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

Pesticide Disposal: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate, is a violation of federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of 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 inner liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into formulation equipment. Dispose of inner liner in a secure landfill or by incineration if allowed by state and local authorities. If drum cannot be recycled or reconditioned, puncture and dispose of in a secure landfill or by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities.

In Case of Emergency

In case of large scale spillage in the U.S. regarding this product, call:

CHEMTRAC.....800-424-9300

BASF Corporation.....800-832-HELP (4357)

In case of emergency regarding this product, call:

1. Your local doctor for immediate treatment.
2. Your local poison control center (hospital).
3. BASF Corporation 800-832-HELP.

Read the entire label. Use this product only according to label instructions. Read **Conditions of Sale and Warranty** before buying or using. If the terms are not acceptable, return the product at once, unopened.

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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