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SUBJECT: Label Amendment
Sulfuric Acid Desiccant, EPA Reg. No. 8917-18
Your Application Dated July 11, 2001

The above mentioned amendment submitted in connection with registration under Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended is acceptable provided you make the following label changes:

- 1. The "Storage and Disposal" section must be formatted as follows:

"Storage and Disposal"

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

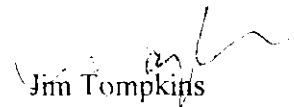
Pesticide Storage:

Pesticide Disposal:

Container Disposal:

A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. The amended labeling supersedes all previously accepted ones. Please submit one(1) final printed copy for the above mentioned label before releasing the product for shipment.

Sincerely,


Jim Tompkins
Product Manager, (25)
Herbicide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)

Enclosure

CONCURRENCES

SYMBOL ▶	7505C							
SURNAME ▶	MINOR, E.							
DATE ▶	Aug 13, 2001							

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND
DOMESTIC ANIMALS
DANGER PELIGRO**

DANGER. Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and severe skin burns. May be fatal if swallowed or absorbed through skin or inhaled. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe spray mist. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact with dilute solutions (such as equipment washwaters or rinsate) may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Chemical-resistant protective suit
- Chemical (acid)-resistant gloves, such as neoprene, butyl rubber or polyethylene
- Chemical-resistant footwear plus socks
- Protective eyewear
- Dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a NIOSH approved respirator with any N, R, P or HE filter

An adequate supply of water for drenching purposes should be immediately available. Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

When handlers use closed systems or enclosed cabs in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240 (d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

USERS SHOULD:

1. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
2. Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
3. 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.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish and wildlife. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

NET CONTENTS:



MANUFACTURED BY:

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RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE

DUE TO SEVERE TISSUE CORROSIVE ACTION

For retail sale to and use only by Certified Applicators or persons under their direct supervision and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's certification.

**SULFURIC
ACID
DESICCANT**

FOR POTATO VINES

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS: Sulfuric Acid 93.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS: 7.0%

EPA Reg. No. 8917-18

EPA Est. No. 008917-WY-4

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

**DANGER PELIGRO
POISON**



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

CAUSES SEVERE BURNS. Contents may be under pressure of explosive hydrogen gas. Keep away from heat, sparks and flames. Do not add water to container because of violent reactions.

FIRST AID

IF SWALLOWED:

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

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.
- Call a poison control center or doctor immediately 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 immediately for treatment advice.

IF INHALED:

- Move person to fresh air.
 - If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible.
 - Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.
- Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.

DIRECTION 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 to your State or Tribe consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

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 protective equipment (PPE), notification to workers, and restricted entry intervals. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are not covered by this Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of five (5) days. 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:

- Chemical-resistant protective suit
- Chemical (acid)-resistant gloves, such as neoprene, butyl rubber or polyethylene
- Chemical-resistant footwear plus socks
- Protective eyewear
- Dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a NIOSH approved respirator with any N, R, P or HE filter

Notify workers of the application by warning them orally and posting warning signs at entrances to treated areas.

FOR USE ONLY ON LAND WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.

TO KILL POTATO VINES: Apply undiluted sulfuric acid (93%) 17-28 gallons per acre, per application. Apply at least 5 days prior to harvest to allow tubers to mature. Repeat after 5 days if vines are not completely desiccated. Do not harvest within 5 days of application.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Contents may be under pressure of explosive hydrogen gas. Keep away from heat, sparks and flames. Do not add water to container because of violent reactions.

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 by use according to label instructions contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the hazardous waste representative in the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

ACCEPTED
and COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated

AUG 13 2001
Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.

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