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Subject: Amendment - Update First Aid and Disposal Statements
Chemsico Indoor & Outdoor Spray
EPA Registration No. 9688-116
Your submission dated May 31, 2002

Dear Ms. Tryson:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable, subject to the comments listed below.

- 1. Delete the word "highly" from the phrase "highly effective" on the first panel of the label.
2. Under the PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS section, delete the statements "In case of contact...irritation persists." Move the statements "Avoid contamination... surfaces are dry" to the DIRECTIONS FOR USE section.
3. Under the FOR CONTROL OF ORNAMENTAL GARDEN INSECTS section, either delete the phrase "Repeat treatment as infestations occur" or indicate a time period based on the residual efficacy of your product.
4. Add the following sentence to the Directions for Use section: " For outdoor use only as an aid in controlling these insects"

A stamped copy of the label has been enclosed for your records. If you have any questions, please call Dr. William Sproat of my team at 703-308-8587.

Sincerely,

[Handwritten signature of George T. LaRocca]

George T. LaRocca
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Insecticide Branch
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[Handwritten stamp: 7305C, SPROAT, 07/23/02]

Enclosure

# Chemsico

## Indoor & Outdoor Spray

Kills Fast plus continues to work up to 4 weeks · Controls home and ornamental garden insects · A broad spectrum insecticide highly effective against ants, carpenter ants, bees, carpet beetles, centipedes, clover mites, cockroaches, crickets, earwigs, firebrats, fleas, grain beetles, millipedes, mole crickets, moths, pillbugs, scorpions, silverfish, sowbugs, spiders, ticks, wasps, and many other pests. · Kills flying and crawling bugs [insects] · Kills fast plus kills bugs landing on treated surfaces up to 4 weeks

*For Household Use Only*

**REGISTERED  
with CHEMISTS  
in EPA Letter Book**

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

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Active Ingredients:	
Tetramethrin .....	0.15%
Permethrin .....	0.15%
Piperonyl Butoxide .....	0.75%
Other Ingredients: .....	98.95%

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

**CAUTION** See side panel for additional precautionary statements

**NET WT. 16 OZ.**

### STOP. READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USE.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

All food processing surfaces and utensils should be covered during treatment or thoroughly washed before use. Exposed food should be covered or removed. Remove birds and cover fish aquariums before spraying.

**SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING.** Hold container upright and spray from a distance of 12 to 15 inches.

#### INDOORS

**FLYING INSECTS:** *Flies (House, Black, Fruit, Blow, Skipper) Mosquitoes, Gnats, Wasps, Hornets, Bees and small Flying Moths:* Close all doors and windows and direct spray upward into center of room with a slow sweeping motion. Spray 5-10 seconds for average room. Direct spray to all parts of the room, especially windows and other light sources which attract these insects. Keep nozzle in constant motion. Keep room closed for 15 minutes after spraying. Ventilate room thoroughly before re-entry. Sweep up and discard fallen insects.

**CRAWLING INSECTS:** *Ants, Cockroaches, Waterbugs, Palmetto bugs, Silverfish, Firebrats, Crickets, Carpet beetles, Scorpions, Bedbugs, Spiders, Clothes moths, Millipedes, Centipedes, Sowbugs and Pillbugs:* Spray into hiding places such as cracks and crevices, behind sinks, cabinets, along baseboards and floors, around drains and plumbing, hitting insects with spray whenever possible. *For ants:* Spray trails, nests and points of entry. Spray on ants where possible. *For carpet beetles:* Spray directly on beetles, floors, baseboards, shelves and carpets. *For bedbugs:* Spray mattresses, particularly around tufts and seams. Take beds apart and spray into all joints. Treat baseboards, moldings and floors. *To control clothes moths and carpet beetles* on wool and other natural fibers: Remove infested articles from storage, brush thoroughly, and air for several hours in sunlight, if possible. Apply spray liberally to empty chests, closets, bureaus and other storage places directing the spray into cracks, joints and crevices. After airing, infested articles may be treated by spraying lightly, keeping nozzle at least three feet from fabric to avoid staining.

#### OUTDOORS

Point spray nozzle away from face. Hold can at a slight downward angle. For best results, spray when air is calm. Allow a few minutes for product to take effect. Spray with wind if breeze is blowing.

**PESTS ON OUTSIDE SURFACES OF BUILDINGS:** For control of building infestation due to *Ants, Clover Mites, Crickets, Earwigs, Millipedes, and Sowbugs (Pillbugs).* Spray foundation of building where insects are active and may find entrance, up to a height of 2 to 3 feet. Apply as a residual spray to outside surface of buildings where insects tend to congregate. Spray areas including (but not limited to) screens, window frames, eaves, porches, patios, garages and trash containers.

**FLYING INSECTS:** *Flies, Mosquitoes, Gnats, Small Flying Moths, Hornets and Yellow Jackets.* Allow fog to drift over area. Direct spray toward bushes or grass from at least 4 to 6 feet away. Give special attention to breeding areas such as garbage cans and compost piles.

**CRAWLING INSECTS:** *Ants, Cockroaches, including Asian Cockroaches, Crickets, Mole Crickets, Centipedes and Silverfish.* Spray infested surface of patio or picnic area, hitting as many insects as possible. Also spray legs of tables and chairs to repel ants. Spray ant trails and hills. *Ants, Lone Star Ticks, Crickets, Fleas and Earwigs:* Apply thoroughly to infestations in bushes, grass or weeds. *For Ants,* Spray freely around ant trails and hills.

**FOR CONTROL OF ORNAMENTAL GARDEN INSECTS:** For use on roses, dahlias, asters and other ornamentals to kill *Japanese Beetles* hit by spray, as well as *Whiteflies, Aphids, Exposed Thrips, Spiders, Red Mites and Leafminers.*

May be used on plants, as well as a multi-purpose spray in small garden areas and for spot treatment of insect infestations to prevent spreading in large garden areas. May also be used on other plants such as African Violets, asters, azaleas, begonias, camellias, carnations, chrysanthemums, dahlias, geraniums, crassula, grape vine, Kentia palm, laurel, marigolds, rhododendrons, roses, rubber plants, snapdragons, stocks, Wandering Jews and zinnias.

Effective when used as directed against *Whiteflies, Aphids, Spider and Red Mites, Exposed Thrips, Lace Bugs, Japanese Beetles, Pavement Ants, Clover Mites and Army Worms.* When spraying plants, do not operate closer than 18 inches. Use sweeping motion, spray in one second bursts. Be cautious about wetting tender foliage, young plants and new growth. Do not spray plants when temperatures exceed 90° F. Contact insects directly whenever possible. Repeat treatment as infestations occur.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**Storage:** Store in cool, dry area away from heat or open flame. **Disposal: If empty:** Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

### Hazards to Humans & Domestic Animals

**CAUTION:** Harmful if absorbed through skin or inhaled. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors or spray mist. In case of contact immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Remove pets and birds and cover fish aquariums before spraying or surface applications. Vacate room after treatment and ventilate before reoccupying. Do not allow children or pets in contact treated areas until surfaces are dry.

## FIRST AID

**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 for treatment advice. **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 eye. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor 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 for treatment advice.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or going for treatment.

## Environmental Hazards

This product is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water.

## Physical or Chemical Hazards

Contents under pressure. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Exposure to temperatures above 130° F may cause bursting. Do not apply this product in conduits, motor housings, junction and switch boxes or other electrical equipment because of possible shock hazard. Do not use on surfaces that can be harmed or stained by water.

**NOTICE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.**

**Questions or comments?** Call 1-800-332-5553

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