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Malco Chemical Company
7701 Highway 90-A
P.O. Box 87
Sugarland, TX 77478

Attention: Mr. E. S. Littmann

Gentlemen:

Subject: Malco Visco ASP-744 Microbiocide
EPA Registration No. 10349-30
Your Application Dated November 2, 1984

The label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA, is acceptable provided that you:

1. Make the labeling changes listed below before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling:
 - (a) In the 2nd paragraph right panel, the dosage appears to be a typographical error and should be as the last accepted label: "ASP-744 is used at the rate 1 to 5 gallons per 100 hbl."
 - (b) Delete the "Environmental Hazards" paragraph, and replace with the currently recommended "Environmental Hazards" paragraph below:

This product is toxic to fish. Do not discharge this active ingredient into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or public waters unless this product is specifically identified and addressed in an NPDES permit. 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.

- (c) The proposed Pesticide Disposal paragraph/instructions should have the heading "Pesticide Disposal."

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Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

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

Sincerely yours,



John H. Lee
Product Manager (31)
Disinfectants Branch
Registration Division (TS-767C)

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

WARNING!

Causes eye and skin irritation. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield, rubber gloves and protective clothing (long sleeve shirt, long pants and boots) when handling. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contamination of food and food-stuffs.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

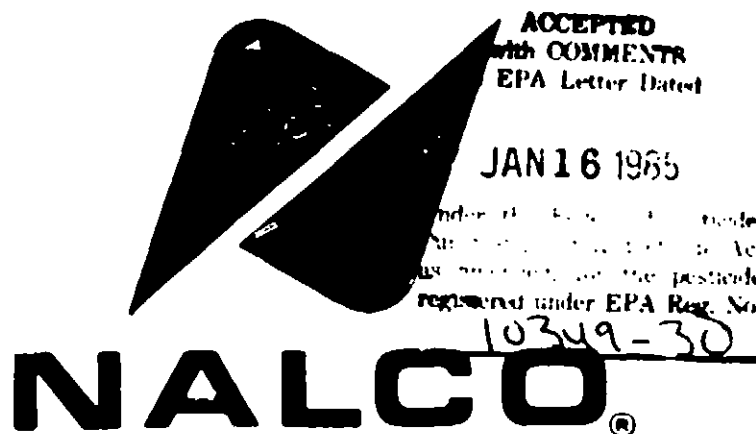
This pesticide is toxic to fish. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public waters unless in accordance with an NPDES permit. Do not apply in marine and/or estuarine oil fields. For guidance, contact your Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited.

Pesticide Wastes are toxic. 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 at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance. **PLASTIC CONTAINERS:** Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

METAL CONTAINERS: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.



NALCO®

ADOMITE CHEMICALS

ASP-744

MICROBIOCIDES

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS	30%
Sodium Dimethyldithiocarbamate	15%
Nabam (Disodium Ethylene Bisdithiocarbamate)	15%
INERT INGREDIENTS	70%
TOTAL	100%

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EPA Est. No. 1706-TX-1

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
WARNING!**

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. For eyes, call a physician. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before use.

If swallowed, drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg whites, gelatin solution or if these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Call a physician immediately.

See Side Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements

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NET CONTENTS SHOWN ELSEWHERE ON CONTAINER

ASP-744 is a highly effective microbicide for controlling the growth of bacteria in water based drilling fluids, muds containing wood sugars. The use of ASP-744 and bacteria can cause objectionable odors, and especially fluid loss.

ASP-744 is used at a concentration of 0.02% to prevent the growth of bacteria from the shipping container. It can be added to the pump.