

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Ms. Christina M. Lawes
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Dear Ms. Lawes:

Subject: Amendment- Revise per Diazinon Registration Standard
Ford's Diazinon 1/2% ME
EPA Registration Number 10370-193
Your submission dated October 15, 1993

This amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA section 3(c)(7)(a), is acceptable, provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data or other material required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 3(c)(5) or FIFRA section 4 when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.

2. Make the labeling changes listed below before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling:

a. Under Directions for Use change "federal" to "Federal".

b. Move "Precautions: (1) Do not use....(13) All Food processing sur-" to before "Faces and utensils".

c. Update Enviromental Hazard statement to "Do not apply directly to water."

d. Under "Precautions" delete "(15) and (16)" provided you qualify the front panel to read "FOR USE IN AND AROUND THE HOME ONLY".

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3. Submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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

Your current Confidential Statement of Formula (CSF) does not list the impurities of toxicological concern separately nor does it include the diazinon certification for FIFRA Sec. 12(a)(1)(C), that the description of this product refers to the composition set forth on the CSF and supporting materials as required by the Diazinon Registration Standard. Please check with your supplier in this regard and update your CSF accordingly.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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Diazinon 1/2% ME

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Insecticide

For use in and around the home

For control of cockroaches, ants, silverfish, brown dog ticks, fleas, pantry and other insects as specified in label directions.

Ready-to-Use Microemulsion Formula
In a Ready-to-Use Container

2-Way Nozzle - Spray or Stream

Active Ingredient:

Diazinon: O, O-Diethyl O-(2-isopropyl-6-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl) phosphorothioate 0.5%

Inert Ingredients: 99.5%

Total: 100.0%

See directions for use on panel at right.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

CAUTION

See additional precautionary statements on back panel.

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Statement of Practical Treatment

If swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center, immediately. Give milk or water. Do not induce vomiting unless no other treatment is available, and then preferably under medical supervision. If it is necessary to induce vomiting, give victim one or two glasses of water and insert finger in back of throat. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth if person is unconscious or convulsing.

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and apply artificial respiration if indicated.

If on skin: Wash promptly with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly.

If in eyes: Rinse eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Note to Physician: This product is an organophosphate insecticide. If symptoms of cholinesterase inhibition are present, atropine sulfate by injection is antidotal. 2-PAM is also antidotal and may be administered but only in conjunction with atropine.

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In EPA Letter Dated

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the purpose of registration under EPA No. 10370-193

Precautionary Statements

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through skin. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or smoking. May cause contact sensitization following repeated contact with skin of susceptible individuals. Avoid repeated contact with skin. If sensitization reactions result, consult a physician. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Remove pets from area, and cover fish bowls before spraying. Keep children and pets off treated areas until the areas are dry.

Environmental Hazards

This product is highly toxic to birds, fish and other wildlife including waterfowl. Keep out of lakes, streams, ponds, tidal marshes, and estuaries. Do not apply directly to water or wetlands (swamps, bogs, marshes and potholes). Do not contaminate water by disposal.

This pesticide is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment or to residues on blooming plants where they feed. Do not allow this pesticide to drift to blooming plants, if bees are visiting the treatment area. Do not apply this product to or allow it to drift to food crops or any desirable vegetation at any time.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Storage and Disposal

Storage

Keep from freezing. Store above 32°F. Store in an area inaccessible to children and pets.

Disposal

Do not reuse empty container. Rinse thoroughly before discarding in trash. Securely wrap original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash.

General Information

This product is a ready-to-use microemulsion product containing diazinon and is packaged in this ready-to-use container. Hold container upright and spray into cracks, crevices, and other surface areas as specified in label directions.

There is no need for further dilution. This product is intended for use inside the home and for limited use outside the home as a spot treatment to house foundation walls and around windows and doors for the control of those pests specified on this label.

INDOOR USE

Controls

Cockroaches (waterbugs), ants, silverfish, carpet beetles, spiders, scorpions, and exposed stages of sawtoothed grain beetle, flour beetle, rice weevil, cigarette beetle, drugstore beetle, and Indian meal moth.

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faces and utensils should be covered during application or thoroughly washed with soap and water before use. (14) Do not use this product on conduits, motor housings, or electrical switch boxes. (15) Do not use in edible product areas of food processing plants, restaurants, or other areas where food or feed is commercially prepared or processed. (16) Do not use in serving areas while food is exposed.

Cockroaches (Waterbugs), Ants, Silverfish: Make spot applications to baseboards, areas around water pipes, cracks and crevices, surfaces behind and beneath cabinets, refrigerators, sinks, stoves, and similar areas where these insects hide. Spray areas until wet. Repeat application as necessary to maintain control.

Carpet beetles: Spray in spot applications along baseboards and edges of carpeting, under carpeting, rugs and furniture, in closets and on shelving, and wherever these insects are seen or suspected.

Spiders and Scorpions: Spray around windows, doors, and along baseboards. Make spot applications to other areas over which these pests may crawl.

Brown dog ticks, Fleas*: Apply thoroughly to infested areas around baseboards, window and door frames, wall cracks, sleeping quarters of household pets, and localized areas of floors and floor coverings. Fresh bedding should be placed in animal quarters following treatment. Do not treat animals with this product. Repeat as necessary.

* Controls adult fleas on areas treated.

Pantry Pests - Exposed Stages (Sawtoothed grain beetle, flour beetle, rice weevil, cigarette beetle, drugstore beetle, Indian meal moth): Spray on shelves and in cupboards where food containers suspected of being infested are stored. Remove all food and shelving paper before spraying. Do not replace the food packages until spray has dried. Cover shelves with shelving paper. This treatment is supplemental to good housekeeping, since it will have no effect on insects breeding within food packages. Infested food packages should be destroyed.

OUTDOOR USE

Precautions: (1) Spray with wind to your back. If clothing becomes wet from spray during use, remove clothing after spraying, wash affected body areas thoroughly with soap and water, and launder clothing before wearing again. (2) Do not allow children or pets to contact treated areas until spray has dried. (3) Do not apply to lawns or other desirable plants.

House Foundation Treatment

This product will control ants, boxelder bugs, brown dog ticks, chiggers, clover mites, cockroaches, crickets, earwigs, fleas, flies, millipedes, sowbugs, spiders, and collembola (springtails) which are commonly found near the house and may enter the house. Apply as a spot treatment to house foundation walls and around doors and windows where these pests are likely to enter. Repeat application as necessary.

Precautions: (1) Do not use this product indoors as an overall surface spray or as a space spray; take care not to introduce this product into the air during application. (2) Use only in well-ventilated areas. (3) Do not apply where children are likely to frequently contact treated surfaces. (4) Remove or cover fish bowls and remove pets before application. (5) Do not treat pets or plants with this product. (6) Do not allow children or pets in treated areas until spray has dried. (7) If clothing is sprayed during application, remove clothing immediately after spraying and launder before wearing again. (8) Avoid excessive wetting of carpets or floor coverings and unfinished materials. (9) Care should be taken to avoid spotting of walls, wall coverings, and fabrics. (10) Do not apply directly to upholstery, furniture, leather, draperies, or stained surfaces because damage may occur. (11) Do not apply to areas, surfaces, or utensils which will contact food or feed. (12) Exposed food should be covered or removed during application. (13) All food processing sur-

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