



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (H7505C)
401 "M" St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:

Date of Issuance:

10707-38

OCT 04 2000

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

- Registration
- Reregistration

Term of Issuance: Conditional

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name of Pesticide Product: Baker
Petrolite IPC 8915

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code)

Baker Petrolite Company
12645 W. Airport Blvd
P.O. Box 5050
Sugarland, TX 77487-5050

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under the Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

Based on your response to the Reregistration Eligibility Document for Methylisothiazolene RED, EPA has reregistered the above name product subject to the comments recorded in the succeeding paragraph. This action is taken under the authority of section 4(g)(2)(c) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended. Reregistration under this section does not eliminate the need for continual reassessment of pesticides. EPA may require submission of data at any time to maintain the registration of your product.

1. Make the following label changes:
 - a. Revise the EPA Registration Number to read "EPA Reg. No. 10707-38".
 - b. The word "PELIGRO" must be added to the label, following the signal word.

Signature of Approving Official:

Marshall Swindell, PM 33
Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobial Division (7510C)

Date:

OCT 04 2000

c. The heading "Statement of Practical Treatment" must be changed to "First Aid" and the statements must be revised as follows:

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 for treatment advice.

IF SWALLOWED:

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 by a poison control center or doctor.

IF ON SKIN:

Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment.

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 further treatment.

d. Revise the "Precautionary Statements" that appear under the subheading "Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals" to read:

"Causes irreversible eye damage or skin burns. May be fatal if absorbed through skin. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reaction in some individuals. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse".

e. Include a "Physical and Chemical Hazards" heading and place the phrase "This product is corrosive to mild steel". This product as supplied evolves gascontents through the vent".

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f. In the Storage and Disposal section, change the subheading "Prohibitions" to "Pesticide Storage" and include the word "water" to the statement "Do not contaminate food or feed by storage, disposal, or cleaning of equipment".

g. Include the statement "Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons" to fall directly below the storage and disposal section.

h. The statement "The product contains the active ingredients at 0.27 pounds per gallons" must be placed directly under the ingredients section.

i. The concentration of the active ingredients must be changed for 5-chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolene-3-one, from 1.15 to 1.1% and for 2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one from 0.35 to 1.39%. In addition, you must adjust the percentage of the inert ingredients, and submit a new Confidential Statement of Formula (CSF).

Please note that based on the Acute Toxicity review dated March 23, 2000, the primary dermal study was found to be completely unacceptable. The conditional Reregistration will expire six (6) months from the date of this notice in which you are required to submit a new primary dermal study..

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

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

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely,



Marshall Swindell
Product Manager 33
Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobial Division (7510C)

Enclosure



EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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 CANUTEC: 613-996-6666
 Customer Care: 800-872-1916

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 12645 W. Airport Blvd.
 Sugar Land, TX 77478 U.S.A.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER

CORROSIVE. CAUSES EYE DAMAGE AND SKIN BURNS. MAY CAUSE ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION. HARMFUL IF INHALED. HAZARDOUS IF SWALLOWED. DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN OR ON CLOTHING. MIXERS, LOADERS AND OTHERS EXPOSED TO THIS PRODUCT MUST WEAR: LONG-SLEEVED SHIRT AND LONG PANTS; CHEMICAL RESISTANT GLOVES SUCH AS NITRILE OR BUTYL RUBBER; SHOES PLUS SOCKS; GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELD; AND CHEMICAL RESISTANT APRON. DISCARD CLOTHING OR 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 EXISTS, USE DETERGENT AND HOT WATER. KEEP AND WASH PPE SEPARATE FROM OTHER LAUNDRY. USERS SHOULD WASH HANDS BEFORE EATING, DRINKING, CHEWING GUM, USING TOBACCO OR USING THE TOILET. USERS SHOULD REMOVE CLOTHING IMMEDIATELY IF PESTICIDE GETS INSIDE. THEN WASH THOROUGHLY AND PUT ON CLEAN CLOTHING. USERS SHOULD REMOVE PPE IMMEDIATELY AFTER HANDLING THIS PRODUCT. AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, WASH THOROUGHLY. THIS PRODUCT MAY CAUSE SKIN SENSITIZATION REACTIONS IN SOME PEOPLE.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

THIS CHEMICAL IS TOXIC TO TERRESTRIAL AND AQUATIC PLANTS, FISH AND AQUATIC INVERTEBRATES. DO NOT DISCHARGE EFFLUENT CONTAINING THIS PRODUCT INTO LAKES, STREAMS, PONDS, ESTUARIES, OCEANS OR OTHER 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. DO NOT CONTAMINATE WATER BY CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT OR DISPOSAL OF WASTE. APPLY THIS PESTICIDE ONLY AS SPECIFIED ON THIS LABEL.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

PROHIBITIONS: THIS PRODUCT IS CORROSIVE TO MILD STEEL. DO NOT STORE OR TRANSPORT IN UNLINED METAL CONTAINERS. DO NOT CONTAMINATE FOOD OR FEED BY STORAGE, DISPOSAL OR CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: PESTICIDE WASTES ARE ACUTELY HAZARDOUS. IMPROPER DISPOSAL OF EXCESS PESTICIDE OR RINSEATE 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.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL
 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.

PLASTIC CONTAINERS: TRIPLE RINSE (OR EQUIVALENT). THEN OFFER FOR RECYCLING OR RECONDITIONING, OR PUNCTURE AND DISPOSE OF IN A SANITARY LANDFILL OR BY INCINERATION, OR, IF ALLOWED BY STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES, BY BURNING. IF BURNED, STAY OUT OF SMOKE.

GENERAL: CONSULT FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL DISPOSAL AUTHORITIES FOR APPROVED ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES.

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CONTROLS BACTERIA, FUNGI AND ALGAE IN INDUSTRIAL RECIRCULATING WATER COOLING TOWERS; CONTROLS BACTERIA AND FUNGI IN METAL WORKING FLUIDS CONTAINING WATER; CONTROLS SLIME-FORMING BACTERIA AND SULFATE-REDUCING BACTERIA IN OIL FIELD WATERS; CONTROLS BACTERIA AND FUNGAL SLIME IN PAPER MILLS; CONTROLS BACTERIA, FUNGI AND ALGAE IN INDUSTRIAL AIR-WASHER SYSTEMS; AND CONTROLS BACTERIA AND FUNGI IN ULTRA FILTRATION UNITS AND NON-MEDICAL/NON-POTABLE REVERSE OSMOSIS SYSTEMS.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

5-Chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one..... 1.15%
 2-Methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one..... 0.35%

INERT INGREDIENTS:..... 98.50%

TOTAL:..... 100.00%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

SEE SIDE PANELS FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. DRINK PROMPTLY A LARGE QUANTITY OF EGG WHITES, GELATIN SOLUTION, OR IF THESE ARE NOT AVAILABLE, DRINK LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER. AVOID ALCOHOL. CALL A PHYSICIAN IMMEDIATELY. NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON.

IF ON SKIN: WASH THOROUGHLY WITH SOAP AND WATER. REMOVE AND WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE.

IF IN EYES: FLUSH WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES. CALL A PHYSICIAN.

IF INHALED: REMOVE IMMEDIATELY TO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, APPLY ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, GIVE OXYGEN. CALL A PHYSICIAN.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: PROBABLE MUCOSAL DAMAGE MAY CONTRAINDICATE THE USE OF GASTRIC LAVAGE.

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 EPA REG. NO. 10707-CA-012
 EPA EST. NO. 10707-KA-032
 EPA EST. NO. 787-TA-001

NET WEIGHT: 30 GALLONS/240 LBS.; 55 GALLONS/460 LBS.

DIRECTIONS 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.

INDUSTRIAL RECIRCULATING WATER COOLING TOWERS

FOR THE CONTROL OF BACTERIA, ALGAE AND FUNGI, ADD IPC 8915 TO THE TOWER BASIN, DISTRIBUTION BOX OR SOME OTHER POINT TO INSURE UNIFORM MIXING.

INITIAL DOSE: WHEN THE SYSTEM IS NOTICEABLY FOULED, APPLY 1.26 TO 7.46 POUNDS (19 TO 113 FLUID OUNCES) OF IPC 8915 PER 1,000 GALLONS OF WATER IN THE SYSTEM. REPEAT UNTIL CONTROL IS ACHIEVED.

SUBSEQUENT DOSE: WHEN MICROBIAL CONTROL IS EVIDENT, ADD 0.3 TO 1.86 POUNDS (4.55 TO 28 FLUID OUNCES) OF IPC 8915 PER 1,000 GALLONS OF WATER IN THE SYSTEM WEEKLY OR AS NEEDED TO MAINTAIN CONTROL. BADLY FOULED SYSTEMS MUST BE CLEANED BEFORE TREATMENT IS BEGUN.

METAL WORKING FLUIDS CONTAINING WATER

TREATMENT:
 IPC 8915 IS RECOMMENDED FOR THE CONTROL OF BACTERIA AND FUNGI IN SOLUBLE AND EMULSIFIABLE TYPE AQUEOUS METALWORKING FLUIDS SUCH AS EMULSIFIED PETROLEUM OILS AND FORMULATIONS CONTAINING ALCOHOLIC FATTY ACID SULFONATED RED OIL OR NAPHTHALENE SULFONATE. THESE FLUIDS ARE USUALLY PREPARED BY DILUTING THE PRODUCT CONCENTRATES 1:40 TO 1:60 WITH WATER.

FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF A NONFOULED SYSTEM, USE IPC 8915 AT 32 FLUID OUNCES PER 1,000 GALLONS OF EMULSION (2 POUNDS) EVERY 4 WEEKS OR 32 TO 154 FLUID OUNCES PER 1,000 GALLONS EMULSION (2 TO 10 POUNDS) EVERY 8 TO 12 WEEKS. FOR A NOTICEABLY FOULED SYSTEM, USE AN INITIAL DOSE OF 64 TO 154 FLUID OUNCES PER 1,000 GALLONS EMULSION (4 TO 10 POUNDS) TO BE FOLLOWED BY SUBSEQUENT MAINTENANCE DOSAGES DEPENDING UPON THE TREATMENT INTERVAL NOTED ABOVE. A HIGHER DOSAGE RANGE AND/OR INCREASED FREQUENCY OF TREATMENT MAY BE REQUIRED DEPENDING UPON RATE OF DILUTION OF THE PRESERVATIVE WITH MAKEUP FLUID, THE NATURE AND SEVERITY OF CONTAMINATION, LEVEL OF CONTROL REQUIRED, FILTRATION EFFECTIVENESS, SYSTEM DESIGN, ETC.

THE PRESERVATIVE SHOULD BE DISPENSED INTO THE USE DILUTION OF THE METALWORKING FLUID USING A METERING PUMP.

OIL FIELD INJECTION WATERS

FOR THE CONTROL OF SLIME-FORMING BACTERIA AND SULFATE-REDUCING BACTERIA IN OIL FIELD WATERS, SLUG TREAT WITH 67 TO 332 PPM IPC 8915 DEPENDING ON THE SEVERITY OF CONTAMINATION.

INITIAL DOSE: ADD 166 TO 332 PPM IPC 8915 (6.9 TO 13.9 GALLONS OR 58.0 TO 116.0 POUNDS IPC 8915 PER 1,000 BARRELS OF WATER) AT A POINT IN THE SYSTEM WHERE IT WILL BE UNIFORMLY MIXED. REPEAT TREATMENT AFTER THREE DAYS OR AS NEEDED UNTIL CONTROL IS ACHIEVED.

SUBSEQUENT DOSE: ADD 67 TO 166 PPM IPC 8915 (2.8 TO 6.9 GALLONS OR 23.5 TO 58.0 POUNDS IPC 8915 PER 1,000 BARRELS OF WATER) EVERY SEVEN DAYS OR AS NEEDED TO MAINTAIN CONTROL.

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Read Product Material Safety Data Sheet prior to use. PRODUCT WARRANTY, DISCLAIMER AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY ARE FOUND THEREON. Use of Product signifies agreement with these provisions.

Lea la hoja de datos de seguridad de materiales del producto antes de usarlo. LA GARANTIA DEL PRODUCTO, EL DESCARGO Y LA LIMITACION DE RESPONSABILIDAD SE ENCUENTRAN EN DICHS DOCUMENTOS. El uso del producto significa acuerdo con estas disposiciones.