

# U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Office of Pesticide Programs Registration Division (7504P) Ariel Rios Building 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW Washington, D.C. 20460

NOTICE	OF	<b>PESTICIDE</b>

Registration
X Reregistration
(under FIFRA, as amended)

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10951-11

Date of Issuance:

AUG 1 8 2010

Term of Issuance:

Name of Pesticide Product:

Britz Copper Sulfur 15-25 Dust

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Britz Fertilizers Inc.

P.O. Box 366

Five Points, CA 93624-0366

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 this 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.

This product is reregistered in accordance with FIFRA provided that you:

1) Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration review of your product when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit data.

Signature of Approving Official:

Date:

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2) The ingredients statements must be changed to: Copper Oxychloride CAS # 1332-65-6 ... 18.69% Basic Copper Sulfate CAS # 1344-73-6... 6.90% Sulfur... 25.00% Other ingredients... 49.41%

- 3) Change the Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals statements to "Warning Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Avoid contact with skin."
- 4) The text "Wash the outside of gloves before removing" must be added to the User Safety Recommendations text currently on the label.
- 5) Change the Environment Hazards statements to "This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates and may contaminate water through runoff. This product has a potential for runoff for several months or more after application. Poorly draining soils and soils with shallow water tables are more prone to product runoff that contains this product. Drift and runoff may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. 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 when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinseate."
- 6) Change the REI to "48 hrs.".
- 7) Under "precaution" change "recommended amount" to "directed amount". To the application section add "maximum annual application rate is 20 lbs. metallic copper per acre per year. The minimum retreatment interval is 3 days".
- 8) Update the Container Disposal language to comply with PR Notice 2007-4. To the Warranty section add "to the extent consistent with applicable law" in front of "Britz Fertilizer, Inc. neither makes," and "critical and unforeseeable".

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. You must submit one copy of the final printed label before you release the product for shipment. Products shipped after 12 months from the date of this letter or the next round of printing must bear the new revised label. If these EPA conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA. Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these EPA Reg. conditions. This label supersedes all other previously accepted labels. If you have any questions please call Erik Kraft at 703-308-9358 or email at Kraft.Erik@epa.gov.

Enclosure: Product Chemistry Review

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## **BRITZ COPPER SULFUR 15-25 DUST**

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:	
Copper Oxychloride (CAS #1332-65-6)	19.16%
Basic Copper Sulfate (CAS #1344-73-6)	7.34%
Sulfur	25.00%
INERT INGREDIENTS	48.50%
TOTAL	100.00%
Copper Expressed As Metallic 15%	

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated: AUG 1 8 2010

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

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#### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

### **WARNING - AVISO**

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

FIRST AID			
If in eyes:	• Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes.		
	• Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eyes.		
	• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.		
If on skin or clothing:	Take off contaminated clothing.		
	• Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes.		
	• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.		
If swallowed:	• Immediately call a poison control center or doctor		
	• Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.		
	• Do not give any liquid to the person. Do not give anything by mouth to an		
	unconscious person.		
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 advice.		
HOT LINE NUMBER			
Have the product of	Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for		
	treatment. You may also contact day or night, 1-800-424-9300		

See side panel for additional precautionary statements.



 Listed by the Organic Materials Review Institute (OMRI) for use in production of organic food and fiber

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EPA EST. No. 10951-CA-5

BRITZ FERTILIZERS, INC. P. O. Box 366 Five Points, CA 93624-0366

NET WEIGHT: 50 LBS.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

WARNING: Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. May cause skin sensitization reaction in certain individuals. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Avoid breathing dust.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Mixers, loaders, applicators, and other handlers must wear the following: long-sleeved shirt and long pants, chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material, shoe plus socks and protective eyewear (goggles or face shield). Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are natural rubber. If you want more options, follow the instructions for category A on an EPA chemical-resistance category selection chart.

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exists, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

Discard clothing and other absorbent material that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with the product's concentrate. Do not reuse them.

#### ENGINEERING CONTROLS STATEMENTS

When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft 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. IMPORTANT: When reduced PPE is worn because a closed system is being used, handlers must be provided all PPE specified above for "applicators and other handlers" and have such PPE immediately available for use in an emergency, such as a spill or equipment break-down.

#### USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

Users should:

Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Users should remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. User should remove PPE immediately after handling this product. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is toxic to 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 when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

For terrestrial uses: Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. The product may contaminate water through runoff. Poorly draining soils and soils with shallow water tables are more prone to product runoff that contains this product. Drift and runoff may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas.

#### 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 person, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific 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, forest, 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 personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 24 hours.

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 soil, or water, is: Coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and long pants, chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material, chemical resistant footwear plus socks, chemical-resistant headgear if overhead exposure, protective eyewear and chemical-resistant apron when mixing, loading, cleaning equipment or spills or otherwise exposed to the concentrate.

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

**PRECAUTION:** Applications of material containing sulfur should not be made just prior to or during periods of high summer temperatures. Concord and other labrusca type grapes may be injured by sulfur. Consult your local agricultural Extension Service or Britz Fieldman for additional information consistent with directions on this label.

Apply recommended amounts when air is calm, using ground equipment, aircraft, or hand duster.

# DO NOT MIX OR DILUTE WITH OTHER PRODUCTS. THOROUGH COVERAGE IS ESSENTIAL WHEN USING COPPER SULFUR 15-25 DUST

#### APPLICATION RATE:

**GRAPES:** Powdery mildew, Bunch Rots - Use 20 lbs. per acre. Apply when berries start to touch and thereafter as needed. Britz Copper Sulfur 15-25 Dust must be applied before the disease appears.

#### STORAGE AN DISPOSAL

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Keep out of reach of children and animals. Store in original container only. Store in a cool, dry place and avoid excess heat. Do not contaminate other pesticides, fertilizers, water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

In case of spill, avoid contact, isolate area and keep out animals and unprotected persons. Confine spills. Call: CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300.

To Confine Spill: If dry material, cover to prevent dispersal. Place damaged package in a holding container. Identify contents.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

For minor spills, leaks, etc., follow all precautions indicated on this label and clean up immediately, Take special care to avoid contamination of equipment and facilities during cleanup procedures and disposal of waste. In the event of a major spill, fire or emergency, call CHEMTREC @ 1-800-424-9300 day or night.

#### Conditions of Sale and Warranty

#### **CONDITIONS OF SALE:**

1. BRITZ FERTILIZERS, INC. warrants that this material conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for use as directed hereon.

**BRITZ FERTILIZERS, INC.** neither makes, nor authorizes any agent or representative to make, any other warranty of **FITNESS** or of **MERCHANTABILITY**, guarantee or representation, expressed or implied, concerning this material.

2. Critical and unforeseeable factors beyond the control of BRITZ FERTILIZERS, INC. prevent it from eliminating all risk in connection with the use of chemicals. Such risks include, but are not limited to, damage to plants and crops to which the material is applied, lack of complete control, and damage caused by drift to other plants or crops. Such risks occur even though the product is reasonably fit for the uses stated hereon and even though label directions are followed. Buyer and user acknowledge and assume all risks and liability (except those assumed by BRITZ FERTILIZERS, INC. under 1 above) resulting from handling, storage, and use of this material.

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