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Office of Pesticide Programs  
Registration Division (H7505C)  
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NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:  
       Registration  
  X   Reregistration

Term of Issuance:

Unconditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Roach-It

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Sungro Chemicals, Inc.  
P.O. Box 24632  
Los Angeles, CA 90024

**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.

Based on your response to the Reregistration Eligibility Document, EPA has reregistered the product listed above. With regards to labeling, you must make the labeling changes listed below:

1. Revise the Environmental Hazards statement to read:

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.

2. Under the Directions for Use, separate the sentence "It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling", so that it is a separate paragraph.

Signature of Approving Official:

Date: 22 SEP 1995

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3. Revise the Precautionary Statements to read:

"Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin.  
Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or  
clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after  
handling."

4. Revise the Statement of Practical Treatment to read:

If Swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center.  
Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce  
vomiting by touching back of throat with  
finger. If person is unconscious, do not  
give anything by mouth and do not induce  
vomiting.

If in Eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a  
physician if irritation persists.

If on Skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get  
medical attention.

5. Revise the Storage and Disposal Statement so that it  
provides instructions for both Commercial and Homeowner Use:

a. The Storage and Disposal Statement for Commercial use must  
read as follows:

Storage: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or  
disposal.

Store in a cool dry place. Do not store where children or animals  
may gain access.

Pesticide Disposal: Waste 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.

b. The Storage and Disposal Statement for Homeowner Use must  
read as follows:

Storage: Store in a cool dry place. Do not store where children  
or animals may gain access.

Disposal: Securely wrap original container in several layers of  
newspaper and discard in trash.

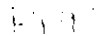
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6. Submit two copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 Enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

7. Enclosed is a copy of your label stamped "Accepted with Comments." This action is taken under the authority of section 4(g)(2)(C) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended. Registration under this section does not eliminate the need for control reassessment of pesticides. EPA may require submission of data at any time to maintain the registration of your product.

Sincerely,



Richard P. Keigwin, Jr.  
Product Manager 10  
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch  
Registration Division (7505C)

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
HARMFUL TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. May cause eye irritation. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contamination of food and feed.

STATEMENT OF PRATICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately contact Poison Control Center or Physician. If these are unavailable, give a glass or two of water and induce vomiting by giving syrup of ipecac or by touching finger to back of throat. Never give anything by mouth or induce vomiting if patient is unconscious.

IF IN EYES: Flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Boric acid or boric acid solutions carelessly spilled or applied to cropland or growing plants including trees and shrubs may kill or seriously retard plant growth. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Using a bellows, pump or power duster apply liberally in areas where roaches hide or nest.

1. Under and behind appliances.

2. In plumbing voids accessible through holes, around plumbing and drains.

3. In void areas under kitchen and bathroom cabinets. (note-many cabinets have a gap at the top of kickplate which offers easy access. If not, drill a small hole at the top of kickplate.)

4. In drawer wells of cabinets.

5. In cracks around windows, doors, baseplates, fixtures and cabinets.

6. In utility rooms under and behind hot water heater, washers and dryers. Be sure to dust plumbing voids.

7. In attics-around the perimeter and vent pipes, above kitchen and baths.

8. Around the perimeter of dropped ceilings.

9. Into pits of elevator shafts dumb waiters and trash chutes.

10. Under and behind pallets and boxes in storerooms.

NO POWDER SHOULD BE VISIBLE IN LIVING AREAS AFTER APPLICATION

Apply approximately 1 pound for every 1000 square feet of living space.

DIRECTIONS FOR APPLICATION

(WITHIN FOOD AND NON-FOOD AREAS OF FOOD HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS)

FOOD HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS: Place other than private residences in which exposed food is held, processed, prepared or served.

FOOD AREAS APPLICATION IS LIMITED TO CRACK AND CREVICE TREATMENT ONLY.

Includes areas for receiving, storage, packing(canning, bottling, wrapping, boxing), preparing edible waste storage and enclosed processing systems(mills, dairies, edible oils, syrups). Serving areas(when food is exposed and facility is in operation also would be considered a food area).

NON-FOOD AREAS: Includes garbage rooms, lavatories, floor drains(to sewers entries and vestibules). Offices, locker rooms, machine rooms, boiler rooms, boiler rooms, garages, mop closets and storage(after canning or bottling). Apply to baseboard areas, around water pipes, surfaces behind and beneath sinks, lockers, tables, pallets and similar areas where insects hide or through which they may enter. Care should be taken to avoid depositing the product onto surfaces which are exposed or introducing the material into the air. Avoid contamination of food or food processing surfaces.

APPLICATION OF THIS PRODUCT IN THE FOOD AREA OF FOOD HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS OTHER THAN AS A CRACK AND CREVICE TREATMENT ARE NOT PERMITTED.

SEWER TREATMENT: Apply this product at a rate not to exceed 8 lbs. per 3000 sq. ft. using portable blowers or air pressure tanks.

PRETREATMENT OF NEW CONSTRUCTION: Apply powder to baseplates and plumbing voids, at the rate of 4 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft.

In ATTICS APPLY POWDER around perimeter of attics and around vent stacks at the rate of 4 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

STORAGE: Store in a cool dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Waste 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.

# ROACH-IT

Kills Roaches, Ants, Silverfish,  
Palmetto and Water Bugs.

For use in Homes, Restaurants, Grocery Stores, Schools,  
Warehouses, Mobile Homes, Hotels, Offices, Apartments,  
Attics, Nursing Homes, Ships, Yachts, Buses, Kennels, Zoos,  
New Building and Sewer Treatment.

Active Ingredients:  
Boric Acid ( $H_3BO_3$ )

by wt  
100%

[Boric Oxide ( $B_2O_3$ ) Equivalent 56.3%]

## CAUTION

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

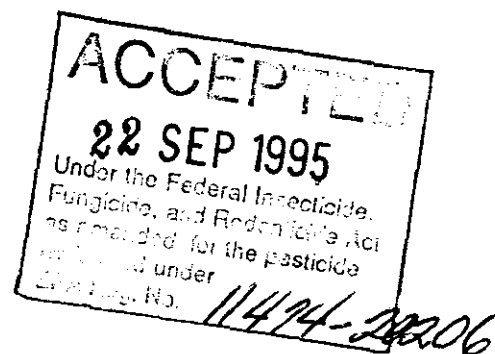
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