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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (7505C)
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Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:
11558-15

Date of Issuance:
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Term of Issuance:
Unconditional

Name of Pesticide Product:
Propionic Acid

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:
Registration
XX Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Hoechst Celanese Chemical Group
1601 West LBJ Freeway
P.O. Box 819005
Dallas, TX 75381-9005

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(s), EPA has reregistered the product listed above. Enclosed is a copy of your label stamped "Accepted." 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.

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

Signature of Approving Official:

James M. Stone
Acting Product Manager (22)

Date: July 17, 1995

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DOT shipping name: Propionic Acid / Hazard class: 8, Corrosive Material / Subsidiary hazard: 3, Flammable Liquid / United Nations no.: UN
Emergency Response Guide no.: 60 / CAS no.: 79-09-4.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS
DANGER!

Corrosive. Causes skin burns and irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. May be fatal if absorbed through skin. Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Avoid working near high concentrations of spray/mist vapor. Use with adequate ventilation. Wear goggles or face shield. Wear chemical-resistant gloves, chemical resistant aprons, and chemical-resistant footwear. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking and using tobacco.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

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.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Combustible. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Do not use this product in or on electrical equipment due to the possibility of shock hazard.

IN CASE OF FIRE

Use carbon dioxide or dry chemical for small fires; alcohol-type aqueous film-forming foam or water spray for large fires. If potential for exposure to vapors or products of combustion exists, wear complete personal protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus with full facepiece operated in pressure demand or other positive pressure mode. Water spray can be used to reduce intensity of flames and to dilute spills to nonflammable mixture. Use water spray to cool fire-exposed structures and vessels.

IN CASE OF SPILL

Eliminate ignition sources. Avoid breathing vapors and eye or skin contact. Place leaking containers in well-ventilated area with spill containment. If fire potential exists, blanket spill with alcohol-type aqueous film-forming foam or use water spray to disperse vapors. Contain spill to facilitate clean-up. Clean-up methods may include absorbent materials, vacuum truck, etc. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to natural waterways.

PROPIONIC ACID

FOR FORMULATION OR REPACKAGING OF FUNGICIDES

Active ingredient:	Propionic acid	99.7 % wt.
Inert ingredients		0.3 % wt.
TOTAL		100.0 % wt.

This product contains approximately 8.3 lbs. of propionic acid per gallon.

KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER!

STATEMENTS OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If in eyes: Hold eyelids open and flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

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

If swallowed: Call a doctor or get medical attention. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg white, gelatin solution or if these are not available large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol.

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth to mouth. Get medical attention.

Note to physician: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate use of gastric lavage. Can cause pulmonary edema (accumulation of fluids in the lungs); signs and symptoms can be delayed for several hours.

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Chemical Group
Hoechst Celanese Corporation
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Information phone: 214 277 4000
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DIRECTIONS

For manufacturing use only. It is a violation of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) if this product is used in a manner inconsistent with this label. When used as a preservative, the repackaged, relabeled or reformulated product must be labeled for its intended use with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for (1) the following use(s): preservative on food for which USEPA has accepted the required data, or (2) for which USEPA has submitted in support of registration; and compliance with USEPA requirements.

STORAGE

Storage: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed. Store in a cool, dry place with adequate ventilation and apart from oxidizers. Storage facilities should be non-combustible. Disposal: Do not contaminate water, food or feed. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mix, or empty container may constitute a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by the user, they should be sent to a State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance. Container Disposal: Completely empty drum in accordance with Federal, state, and local regulations.

DISPOSITION

For Industrial use only: The information on this label is given in accordance with the knowledge and information available to the manufacturer. We do not suggest or guarantee the use of this material in any application which is not specifically mentioned on the label or implied, concerning the use of this material in combination with other materials or substances. Effects can be aggravated by other materials. This material is made directly or indirectly from petroleum, coal, natural gas, or other mineral substances. It is not suitable for use in all applications. All applicable safety and health standards apply.

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For Chemical Emergency—spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident—call CHEMTREC, day or night: 800 4