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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND
TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Subject: Label Amendment Submission of 09/21/93 In Response to PR Notice 93-7
EPA Reg. No. 11656-3
WESTERN FARM SERVICE DUSTING SULFUR

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is accepted subject to the comments reflected on the enclosed sheet. A copy of your proposed labeling stamped "ACCEPTED WITH COMMENTS" is enclosed.

WHAT THIS ACCEPTANCE MEANS:

Based on your certification, the Agency has accepted the labeling changes that are necessary to comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) labeling requirements of 40 CFR part 156, subpart K, described in PR Notices 93-7 and 93-11. Any other labeling changes submitted in connection with this amendment application but not directly related to compliance with the WPS have not been reviewed or accepted by the Agency. If you wish to make such changes, you must submit a separate amendment application proposing them. If your product is currently suspended, the acceptance of this labeling amendment does not affect the suspension in any way.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO NEXT:

By the next label printing make all the specified changes to your labeling. Send to EPA one (1) copy of the final printed labeling:

- BEFORE selling or distributing any product bearing the final printed labeling
- AND
- WITHIN one year from date of this acceptance.



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Printed with Soy/Canola Ink on paper that
contains at least 50% recycled fiber

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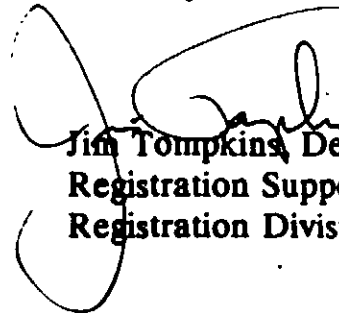
Submit the final printed labeling via the U.S. Postal Service to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs (7505C)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
401 M Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20460-0001

Hand or courier deliveries of final printed labeling may be made to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs
Room 266A, Crystal Mall 2
1921 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, VA 22202

Sincerely,



Jim Tompkins, Deputy Chief
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Attachment

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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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Comment for: EPA Reg Nr.11656-3
WESTERN FARM SERVICE DUSTING SULFUR

The following specific comments pertain to your WPS labeling submission concerning the product cited above:

Place the heading "Personal Protective Equipment" on your labeling in the location shown in Section A on Part I of the Product Worksheet in Supplement Three-A to PR Notice 93-7.

User Safety Recommendations must either be placed in a box or printed on the label in a contrasting color from surrounding text.

The Agricultural Use Requirements section must be located in a clearly separate box on the product labeling -- with lines or other graphic indicators (such as contrasting color) to separate the section from the surrounding text.

You have incorrect wording in the second-to-last sentence in the first paragraph in the Agricultural Use Requirements box on your proposed label. The sentence must be as follows:
"It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), notification to workers and restricted-entry interval."

Delete the crossed-out statements on your proposed label. They are redundant statements or phrases.

Correct the typographical errors circled on your proposed label.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

CAUTION!
Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through skin. Avoid breathing dust. Do not take internally. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Applications and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Waterproof gloves
- Shoes plus socks

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

User Safety Recommendations:

User should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Keep out of any body of water. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on label. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Burning sulfur emits highly toxic fumes. Sulfur dust suspended in air ignites easily. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Avoid creating dust in handling. Keep container closed. Use with adequate ventilation. Keep from contact with oxidizing materials.

In Case of Fire, Use water spray, fog, CO, or sand. Wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

1. Prohibited: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.
2. Pesticide Disposal: Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.
3. 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.
4. General: Store in original container only and keep in closed storage area.

NOTICE OF WARRANTY

WESTERN FARM SERVICE MAKES NO WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR OTHERWISE EXPRESS OR IMPLIED concerning this product or its uses which extend beyond the use of the product under normal conditions in accord with the statements on this label.

In EPA Letter Dated

JAN 28 1994
Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 11656-3



**DUSTING SULFUR
AN AGRICULTURAL INSECTICIDE
AND FUNGICIDE**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT	BY WEIGHT
Sulfur	98%
INERT INGREDIENTS	2%
	100%

EPA REG. NO. 11656-3-za
EPA EST. NO. 476-CA-5

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

For agricultural use only or for sale to, use, and storage by service persons only. Do not store in areas accessible to children. See side panel for additional precautionary statements.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If an adverse reaction occurs after exposure: Promptly start the recommended procedures below. Seek medical attention if further treatment is required or call (800) 424-9300.

If a large amount of this material is swallowed: Give several glasses of water, induce vomiting by gagging the victim with a finger placed on the back of the victim's tongue. Give fluids until vomiting is clear. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsing person.

If inhaled: Remove to fresh air. Seek medical attention if respiratory irritation occurs or if breathing becomes difficult.

In case of contact: Flush all affected areas with plenty of water for several minutes. Remove and clean contaminated clothing while still wet.

For eye contact: Hold eyelids apart and flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Read statement of Precautions to use this product in a way that will protect workers or other persons, 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 regulations.

AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 49 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, 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. 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 workers into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 24 hours. PPE required for only entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water is: Clothing that covers the body, shoes, and socks.

GENERAL USE DIRECTIONS

Apply this product uniformly to the foliage when air is calm, using ground or aircraft. Timing and dosage may vary a result of local weather conditions. Consult State Agricultural Experiment Stations or State Agricultural Extension Service for additional information concerning timing, number and rate of applications used, and safe re-entry interval.

CAUTIONS IN USING
Some fruit and other plants are susceptible to injury from sulfur dust. Sulfur may be phytotoxic under certain conditions. Except as noted, do not use on Eastern Apples or other sulfur sensitive plants. If used on any crop, wait 30 days or more before harvest.

USAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

FRUIT CROPS
CITRUS: Use on citrus trees. Do not use on citrus trees. Follow manufacturer's instructions. CAUTION: Avoid application on all crops.

GRAPES: Powdery mildew-A. in. long. Make a second application. Repeat applications at 10-14 day intervals. CAUTION: Avoid over application to grapes in actively vegetative stages.

APPLES: Sulfur, powdery mildew-A. in. long. CAUTION: Use on sulfur sensitive plants. CAUTION: Avoid application on all crops. STRAWBERRY: Powdery mildew-A. in. long. Check for plant injury. FIG: Fig rust-injury apply 40 lb. in different locations. State Agricultural Experiment Station.

CHERRIES: Brown rot-Monilia per con. Make first application necessary through growing season. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated fruit, nut and peach alternatives. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated fruit.

PLUMS AND PEACHES: Brown rot-Monilia per con. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated fruit. ALFALFA (Hay): Spider mite at 14 day intervals or as necessary. CAUTION: Sulfur may cause injury to alfalfa.

BEANS: Spider mite, powdery mildew-A. in. long. CAUTION: May cause injury to beans. CAUTION: May cause injury to beans.

CARROTS, ONIONS, GARL, COTTON: Atlantic mild, brown rot-Monilia per con. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated plants. CLOVER: Powdery mildew-A. in. long. Check for plant injury.

CUCUMBERS, SQUASH, MELONS: Powdery mildew-A. in. long. Check for plant injury. SUGAR BEETS: Spider mite. Apply 10-20 lbs. per acre when 3 to 4 weeks after the initial application. Use the higher rate when plants are less than 3" tall before harvest.

TOMATOES: Brown rot-Monilia per con. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated plants. TURKISH AND BUTYRAGIA: Brown rot-Monilia per con. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated plants. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated plants.

ORNAMENTALS: Make full coverage application. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated plants. CHRYSANTHEMUMS: Powdery mildew-A. in. long. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated plants. HOLLYHOCK: Brown rot-Monilia per con. CAUTION: Avoid contact with treated plants. CAUTION: DO NOT use on ornamentals.

50 LBS. NET WT. 22.68 kg
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