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OFFICE OF  
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND  
TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Mr. John Lublinkhof  
Director of Regulatory Affairs  
Bell Laboratories, Inc.  
3699 Kinsman Blvd  
Madison, WI 53704

RE: Notification to revise the application directions for mound treatment for the purpose of ease of understanding

EPA Registration Number: 12455-107

Date of Submission: June 30, 2008

Dear Mr. Lublinkhof:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 dated June 30, 2008, for the product, Tomcat Ant Killer. The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the actions requested fall within the scope of PRN 98-10. The label submitted with the application has been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

If you have any questions, please call me directly at 703-305-6249 or Joyce Edwards of my staff at 703-308-5479.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Linda Arrington".

Linda Arrington  
Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader  
Registration Division (7505P)  
Office of Pesticide Programs



United States  
Environmental Protection Agency  
Washington, DC 20460

☐ Registration  
☐ Amendment  
☒ Other

OPP Identifier Number

## Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 12455-107	2. EPA Product Manager Linda Arrington	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) Tomcat Ant Killer	PM# CT	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Bell Laboratories, Inc.. 3699 Kinsman Blvd. Madison, WI 53704 <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No. <b>NOTIFICATION</b> Product Name <b>AUG 08 2008</b>	

## Section - II

<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____	<input type="checkbox"/> "Me Too" Application.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notification - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other - Explain below.

Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.)

Notification: As per PR Notice 98-10, the application directions for mound treatment are changed for the purpose of ease of understanding. The approved label states "Use 1 Tablespoon per 1 square foot of mound area. Sprinkle bait evenly around each mound in an area four times the area of the mound." The revised statement should read "Apply four level tablespoons per mound. Sprinkle bait evenly around each mound in a four foot diameter circle." The revised direction is identical to that of DuPont's Advion IMT (EPA Reg. No. 352-644) on which this registration is based. See attached statement.

## Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:				2. Type of Container	
Child-Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Metal	
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic	
				<input type="checkbox"/> Glass	
				<input type="checkbox"/> Paper	
				<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____	
* Certification must be submitted					
3. Location of Net Contents Information <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Label <input type="checkbox"/> Container		4. Size(s) Retail Container 1 lb. - 5 lb.		5. Location of Label Directions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Front label on container	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lithograph <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paper glued <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stenciled				<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

## Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)		
Name John Lublinkhof	Title Director of Regulatory Affairs	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 608-241-0202
<b>Certification</b> I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.		6. Date Application Received (Stamped)
2. Signature 	3. Title Director of Regulatory Affairs	
4. Typed Name John Lublinkhof	5. Date June 30, 2008	



# TOMCAT® ANT KILLER

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**NOTIFICATION**

**AUG 08 2008**

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Indoxacarb (CAS# 173584-44-6):.....0.008%

OTHER INGREDIENTS:.....99.992%  
100.000%

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
CAUTION**

**FIRST AID**

**HAVE LABEL WITH YOU WHEN OBTAINING TREATMENT ADVICE**

**IF SWALLOWED:**

- Call a poison control center, doctor, or 1-877-854-2494 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.
- Do not give anything to an unconscious person.

**IF ON SKIN:**

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- Take off contaminated clothing.
- Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
- Call a poison control center, doctor, or 1-877-854-2494 immediately for treatment advice.

See Back/Side Panel for additional precautionary statements.

NET WEIGHT: 1-10 lb.

Manufactured By:



**Bell Laboratories, Inc.**  
3699 Kinsman Blvd.  
Madison, WI 53704

EPA REG. NO. 12455-107

EPA EST. NO. 12455-WI-1

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

**READ THIS LABEL:** Read this entire label and follow all use directions and use precautions. Use only for the sites, pests, and application methods described on this label.

#### USE RESTRICTIONS:

Use product **outdoors** only. For control of ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) on lawns, perimeter of homes, in and around ornamental plants (flowers, shrubs and trees), in home gardens, on sidewalks, patios and driveways.

People and pets may return to treated area after product application has been completed.

#### APPLICATION DIRECTIONS:

<b>How to Apply</b>	<b>Mound Treatment:</b> Apply four level tablespoons per mound. Sprinkle bait evenly around each mound in a four foot diameter circle.	
	Apply gently to avoid disturbing ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants).	
	<b>Broadcast Application:</b> Use 1 pound per 1000 square feet (approx. a 40 foot x 25 foot area). Use a hand held, drop, or rotary broadcast spreader.	
	<b>Perimeter Application):</b> Apply a 5 foot wide band next to the home foundation. Use a hand held broadcast spreader.	
	<b>Do not use kitchen utensils for measuring. Keep measuring utensils with pest control products and away from children.</b>	
	<b><u>Spreader Settings for 1.0 lb/1000 sq. ft.</u></b>	
	<b><u>Model</u></b>	<b><u>Setting</u></b>
	<b><u>Drop Spreaders:</u></b>	
	Scotts® AccuGreen® 1000, 2000 or 3000	8 ½
	Scotts® EdgeGuard®	7 ½
<b>Mowing</b>	<b><u>Rotary Broadcast Spreaders:</u></b>	
	Scotts® SpeedyGreen® 1000, 2000 or 3000	6 ½
	Sta-Green® 4500	5 ½
	EarthWay® 2000	11
	EarthWay® 2050	9
	Vigoro® 4300	5 ½
	<b><u>Hand Held Spreaders:</u></b>	
	Ortho® Whirlybird®	4
	Scotts® HandyGreen® II	4
	<b>Note:</b> Spreader settings are approximate. Variation can occur due to variability and wear of the spreader, even among identical models. Check settings and calibrations on a small area to assure correct rate of application.	

<b>Water/Rainfall</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do not water in bait.</li> <li>• Do not water within 6 hours of a mound application or 24 hours of a broadcast application.</li> <li>• If rain occurs within 6 hours of a mound application or 24 hours of a broadcast application, adequate foraging of the bait may not occur and retreatment may be necessary.</li> </ul>
<b>When to Apply</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply when ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) are active (usually when temperatures are greater than 70° F).</li> <li>• The best time to apply is in the early morning or late evening when ant (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) foraging is at its peak.</li> <li>• Colonies will usually be destroyed within 3 to 7 days. Large mounds may require a repeat application.</li> <li>• Make a broadcast application every other month during warm months to keep ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) from establishing/starting/forming new mounds, but limit number of ant bait broadcast applications in treated areas to 4 per year.</li> </ul>

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not apply where/when conditions could favor runoff. Runoff of this product will be reduced by avoiding applications when rainfall is forecasted to occur within 48 hours. Do not apply this product directly to water, to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Cover, incorporate, or clean up granules that are spilled. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment rinse water or put product or rinse water down any drain. This product is toxic to birds and mammals. This product is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment or residues on weeds.

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**STORAGE:** Store only in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets.

**DISPOSAL:** **If empty:** Nonrefillable. Do not reuse or refill this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partially filled:** Place in trash or call your solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

**WARRANTY:** To the extent consistent with applicable law, seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions.

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## HOW IT WORKS (Optional section)

**WARRANTY:** To the extent consistent with applicable law, seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions.

Tomcat® Ant Killer contains the active ingredient, indoxacarb, in a formulation that is highly attractive to ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants). Worker ants encounter the bait and quickly transport it back to the mound where it is fed to developing larvae. Indoxacarb is metabolically activated by the larvae into a highly toxic metabolite, which is then fed to other workers and the queen ensuring the rapid demise of the colony.

Ant (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) colonies are started by newly mated queens that fly into an area, burrow into the ground and begin laying eggs. Flights may occur from spring to fall, often shortly after a rain. It takes several weeks for new mounds to appear. Combining broadcast applications with mound treatments eliminates/controls visible mounds and helps to prevent new mounds from forming.

### **OPTIONAL MARKETING STATEMENTS:**

Treats X Mounds [Depends on Package Size]

Treats X Square Feet [Depends on Package Size]

Easy to Use

Easy Spreading Granules

No Mixing Required/Necessary

Use Straight from the Container (Bag/Bottle)

Mound or Broadcast Treatments

No Watering Necessary

No Watering

No Watering Required

Low Density Formula

Kills Fire Ants

Effective Kill of Fire Ants

Effective Kill of Ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants)

Kills Ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants)

Kills the Queen(s)

Kills the Mound

No New Mounds

Kills the Colony

Controls the Mound [Plus Stops New Mounds from Forming]

Controls the Colony [Plus Stops New Mounds from Forming]

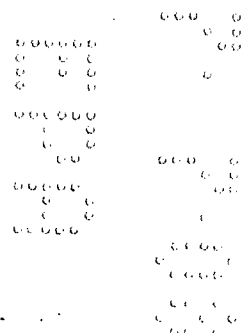
Stops New Mounds from Forming

Plus Stops New Mounds from Forming

No Mound Movement

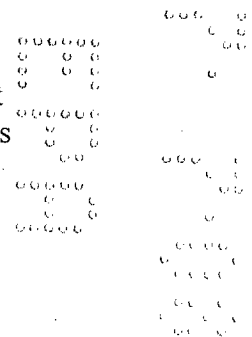
No Mound Movement Means Less Product Needed

No Mound Movement Means No Additional Treatment

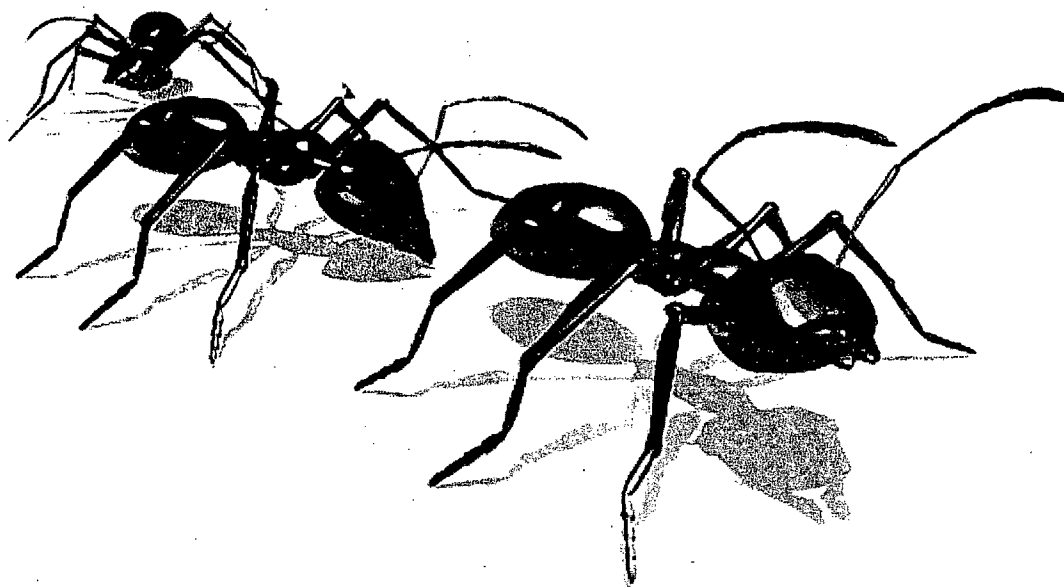


**OPTIONAL MARKETING STATEMENTS (Continued):**

Controls Mounds You See Plus Those You Don't  
Kills Mounds You See Plus Those You Don't  
Fire Ants Find/Pick Up Bait in Minutes  
Ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) Find/Pick Up Bait in Minutes  
No Odor  
Odor-free  
Contains Indoxacarb  
Featuring Indoxacarb – Next Generation Fire Ant Control  
Featuring Indoxacarb- Next Generation Ant (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) Control  
Improved Coverage  
Guaranteed to Kill [or Your Money Back]  
Guaranteed Kill [or Your Money Back]  
Money Back Guarantee  
Easy Spread Granules  
Destroys the Mound  
Destroys/Kills the Mound/Queen/Colony in as Few as 3 Days  
Can be Applied as Broadcast or (Individual) Mound Treatment  
Kills the Queens(s) and/& the Colony/Mound  
Dual Action [Formula]  
Treat [Individual] Mounds or Broadcast [Your Choice]  
For Mound or Broadcast Treatment/Application  
Deep Reaching Formula  
Fire Ants Think it's Food  
Ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) Think it's Food  
Great Value  
Kills Visible and/& Plus Hidden Mounds  
Next Generation Fire Ant Control  
Next Generation Ant (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) Control  
Just Sprinkle/Shake and/& Walk Away  
No Mound Relocation  
Gets Down Deep to get the Queen(s)  
Worker Ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) Feed the Queen(s) a Deadly Dose  
Easy Pour Spout  
Control Shake Handle  
Ready to Use  
Treats up [Your Choice] square feet  
Effectiveness increases as Ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) Digest  
Ants (excluding carpenter and pharaoh ants) Digestion Increases Effectiveness



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