



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (H7505C)
401 "M" St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg.
Number:
19713-
539

Date of Issuance:

APR 26 2002

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

Registration
Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance:

Conditional, With
Expiration Date of
March 21, 2007

Name of Pesticide Product:

Drexel Metolachlor
Technical Herbicide

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Drexel Chemical Company
P.O. Box 13327
Memphis, TN 38113

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.

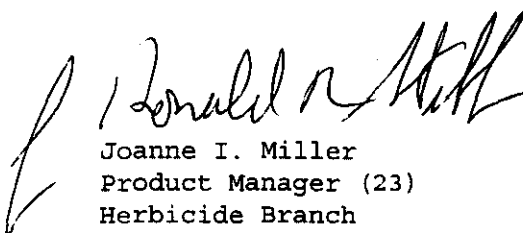
This product is registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c) (7) (A) provided that you:

1. Add the phrase "EPA Registration No. 19713-539 to the label before you release the product for shipment.

COMMENTS CONTINUED ON PAGE 2 OF THIS NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product under the enclosed stamped copy of the label constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

Enclosure


Joanne I. Miller
Product Manager (23)
Herbicide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)

Signature of Approving Official:

Date:

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Comments Continued:

- 2. Submit the following data required for the registration of this pesticide product within 36 months from March 21, 2002:

<u>EPA Guideline Data Number</u>	<u>Guideline Descriptor</u>
71-4(a)	Avian Reproduction in Bobwhite Quail
72-4(b)	Aquatic Invertebrate Life-Cycle
164-1	Turf Field Dissipation
132-1(a)	Foliar Residue Dissipation
133-3	Dermal Passive Dosimetry Exposure

- 3. Submit the following data required for the registration of this pesticide product within 48 months of the date of this Notice of Registration:

<u>EPA Guideline Data Number</u>	<u>Guideline Descriptor</u>
166-1	Small Scale Prospective Ground Water Monitoring Study

- 3. Revise the "Directions for Use" section to read: "This product is to be used only for formulation into herbicides for the following use sites: Corn, Cotton, Peanuts, Pod Crops, Potatoes, Safflower, Sorghum (Grain and Forage), Soybeans, Nursery Stock, Turf and Landscape Plantings."
- 4. In the "Note to Formulators" revise the sentence to read: "Formulators are responsible for providing data to support registration of products formulated from Drexel Metolachlor Technical Herbicide .
- 6. Revise the Ingredient Statement by adding the chemical name of Metolachlor to appear as:
Metolachlor: 2-chloro-N-(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)-N-(2-methoxy-1-methylethyl) acetamide ...96.0%.
- 7. Add an EPA establishment number to the label.
- 8. Submit to this Agency data on pH (EPA Guideline Requirements (GRN) 830.7000) and the Boiling Point/Boiling Range (GRN 830.7220) ; and a revised Confidential Statement of Formula on EPA form 8570-4, reflecting the pH of the subject product within 90 days from the date of this Notice of Registration.
- 9. Submit and/or cite all data required for the registration of this product when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of this product under FIFRA, section 4.
- 10. Submit one (1) copy of the final printed labeling before you release this product for shipment.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated

APR 26 2002

Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.
19713-539



Metolachlor Technical

Herbicide

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Metolachlor	96.0%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	4.0%
TOTAL:	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
CAUTION
See FIRST AID Below

EPA Reg. No. 19713-
EPA Est. No.

Net Contents: _____

FIRST AID

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. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: If swallowed, there is no specific antidote. Induce emesis and lavage stomach. Treat symptomatically. The use of an aqueous slurry of activated charcoal (such as Norit A) and a saline cathartic should be considered.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. May cause skin sensitization reactions in certain individuals. Wear protective clothing (coveralls and gloves) while handling and using this product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD

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 EPA.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE
It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

For formulation into herbicides for weed control in Celery, Corn, Cotton, Onion (dry bulb), Meadowfoam grown for seed, Peanuts, Potatoes, Pod Crops, Raddishes grown for seed, Safflowers, Grain or Forage Sorghum, Soybeans, Non-bearing Citrus, Non-bearing Grapes, Stone Fruits, Tree Nuts, Cabbage, Peppers (bell, chili, cubanelle, tobacco), Alfalfa Grown for Seed, Buffalograss, Guymon Bermudagrass for Seed Production, Nurseries, Turf, and Landscape Plantings.

NOTE TO FORMULATORS
Formulators are responsible for registration of products formulated with Metolachlor Technical.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. Open dumping is prohibited. Wastes resulting from the use of this product are toxic. Improper disposal of unused pesticide is a violation of Federal Law. Pesticide that cannot be used according to label instructions must be disposed of according to Federal, State or Local procedures. For guidance in proper disposal methods, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL

Thoroughly clean container before reuse. 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 wastes. In the event of a major spill, fire or other emergency, call Chemtrec at 1-800-424-9300 day or night.

WARRANTY—CONDITION OF SALE

Manufacturer warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the directions for use. Manufacturer makes no other warranties, express or implied, including FITNESS or MERCHANTABILITY. In no case shall Manufacturer or the Seller be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. The foregoing is a condition of sale and is accepted as such by the Buyer.

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