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Attention: Juli Mann  
Paralegal Specialist

Subject: Myacide GA 50  
EPA Registration No. 33753-31  
Notification Dated September 26, 2007

This will acknowledge receipt of your notification for addition of an indoor, nonfood use to the product label, submitted under the provisions of FIFRA Section 3(c)(9). Based on a review of the submitted material, the following comments apply.

The Notification is in compliance with PR Notice 98-10 and is acceptable. This information has been added to your file.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely

Marshall Swindell  
Product Manager (33)  
Regulatory Management Branch 1  
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)



Please read instructions on reverse before completing form.

Form Approved. OMB No. 2070-0060, Approval expires 2-28-95

<b>EPA</b>	United States <b>Environmental Protection Agency</b> Washington, DC 20460	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Registration</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Amendment</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other</b>	OPP Identifier Number
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**Application for Pesticide – Section I**

1. Company/Product Number 33753-31	2. EPA Product Manager Marshall Swindell	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) Myacide GA 50	PM# 33	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) BASF Corporation 100 Campus Drive Florham Park, NJ 07932  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address		6. <b>Expedited Review.</b> In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No. <u>464-705</u>  Product Name <u>Ucarcide 250 Preservative</u>

**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 to add an indoor, nonfood site to the label.

This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR Notice 98-10 and EPA regulations at 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling or the confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statements to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms of PR Notice 98-10 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.

**Section - III**

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

**Section - IV**

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application..)		
Name Juli Mann	Title Paralegal Specialist	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 202-429-3095
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		Date Application Received (Stamped)
2. Signature 	3. Title Paralegal Specialist, Steptoe & Johnson LLP	
4. Typed Name Juli Mann	5. Date Sept. 26, 2007	

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# MYACIDE® GA 50

## COMMERCIAL MICROBIOCIDE

A microbiocide for controlling slime-forming and sulfate-reducing bacteria, fungi, yeast and algae. For use in sugar beet mills and process water systems; paper mills and associated process water systems; pigments and filler slurries for food and non-food contact paper and paperboard; non-food contact water based coatings for paper and paperboard; air washers and industrial scrubbing systems; recirculating cooling and process water systems; reverse osmosis membranes; heat transfer systems: service water and auxiliary systems; industrial wastewater systems including wastewater sludge and holding tanks; water-based conveyer lubricants; aqueous metalworking fluids; oil field applications including drilling muds, workover, fracturing, completion and packer fluids; gas production, transmission and storage; and preservation of food contact adhesives and mineral slurries used in papermaking.

### ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Glutaraldehyde 50.0%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 50.0%

TOTAL 100.0%

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

FIRST AID	
<b>If in eyes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>• Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
<b>If on skin or clothing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>• Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
<b>If swallowed</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>• Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>• Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>• Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
<b>If inhaled</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>• If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.</li> <li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>
HOT LINE NUMBER	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-832-4357 for emergency medical treatment information.	
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN	
Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.	

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### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through the skin. May be fatal if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Avoid breathing vapors and mists. **Not to be used as an aerosol.** Do not swallow. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic skin reactions in certain individuals. May cause asthmatic signs and symptoms in some hyper-reactive individuals. Wear eye goggles, rubber gloves and protective clothing when handling this product. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking and using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish. 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 sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

Instructions in Case of Spills or leaks: Wear goggles, rubber gloves, and protective clothing. Absorb spills and leaks with inert material such as sand, clay or vermiculite. Shovel into a sealable container and dispose of in an authorized EPA disposal facility.

In Case of Fire: Use water, carbon dioxide, dry chemical (e.g. Sodium bicarbonate) extinguishing medias. Fire fighters should be equipped with self-contained breathing apparatus and turnout gear.

In Case of Chemical Emergency: Call CHEMTREC day or night for assistance and information concerning spilled material, fire, exposure and other chemical accidents. 800-424-9300.

MYACIDE IS A TRADEMARK OF BASF Corporation  
EPA REG. NUMBER 33753-31  
EPA EST. NUMBER 662-NC-002  
NET CONTENTS: SEE PACKAGE

Registrant: BASF Corporation  
100 Campus Drive  
Florham Park, NJ 07932

#### CONDITIONS OF SALE

The Directions for Use of this product reflect the opinion of experts based on field use and tests. The directions are believed to be reliable and should be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risk inherently associated with use of this product. Ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or use of the product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling, all of which are beyond the control of the Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer. The manufacturer warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to above.

THE MANUFACTURER MAKES NO OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY OF FITNESS OR MERCHANTABILITY OR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY. IN NO CASE SHALL THE MANUFACTURER BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL OR INDIRECT DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT.

The manufacturer offers this product, and the Buyer and User accept it, subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Warranty which may be varied only by agreement in writing signed by a duly authorized representative.

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## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

### PESTICIDE STORAGE

Myacide GA 50 solutions are corrosive to many commonly used materials of construction such as steel, galvanized iron, aluminum, tin and zinc. These solutions can be stored and handled in baked phenolic lined steel, stainless steel or reinforced epoxy equipment. This product freezes at approximately -20°C (-4°F). Therefore, unless the storage tank is inside or underground, heating and insulation may be required. If heating is needed, exposure to high temperatures should be avoided. For short storage (1 month) temperatures up to 100°F can be tolerated; however, the preferred maximum storage temperature is approximately 80°F. Keep away from fire and open flames. A stainless steel centrifugal pump is suggested for transfer service.

### PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environment Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA regional office for guidance.

### CONTAINER DISPOSAL

Triple rinse (or equivalent) then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities.

### GENERAL

Consult Federal, State and local authorities for approved alternative procedures RCRA Hazardous Waste Code D002.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELING**

#### GENERAL USE DIRECTIONS

Add Myacide GA 50 at a point of uniform mixing where the treated water will be circulated or mixed throughout the system. Badly fouled systems should be cleaned before treatment begins. Myacide GA 50 can be applied either intermittently (slug dose) or by continuous feed where stated. Where appropriate, feed points should be below the water line to minimize vapor.

#### AIR WASHERS AND INDUSTRIAL SCRUBBING SYSTEMS, RECIRCULATING COOLING AND PROCESS WATER SYSTEMS

Use only in industrial air washer systems, which have mist-eliminating components. Badly fouled systems can be shock treated by using the highest recommended rate of Myacide GA 50. Under these conditions, blowdown should be discontinued for up to 24 hours. Apply by intermittent or continuous feed methods.

Initial Dose: When the system is noticeably fouled, add 11.5-23.0 fl. oz. (100-200 ppm) of Myacide GA 50 per 1,000 gal. of water in the system. Repeat until control is achieved.

Subsequent Dose: When microbial control is evident, add 4.6-11.5 fl. oz. (40-100 ppm) of Myacide GA 50 per 1,000 gal. of water in the system per day, or as needed to maintain control.

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## GENERAL PRESERVATION

### Non-food contact

For use by manufacturers for in-can preservation of aqueous industrial, institutional and consumer non-food contact products that require the control of bacteria and fungi; for example, mineral slurries used in paints and plastics, concrete admixtures, pigments, latices, printing inks, paint, laundry detergents, and cleaning products. Add Myacide GA 50 to the product formulation at a rate of 2.8 to 28 fluid ounces (200 to 2,000 ppm) per 100 gal. of the water content of the product. Mix uniformly.

### Food contact

For use by manufacturers that require the control of bacteria or fungi in the preservation of food-contact adhesives and mineral slurries used in papermaking.

## PRESERVATION OF CONCENTRATES

Use in concentrates where effective preservation is needed after dilution. Add Myacide GA 50 at a rate such that the diluted end-use product will contain 200 to 2,000 ppm (.02% to 0.2%) of product.

## AQUEOUS METALWORKING FLUIDS

Myacide GA 50 should be added to a metalworking fluid system at a point of uniform mixing such as the fluid collection tank. Additions may be added intermittently at intervals of one week or less. Initial dose: When the system is noticeably fouled apply 0.2 to 0.6 gal. of Myacide GA 50 per 1,000 gal. of metalworking fluid to the system. Repeat until control is achieved.

Subsequent dose: When microbial control is evident, add 0.08 to 0.4 gal. of Myacide GA 50 per 1,000 gal. of metalworking fluid to the system weekly, or as needed to maintain control. Badly fouled systems should be cleaned before treatment begins.