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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

MAR 1 3 1995

Linda C. Watson Oxon Italia, S.p.A. c/o Pesticide Regulatory Services Route One, Box 143-A Banks Lake, Highway 122 Lakeland, GA 31635

Dear Ms. Watson:

Revised Labeling and Confidential Statement of Formula Subject: Simazine Technical EPA Registration No. 35915-10 Your Submission Dated January 10, 1995

The Agency has reviewed your submission for a revised Confidential Statement of Formula, and the following comment applies:

The Confidential Statement of Formula dated January 10, 1995 for the basic formulation agrees with the label claim in compliance with PR Notice 91-2 and is acceptable.

The Confidential Statement of Formula has been added to your file as part of the record.

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable with the following provision:

Revise the Environmental Hazards statement to read "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."

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A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Please submit one (1) final printed copy for the referenced label, incorporating the above changes, before releasing the product for shipment.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosure



<u>3</u> ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated MAR 1 3 1995

Simazine Technical

Under the Bed and Insecticide, Fungland, and insecticide Act us received, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 35915-10

A Herbicide for Formulating Use Only

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:							
Simazine (2-chloro-4,6-bis (ethylamino)-s-triazine)	97.%						
INERT INGREDIENTS:							
TOTAL:	.00%						

Keep Out of Reach of Children CAUTION

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS 'TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Harmful if swallowed. Do not breathe dust or mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating or drinking. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician or Foison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Do not induce vomiting or give anything my mouth to an unconscious person.

IF SPLASHED IN EYES: immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 25 minutes and get medical attention.

IF SPILLED ON SKIN: Immediately remove contaminated clothing, INCLUDING SHOES, and wash skin with soap and plenty of water. If irritation develops, send for a physician.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public water unless in accordance with an NPDES permit. For guidance contact your 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.

No end use for this product other than manufacturing is intended or implied by this label.

Formulators using this product are responsible for obtaining EPA registration for their formulated products.

For formulation into end-use pesticide products for the following uses:

For the control of broadleaved and grassy weeds in alfalfa, almonds, apples, avocados, bananas, bermudagrass, blackberries, blueberries,

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boysenberries, cherries, corn (all types), cranberries, filberts, grapefruits, grapes, grasses, lemons, (janberries, macadamia nuts, oll s, oranges, peaches, pears, pecans, plums, rasberries, strawberries, walnuts, forage crops, tree nurseries, christmas tree plantings, shelterbelts, tree plantations for timber, woody ornamentals, turfgrasses for sod, fairways, lawns and similar areas,

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Storage should be under lock and key and secure from access by unauthorized persons and children. Storage should be in a cool, dry area away from any heat or ignition source. May be ignited by heat or open flame.

Do not stack over 2 pallets high. Move bags carefully so as not to tear or puncture. Do not move containers from one area to another unless they are securely sealed. Keep container tightly sealed when not in use. Do not allow material to become wet or store in a damp, humid area. Keep away from any puncture source. Avoid storage near water supplies, food, feed, and fertilizer to avoid contamination. Store in original container only. If the contents are leaking or material is spilled, follow these steps:

1. Collect and place in suitable containers for disposal.

- 2. Wash area with water and soap to remove remaining pesticide.
- 3. Follow washing with clean water rinse.

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- 4. Do not allow run off to enter sewer or contaminate water supplies.
- 5. Dispose of waste as indicated below:

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 Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Bags - completely empty bags into formulation 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. Fiberdrums with liners - Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into formulation equipment. Then dispose of liner in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by State and local authorities. If drum is contaminated and cannot be reused, dispose of in the same manner.

WARRANTY--CONDITION OF SALE:

OXON warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the directions for use. OXON makes no other warranties, express or implied, including FITNESS or MERCHANTABILITY. In no case shall OXON 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 by OXON ITALIA S.p.a. and is accepted as such by the Buyer.

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