



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Office of Pesticide Programs
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:

39967-165

Date of Issuance:

9/28/25

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

☒ Registration
☐ Reregistration
(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Root A Vert

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

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LANXESS Corporation
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Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Antimicrobials 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 under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA).

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 conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA section 3(c)(7)(B). You must comply with the following conditions:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration/registration review of your product under FIFRA when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.

Signature of Approving Official:

Demson Fuller, Product Manager 32
Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

Date:

9/28/25

2. You are required to comply with the data requirements described in the DCI identified below:

a. MCPP-p GDCI-129046-1480

You must comply with all of the data requirements within the established deadlines. If you have questions about the Generic DCI listed above, you may contact the Reevaluation Team Leader (Team 36): <https://www.epa.gov/pesticide-contacts/contacts-office-pesticide-programs-antimicrobials-division>

3. Make the following label changes before you release the product for shipment:

- Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, “EPA Reg. No. 39967-165.”
4. Submit one copy of the final printed label for the record before you release the product for shipment.
5. Note that the dataset for MCPP-P, 2-ethylhexyl ester at the time of this registration does not support the expansion to any other outdoor uses without submission of additional data, including ecological effects and environmental fate data, and it does not currently support bridging of uses from other MCPP-P formulations. Any future such amendments to this registration will require submission of additional data.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company’s website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA and is subject to review by the Agency. See FIFRA section 2(p)(2). If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) lists examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product’s label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process, FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(B). Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA’s Office of Enforcement and Assurance.

If you fail to satisfy these data requirements, EPA will consider appropriate regulatory action including, among other things, cancellation under FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. Please also note that the record for this product currently contains the following CSF:

- Basic CSF dated 05/07/2022

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If you have any questions, please contact Michael Varco by phone at (202) 566-0667, or via email at Varco.Michael@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'DF', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Demson Fuller, Product Manager 32
Regulatory Management Branch I
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)
Office of Pesticide Programs

Enclosure

ROOT-A-VERT®

FOR THE PRESERVATION OF ROOFING MEMBRANES FROM ROOT DAMAGE

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS: 2-ethylhexyl ester of (+)-R-2-(4-chloro-2-methylphenoxy) propionic acid-----91.7%*
OTHER INGREDIENTS-----8%
TOTAL-----100%
*Equivalent to 60.2% of (+) (R)-2-(4-chloro-2-methylphenoxy) propionic acid

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

FIRST AID	
IF SWALLOWED	Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything to an unconscious person.
IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING	Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
IF IN EYES	Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing.
Note to Physician:	Product contains a phenoxy herbicide chemical. There is no specific antidote
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact the poison control center at 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical treatment information. The LANXESS Emergency response telephone Number is 1-800-410-3063	

EPA REGISTRATION NUMBER: 39967- XX
EPA ESTABLISHMENT NUMBER:

Net Contents:
Lot No.:

LANXESS

LANXESS Corporation
111 RIDC Park West Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15275-1112

LABEL TEXT DATE: 9/17/2025

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Root-A-Vert® is for the use in production of bituminous and polymer-modified bituminous membranes used in roofing applications for vegetated / green roofs and roof gardens. Root-A-Vert® will be added in the bitumen mixture of the membranes at an application rate of 0.4% to 0.6%.

Roofing which utilizes this product may not be used for the purposes of food production.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in a cool dry place.

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 HANDLING: Nonrefillable Container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Then offer for recycling, if available, or puncture and dispose of in an approved sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning.

Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into manufacturing equipment. Fill the container ¼ full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into manufacturing equipment, or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or public 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

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CALL: CHEMTREC 800-424-9300
INTERNATIONAL 703-527-3887

ACCEPTED

09/28/2025

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 39967-165