



United States  
Environmental Protection Agency  
Washington, DC 20460

Registration  
 Amendment  
 Other

OPP Identifier Number

Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 42056-24	2. EPA Product Manager Sherada Hobgood	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) Bean Guard Allegiance	PM# Notifications	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Trace Chemicals LLC 2320 Lakecrest Drive Pekin, Illinois 61554 <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. _____ Product Name _____	

Section - II

<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____	NOTIFICATION DEC 15 2003
<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 of deleting part 11 respirator wording per PR Notice 98-9.

" On behalf of Trace Chemicals LLC, I certify that this notification is consistent with the provisions of PR Notice 98-9 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 statement to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms of PR Notice 98-9 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA."

*Jeffrey S. Hartman*

Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:				2. Type of Container	
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		<input type="checkbox"/> Metal	<input type="checkbox"/> Plastic
* Certification must be submitted		If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt. No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt. No. per container	<input type="checkbox"/> Glass	<input type="checkbox"/> Paper
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"/>	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input type="checkbox"/> Lithograph <input type="checkbox"/> Paper glued <input 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 Jeffrey S. Hartman	Title Technical Services Manager	Telephone No. (include Area Code) 309-347-2184
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Certification

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 <i>Jeffrey S. Hartman</i>	3. Title Technical Services Manager	6. Date Application Received (Stamped)
4. Typed Name Jeffrey S. Hartman	5. Date 11/20/2003	

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NOTIFICATION

DEC 15 2003

BEAN GUARD ALLEGIANCE



**Captan - Vitavax®- Metalaxyl Seed Treatment For Soybeans**

**Active Ingredients:**

Captan (N-[(trichloromethyl)thio]-4-cyclohexene-1,2-dicarboximide) .....	By Wt. 24.45%
Related Derivatives .....	0.55%
Carboxin (5,6-Dihydro-2-methyl-1,4-oxathin-3-carboxanilide) .....	12.50%
Metalaxyl (N-2,6-dimethylphenyl)-N-(methoxyacetyl)alanine methyl ester .....	3.75%
Inert Ingredients .....	58.75%
Total .....	100.00%

This product contains molybdenum (derived from Sodium Molybdate)  
 Vitavax is a registered trademark of Uniroyal Chemical Co, Inc.  
 Allegiance is a trademark of Gustafson LLC.  
 Bean Guard is a registered trademark of Trace Chemicals LLC.

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
 DANGER PELIGRO**

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle.  
 (If you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**

**Corrosive:** Causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. **Wear protective eyewear (goggles, faceshield or safety glasses).** Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. **Personal Protective Equipment:** Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are polyethylene and polyvinyl chloride. If you want more options, follow the instructions for category A on an EPA chemical-resistance category selection chart. All mixers, loaders, applicators and other handlers (including handlers participating in seeding) must wear, long-sleeved shirt and long pants, chemical-resistant gloves, shoes plus socks, protective eyewear, and a NIOSH approved respirator with any N, R, P or HE filter. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. **Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.**

**FIRST AID**

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. **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 eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. **Note to Physician:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

**User Safety Recommendations:** Users should wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Users should remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Users should remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This chemical is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas. In the event that treated seeds are spilled and cannot be salvaged, completely cover them with soil. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate. **Groundwater Advisory:** This chemical is known to leach through soil into groundwater under certain conditions as a result of agricultural use. Use of this chemical in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in groundwater contamination.

EPA REG. NO. 42056-24  
 EPA EST. NO. 42056-IL-1

Net Contents: 2 ounces  
 Net Wt. 5 lbs. (2.27 kg)

**Manufactured by: TRACE CHEMICALS LLC  
 Pekin Illinois 61554**

**PRODUCT INFORMATION**

**BEAN GUARD/ALLEGIANCE** combines the systemic action of carboxin and metalaxyl with the contact action of captan to control certain seed and seedling diseases of soybeans. It is particularly effective against *Pythium* and *Rhizoctonia* and shows good activity against *Fusarium* and *Helminthosporium*. **BEAN GUARD/ALLEGIANCE** also provides 0.2 ounce of molybdenum per acre for plant nutrition and nitrogen fixation. **Note:** Regularly inspect planter plates and clean as required. At the end of each day, clean out the electric-eye monitors as directed by the manufacturer. **Important:** Treated Seed must not be used for or mixed with food or animal feed, or processed for oil. Treat only those seeds needed for immediate use, minimizing the interval between treatment and planting. Do not store excess treated seeds beyond planting time.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

**Rate:** (2 oz. pouch) Use at a rate of one pouch per 60 lbs. of soybean seed (2 ounces per bushel) as a dry mixture in the planter box as a seed treatment prior to planting. (5 lb. Pail) Use at a rate of 2 ounces per 60 Lbs. of soybean seed (2 scoops per bushel) as a dry mixture in the planter box as a seed treatment prior to planting. **Mixing Instructions:** For best results, fill planter box only half full of seed, add half the required amount of **BEAN GUARD/ALLEGIANCE** and mix thoroughly with a stick or paddle. Add the remainder of the seed and **BEAN GUARD/ALLEGIANCE** and mix again so that all seeds are covered. **DO NOT MIX WITH BARE HANDS.** Do not apply this product with aerial or chemigation equipment. **Post-application Restrictions:** All persons handling unbagged treated seed must be wearing the personal protective equipment required on this labeling for handlers.

**AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS**

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard. Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 24 hours. "Exception: Once the seeds are planted in soil or other planting media, the Worker Protection Standard allows workers to enter the treated area without restriction if there will be no contact with the soil/media subsurface." PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil or water is: coveralls, chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material, shoes plus socks, protective eyewear.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

**PROHIBITIONS:** Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning equipment. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not reuse empty containers. **STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry place. Avoid exposure to excessive heat. **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:** (2 oz. Pouch) - Completely empty pouch into application 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. (5 lb. Pail) - Completely empty pail into application equipment. Then dispose of empty pail in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

**NOTICE READ CAREFULLY**

**CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITED WARRANTY STATEMENT**

Treatment of highly mechanically damaged seed, or seed of known low vigor and poor quality, may result in reduced germination and/or reduction of seed and seedling vigor. Treat and conduct germination tests on a small portion of seed before committing the total seed lot to a selected chemical treatment. Due to seed quality conditions beyond the control of Trace Chemicals LLC no claims are made to guarantee germination of carry-over seed. As its sole express warranty, Trace Chemicals LLC warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for purposes stated on the label only when used in accordance with directions and instructions specified on the label, subject to the inherent risks set forth above. **ONLY AS PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, IN THE EVENT OF A BREACH OF THIS LIMITED WARRANTY, TRACE CHEMICALS LLC SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES. SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE LAW, TRACE CHEMICALS LLC NEITHER MAKES NOR AUTHORIZES ANY OF ITS AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES TO MAKE ANY WARRANTY OF FITNESS OR MERCHANTABILITY, GUARANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, CONCERNING THIS MATERIAL** Buyer assumes the responsibility to handle, use and store this product in accordance with the safety instructions and use directions contained on the label. Buyer/User purchases this product subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Limited Warranty, which, subject to applicable law, may be varied only by a written agreement signed by a duly authorized representative of Trace Chemicals LLC. If these terms are not acceptable, return all products to the place of purchase, unopened for a full refund.



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November 20, 2003

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Subject: Bean Guard Allegiance, 42056-24

Dear Ms. Hobgood,

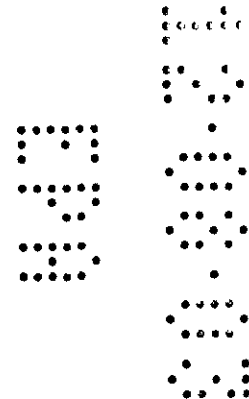
Trace Chemicals LLC is submitting a notification to remove part 11 respirator wording per PR Notice 98-9.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Jeffrey S. Hartman'.

Jeffrey S. Hartman

Technical Services Manager



*The Leader In Farmer-Applied Seed Treatments*