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OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND
TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Subject: Label Amendment Submission of 09/21/93 in Response to PR Notice 93-7
EPA Reg. No. 42519-3
LUXEMBOURG-PAMOL TARGET MSMA 6 PLUS

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is accepted subject to the comments reflected on the enclosed sheet. A copy of your proposed labeling stamped "ACCEPTED WITH COMMENTS" is enclosed.

WHAT THIS ACCEPTANCE MEANS:

Based on your certification, the Agency has accepted the labeling changes that are necessary to comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) labeling requirements of 40 CFR part 156, subpart K, described in PR Notices 93-7 and 93-11. Any other labeling changes submitted in connection with this amendment application but not directly related to compliance with the WPS have not been reviewed or accepted by the Agency. If you wish to make such changes, you must submit a separate amendment application proposing them. If your product is currently suspended, the acceptance of this labeling amendment does not affect the suspension in any way.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO NEXT:

By the next label printing make all the specified changes to your labeling. Send to EPA one (1) copy of the final printed labeling:

- BEFORE selling or distributing any product bearing the final printed labeling
- AND
- WITHIN one year from date of this acceptance.



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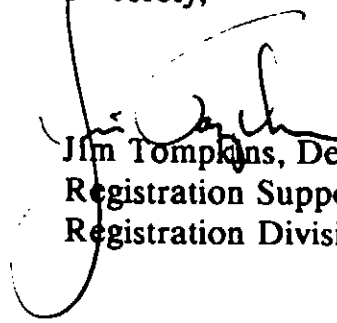
Submit the final printed labeling via the U.S. Postal Service to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs (7505C)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
401 M Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20460-0001

Hand or courier deliveries of final printed labeling may be made to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)
Office of Pesticide Programs
Room 266A, Crystal Mall 2
1921 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, VA 22202

Sincerely,



Jim Tompkins, Deputy Chief
Registration Support Branch
Registration Division (7505W)

Attachment

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Comment for: EPA Reg Nr.42519-3
LUXEMBOURG-PAMOL TARGET MSMA 6 PLUS

The following specific comments pertain to your WPS labeling submission concerning the product cited above:

Add the following User Safety Recommendation to the label in the location shown in Section A on Part I of the Product Worksheet in Supplement Three-A to PR Notice 93-7: "Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.

Add the following User Safety Recommendation to the label in the location shown in Section A on Part I of the Product Worksheet in Supplement Three-A to PR Notice 93-7: "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."

Remove the statement "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." from its current position within the Agricultural Use Box and place it above the Agricultural Use Box.

The headgear requirement for early entry in the Agricultural Use Requirements box on your proposed labeling is missing or incorrect. Remove the incorrect requirement (if any) and add "Chemical-resistant headgear for overhead exposure." The exact location is shown in Sections F and G on Part 2 of the Product Worksheet in Supplement Three-A to PR Notice 93-7.

Delete the crossed-out statements on your proposed label. They are redundant statements or phrases.

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LUXEMBOURG-PAMOL

Target MSMA 6 Plus

**MSMA plus Surfactant
For Postemergence Weed Control**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Monosodium Acid Methanearsonate*

48.3%

INERT INGREDIENTS:

51.7%

TOTAL

100.0%

**Total Arsenic,
all in water-soluble, form, expressed
as elemental**

22.3%

***Product contains 6.0 lbs. MSMA per gallon.**

Keep Out of Reach Of Children

CAUTION

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Call 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 SPLASHED IN EYES: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water and get medical attention if irritation develops.

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.

SEE SIDE PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

EPA Reg. No. 42519-3

EPA Est. No. 42519-IS-1



**Manufactured for:
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Memphis, Tennessee 38137, U.S.A.**

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**ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
to EPA Letter Dated**

MAR 10 1994

**Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide and Rodenticide Act
is amended for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.**

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.
Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

Agricultural Use Requirements

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR Part 170. This standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers in 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 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.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

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
- waterproof gloves
- chemical resistant footwear plus socks
- protective eyewear

NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

"The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forest, nurseries, or greenhouses."

Keep children and domestic animals off treated areas until this material has been washed into the soil.

~~Do not apply this product in such a manner as to directly or through drift expose workers or other persons.~~ *REBUNDANT*

The area being treated must be vacated by unprotected persons.

~~Do not feed treated foliage to livestock or graze treated areas.~~ *PLACE ELSEWHERE*

AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL

**DO NOT SHIP OR STORE WITH FOODS,
FEEDS, DRUGS OR CLOTHING**

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**FOR CHEMICAL SPILL, LEAK, FIRE OR
EXPOSURE CALL TOLL FREE:
1-800-424-9300**

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not store this product near fertilizers, seeds, insecticides, or fungicides. Do not store near heat or open flame. Freezing point of this product is approximately -5°F. If stored below freezing point, warm to 50°F and agitate thoroughly before using. Containers should not be stacked more than six (6) high. Reclose all partially used containers by thoroughly tightening screw cap. Damaged or leaking containers which cannot be used immediately should be transferred to suitable sound containers and properly marked. Absorb any spills with a suitable clay absorbent and dispose of as indicated under "Pesticide Disposal". For safety and prevention of unauthorized use, all pesticides should be stored in locked facilities.

To prevent accidental misuse, different pesticides should be stored in separate areas with enough distance between to provide clear identification.

Opened, partially used pesticides should be stored in original labeled containers when possible. When transfer to another container is necessary because of leakage or damage, carefully mark, and identify contents of the new container.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are toxic. 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: Triple rinse (or equivalent), adding rinsate to spray tank. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

CAUTION:

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing spray mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. In cases of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Personal Protective Equipment

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long sleeved shirt and long pants
- Waterproof gloves
- Chemical resistant footwear plus socks
- Protective eyewear
- Chemical resistant apron when cleaning equipment, mixing or loading
- For exposure in enclosed areas a respirator with either an organic vapor-removing cartridge with a prefilter approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval prefix TC-23-C), or a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-14G).
- For exposure outdoors a dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC 21C).

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.

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User Safety Recommendations

Users should:

- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not contaminate waters used by wildlife or aquatic life, or water used for domestic or irrigation purposes.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Target MSMA 6 is a post emergence herbicide for use in cotton, ornamental turf, non-bearing fruit, nuts and non-crop areas. Target MSMA 6 contains a surfactant (wetting agent) in proper ratio for best results. It is not necessary to add additional surfactant to the spray tank. Local conditions and recommendations vary; consult agricultural experiment station or extension service weed specialists for recommendations in your area.

A partial list of weeds controlled with Target MSMA 6 includes: Barnyardgrass, Brachiaria spp., Chickweed, Cocklebur, Crabgrass, Dallisgrass, Goosegrass, Johnsongrass, Nutsedge, Pigweed, Puncture vine, Sandbur.

MIXING INSTRUCTIONS:

Fill the spray tank with half the required amount of water and with pump or agitator operating, add the recommended amount of Target MSMA 6 Herbicide and continue filling the tank with the balance of water and mix thoroughly.

Do not store spray solution in tank overnight. Clean application equipment thoroughly after use by flushing with water in a safe place.

APPLICATION METHODS:

Target MSMA 6 should be applied with a low-pressure, properly calibrated sprayer having satisfactory pumping and bypass action. **ADJUST NOZZLES TO KEEP SPRAY OFF COTTON FOLIAGE AND IN A MANNER TO ALLOW MAXIMUM COVERAGE OF WEEDS.** Adequate coverage is very important for effective weed control.

Apply during warm weather and when weeds are in an active stage of growth.

COTTON:

Target MSMA 6 is useful as directed postemergence spray for control of the weeds listed above. Mix Target MSMA 6 at the rate of 2 2/3 pints in 40 gallons of water for application as DIRECTED broadcast spray to one acre when weeds are small. For band application, apply 1 gallon of above diluted spray per acre for each 1 inch of band width to be treated of cotton grown in 40 inch rows spacing. A second or repeat application, if needed, should be timed about 1 to 3 weeks after the first application. Keep spray off cotton foliage.

APPLY ONLY WHEN COTTON IS 3 INCHES HIGH TO FIRST BLOOM. DO NOT APPLY AFTER FIRST BLOOM. Slight burning and a reddish discoloration of cotton foliage may occasionally be seen following the recommended treatment; however cotton plants will develop normally and yield will not be affected.

EMERGENCY PREPLANT APPLICATION:

When planting of cotton to prepared seedbeds has been delayed and weeds have emerged, one application of Target MSMA 6 at the above rate can be made prior to seeding.

NOTE: Applications to cotton in Florida should be confined to band treatments.

ORNAMENTAL TURF GRASS: Target MSMA 6 can be used for selective control of bahiagrass, barnyardgrass, chickweed, smooth and large crabgrass, dallisgrass, nutsedge, sandbur and wood sorrel with little or no injury to well-established, actively-growing turf grasses. Mow turf grass to height of 1 to 1 1/2 inches before treatment. Mix 1 fluid ounce (2 tablespoons) of Target MSMA 6 in 5 gallons of water for application to an area of 1,00 square feet. Application should be uniform and thorough to adequately wet all undesirable plants. Two or more repeat treatments at 14 day intervals may be necessary. Make applications during warm weather when temperature is between 80 and 90°F. **DO NOT** water turf for at least 24 hours after application. Turf grasses may be temporarily discolored. Bermudagrass, bluegrasses and zoysiagrass have shown tolerance to properly applied Target MSMA 6. Injury may result if applied to bent grasses and fescues. **DO NOT** apply to St. Augustinegrass, carpetgrass, centipede grass or to Dichondra.

DO NOT reseed until 2 weeks after last application.

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NON-BEARING FRUIT AND NUTS:

Target MSMA 6 is effective as a directed post emergence spray for control of the above listed weeds in non-bearing almond, walnut, grapefruit, lemon, lime, orange and tangerine orchards and plantings of non-bearing apples, cherries, peaches, pears, plums and prunes. Mix at a rate of 2 2/3 pints Target MSMA 6 in 100 gallons of water and apply to point of run-off. Application should be made when weeds are small, during warm weather and when conditions are favorable for good weed growth. If regrowth occurs, repeat applications should be made but not more than three applications per year. DO NOT allow spray solution to contact foliage, stems or bark of trees or vines. DO NOT use around trees or vines from which crops will be harvested within one year. In Florida use only as a spot treatment.

NON-CROP

Target MSMA 6 is effective in controlling the above listed weeds and many similar weeds on drainage ditchbanks, fence rows, right-of-way, storage yards and similar non-crop areas. Application should be made when weeds are small and conditions are favorable for good weed growth. Mix at a rate of 2 1/2 to 2 2/3 pints of Target MSMA 6 in 40 gallons of water. Spray undesirable vegetation thoroughly to point of run-off. Adequate coverage and complete wetting of foliage is important for effective control. Repeat application may be necessary if regrowth occurs.

Do not apply with hose-end applicators.

WARRANTY - CONDITION OF SALE.

OUR RECOMMENDATIONS FOR USE of this product are based upon tests believed reliable. Follow directions carefully. Timing and method of application, weather and crop conditions, mixtures and other chemicals not specifically recommended and other influencing factors in the use of this product are beyond the control of the seller. Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage and handling of this material not in strict accordance with directions given herewith. In no case shall Luxembourg-Pamol, Inc. or the Seller be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product when such use and/or handling is not in strict accordance with directions given herewith. The foregoing is a condition of sale by Luxembourg-Pamol, Inc. and is accepted as such by the Buyer.

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