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Blake Cowen Product Registration Manager Albaugh, LLC 1525 NE 36th St. Ankeny, IA 50021

Subject: Label Amendment - Registration Review Mitigation for Bifenthrin

Product Name: IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER

EPA Registration Number: 42750-162 Application Date: February 19, 2021

Decision Number: 597030

Dear Blake Cowen:

The Agency, in accordance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, has completed reviewing all the information submitted with your application to support the Registration Review of the above referenced product in connection with the Bifenthrin Interim Decision, and has concluded that your submission is acceptable. The label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA, as amended, is acceptable.

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 the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. 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) list 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. 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 Compliance Assurance.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling and must be used at your next label printing. You must

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submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 12 months from the date of this letter. After 12 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Meaghan Robertson by phone at 202-566-0169, or via email at robertson.meaghan@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Pesticide Re-evaluation Division (7508M)

Office of Pesticide Programs

ENCLOSURE: Stamped label

ACCEPTED

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 10750 100

42750-162

Bifenthrin Group 3A Insecticide
Imidacloprid Group 4A Insecticide

IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER Insecticide

For fertilization and general insect control in turfgrass areas including athletic fields and parks and residential, commercial, industrial, institutional, and recreational lawns.

NOT FOR USE ON GOLF COURSES OR SOD FARMS.

For control of grubs, treats up to sq. ft.	For control of surface feeders, treats up to_	sq.ft.
ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Imidacloprid, 1-[(6-Chloro-3-pyridinyl)methyl]-N-nitro		
Bifenthrin*		
TOTAL:		100.000%

STOP - Read the label before use.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

CAUTION

FIRST AID		
IF IN EYES	 Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 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. 	
IF ON SKIN	 Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. 	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. In case of emergency call CHEMTREC toll free at 1-800-424-9300.		
Note To Physician: No specific antidote is available. Treat the patient symptomatically. This product contains a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, milk, cream and other digestible fats and oils may increase absorption and so should be avoided.		

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Net Weight: 50 Lbs. [For control of grubs, treats up to 13,613 sq. ft. For control of surface feeders, treats up to 27,225 sq. ft.] Net Weight: 20 Lbs. [For control of grubs, treats up to 5,445 sq. ft. For control of surface feeders, treats up to 10,890 sq. ft.]

Manufactured For: Albaugh, LLC Ankeny, IA 50021

^{*}Cis isomers 97% minimum, trans isomers 3% maximum.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION

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

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers of this product must wear:

- Long sleeve shirt
- Long pants
- Chemical resistant gloves made out of any waterproof material such as barrier laminate, butyl rubber (\geq 14 mils), nitrile rubber (\geq 14 mils), neoprene rubber (\geq 14 mils), natural rubber (\geq 14 mils), polyethylene, polyvinyl chloride (PVC) (\geq 14 mils) or viton (\geq 14 mils).
- Shoes
- Socks

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If not such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATION

Users should:

- 1. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- 2. Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- 3. 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 product is extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. To protect the environment, do not allow pesticide to enter or run off into storm drains, drainage ditches, gutters or surface waters. Applying this product in calm weather when rain is not predicted for the next 24 hours will help to ensure that wind or rain does not blow or wash pesticide off the treatment area. Sweeping any product that lands on a driveway, sidewalk, or street, back onto the treated area of the lawn or garden will help to prevent run off to water bodies or drainage systems. Run-off may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas.

This product contains a chemical with properties and characteristics associated with chemicals detected in groundwater. The use of this chemical in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in groundwater contamination.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

For outdoor use only.

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 requirement specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

Do not formulate this product into other end-use products.

Apply this product directly to the lawn or garden area. Water treated area as directed on this label. Do not apply or irrigate to the point of runoff.

Do not make applications during rain.

For applications at rates above 0.34 lbs bifenthrin/A (340 lbs product/A), users must water the treated area immediately after application.

For soil or foliar applications, do not apply within 25 feet of lakes, reservoirs, rivers, permanent streams, marshes or natural ponds, estuaries and commercial fish farm ponds.

Do not apply the product into fish pools, ponds, streams, or lakes. Do not apply directly to sewers or storm drains, or to any area like a drain or gutter where drainage to sewers, storm drains, water bodies, or aquatic habitat can occur.

Do not allow the product to enter any drain during or after application.

Do not apply directly to impervious horizontal surfaces such as sidewalks, driveways, and patios except as a spot or crack-and-crevice treatment.

Do not apply when the wind speed is greater than 15 mph.

Spot treatments must not exceed two square feet in size (for example, 2 ft. by 1 ft. or 4 ft. by 0.5 ft.).

PRODUCT INFORMATION

APPLICATION TO TURFGRASS

The use of this product will provide plant nutrients as well as providing control of selected insect pests. IMID-BIFEN 0.15 GC + FERTILIZER can be used for the control of the following soil inhabiting pests of turfgrass:

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	
Northern and Southern masked chafers	Cyclocephala borealis., C. immaculate, and/or C. lurida	
Asiatic garden beetle	Maladera castanea	
black vine weevil	Otiorhyncus sulcatus	
European chafer	Rhizotroqus majalis	
green June beetle	Cotinis nitida	
May or June beetles	Phyllophaga spp.	
Japanese beetle	Popillia japonica	
oriental beetle	Anomala orientalis, Euetheola, humulis rugiceps	
blllbugs	Sphenophorus spp.	
annual bluegrass weevil	Hyperodes spp.	
black turfgrass ataenius	Ataenius spretulus; Aphodius spp.	
European crane fly	Tipula paludosa	
frit fly	Oscinella frit	

chinch bugs	Blissus spp.
fire ants	Solenopsis spp.
cutworms	Agrotis ipsilon, Peridroma saucia, Nephalodes menians
armyworms	Spodoptera spp., Pseudaletia spp.
sod webworm	Crambus spp.
mole crickets	Scapteriscus spp.

IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER can be used as directed on turfgrass in sites such as home lawns, business and office complexes, shopping complexes, multi-family residential complexes, airports, cemeteries, parks, playgrounds, and athletic fields.

The active ingredients IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER have sufficient residual activity so that applications for control of subsurface feeders can be made preceding the egg laying activity. The need for an application for control of subsurface feeders can be based on historical monitoring of the site, previous records or experiences, current season adult trapping or other methods. Optimum control of subsurface feeders will be achieved when applications are made prior to egg hatch of the target pest, followed by sufficient irrigation or rainfall to move the active ingredient through the thatch.

The active ingredients in IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER have sufficient knockdown and residual activity to provide curative and residual control of surface feeding pests. Applications for control of surface feeding pests can be made when infestations are anticipated based on historical monitoring of the site, previous records or experience, current season adult trapping or presence of insects at economic thresholds as determined by scouting and/or recommendations of local State extension personnel or other qualified specialists.

Do not apply more than 200 lb. of IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER (0.25 lb. of imidacloprid, 0.2 lb. bifenthrin) per acre per application on residential use sites (i.e., around private homes, apartment buildings, condominiums, non-agricultural outbuildings, noncommercial greenhouses, pre-schools or day care facilities).

May be applied at up to 400 Lb. of IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER (0.5 Lb. of imidacloprid, 0.4 Lb. bifenthrin) per application on non-residential use sites (i.e., around institutional, public, commercial or industrial buildings; parks; recreational areas or athletic fields).

Applications should not be made when turfgrass areas are waterlogged or the soil is saturated with water. Adequate distribution of the active ingredient cannot be achieved when these conditions exist. The treated turf must be in such a condition that the rainfall or irrigation will penetrate vertically in the soil profile.

Total amount applied cannot exceed a total of 400 lb (0.5 lb of imidacloprid, 0.4 lb of bifenthrin) per acre per year.

NOTE: Not for use in commercial greenhouses or on grass grown for seed or on golf courses and sod farms. For use on plants intended for aesthetic purposes or climatic modification and being grown in interior plantscapes, ornamental gardens or parks, or on lawns and grounds.

APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

Apply IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER uniformly over the area being treated with normally used granular application equipment. Both drop-type and rotary-type spreaders may be used to apply IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER. Avoid the use of spreaders that apply the material in narrow, concentrated bands. Calibrate application equipment prior to use according to the manufacturer's directions. Check frequently to be sure equipment is working properly and distributing granules uniformly

and accurately.

RECOMMENDED APPLICATIONS (Be sure to read "APPLICATION EQUIPMENT" Section of this label)

CROP	PEST	DOSAGE
		IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER
Turfgrasses	Larvae of subsurface feeders: Asiatic garden beetle Black turfgrass ataenius	160 to 200 lb per acre (3.7 to 4.6 lb per 1,000 ft sq)
	Black vine weevil European chafer European crane fly Green June beetle Japanese beetle Northern masked chafer Oriental beetle Phyllophaga spp. Southern masked chafer	
	Adults and/or larvae of subsurface and surface feeding pests:	120 to 200 lb per acre (2.8 to 4.6 lb per 1,000 ft sq)
	Centipedes Fleas	or
	Millipedes Ticks Imported fire ants Mole crickets ¹ Pillbugs ² Sowbugs ³	for heavy infestations, a single annual application of 320 to 400 lb per acre (7.3 to 9.2 lb per 1,000 sq ft) to non-residential turf.
	Adults and/or larvae of surface feeders: Annual bluegrass weevil Billbugs Chinch bugs Frit fly Leafhoppers	120 to 200 lb per acre (2.8 to 4.6 lb per 1,000 ft sq)
	Mealybugs Nuisance ants	
	Larvae of surface feeders: Armyworm	80 to 200 lb per acre (1.8 to 4.6 lb per 1000 ft sq)
	Cutworm Sod webworms	

CROP	PEST	DOSAGE
		IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER

¹ Imported Fire ants: IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER may be applied as a broadcast treatment in non-residential turf areas up to 9.2 lb. per 1,000 sq. ft. For mound treatment, apply 3/4 cup IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER per mound and then drenching the mound with 1 to 2 gallons of water. The mounds should be treated with sufficient force to break their apex and allow the insecticide to flow into the ant tunnels.

²Mole crickets: For maximum effectiveness, apply IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER as a broadcast treatment at 4.6 Lb. per 1,000 sq. ft. prior to or during the peak egg hatch period. For application when both adults and/or large nymphs are present and actively tunneling, irrigate prior to application if soil is dry and apply 4.6 Lb. per 1,000 sq. ft. Rainfall or additional irrigation within 24 hours after application will improve effectiveness of IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER. For heavily infested mole cricket areas, use a single seasonal application rate of 320 to 400 Lb. per acre in non-residential turf.

³Pillbugs and sowbugs: For heavy infestation use 400 lbs per acre (9.2 lbs per 1,000 sq. ft.) of IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER in non-residential turf.

Consult your local State Agricultural Experiment Station or State Extension Turf Specialists for more specific information regarding timing of application.

NOTE: For optimum control, irrigation or rainfall should occur within 24 hours after application to move the active ingredient through the thatch. Do not apply more than 400 Lb. product per acre (0.5 Lb. of imidacloprid active ingredient, 0.4 Lb. bifenthrin) per acre per year. Do not apply more than 200 Lb. product (0.25 Lb. imidacloprid, 0.2 Lb. bifenthrin) per acre per application to residential turf. Avoid mowing turf or lawn area until after irrigation or rainfall has occurred so that uniformity of application will not be affected.

In New York State, this product may NOT be applied to any grass or turf area within 100 feet of a water body (lake, pond, river, stream, wetland, or drainage ditch).

In New York State, do make a single repeat application of IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER if there are signs of renewed insect activity, but not sooner than two weeks after the first application.

SPREADER SETTINGS FOR IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER

The following chart can be used as a guide in establishing an accurate rate of IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER. Application rates will vary depending upon speed, equipment wear and condition of spreader. Carefully calibrate application equipment prior to commercial use of this product.

SPREADER	SPEED (mph)	SETT	INGS
		120 lb/A	300 lb/A
Cyclone Way	3		
Earthway 2400			
(no information available)			
Gandy Turf Tender 24"	3		
(no information available)			
Gandy Turf Tender 42"	3		
(no information available)			
Lely	4.5		
Lesco Broadcast	3		

SPREADER	SPEED (mph)	SETT	INGS
		120 lb/A	300 lb/A
PSB Prizelawn CBR-III	3		
Scott's Proturf R-8A	3		
Scott's ProturfSR-2000	3		
Scott's Handy Green (obsolete)	3		
Scott's Accupro	3		
Spyker	3		
Vicon Model 402	4.5		

RESTRICTIONS

- Avoid runoff or puddling of irrigation water following application.
- Avoid application of IMID-BIFEN 0.225 LAWN + FERTILIZER to areas which are waterlogged or saturated, which will not allow penetration into the root zone of the plant.
- Do not apply more than 400 lb (0.5 lb of imidacloprid and 0.4 lb of bifenthrin) per acre per year.
- Treated areas may be replanted with any crop specified on an imidacloprid and a bifenthrin label, or with any crop for which a tolerance exists for the two active ingredients.
- For crops not listed on any imidacloprid and a bifenthrin label, or for crops for which no tolerances for the active ingredients have been established, a 12-month plant-back Interval should be observed.
- Do not apply by air.
- Not for use in nurseries or commercial greenhouses.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other pesticides, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store In original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area. Handle and open container in a manner as to prevent spillage. If material is spilled for any reason or cause, carefully contain any spilled material to prevent non-target contamination. Do not walk through spilled material and dispose of as directed for pesticides above. Refer to Precautionary Statements on label for hazards associated with the handling of this material. In spill or leak incidents, keep unauthorized people away.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty bag into application equipment. Dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill, by incineration, or If allowed by the state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

IMPORTANT: READ BEFORE USE

Read the entire Directions for Use, Conditions, Disclaimer of Warranties and Limitations of liability before using this product.

If terms are not acceptable, return the unopened product container at once. By using this product, user or

buyer accepts the following conditions, disclaimer of warranties and limitations of liability.

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