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> OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

Mr. Morris Gaskins Registrations Manager Albaugh, Inc. P.O. Box 2127 Valdosta, GA 31604

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Subject: Label Amendment – Adding Use on Dry Beans and Snap Beans Product Name: Fomesafen 22.1% SC EPA Registration Number: 42750-229 Submission Date: December 15, 2011 Decision Number: 459050

Dear Mr. Gaskins:

The label amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended is acceptable.

<u>Products shipped after 18 months from the date on this notice or the next printing of the master label</u> <u>whichever occurs first, must bear the new label language</u>. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA. Your release for shipment of this product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. Per 40 CFR 156.10(6), submit one copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. As defined in 40 CFR 152.3, "final printed labeling" means the "label or labeling of the product when distributed or sold." Clearly legible reproductions or photo reductions will be accepted for unusual labels. Please note that a clean copy of the master label in most cases does not meet the definition of final printed labeling.

If you have any questions regarding this action please contact Michael Walsh by phone at (703) 308 -2972 or via email at "walsh.michael@epa.gov".

Sincerely,

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Kathryn V. Montague Product Manager (23) Herbicide Branch Registration Division (7505P)

Enclosure

## SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING

THIS BULLETIN EXPIRES March 23, 2015

FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC EPA Reg. No. 42750-229

# FOR CONTROL OF WEEDS IN DRY BEANS AND SNAP BEANS

### READ THE ENTIRE LABEL FOR FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH THE USE DIRECTIONS CONTAINED IN THIS SUPPLEMENTAL LABEL

When using FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC as permitted according to this supplemental label, read and follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions on the label booklet provided with the pesticide container and on this supplemental labeling.

This supplemental labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.

In case of an emergency involving this product, Call CHEMTREC toll free at 1-800-424-9300

# 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.)

## 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.

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## DRY BEANS AND SNAP BEANS

#### **Preplant Surface and Preemergence Application**

Apply FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC as a preplant surface or preemergence application in Regions 1, 2, 3, and 4 only for control or partial control of the weeds listed in Table 1. FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC can be applied alone, or tank mixed or followed sequentially with other labeled dry bean or snap bean herbicides to broaden the weed control spectrum or control newly emerged weeds. Refer to the Tank Mix and Sequential Application section for additional information.

NOTE: Treated soil that is splashed onto newly emerged seedings may result in temporary crop injury but plants normally outgrow these effects and develop normally.

### **Postemergence Application**

Apply FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC as a postemergent broadcast application in Regions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 for control or partial control of the weeds listed in Table 2 and in the Special Use Directions for Additional Weed Problems section. Application rate depends on weed species and growth stage. Two applications may be made if necessary but not to exceed the maximum rate specified per geographic region. (Refer to map for definition of specified geographic regions). Refer to the Spray Additive section for recommended spray additives. Use of crop oil concentrate can improve weed control but may slightly reduce crop tolerance. Do not use UAN (28% or similar) or ammonium sulfate on dry beans or snap beans as severe crop injury may occur. Apply when dry beans or snap beans have at least one fully expanded trifoliate leaf.

FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC can be applied alone or in tank mix with other labeled dry bean or snap bean postemergence herbicides to broaden the weed control spectrum. Refer to the Tank Mix and Sequential Application section.

Some bronzing, crinkling or spotting of dry bean or snap bean leaves may occur following postemergent applications, but dry beans and snap beans soon outgrow these effects and develop normally.

Tank Mix and Sequential Applications for Dry Beans and Snap Beans

FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC can be used sequentially or in tank mix with the following products:

#### **Dry Beans and Snap Beans**

Assure II® Basagran®

## Dry Beans Only

Frontier® Clethodim 2E Sonalan® Eptam® Poast® Prowl® Imazethapyr 2SC Raptor® Trifluralin 4E

**Dual MAGNUM** 

Under certain conditions, the mixture of FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC with one or more of the above mentioned broadleaf herbicides may cause a reduction in activity of any post-emergence grass herbicide in the mixture.

For sequential applications allow 2-3 days after the application of the post-emergence grass herbicide before applying FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC or FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC mixtures. Where FOMESAFEN

22.1% SC or the FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC mixture is applied first, apply the grass herbicide when the grass weeds begin to develop new leaves (generally around 7 days).

NOTE: Tank-mix applications can result in increased crop injury as compared to either product used alone.

Always read and follow the recommendations, restrictions and limitations for all products whether used alone, sequentially or in a tank mix. The most restrictive labeling of any product used applies.

#### **Restrictions - Dry Beans and Snap Beans**

- 1. Refer to FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC Regional Use Map for the maximum rate of FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC (or other fomesafen containing products) that may be applied in each geographic region.
- 2. Do not apply to any field in Regions 2, 3, 4 or 5 more than once every two years.
- 3. For snap beans: Do not exceed 1.5 pints of FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC per acre in any one year and also adhere to the maximum rate that may be applied in each geographic region (refer to the FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC Regional Use Map). Do not graze treated areas or harvest for forage or hay. Do not utilize hay or straw for animal feed or bedding. Do not apply within 30 days of harvest.
- 4. For dry beans: Do not exceed 1.5 pints of FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC per acre in any one year and also adhere to the maximum rate that may be applied in each geographic region (refer to the FOMESAFEN 22.1% SC Regional Use Map). Do not graze animals on green forage or stubble. Do not utilize hay or straw for animal feed or bedding. Do not apply within 45 days of harvest.