

#### U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (7505P)
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

42750-317

EPA Reg. Number:

Date of Issuance:

9/12/17

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

X Registration
Reregistration
(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance:
Unconditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

METALAXYL 21.4 % ME

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Morris Gaskins Director Product Registrations Albaugh, LLC. P.O. BOX 2127 Valdosta, GA 31604

**Note:** Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration 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.

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 unconditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA section 3(c)(5) provided that you:

- 1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/registration/registration review of your product when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.
- 2. The data requirements for storage stability and corrosion characteristics (Guidelines 830.6317 and 830.6320) are not satisfied. A one year study is required to satisfy these data requirements. You have 18 months from the date of registration to provide these data.

| Signature of Approving Official:                | _             |  |
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| <del>H</del>                                    | Date: 9/12/17 |  |
| Hope Johnson, Product Manager 21                |               |  |
| Fungicide Branch, Registration Division (7505P) |               |  |

- 3. Make the following label changes before you release the product for shipment:
  - Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 42750-317."
- 4. Submit one copy of the revised final printed label for the record before you release the product for shipment.

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.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. 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 CSFs:

Basic CSF dated 01/23/2017

If you have any questions, please contact Maryam K. Muhammad by phone at 703-347-0301, or via email at <a href="Muhammad.maryam@epa.gov">Muhammad.maryam@epa.gov</a>.

**Enclosures** 

Stamped Accepted "METALAXYL 21.4 % ME" Product Label Product Chemistry Review of "METALAXYL 21.4 % ME" Acute Toxicity Review of "METALAXYL 21.4 % ME"

## ACCEPTED

Sep 12, 2017

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 42750-317

## METALAXYL 21.4% ME Seed Treatment Fungicide

## A SEED TREATMENT PRODUCT FOR CONTROL OF SEED ROT AND DAMPING-OFF DISEASES OF CERTAIN CROPS

| ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:   |        |
|---|--------|
| Metalaxyl: N-(2,6-dimethylphenyl)-N-(methoxyacetyl)alanine methyl ester | 21.4%  |
| OTHER INGREDIENTS: 7  | 78.6%  |
| TOTAL:  | 00.00% |
|   |        |

Contains 1.91 lbs. of metalaxyl per gallon.

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

# WARNING AVISO

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.)

## **FIRST AID**

| IF IN EYES: | Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.   |
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|             | Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing.  |
|             | Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.  |
| IF          | Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.  |
| SWALLOWED:  | Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.  |
|             | Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.   |
|             | Do not give anything to an unconscious person.  |
| IF ON SKIN  | Take off contaminated clothing.   |
| OR          | Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.  |
| CLOTHING:   | Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.  |
|             | lical or transportation emergency call CHEMTREC toll free at 1-800-424-9300. Have or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. |

EPA Reg. No. 42750-GRT EPA Est. No. xxxxxx-xx-xxx NET CONTENT: \_\_\_\_\_

> Manufactured For: ALBAUGH, LLC 1525 NE 36<sup>th</sup> ST ANKENY, IA 50021

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

#### WARNING AVISO

Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses). Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Shoes plus socks
- Protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses).
- Chemical resistant gloves (barrier laminate butyl rubber ≥14 mils nitrile rubber ≥14 mils neoprene rubber ≥14 mils polyvinyl chloride (PVC) ≥14 mils or Viton® ≥14 mils)

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exists, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

#### **USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS**

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change clothing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

For terrestrial uses, 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. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

<u>Groundwater Advisory:</u> This chemical is known to leach through soil into groundwater under certain conditions as a result of agricultural use. This chemical may leach into groundwater if used in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow.

Treated seeds exposed on soil surface may be hazardous to wildlife. Cover or collect treated seed spilled during loading and planting. Dispose of all excess treated seed by burying seed away from bodies of water. Do not contaminate bodies of water when disposing of planting equipment wash water.

#### PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not mix or allow coming in contact with oxidizing agents. Hazardous chemical reaction may occur.

#### **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.

#### 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 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: if the seed is treated with the product and the treated seed is soil-injected or soil-incorporated, the Worker Protection Standard, under certain circumstances, allows workers to enter the treated area if there will be no contact with anything that has been treated.

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,
- Socks and chemical resistant footwear,
- Chemical resistant gloves (barrier laminate or nitrile rubber or neoprene rubber or Viton)
- Protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses)

#### **RESTRICTION:**

In California - Only for use in commercial seed treating establishments. Not allowed for "on-farm" use.

**USE RESTRICTION:** When using formulations that do not contain dye, to comply with 40 CFR 153.155, all seed treated with an economic poison must be colored to distinguish and prevent subsequent inadvertent use as a food for man or feed for animals.

Seed Bag Label Requirements

The Federal Seed Act requires that containers containing treated seeds shall be labeled with the following statements:

- This seed has been treated with Metalaxyl 21.4% ME, a fungicide containing metalaxyl.
- Do not use treated seed for feed, food, or oil purposes.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency requires the following statements on containers containing seed treated with metalaxyl:

- Store treated seed away from food and feedstuffs.
- Do not allow children, pets or livestock to have access to treated seeds.
- Wear long pants, long-sleeved shirt and protective gloves when handling treated seed.
- Treated seeds exposed on soil surface may be hazardous to wildlife. Cover or collect treated seeds spilled during loading and planting.
- Dispose of all excess treated seed by burying seed away from bodies of water.
- Do not contaminate bodies of water when disposing of planting equipment wash water.
- Dispose of seed packaging or containers in accordance with local requirements.
- Excess treated seed may be used for ethanol production if
  - 1. by-products are not used for livestock feed and

2. no measurable residues of pesticide remain in ethanol by-products that are used in agronomic practice.

METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST is a systemic fungicide for use as a seed dressing specifically for control of systemic downy mildews, *Pythium* and *Phytophthora spp.* 

#### TANK MIXING AND COMPATIBILITY

Do not use with other seed treatment products unless previous experience assures compatibility.

Follow the manufacturer's application instructions for the seed treatment equipment being used.

#### RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT

METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST may be applied as a water-based slurry with other registered seed treatment insecticides and fungicides through standard slurry or mist-type commercial seed treatment equipment. Follow more restrictive labeling requirements of tank mix products. Do not tank mix with any product that contains a prohibition on tank mixing. It is the pesticide user's responsibility to ensure that all products are registered for the intended use. Read and follow the applicable restrictions and limitations and directions for use on all product labels involved in tank mixing. Users must follow the most restrictive directions for use and precautionary statements of each product in the tank mixture.

METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST is a systemic fungicide having a specific mode of action. METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST could be subject to development of resistant strains of fungi. Development of resistance cannot be predicted. Consult your State Agricultural Experiment Station or Extension Service Specialist for guidance and ways to control any possible METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST resistant strains of fungi which may occur.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW DIRECTIONS ON THIS LABEL MAY RESULT IN CROP INJURY OR POOR DISEASE CONTROL.

| CROP                                     | APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS  |                  |                                |               |                |                                  |                    |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Canola*<br>Mustard<br>Seed*<br>Rapeseed* | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 0.35 - 0.70 fl. oz. per 100 lbs of seed.  *Not registered for use in California.         |                  |                                |               |                |                                  |                    |
| Cotton                                   | For Pythium   |                  |                                |               |                |                                  | seed treatment:    |
|  |   |                  | YL 21.4% ME S<br>lication rate | ST Maximu     | ım Planting ra | ate - see                        | ds/A*              |
|  | seeds/lb  | fl oz/CWT        | mg Al/seed                     | @ 1.0         | fl oz/CWT      | @:                               | 2.0 fl oz/CWT      |
|  | 3600  | 1.0 - 2.0        | 0.019 - 0.0                    | 38 9          | 6,320          |                                  | 48,160             |
|  | 4400  | 1.0 - 2.0        | 0.015 - 0.031 117              |               | 17,700         |                                  | 58,860             |
|  | 5200 1.0 - 2.0 0.013 - 0.026 139,100  |                  | 39,100                         |               | 69,560         |                                  |                    |
|  | 6000  | 1.0 - 2.0        | 0.011 - 0.0                    | 23 160,500 80 |                | 80,270                           |                    |
|  | RESTRICTIONS:  * Do not apply by seed treatment more than 0.004 pounds of Metalaxyl A.I. (0.3 fl. oz. METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST) per acre per year.                                     |                  |                                |               |                |                                  |                    |
|  |   |                  |                                |               |                | . (0.3 fl. oz.                   |                    |
|  |   |                  |                                |               |                |                                  |                    |
| Soybeans                                 | For <i>Pythium</i> damping off and early season <i>Phytophthora</i> control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. |                  |                                |               |                |                                  |                    |
|  |   | MET              | METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST          |               |                | Maximum Planting rate - seeds/A* |                    |
|  |   | Application rate |                                |               |                |                                  | -                  |
|  | seeds/lb  | fl oz/CWT        | fl. oz./140,000<br>seed unit   | mg Al/seed    | @ 1.0<br>oz/CV |                                  | @ 2.0 fl<br>oz/CWT |
|  | 2000  | 1.0 - 2.0        | 0.74 - 1.46                    | 0.034 - 0.068 | 3 222,1        | 00                               | 111,000            |

| CROP                       | APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS   |  |  |   |   |  |
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|                            | 2400   | 1.0 - 2.0                                  | 0.61 - 1.23  | 0.028 - 0.057   | 266,500   | 133,200  |
|                            | 2800   | 1.0 - 2.0                                  | 0.53 - 1.00  | 0.024 - 0.048   | 310,900   | 155,400  |
|                            | 3200   | 1.0 - 2.0                                  | 0.46 - 0.92  | 0.021 - 0.042   | 355,300   | 177,700  |
|                            | 3600   | 1.0 - 2.0                                  | 0.40 - 0.81  | 0.019 - 0.038   | 399,700   | 199,900  |
|                            | RESTRICTIONS:  * Do not apply by seed treatment more than 0.0166 pounds of Metalaxyl a.i. (1.11 fl. oz. METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST) per acre per year.  |  |  |   |   |  |
| Peanuts*                   | For <i>Pythium</i> seed rot and damping off: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  |  |  |   |   |  |
|                            | * Not register   | ed for use in                              | California.  |   |   |  |
| Sorghum                    |  |  | nping-off apply<br>s a seed treatm                   |   | METALAXYL 21.4  | 1% ME ST per   |
|                            | fl. oz. METAL<br>downy mildev<br>race of sorgh   | AXYL 21.4%<br>v resistance.<br>um downy mi | ME ST per 10<br>To those cultival<br>Idew in heavily | 0 lbs. of seed on<br>ars which do not<br>infected areas w | o chemical control<br>cultivars which po<br>possess resistand<br>with recent severe<br>seed as a seed tre | essess sorghum<br>te to a particular<br>history, apply 2.0 |
|                            | Only high qua  | ality sorghum<br>21.4% ME S                | seed (90% ger<br>T.                                  | mination and abo  | ove) should be tre  | ated with  |
| Sunflowers                 | For control of systemic downy mildew: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 2. 0 - 4.1 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  |  |  |   |   |  |
| Forage<br>Legumes          | Alfalfa, clover, lespedeza, beans (for forage), soybeans (for forage), soybean hay, peanuts (for forage), peanut hay, peas (for forage), pea vine hay, cowpeas (for forage), cowpea hay, trefoil, vetch and velvet beans (for forage).         |  |  |   |   |  |
|                            | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off and early season <i>Phytophthora</i> control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  |  |  |   |   |  |
| Grain Crops                | Wheat, barley, rye, oats, millet, milo, corn (field corn, sweet corn and popcorn), buckwheat and triticale.  |  |  |   |   |  |
|                            | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |  |  |   |   |  |
|                            |  |  |  | eet corn: Apply M<br>r 100 lbs. of seed                   | IETALAXYL 21.49<br>d.   | % ME ST as a   |
| Rice*                      | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. If using metalaxyl treated rice do not use Ridomil for control of Pythium in water-seeded rice. |  |  |   |   |  |
|                            | * Not registered for use in California.  |  |  |   |   |  |
| Seed and Pod<br>Vegetables | garden peas,   | green beans,                               |  | ma beans, lupines   | le soybeans, field l<br>s, navy beans, okra   |  |
|                            | For <i>Pythium</i> d rate of 1.0 fl. c   |  |  | TALAXYL 21.4%   | ME ST as a seed t   | reatment at the  |
|                            |  |  |  |   | ew of peas: Apply ler 100 lbs. of seed.   |  |

| CROP                                    | APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS   |
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| Turf Grasses                            | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control on golf courses, home lawns reclamation and erosion control projects: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treated at the rate of 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs of seed.   |
| Forage<br>Grasses                       | Grasses grown for hay, grazing or silage, corn (fodder or silage), sorghum (hay or silage), and small grain grown for hay, grazing or silage.  |
|   | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |
| Brassica<br>(Cole) Leafy<br>Vegetables* | Broccoli (Chinese and raab), Brussels sprouts, cabbage (Chinese bok choy, Chinese napa and mustard), cauliflower, cavalo broccoli, collards, kale, kohlrabi, mizuna, mustard greens, mustard spinach, and rape greens  |
|   | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |
|   | *Not registered for this use in California.  |
| Cucurbit<br>Vegetables*                 | Chayote (fruit), Chinese waxgourd, citron melon, cucumber, gherkin, edible gourd (hyotan, cucuza, Chinese okra, and hechima), Momordica spp. (balsam apple, balsam pear, bitter melon, Chinese cucumber), muskmelon (true cantaloupe, cantaloupe, casaba, Crenshaw melon, golden pershaw melon, honeydew melon, honey balls, mango melon, Persian melon, pineapple melon, Santa Claus melon, and snake melon), pumpkin, summer squash (crookneck squash, scallop squash, straightneck squash, vegetable marrow, zucchini), winter squash (butternut squash, calabaza, hubbard squash), Cucumis mixta, Cucumis pepo (acorn squash, spaghetti squash), watermelon (hybrids and/or varieties of Citrullus lanatus). |
|   | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |
|   | *Not registered for this use in California.  |
| Leafy<br>Vegetables*                    | Amaranth (leafy, Chinese spinach, tampala), cardoon, celery (Chinese), celtuce, chervil, chrysanthemum (edible-leaved and garland), corn salad, cress (garden and upland), dandelion, dock, endive, fennel (finochio), lettuce (head and leaf), orach, parsley, purslane (garden and winter), radicchio, rhubarb, spinach* (New Zealand and vine), and Swiss chard.  |
|   | * Not registered for use in California.  |
|   | RESTRICTIONS:  Do not apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST to spinach which is destined to be grown in the greenhouse. Containers or bags containing METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST treated spinach seed must be labeled with the restriction: "Do not grow spinach from treated seed in greenhouses."   |
|   | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |
| Fruiting<br>Vegetables                  | Eggplants, ground cherry, pepino, pepper (bell pepper, chili pepper, cooking pepper, pimento, sweet pepper), tomatillo, and tomato   |
|   | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs of seed.  |
| Onions                                  | Onion (dry bulb and green)   |
|   | For Pythium damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  |

| CROP   | APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS  |
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| Root and<br>Tuber<br>Vegetables<br>(except<br>potatoes)* | Arracacha, arrowroot, artichoke (Chinese and Jerusalem), beet (garden and sugar), burdock (edible), canna (edible), carrot, cassava (bitter and sweet), celery root, chayote, chervil, chicory, chufa, dasheen, ginger, ginseng, horseradish, leren, parsley (turnip-rooted), parsnip, radish (oriental dalkon), rutabaga, salsify (black and Spanish), skirret, sweet potato, tanier, turmeric, turnip, yam bean (jicama, manico pea), yam |
|  | For Pythium damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 fl. oz./100 lbs. of seed.   |
|  | RESTRICTIONS: Do not apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST to potatoes.   |
|  | *Not registered for this use in California.   |

Directions for Use at Reduced Rates in Combination With Other Fungicides:

This product is a systemic fungicide seed dressing which may be applied in combinations with other EPA registered fungicides to aid in control of Pythium. This product may be applied as a water-based slurry through standard slurry of mist type commercial seed treatment equipment.

| SEED   | INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE  |
|--|---|
| Corn (field), Wheat,<br>Oats, Barley, Rye  | To aid in the control of seed decay and damping-off caused by <i>Pythium:</i> Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 0.14 - 0.52 fl; oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. Apply only in combination with EPA registered rates of seed treatment fungicides.  |
| Soybeans, Field beans,<br>Kidney beans, Navy<br>beans, Pinto beans,<br>Lentils, Peas | To aid in the control of seed decay and damping-off caused by <i>Pythium:</i> Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 0.14 - 0.52 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. Apply only in combination with EPA registered rates of broad-spectrum seed treatment fungicides.   |
| Sunflowers   | To aid in the control of seed decay and damping-off caused by <i>Pythium:</i> Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 0.14 - 0.52 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. Apply only in combination with EPA registered rates of broad-spectrum seed treatment fungicides.   |
| Peanuts*   | To aid in the control of seed decay and damping-off caused by <i>Pythium:</i> Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 0.14 - 0.52 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. Apply only in combination with EPA registered rates of broad-spectrum seed treatment fungicides.  *Not registered for use in California. |
| Rice*  | To aid in the control of seed decay and damping-off caused by <i>Pythium:</i> Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 0.14 - 0.52 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. Apply only in combination with EPA registered rates of broad-spectrum seed treatment fungicides.   |
|  | *Not registered for use in California.  |

## SEED TREATMENT - EXPORT USE

For treatment of the following seed for export only to countries requiring treatment with metalaxyl before

importation.

Seed treated in accordance with the export use application instructions must be labeled as follows:

"For export only – NOT for domestic sale or use."

Refer to the Seed Bag Label Requirements section for labeling requirements on treated seed containers.

Directions for use at reduced rates in combination with other fungicides METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST is a systemic fungicide seed dressing which may be applied in combination with other EPA-registered fungicides to aid in control of Pythium. METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST may be applied as a water-based slurry through standard slurry or mist-type commercial seed treatment equipment.

| CROP                                   | APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS   |   |  |                |                            |                     |
|--|--|---|--|----------------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Brassica<br>(Cole) Leafy<br>Vegetables | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |   |  |                |                            |                     |
| Canola                                 |  | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at the rate of 0.70 - 2.38 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. (32 – 100 ml per 100 kg of seed) |  |                |                            |                     |
| Corn                                   | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  For systemic downy mildew control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment |   |  |                |                            |                     |
|  |  | per 100 lbs. of s   |  |                | O IVIL OT AS               | a seed treatment    |
|  |  |   | TALAXYL 21.4%                                  | -              |                            | Planting rate -     |
|  | seeds/lb   | fl oz/CWT   | Application rat<br>Fl. oz./80,000<br>seed unit | mg AI/seed     | seeds/A*  @ 0.14 fl oz/CWT | @ 0.52 fl<br>oz/CWT |
|  | 1200   | 0.14 - 0.52   | 0.09 - 0.35                                    | 0.008 - 0.028  | 457,500                    | 122,000             |
|  | 1600   | 0.14 - 0.52   | 0.07 - 0.26                                    | 0.006 - 0.021  | 610,000                    | 162,700             |
|  | 2000   | 0.14 - 0.52   | 0.06 - 0.21                                    | 0.005 - 0.017  | 762,500                    | 203,300             |
|  | 2400   0.14 - 0.52   0.04 - 0.18   0.004 - 0.014   915,000   244,000   |   |  |                |                            |                     |
| Cucurbit<br>Vegetables                 | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |   |  |                |                            |                     |
| Fruiting<br>Vegetables                 | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |   |  |                |                            |                     |
| Leafy<br>Vegetables                    | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |   |  |                |                            |                     |
| Onions                                 | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |   |  |                |                            |                     |
| Millet                                 |  | damping-off co<br>z. per 100 lbs. o   |  | ALAXYL 21.4% N | IE ST as a s               | eed treatment at    |
|  |  | downy mildew<br>per 100 lbs. of s   |  | ETALAXYL 21.49 | % ME ST as a               | a seed treatment    |
| Peas                                   | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off and early season Phytophthora control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 4.8 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.   |   |  |                |                            |                     |

| CROP                            | APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS  |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Root and<br>Tuber<br>Vegetables | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  RESTRICTIONS:  Do not apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST to potatoes.  |
| Sorghum                         | For <i>Pythium</i> damping-off control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 1.0 - 2.0 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  For systemic downy mildew control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 7.3 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed. |
| Sunflowers                      | For systemic downy mildew control: Apply METALAXYL 21.4% ME ST as a seed treatment at 12.5 fl. oz. per 100 lbs. of seed.  |

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in a cool dry location. Do not store in direct hot sunlight. Do not store above 90°F for prolonged periods of time. After prolonged storage in intense cold, allow product to return to approximately 75°F before using.

#### PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:

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

#### **CONTAINER HANDLING:**

Non-refillable containers (1, 2.5, 30 & 55 gallon): Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying.

(non-refillable ≤5 gallons): Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.

(non-refillable >5 gallons): Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. 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 application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times.

Pressure rinse as follows (all sizes): Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and continue to drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Hold container upside down over application equipment or mix tank or collect rinsate for later use for disposal. Insert pressure rinsing nozzle in the side of the container, and rinse at about 40 PSI for at least 30 seconds. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration.

#### Refillable containers:

Refill this container with pesticide only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller.

To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from the container into application equipment or mix tank. Fill the container about 10 percent full with water. Agitate vigorously or recirculate water with the pump for 2 minutes. Pour or pump rinseate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing process two more times.

Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration.

## 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 Albaugh, no claims are made to guarantee germination of carry-over seed.

As its sole express warranty, Albaugh 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. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, ALBAUGH SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES. SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE LAW, ALBAUGH 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. To the extent permitted by applicable law, Buyer assumes the responsibility to handle, use, and store this product in accordance with safety instructions and use directions contained on the label.

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