

ROCIDE 2072

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated:

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

42762-8

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Poly(oxyethylene(dimethyliminio)ethylene-(dimethyliminio)ethylene dichloride) 20.0 %

INERT INGREDIENT 80.0 %

This product contains 1.74 lb. of active ingredient per gallon and weighs 8.69 lb. per gallon.

KFFP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing vapors. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing.

FIRST AID: If swallowed, drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg whites, gelatin solution, or, if these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol. Call a physician immediately.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish. Keep out of lakes, streams, or ponds. Permits may be required for discharges containing this pesticide into lakes, streams, ponds, or public water. For guidance, contact the regional office of the Environmental Protection Agency.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

ROCIDE 2072 is used to control the growth of algae in swimming pools, exterior spas, whirlpools, hot tubs, decorative fountains, and ponds that do not contain fish. For maximum effectiveness pools, spas, whirlpools, hot tubs, decorative fountains, and ponds containing heavy growth of algae should be cleaned prior to using ROCIDE 2072.

For pools having just visible algae growth add an initial dose of 37 to 56 fluid ounces of ROCIDE 2072 per 10,000 gallons of water and remove settled algae debris by cleaning. For treatment of a freshly cleaned and filled pool add initially 20 to 37 fluid ounces of ROCIDE 2072 per 10,000 gallons of water. Subsequent additions of 7 to 13 fluid ounces of ROCIDE 2072 per 10,000 gallons of water should be made every 5 to 7 days after initial treatment for maintenance.

Spas, whirlpools, hot tubs, decorative fountains, and ponds having just visible algae growth require an initial dose of 4 to 6 fluid ounces of ROCIDE 2072 per 1000 gallons of water. For treatment of a freshly cleaned spa, whirlpool, hot tub, decorative fountain, or pond, add initially 2 to 4 fluid ounces of ROCIDE 2072 per 1,000 gallons of water. Subsequent additions of 1 to 2 fluid ounces of ROCIDE 2072 should be made every 5 to 7 days after initial treatment for maintenance.

ROCIDE 2072 will prevent growth of most algae during the off-season winter months when pools are not in use. For pools which have been properly treated during the swimming season and are free of visible algae, add 20 to 32 fluid ounces of algicide per 10,000 gallons of water. If at the end of swimming season pools have some visible algae growth, add 37 to 57 fluid ounces per 10,000 gallons. It is necessary that a uniform distribution of algicide throughout the water and the pool be made for maximum effectiveness. If pool is not covered, it may be necessary to repeat the treatment one or more times during the season.

ROCIDE 2072 is compatible with those chemicals normally used to treat pools and spas and is effective at both acid and alkaline pH. ROCIDE 2072 can be used in pools and spas treated with chlorine chemicals and may reduce the amount of those chemicals normally required. However, do not mix ROCIDE 2072 with concentrated dry or liquid chlorine products.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Keep container closed when not in use. Leaking or damaged containers should be placed in a plastic bag and discarded in trash. Mop up spills with clear water. All pesticides should be kept out of reach of children and stored away from food.

DISPOSAL: Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container and place in trash.

Manufactured by:

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NOTE: Changes in labeling formula 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 U.S. EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby Registered/Reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.

A copy of the labeling accepted in connection with this Registration/Reregistration is returned herewith.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an indorsement or approval of this product by this 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 conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA section 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

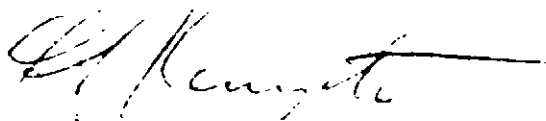
1. Submit all data required for registration or reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of the pesticide to submit such data.

2. Add the phrase "EPA Registration No. 12-0271" on your label before you release the product for shipment.

3. Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A signed copy of the label is enclosed for your records.



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ENCLOSURES

ATTACHMENT IS APPLICABLE

SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL

DATE