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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
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Washington, D.C. 20004

EPA Reg. Number:

45309-97

Date of Issuance:

DEC 19 2002

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

- Registration
- Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Rapid Tabs

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Aqua Clear Industries, Inc.
P.O. Box 1489
Decatur, GA 30031

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/reregistered 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 conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 4.

2. Change the label by revising the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 45309-97".

3. Submit two copies of the revised final printed label for the record.

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

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

Signature of Approving Official:

Robert S. Brennis, PM 32

Date:

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{All text in brackets [xxx] is optional and may or may not be included on a final label.}
{All text in braces {xxx} is administrative and will not appear on a final label.}

Rapid Tabs

[Dissolves Rapidly]
[Fast Dissolving]
[3 in 1] [Sanitizes] [Stabilizes] [Buffers]
[Improved] {Use limited to 6 months after product first sold}
[Dual Active Ingredients]
[Kills Bacteria]
[Kills Algae]
[Triple Action Formula]
[Reduces the Need for Other Maintenance Products]
[Fast Acting Stabilized Chlorinating Tablets]
[Treat & Swim]
[Small, fast-dissolving stabilized chlorinating tablets with special pH buffer]

[Now] {Use of "Now" limited to 6 months after product first sold in conjunction with "Contains Buffers and Enhanced Stabilizers"} [Contains Buffers and Enhanced Stabilizers]
[Controls Bacteria and Algae]
[Controls Algae]
[Kills Bacteria and Controls Algae]
[Multi-Functional]
[Dual Active Sanitizing System]
[With built-in Sunlight Protector]
[Fast Dissolving Sanitizer]
[Sanitizing Tablet]
[New] {Use limited to 6 months after product first sold}

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:
Trichloro-s-triazinetrione 44.6 %*
Sodium dichloro-s-triazinetrione 32.0 %
OTHER INGREDIENTS [†]: 23.4 %
TOTAL INGREDIENTS: 100.0 %
* Available Chlorine: 61%
[† Buffer]

Each Tablet Weighs [2 ounces] {and/or} [57 grams]

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
DANGER

ACCEPTED
DEC 19 2002
Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg No. 45309-97

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FIRST AID: IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 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 OR CLOTHING:** Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. **IF INHALED:** Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. **IF SWALLOWED:** Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. **[IN CASE OF MEDICAL EMERGENCY, CALL [1-303-623-5716] [1-877-800-5553] [telephone number supplied by supplemental registrant].]**

Note to Physician: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

See [back] [side] panel for additional precautionary statements

Manufactured For:
Aqua Clear Industries, Inc.
Decatur, GA 30031

EPA Reg. # 45309-OT
EPA EST. # 5185-GA-1

Net Contents:

[This product is specially formulated to meet the rigorous demands of the [pool service professional] [and] [discerning pool owner]. This triple action formula provides continuous sanitization, stabilization, and buffering - all in one easy to use tablet.]

IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. Ensure all pool equipment is working properly prior to product addition.
2. Backwash and clean the filter following manufacturer's directions.
3. When using other products as outlined in directions for this product, always follow directions on those products.
4. Shock your pool every week and also after heavy rain or heavy use to help keep your pool water properly maintained.
5. Sunlight, rainfall, temperature, number of swimmers and frequency of pool use affect the rate of chlorine residual loss. Adjust cleaning and chemical maintenance accordingly.
6. USE THIS PRODUCT ONLY IN SKIMMERS. Do not add other chemicals into the skimmer where this product is in use as a fire or explosion may occur.
7. To avoid damage to pool surface or materials do not allow product to come in direct contact with these materials. Do not throw tablets directly into pool.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE: It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in any manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and directions.

1. Adjust water pH to 7.2 to 7.6 as determined by a test kit. If the pool has not been previously stabilized, add conditioner or stabilizer (cyanuric acid). Follow the directions for use on the label for that product.
2. Adjust and maintain the calcium hardness level between 175-250 as determined by a suitable test kit.
3. Adjust and maintain the total alkalinity between 80 – 120 ppm as determined by a suitable test kit.
4. In newly filled pools, follow steps 1 through 3 and then superchlorinate the pool using an appropriate shock treatment to establish a chlorine residual of 1.0 to 3.0 ppm.
5. Initially add one to two tablets (2 to 4 oz.) of Rapid Tabs per 10,000 gallons of pool water. Add tablets in pool skimmer. [NOTE: Do not turn pump off for more than 8 hours in vinyl pools when the tablets are in the skimmer.]
6. Adjust product addition to maintain available chlorine levels of 1-3 ppm as determined by a test kit. Sunlight, rainfall, temperature, number of swimmers and frequency of pool use affect the rate of chlorine residual loss. Adjust chemical maintenance accordingly.
7. Rapid Tabs are designed for every day addition to the pool. Once the appropriate dosage has been determined for the pool, add Rapid Tabs to the skimmer every day to maintain a proper chlorine residual.
8. It may be necessary to periodically shock (superchlorinate) the pool water. If there is a heavy bather load, the chlorine residual slips below 0.2 ppm, there is an appearance of algae, swimmers experience eye or skin irritation or there is heavy rain, shock the pool using an appropriate shock treatment.

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- 9. At all times maintain a free chlorine residual of between 1 – 3 ppm as determined by a suitable test kit.

Reentry into treated swimming pools is prohibited above levels of 3ppm chlorine due to risk of body injury.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Keep this product dry in original tightly closed container when not in use. Store in cool, dry, well ventilated area away from heat or open flame. Moisture may decompose this product and cause a violent reaction leading to fire and explosion. In case of decomposition, isolate container if possible and flood area with large amounts of water to dissolve all material before discarding this container.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Do not reuse container, but place in trash collection. Rinse thoroughly before discarding in trash.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS: DANGER: Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if absorbed through skin. Do not breathe dust or fumes. Irritating to nose and throat. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or safety glasses, protective clothing, and rubber gloves when handling this product. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, or using tobacco. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS: CONTAINS A STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT: Do not mix with any other chemicals. Mix only with water. Never add water to product. Always add product to large quantities of water. Use clean dry utensils. Do not add this product to any skimmer containing remnants of any other product. Such use may cause a violent reaction leading to fire or explosion. Contamination with moisture, organic matter or other chemicals will start a chemical reaction and generate heat, hazardous gas, possible fire and explosion. In case of contamination or decomposition, do not reseal container. If possible, isolate container in open air or well-ventilated area. Flood area with large volumes of water.

{Environmental hazards statements for end-use products in containers of less than 5 gallons (liquid) or less than 50 pounds (solid, dry weight).}

[ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.]

{Environmental hazards statements for end-use products in containers of equal to or greater than 5 gallons (liquid) or equal to or greater than 50 pounds (solid, dry weight).}

[ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.]

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NOTE: Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.

{The following is optional text to be used at BioLab's discretion with swimming pool use directions. This information is non-essential and will be provided only as a courtesy. Will not appear on all swimming pool products.}

HOW TO CALCULATE POOL CAPACITY

Shape of Pool Gallons of water

Rectangular: Average depth x average length x average width x 7.5

Circular: Diameter x diameter x average depth x 5.9

Oval: Full width x full length x average depth x 5.9

Irregular: Consult pool builder