UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Sanyo Co, Ltd. c/o Mr. Jerome Rockwell Rockwell Enterprises, Inc. 201 Country Club DR, SE, Suite 914 Rio Rancho, NM 87124

Dear Mr. Rockwell:

SUBJECT: Tachigaren Technical Fungicide

EPA Registration Number 48210-2

Your submission of September 16, 2002

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under section (3) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) is acceptable provided you make the following changes:

Precautionary Statements:

- You must add the signal word "DANGER" immediately following the phrase "Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals". Keep the existing signal word where it is under "Keep out of reach of children."
- In the second sentence of the second paragraph, change "manufactuer's" to "manufacturer's".

Environmental Hazards:

Replace the existing text with: "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 (NDPES) 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."

Storage and Disposal:

- Delete the heading "Prohibitions" and add "Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage and disposal." directly under the heading Storage and Disposal.
- Change the heading "Storage" to "Pesticide Storage"

Please note that your submission which was identified on EPA Form 8570-1 as a "Final Printed Label" was handled as an amendment. Compliance with PR Notice 98-9 can only be accomplished via notification or amendment. Since a certification statement (refer to PR Notice 98-9) was not included with your submission, your submission was handled as an amendment. In the future, when submitting final printed labels, please note that you cannot make any label changes which have not been accepted by the Agency. Additionally, when submitting future amendments, please use a larger font for your draft labels.

Please submit one copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Jones of my staff by phone at (703) 308-9242 or by e-mail at jones.lisa@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Mary L. Waller

Product Manager (21)

Fungicide Branch

Registration Division (7505C)

Mary J. Waller

Enclosure: Stamped Label

CONCURRENCES								
SYMBOL +	7505C	,						
SURNAME >	Lisa Jones							
DATE >	Dec 18, 2002							

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TACHIGAREN® Technical Fungicide

FOR FORMULATING INTO REGISTERED END-USE PRODUCTS ONLY

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Hymexazol	99.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	1.0%
Total	100.0%
EPA Reg. No. 48210-2	EPA Est: 48210-JP-2

Net Contents: 55 Pounds

DANGER

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Corrosive to the eyes. Causes irreversible eye damage. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Avoid breathing dust.

Wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants, chemical-resistant gloves made from any waterproof material, shoes plus socks, protective eyewear and a NIOSH approved non-powered air purifying respirator equipped with any R, P or HE filter when handling this product. Follow manufactuer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. Washable protective equipment and clothing: wash before reuse with detergent and hot water seperately from other laundry.

Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove PPE immmediately after handling product. Wash outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash throughly and change into clean clothing.

	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 the eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If swallowed:	 Call a 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 a poison control center or doctor. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If on skin:	Take off contaminated clothing. Finese 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, proferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

Have the product container or label with you when calling control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

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

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds or public waters unless in accordance with a NPDES permit. For guidance, contact your regional office of the Environmental Protection Agency.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

PROHIBITIONS: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning of equipment. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not reuse empty containers.

STORAGE: Store in a cool, dry location. Do not store in direct, hot sunlight.

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 container into application equipment. Dispose of empty container in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or by open burning. If burned, keep out of smoke.

Only For Formulation Into A Fungicide, For (1)The Following Use: Seed Treatment of Sugar Beet Seed; (2) Uses For Which USEPA Has Accepted The Required Data And/Or Citations Of Data That The Formulator Has Submitted In Support Of Registration; and (3) Uses for Experimental Purposes That Are In Compliance With USEPA Requirements.

NOTICE - READ CAREFULLY CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITED WARRANTY STATEMENT

As its sole express warranty, Sankyo Company, Ltd., 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. ONLY AS PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, IN THE EVENT OF A BREACH OF THIS LIMITED WARRANTY, SANKYO COMPANY, LTD. SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQENTIAL DAMAGES. SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE LAW, SANKYO COMPANY, LTD. 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. Buyer assumes the responsibility to handle, use and store this product in accordance with the safety instructions and use directions contained on the label.

Buyer/User purchases this product subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Limited Warranty, which, subject to applicable law, may be varied only by a written agreement signed by a duly authorized representative of Sankyo Company, Ltd. If these terms are not acceptable, return all products to the place of purchase, unopened for a full refund.

TACHIGAREN is a Reg. TM of Sankyo Co., Ltd., Tokyo, Japan.

Manufactured by: Sankyo Company, Ltd.

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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.

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