

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, DC 20460

OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICID AND TOXIC SUBSTANCI

# October 27, 2009

Jennifer Hatler, Regulatory Assistant **Phoenix Products Co.** 55 Container Drive Terryville, CT. 06786

Subject:

Tiny Tabs

EPA Registration Number 48520-11 Application Date: September 28, 2009

Dear Ms. Hatler:

The Agency has reviewed your amendment submitted in accordance with continuing registration under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, and determined the action acceptable. In summary, the corrected ingredient statement and the updated Storage and Disposal instruction have been accepted.

A copy of your label is enclosed. Please submit a finished copy of your label for our files. Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Tom Luminello at (703) 308-8075.

Sincerely,

Emily H. Mitchell Product Manager 32

Regulatory Management Branch II
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)





(Comments in { } are for labeling and review purposes. [ ] statements are optional)

# TINY TABS

[Stabilized] [Slow Dissolving]

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

[see [side] [back] panel for [First Aid] and additional precautionary statements]

### **FIRST AID**

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

**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 a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

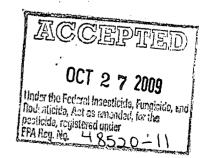
**IF SWALLOWED:** Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

[24 Hour Emergency Hotline for Technical Assistance and MSDS 1-800-633-8253]

### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Trichloro-s-Triazinetrione	99.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS TOTAL	







# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**DANGER:** CORROSIVE. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if inhaled. May be fatal if absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe dust, vapor or spray mist. Wear goggles, face shield or safety glasses. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:**

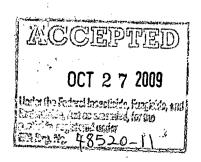
{NOTE TO REVIEWER: If 50lbs or less, use the following statement} This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.

{NOTE TO REVIEWER: If over 50lbs, use the following statement} This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public 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.

## PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS:

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT. Use only clean dry utensils. Mix only into water. Never add water to product. Contamination with moisture, dirt, organic matter or other chemicals (including other pool chemicals) or any other foreign matter may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases and possible generation of fire and explosion. Avoid any contact with flaming or burning material such as a lighted cigarette. Do not use this product in any chlorinating device which has been used with any inorganic or unstabilized chlorinating compounds (e.g., calcium hypochlorite). Such use may cause fire or explosion.

**EMERGENCY HANDLING:** In case of contamination or decomposition do not reseal container. If possible, isolate container in open well-ventilated area. Flood with large volumes of water. Dispose of contaminated material in an approved landfill area.







# **DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

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

**SWIMMING POOL ALGAE:** When used as directed, this product kills algae and will rid your pool of unsightly algae spots. This product is ideal for use in vinyl lined, fiberglass or colored plaster surface pools.

FOR SWIMMING POOL DISINFECTANT: When used as directed, this product is effective as a swimming pool water disinfectant. The dosage necessary for your pool will change considerably depending upon those factors that burden the disinfection system. Some of the factors that will vary the required dosages are water temperature, bather load, exposure to windblown debris, thunder or rain storms and length of filtration cycle.

Ensure all pool equipment is working properly. Backwash the filter system following manufacturer's directions. Adjust pH to between 7.2-7.6. Add stabilizer to establish a minimum level of 30-40 ppm to reduce degradative effects of sunlight upon the chlorine residual. Check for metals. Before using this product, add stain and scale inhibitor to prevent staining of pool surface due to metals.

When using other products as outlined in the directions for this product, always follow directions on those products. With pump running, place four (4) tablets per 10,000 gallons pool water every other day into a suitable feeder or directly into a skimmer basket. Repeat additions until a residual of 1-3 ppm chlorine is established as determined by the use of a test kit. Regular use of a test kit is necessary to determine when it is necessary to add another dose of this product to maintain a residual of 1-3 ppm available chlorine in the pool water. After use of this product it is recommended that a preventative algae treatment be added on a weekly basis.

FOR START UP OF NEWLY FILLED POOLS: Before using this product, make sure that the filtration system is clean and operating properly. Adjust the pH of the water to the range of 7.2-7.6 using suitable products and a reliable test kit. Adjust the alkalinity of the water to a minimum of 125 ppm (mg/L), based on the test kit reading. To initially achieve1-3 ppm available chlorine, add 1.25 oz. product per 1,000 gallons of water. Add 1/4oz. product per 1,000 gallons of water daily or as needed to maintain that level.







FOR SUPERCHLORINATION: The pool water should be superchlorinated or shocked every seven days or whenever the combined chlorine level is above 0.5 ppm (mg/L). Combined chlorine is the difference between total and free chlorine. as measured by a suitable test kit. Add a sufficient amount of an appropriate shock product directly to the surface of circulating water to raise the available chlorine level to 5-6 ppm (mg/L), based on test kit readings. If the combined chlorine reading is not below 0.5 ppm (mg/L), repeat the shock treatment described above. For example, the addition of 10 ounces of sodium dichloro-striazinetrione per 10,000 gallons of water (7.5 grams per 1,000 liters) will provide approximately 5 ppm (mg/L) of available chlorine. If the combined chlorine reading is not below 0.5 ppm (mg/L) and the water has not been restored to its normal clarity, repeat the shock treatment described above.

**REENTRY**: Reentry into treated swimming pools is prohibited above levels of 3 ppm of chlorine due to risk of bodily injury.

{Optional pool gallon calculation instructions}

POOL GALLON CALCULATOR (all dimensions in feet)

Square or Rectangular: Length x Width x Average Depth x 7.5 = Gallons

Round or Oval: Length x Width x Average Depth x 5.9 = Gallons

POOL GALLON CALCULATOR (ft) Rectangular: L x W x AvD x 7.5

Round: L x W x AvD x 5.9

HOW TO CALCULATE POOL CAPACITY

SHAPE OF POOL: GAL. OF WATER (Dimensions in feet)

Rectangular:

Average depth x average length x average width x 7.5

Circular:

Diameter x diameter x average depth x 5.9 Oval w/ straight sides: Full width x full length x average depth x 6.7

Irregular:

Consult pool builder

# STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

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

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area. Avoid moisture getting into container. Keep off wet floors. In case of spillage, wash with large amounts of water. After each use, keep container tightly closed. Oxidizing material. Keep away from flames, sparks and all sources of heat. Avoid contact with organic material.





{for non-residential and bulk shipments}

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

**CONTAINER HANDLING:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying.

#### **DISTRIBUTED BY:**

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