UNITED STATES	U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Office of Pesticide Programs	EPA Reg. Number:	Date of Issuance:
SAVINGOUND THE PROTECTION	Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (7511C) 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW Washington, DC 20460 NOTICE OF PESTICIDE: <u>X</u> Registration (under FIFRA, as amended)	53883-109	6/4/04
		Term of Issuance:	Unconditional
		Name of Pesticide Product: X Methoprene 2.1% Briquets	
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2. Submit five (5) copies of the revised final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.

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

Sincerely,

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Janet L. Andersen, Ph.D., Director **Biopesticides and Pollution** Prevention Division (7511C)

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# **Methoprene 2.1% Briquets**

A Sustained Release Product to Prevent Adult Mosquito Emergence (including those which may transmit West Nile Virus) Briquet design for easy application to catch basins

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
(S)-Methoprene (CAS #65733-16-6)(Dry Weight Basis):	2.1%
OTHER INGREDIENT:	<u>97.9%</u>
Total:	100.0%

This product contains water; therefore the weigh of the briquet and percent by weight of active ingredient will vary with hydration. The ingredient statement is expressed on a dry weight basis.

Best if used by: Lot No.:

#### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

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**INTRODUCTION:** Methoprene 2.1% Briquets are designed to release effective levels of (S)methoprene insect growth regulator over a period up to 150 days in mosquito breeding sites. Release of methoprene insect growth regulator occurs by dissolution of the briquet. Soft mud and loose sediment can cover the briquets and inhibit normal dispersion of the active ingredient. The product may not be effective in those situations where the briquet can be removed from the site by flushing action.

Methoprene 2.1% Briquets prevents the emergence of adult mosquitoes including *Anopheles, Culex, Culiseta, Coquillettidia,* and *Mansonia* spp. As well as those of the floodwater mosquito complex (Aedes and Psorophora spp.) from treated water. Treated larvae continue to develop normally to the pupal stage where they die.

NOTE: (S)-Methoprene insect growth regulator has no effect on mosquitoes, which have reached the pupal or adult stage prior to treatment.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS- CAUTION

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not contaminate water when disposing of rinsate or equipment washwaters.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:** It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with it's labeling.

**APPLICATION TIME:** Placement of Methoprene 2.1% Briquets should be at or before the beginning of the mosquito season. Methoprene 2.1% Briquets can be applied prior to flooding when sites are dry, or on snow and ice in breeding sites prior to spring thaw. Under normal conditions, one application should last the entire mosquito season, or up to 150 days, whichever is shorter. Alternate wetting and drying will not reduce their effectiveness.

## **APPLICATION RATES:**

Aedes and Psorophora spp.: For control in non-(or low-) flow shallow depressions ( $\leq 2$  feet in depth), treat on the basis of surface area, placing 1 briquet per 200 ft. Briquets should be placed in the lowest areas of mosquito breeding sites to maintain continuous control as the site alternately floods and dries up.

Culex, Culiseta and Anolpheles spp.: Place one briquet per 100 sq ft.

Coquillettidia and Mansonia spp.: For application to cattail marshes and water hyacinth beds. For control of these mosquitoes, place one briquet per 100 sq. ft.

*Culex* sp. in storm water drainage areas, sewers, and catch basins: For catch basins, place 1 briquet into each basin. In cases of large catch basins, follow the chart below to determine the number of briquets to use. For storm water drainage areas, place 1 briquet per 100 square feet of surface area up to 2 ft. deep. In areas that are deeper than 2 feet, use 1 additional briquet per 2 feet of water depth.

Large water flows may increase the dissolution of the briquet thus reducing the residual life of the briquet. Regular inspections (visual or biological) in areas of heavy water flow may be necessary to determine if the briquet is still present. The treatment interval may be adjusted based on the results of an inspection.

Number of Briquets	Catch Basin Size	Surface Area/ Water Depth		
	(Gallons)	(Feet)		
1	0-1500	0-2		
2	1500-3000	2-4		
3	3000-4500	4-6		
4	4500-6000	6-8		

## **Methoprene 2.1% Briquets Application Chart**

**APPLICATION SITES:** Methoprene 2.1% Briquets are designed to control mosquitoes in treated areas. Examples of application sites are: storm drains, catch basins, roadside ditches, fish ponds, ornamental ponds and fountains, other artificial water- holding containers, cesspools and septic tanks, waste treatment and settling ponds, flooded crypts, transformer vaults, abandoned swimming pools, tires, construction and other manmade depressions, cattail marshes, water-hyacinth beds; vegetation-choked phosphate pits, pastures; meadows; rice fields; freshwater swamps and marshes, salt and tidal marshes; tree holes, woodland pools; floodplains and dredging spoil sites. For application sites connected by a water system, i.e., storm drains of catch basins, all of the water holding sites in the system should be treated to maximize the efficiency of the treatment program.

Pesticide

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:** Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. **Storage:** Store closed containers in a cool dry place. **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 product into application equipment. Then dispose cf empty container in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities; by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

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