

## OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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Haley Wade Lead Regulatory Manager Control Solutions, Inc. 5903 Genoa-Red Bluff Pasadena, TX 77507-1041

Subject: Approval of Label Amendments; Only Indicated Changes Reviewed – Add optional graphics and remove resistance management/MOA box as language was previously inadvertently added Product Name: Bifenthrin .115G EPA Registration Number: 53883-194 Application Dates: 6/6/2023 & 1/20/2023 Case Numbers: 475574 & 483925

Dear Ms. Wade:

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable. However, EPA reviewed only the label changes highlighted, marked, or otherwise indicated on the submitted label. Any other changes to the previously approved label that were not clearly highlighted, marked, or otherwise indicated in your submission were not reviewed and may form the basis of regulatory and/or enforcement action if later discovered by the Agency. Further, submission of a label amendment application with unidentified changes may be considered a knowing submission of false information to the Agency. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

The label submitted with the application has been stamped "Accepted Only Indicated Revisions Reviewed" and is enclosed for your records.

This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 C.F.R. § 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently

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approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 C.F.R. § 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website contains any false or misleading statement, design, or graphic, the product may be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA Sections 2(q)(1)(A) and 12(a)(1)(E). 40 C.F.R. § 156.10(a)(5) lists examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on the product label, claims made as part of the product's sale or distribution may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process under FIFRA Section 12(a)(1)(B). Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the product will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance.

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

If you have any questions, you may contact Hester Dingle at 202-566-2596 or via email at dingle.hester@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Scott Campbell, Acting Product Manager 03 Invertebrate and Vertebrate Branch I Registration Division (7505T) Office of Pesticide Programs

Enclosure





Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 53883-194

## Bifenthrin .115 G

[Alt Brand Name: Surrender® G]

[Optional Generic Descriptor: Insect Killer Granules] [FOR OUTDOOR RESIDENTIAL LAWN, HOME PERIMETER, ORNAMENTAL & FLOWER GARDENS, AND HOME VEGETABLE GARDEN USE ONLY] OR [For outdoor use around residential sites only]

{Note to Reviewer: One of the two statements listed above will appear on the label.}

For outdoor use only.

Active Ingredient	
*Bifenthrin	0.115%
Other Ingredients	<u>99.885%</u>
	100.000%

\*Cis isomers 97% minimum, trans isomers 3% maximum. Contains 0.00115 lbs of Bifenthrin per pound.



Manufactured for: Control Solutions, Inc. 5903 Genoa Red Bluff Road Pasadena, TX 77507 {Lot code will be printed on the bag} EPA Reg. No: 53883-194 EPA Est. No: \_\_\_\_\_ Net Contents:

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

See additional precautionary statements on back of bag. [See [back panel] [booklet] for additional precautionary statements]

FIRST AID		
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 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.	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or		
going for treatment. You may also contact SafetyCall® (866) 897-8050 for emergency medical		
treatment information. [The SafetyCall information may be replaced with other similar services		
on the market label.]		

**Note to Physician:** This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, milk, cream or other digestible fats and oils may increase absorption and so should be avoided.

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. To protect the environment, do not allow pesticide to enter or run off into storm drains, drainage ditches, gutters or surface waters. Applying this product in calm weather when rain is not predicted for the next 24 hours will help to ensure that wind or rain does not blow or wash pesticide off the treatment area. Sweeping any product that lands on a driveway, sidewalk, or street, back onto the treated area of the lawn or garden will help to prevent run off to water bodies or drainage systems.

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Apply this product directly to the lawn or garden area. Water treated area as directed on this label.

#### **USE RESTRICTIONS:**

- Do not make applications during the rain.
- Do not apply when the wind speed is greater than 15 mph.
- Do not apply directly to sewers or storm drains, or to any area like a drain or gutter where drainage to sewers, storm drains, water bodies, or aquatic habitat can occur.
- Do not allow the product to enter any drain during or after application.
- Do not allow children or pets to enter the area until dry.
- Do not apply the product into fish pools, ponds, streams, or lakes. Do not apply directly to sewers or storm drains, or to any area like a drain or gutter where drainage to sewers, storm drains, water bodies, or aquatic habitat can occur.
- Do not allow the product to enter any drain during or after application.
- Do not apply directly to impervious horizontal surfaces such as sidewalks, driveways, and patios except as a spot or crack-and-crevice treatment.
- Do not apply or irrigate to the point of runoff.
- Treat surfaces to ensure thorough coverage but avoid runoff.
- To treat insects harbored in voids and cracks-and-crevices, applications must be made in such a manner to limit dripping and avoid runoff onto untreated structural surfaces and plants.

Ground Application

• Do not apply within 25 feet of aquatic habitats (such as, but not limited to, lakes, reservoirs, rivers, streams, marshes, ponds, estuaries, and commercial fish ponds).

#### **General Instructions**

**Bifenthrin .115 G** is for use on lawns, around home foundations (perimeter treatment), ornamental and flower gardens, and vegetable gardens for the control of the insect pests listed in the table below.

#### Lawns

Apply **Bifenthrin .115** G when insect activity or damage is first observed (lawn thins, brown spots appear, or moths fly up from the grass when mowed).

Spread **Bifenthrin .115 G** uniformly over lawn at the labeled rates using the suggested spreader settings. For best results, use a mechanical spreader.

Water-in product after application.

Do not use any other weed, disease, or insect control products for at least one week after application.

For best results and to prevent further damage, treat the entire lawn, not just the browned areas.

Repeat application if there are signs of renewed insect activity but not more than once every 7 days.

NOTE: Food utensils such as tablespoons/teaspoons must not be used for food purposes after use in measuring pesticides.

[Note to reviewer: Below optional Shaker Bag Directions for Use with applicable packaging.] [Use the convenient shaker bag to apply product at the application rate in the following charts. For infested areas: Using this convenient shaker bag broadcast product at 2 lb. per 1,000 sq.ft. (for heavy infestations) or 1lb. per 1,000 sq.ft. (for light infestations).]

Pest	Application Rate
Armyworms (including Lawn Armyworm,	Uniformly apply 1 to 2 pounds over a 1,000 sq. ft.
Fall Armyworm)	area of lawn using a [a spreader][this convenient
Billbugs (including Bluegrass Billbug,	shaker bag].
Hunting Billbug)	
Black Turfgrass Ataenius (adults),	For best results, thoroughly water the treated area
Bristletail	after application.
Chiggers	
Chinch Bugs	
Cockroaches	
Crickets (including House Cricket,	
Common Short-tailed Cricket, Arizona	

Cricket, Tropical Cricket, Variable Field	
Cricket, Fall Field Cricket, Southeastern	
Field Cricket, Texas Field Cricket,	
Spring Field Cricket, Northern Wood	
Cricket, Western Striped Cricket, Eastern	
Striped Cricket, Sand Field Cricket,	
Vocal Field Cricket, Southern Wood	
Cricket)	
Cutworms (including Black Cutworm,	
Bronzed Cutworm, Granulate Cutworm,	
Variegated Cutworm)	
Dichondra Flea Beetle	
Earwigs	
European Crane Fly	
Fiery Skipper	
Fire Brat	
Fruit Fly	
Grasshoppers	
Greenbug	
Ladybeetles (including Convergent	
Ladybeetle, Seven-spotted Ladybeetle,	
Two-spotted Ladybeetle, Thirteen-	
spotted Ladybeetle, Twice-stabbed	
Ladybeetle, Asian Ladybeetle, Mealybug	
Ladybird)	
Leaf Hoppers	
Lucerne Moth	
Mealybugs	
Pillbugs	
Seed Maggots	
Silverfish	
Spiders	
Springtails	
Southwestern Corn Borer	
Sowbugs	
Striped Grassworm	
Two-lined Spittle Bugs	
Webworms (including Sod Webworm,	
Grass Webworm, Tropical Sod	
Webworm)	
Wireworms	
Ants (including Carpenter, Red Harvester,	Uniformly apply 1 to 2 lbs. per 500 sq. ft. [or 2 to
Red Pavement, Odorous, Pyramid, Black	4 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft of lawn [using this
Turf, White-footed, Crazy, Little Black,	convenient shaker bag]. For best results,
Small Honey, Lawn, Cornfield, Ghost,	thoroughly water the treated area after the
Thief, Acrobat, Big-Headed, and	application.

Allegheny mound)		
Annual Bluegrass Weevil (Hyperodes)	For best results in treating mole crickets, treat in	
Chiggers	late spring.	
Crane Flies (larvae)		
Fleas (larvae and adults)		
Ground Beetle		
Ground Pearl		
Mites		
Mole Crickets (including Tawny Mole		
Cricket, Southern Mole Cricket, Short-		
Winged Mole Cricket)		
Weevils (including Annual Bluegrass)		
Ants (including Argentine, Pharaoh	Uniformly apply 1 lb. per 250 sq ft. area of lawn	
(sugar), Imported Fire Ants, and	or (4 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft). For best results,	
Foraging Fire Ants)	thoroughly water the treated area after	
Centipedes	application.	
Millipedes		
Scorpions	For Fire Ant Mounds: Uniformly apply 1	
Ticks (including Brown Dog Tick) [and	tablespoon or 3 teaspoons of granules to the	
ticks that may transmit Lyme Disease]	surface of each mound. For best results apply in	
	cool weather, 65 to 80 F, in early morning or late	
	evening hours. Avoid disturbing ants. Treat new	
	mounds as they appear. Thoroughly water the	
	treated area after application.	
• In New York State, this product may NOT be applied within 100 feet (using ground		
	equipment) to 300 feet (using aerial equipment) of coastal marshes or streams that drain into	

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• In New York State, do make a single repeat application of this product if there are signs of renewed insect activity, but not sooner than two weeks after the first application.

## **Ornamentals & Flowers**

Bifenthrin .115 G can be applied just before planting or after plants emerge.

Apply 0.5\* to 1 lb. evenly over each 500 sq. ft. area. Repeat if there are signs of renewed insect activity, but not more than every two weeks.

## **Home Foundation/Barrier Treatment**

Evenly apply a 2-foot-wide band of granules next to the house/home foundation. Use 0.5\* to 2.0 lbs. for each 500 sq. ft. (2 ft. x 250 ft.). If necessary, repeat applications every 2 weeks only if there are signs of renewed insect activity.

\*0.5 lb/500 sq. ft. is equivalent to 1 lb/1000 sq. ft.

## **Residential Vegetable Gardens**

Bifenthrin .115 G can be applied to the vegetables listed below.

Apply a single application before planting or after plants emerge and work into the top 4 to 6 inches of soil. Use 1.0 lb of product for a 500 sq. ft. area.

Сгор	Days to Wait After Application till Harvest	Pests
Tomatoes	1	Ants, cutworms, crickets, earwigs, grasshoppers, grubs, seed maggots, weevils and wireworms
Sweet Corn	1	Ants, armyworms, cutworms, crickets, earwigs, European corn borer, fall armyworm, grasshoppers, southwestern corn borer and weevils
Green Peas, Edible Pods (Sugar Snap Peas, Snow Peas), Green Beans (Wax Beans, Snap Beans), Dry Beans (Black Eyed Peas, Cow Pea)	3	Ants, cutworms, crickets, earwigs, grasshoppers, grubs, seed maggots, weevils and wireworms
Cucurbit Vegetables Chayote, Citron melon, Cucumber, Edible Gourd Muskmelon (Cantaloupe, casaba, Crenshaw melon, Golden melon, Honeydew Melon, Pineapple melon, Santa Claus melon, Snake melon) Pumpkin, Summer squash (Crookneck, Scallop, Straightneck, Zucchini) Winter squash (Butternut, Calabaza, Hubbard including Acorn and Spaghetti) Watermelon	3	Ants, cutworms, crickets, earwigs, grasshoppers, grubs, seed maggots, weevils and wireworms
Artichoke	5	Ants, cutworms, crickets, earwigs, grasshoppers, grubs, seed maggots, weevils and wireworms
Broccoli, Brussels Sprouts, Chinese Broccoli, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Cavalo Broccoli, Chinese Cabbage, Kohlrabi, Chinese Mustard, Eggplant, Head Lettuce, Peppers (Bell and Non- Bell)	7	Ants, cutworms, crickets, earwigs, grasshoppers, grubs, seed maggots, weevils and wireworms

## **Spreading Instructions**

Follow Application Directions in the table below. Calibrate the spreader settings based on the manufacturer's recommendations.

Spreader Settings		
	Spreader Settings covers 5,000 sq. ft.	
Spreader	Pounds of product per	Application Directions
_	1,000 sq. ft.	
	1 lb. 2 lb. 4lb.	
Scott Drop	(Spreader settings	Mow lawn first if grass is tall enough to touch
Spreader	provided at printing)	the bottom of the spreader. First apply two
EZ Drop,		header strips. Operate spreader the longest way
Republic (#530)		of the lawn. Overlap wheel marks to ensure
		uniform feeding. Shut off spreader when you
		have reached the header strips or stopped.
Scotts Easy	(Spreader settings	Application automatically starts and stops when
Green <sup>®</sup> Rotary	provided at printing)	you do. For complete coverage make each pass
EZ Broadcast,		about 30 inches from the previous one, or some
Republic (#540)		overlapping occurs.
Scotts	(Spreader settings	Shut off spreader anytime you stop. For
SpeedyGreen®	provided at printing)	complete coverage make each pass about five
EdgeGuard®		feet from the previous one, so some overlapping
Rotary		occurs.

#### **Spreader Settings**

[Additional spreader brands may be added at printing or replace those currently listed. New application directions will not be added.]

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry, secure place. Do not store near seeds, fertilizers, or foodstuffs.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL AND CONTAINER HANDLING:** Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Do not pour or dispose down-the-drain or sewer. **If empty:** Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency for local disposal options. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

**Notice:** To the extent consistent with applicable law, Buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.

Optional Marketing Claims:

Formulation related claims:

- Easy-to-Use
- Easy to Spread
- Ready to Use
- Virtually odor free

- Treats up to 5,000 Square Feet
- [A 3 lb shaker bag] Treats up to 3,000 sq.ft.
- [A 10 lb. bag] Treats up to 10,000 sq. ft.
- [A 20 lb. bag] Treats up to 20,000 sq. ft.
- A 1 lb. bag treats up to 1000 sq. ft.
- Use on lawns, ornamental and flower gardens, and listed vegetables
- Use around the outside of homes, foundations, porches and patios
- For use on lawn, ornamentals, home perimeter and flower gardens
- Treats 136 fire ant mounds or up to 3,500 sq. ft. [3.5 lb]
- Treats 39 fire ant mounds [1 lb size]
- Use on lawn and around home foundation as a barrier treatment
- Soil-penetrating formula reaches deep below ground
- Deep-reaching formula that kills listed lawn-destroying insects
- Deep Reaching Formula
- Outdoor use only (icon)
- Made in the USA

## Efficacy related claims:

{Note: Asterisk (\*) symbol may differ on market label}

- Works Fast/Fast Acting within 24 hours
- Kills in 24 hours
- Kills overnight
- Kills grubs!
- Protects lawns against listed\* damaging insects
- Kills Listed\* Insects, Fleas & Ticks
- Kills Ants, Fleas, Ticks and other listed\* pests/insects/bugs.
- Kills fleas and ticks
- Kills [insert listed pest] by contact!
- Kills ticks that may transmit Lyme Disease
- Kills and controls listed\* pests in lawns and around homes
- Kills/controls listed\* surface and sub-surface pests/insects/bugs [in lawns & landscapes]
- Controls/kills listed\* lawn-destroying/lawn-invading pests/insects/bugs.
- Controls [chinch bug], [sod webworms] [lawn moth],[ cutworms][ billbugs], [European crane fly][mole cricket],[ fleas],[ ticks (including ticks that may transmit Lyme's Disease)], and other lawn pests listed\* [by contact]
- Kills Chinch Bugs, Mole Crickets, Grubs and Cutworms, plus other listed\* insects
- Kills listed\* insects by contact after watering in
- Effective home barrier treatment
- Kills listed\* bugs outdoors-before they come inside
- Guaranteed to Work or Your Money Back
- Kills listed\* surface and sub-surface pests/insects/bugs that ruin your lawn
- Kills listed\* sub-surface insects [so they can't damage your lawn]
- Kills listed\* surface insects [so you can enjoy your yard]
- Keeps Listed\* [Lawn] Insects Away for Up to 3 Months [12 weeks]

- Works for up to 3 months
- Kills listed\* tough lawn insects [and keeps them away for up to] [3 months] [12 weeks]
- Kills Ants Outside so They Can't Come Inside
- Kills Listed\* Surface & Sub-Surface Insects
- Kills up to 100 listed insects [including ants, fleas, spiders, ticks, chinch bugs, mole crickets, grubs and cutworms]
- Not harmful to grasses\* \*when used as directed
- For use on lawns, ornamentals, home perimeter and flower gardens.
- Creates a pest/insect/bug barrier around your home
- Provides a barrier of protection around your home
- Kills [a wide range of] nuisance and lawn-damaging insects [so you can enjoy your yard] [so you can reclaim your yard]
- Kills Grubs & Mole Crickets
- Ant & Spider Killer
- Kills Ants & Spiders
- Area Treatment
- Perimeter Treatment
- PEEL HERE for Use, Storage and Disposal Directions
- [Easy-to-Use] Shaker Bag! [optional illustration]
- [Easy-to-Use] Shaker [Canister/Bottle]!
- [Bonus/value] size! (for use with larger sizes)
- [XX%] [XX lbs] More Free (for use with bonus sizes)
- [XX% better value only for club shoppers] (for use in club channel)
- Exclusive value size [for club shoppers] (for use in club channel)
- Special Club Value!
- [3[10][20]lbs] Treats the average yard\* up to [3[2][4]] times \*Average yard size is 1,000[5,000] sq ft. {*Math is completed using 1 lb. per 1,000 ft<sup>2</sup> lawn application rate Please note mathematical equivalents for possible different bag net weights*}
- Kills [Insert listed pest]
- Guaranteed to work\* \*or your money back
- [Kills][Controls] surface and sub-surface [pests][insects][bugs] [in lawns & landscapes], as listed\* \*Please refer to the insect lists found in the Directions for Use
- Kills insects outdoors, before they come indoors, as listed\* \*Please refer to the insect lists found in the Directions for Use

# *{Note to EPA: For claims with the word "listed"}* \**Please refer to the insect lists found in the Directions for Use*

How to Treat Your Lawn [in 3 [Easy] Steps]

[Step 1][Observe] Observe insect activity or damage (ie. lawn thins, brown spots appear, or moths fly up from the grass when mowed). [Step 2][Spread] Spread uniformly over lawn [at the rates listed] using the suggested spreader settings

[Step 3][Water] Water-in product after application [to release active ingredient into the grass and soil].

#### **Optional Graphics:**

*{Note to EPA: Marketing label may include graphic images of listed insect pests/sites consistent with currently approved label use.}* 



## **Optional Graphic Section Headers**

