



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Registration Division (H7505C)
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:
53883-250

Date of Issuance:
DEC 4 2008

Term of Issuance:
Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:
Bifen Fire Ant Killer

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

☒ Registration
☐ Reregistration

(Under FIFRA as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Control Solutions, Inc.
5903 Genoa-Red Bluff
Pasadena, TX 77507

~~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:

1. You will 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. You will make the following label changes before you release the product for shipment:
 - a) Revise the EPA Registration Number to read "EPA Reg. No. 53883-250."
 - b) Revise Precautionary Statements to read as follows:

"Harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse."
 - c) Delete the listed insects "Ants, Crickets, Earwigs, Fire Ants, Fleas, Millipedes, Roaches, Scorpions, Silverfish, Soil Infesting Insects, Sowbugs, Spiders (including Black Widow and Brown Recluse), Ticks and Waterbugs" on the label. These pests are not cited on the me-too product. The claim "soil infesting insects" is open ended and could imply a greater range of effectiveness than labeled. This claim should be limited to those pests listed on the label.

Signature of Approving Official

Richard Gebken
Richard Gebken Interim Product Manager I3
Insecticide Branch/Registration Division (7505P)

Date:

December 4, 2008

Enclosure

- d) Replace "To the extent permitted by applicable law" with "To the extent consistent with applicable law" under the *NOTICE* section.
 - e) Delete the "For product packaged in 2.1 lb. shaker containers" and "For product packaged in 6 lb. shaker containers" application statements under the Directions for Use section. These shaker containers minimum application rate are 0.06 lb/ft² and are not supported by the me-too product label minimum application rate of 0.25 lb/ft².
3. Please submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling before releasing the product for shipment. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product bearing amended labeling constitutes acceptance of these conditions. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

If you have any questions regarding this action, please contact BeWanda Alexander at (703) 305-7460.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated
DEC 4 2008
Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act,
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.
53883-250

Bifen Fire Ant Killer

For Sale To and Use by Utility Industry and Industrial Service Personnel
This Product is Not for Residential Use

Controls (Select from Listed insects) [Where Applied] In and Around
Telecommunications, Power, Utilities, and Railroad Systems Equipment
including:

Buried Cables, Telephone Pedestals, Cable Television Pedestals,
Pad-Mounted Electric Power Transformers,
Underground Vaults, Ground Mounted Utility Cabinets and Utility Poles

(Listed insects)

Ants, Crickets, Earwigs, Fire Ants, Fleas, Millipedes, Roaches, Scorpions, Silverfish,
Soil Infesting Insects, Sowbugs, Spiders (including Black Widow and Brown Recluse),
Ticks and Waterbugs

Active Ingredient:	
Bifenthrin* [CAS No. 82657-04-3]	0.2%
Other ingredients:	99.8%
Total	100.0%

* Cis isomers 97% minimum, trans isomers 3% maximum.

Keep Out of Reach of Children

CAUTION

See back [side] panel for additional precautionary
statements.

EPA Reg. No. 53883-XXX EPA Est. No. XXXXX-XX-XXX

Net Contents: 100 - 4 oz. bags
(o r)
[Net Contents: 12 - 2.1 lb. shaker containers]
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[Net Contents: 5 - 6 lbs. shaker containers]

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans & Domestic Animals

CAUTION: Harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or smoking.

First Aid

If on Skin or Clothing:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take off contaminated clothing. • Immediately rinse skin with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. • 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 <i>[insert phone number]</i> for emergency medical treatment advice.	
Note to Physician: This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, the stomach and intestine should be evacuated. Treatment is symptomatic and supportive. Digestible fats, oils, or alcohol may increase absorption and should be avoided.	

(Note: The first aid statements' grid format will be used if market label space permits; otherwise a paragraph format will be used.)

Environmental Hazards

This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

For use in and around buried cables, cable television pedestals, cables, pad-mounted electric power transformers, telephone cables, underground vaults, telecommunications equipment (boxes, closures, interfaces, pedestals, protectors and terminals), power and utilities equipment (camera housings, control panels, emergency light systems, fire alarm systems and lights/alarms), and railroad systems equipment (breaker boxes, railroad signals, traffic control boxes and signals, and transformer pads).

Do not open contents until ready for use

(For product packaged in 4 oz. Mylar bags:)

Use in interior and exterior areas at points of entry. Open Mylar plastic bag and pour entire contents (4 oz.) directly into and around equipment, buried closure or hole. Lock equipment or closure or set pole immediately to prevent access. One bag will treat up to 12" x 12" (1 sq. ft.).

(For product packaged in 2.1 lb. shaker containers:)

Open the applicator dispenser lid two (2) notches and shake (broadcast left to right) the insecticide onto the ground, covering the area of the pad location, plus a two foot perimeter around the outside of the pad location. This container will cover up to a 33-sq. ft. area. Plastic barrier required for poured-in place pads. Prior to pouring concrete, cover insecticide-treated surface with plastic barrier.

(For product packaged in 6 lb. shaker containers:)

Open the applicator dispenser lid two (2) notches and shake (broadcast left to right) the insecticide onto the ground, covering the area of the pad location, plus a two foot perimeter around the outside of the pad location. This container will cover up to a 100-sq. ft. area (an area 10' x 10'). Container holds the equivalent of 24, 4 oz. bags of Bifen Fire Ant Killer. Plastic barrier required for poured-in place pads. Prior to pouring concrete, cover insecticide-treated surface with plastic barrier.

Storage and Disposal

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in a cool, dry area away from children and domestic animals.

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: (Mylar bags) Completely empty bag. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning; if burned, stay out of smoke (Plastic shaker container) Triple rinse (or equivalent) then offer for recycling or reconditioning; or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill; or incineration; or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

NOTICE: Seller makes no warranty express or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on this label. To the extent permitted by applicable law, Buyer assumes all risks of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions.

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