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**Subject: Condor WP Label Amendment Requests Submitted  
 5/21/92, 6/1/92 and 6/9/92  
 EPA File Number: 55638-12**

Dear Ms. Dively:

The primary eye irritation study submitted to support the product's formulation as identified on the Confidential Statement of Formula (CSF) dated 4/15/91 is acceptable. This study is classified Toxicity Category III. However, the alternate formulation as identified on the CSF dated 6/9/92 cannot be supported by this data. The alternate formulation as specified on the CSF dated 6/9/92 lists an inert ingredient, Mono-Sol Polyvinyl Alcohol Film, which is supplied by Chris Craft Industrial Production; this inert ingredient is not cleared under Section 408 of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA) for use on raw agricultural commodities.

The labeling submitted on May 21, 1992, expanding the use sites for Condor WP is superseded by the labeling submitted on June 1, 1992. The 6/1/92 labeling, which expands the use sites and changes the Signal Word and the Precautionary Statements based on Ecogen's submitted and reviewed Primary Eye Irritation data (MRID # 423422-01) is acceptable subject to the comments listed below.

1. The signal word is "CAUTION."
2. Add the statement, "Causes eye irritation.," to the **HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS** section in advance of the statement, "Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing."
3. Because the acute dermal toxicity profile for 55638-12 is Toxicity Category IV, the statement, "IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water." is not a label requirement (40 CFR 156.10(iv)(2)(i)(B)):

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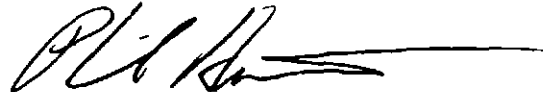
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however, this guidance may be provided on the label if Ecogen so chooses.

- 4. Represent the active ingredient statement of your product as both Lepidopteran active toxin and as units of potency. Then add the Potency Statement just below the ingredients statement as follows: "Potency units should not be used to adjust use rates beyond those specified in the Directions for Use section." If you are unable to represent the active ingredient using both insect active toxin and units of potency, please provide an explanation as to why you are unable to express the active ingredient using both methods.

Five copies of the finished labeling must be submitted prior to releasing the product for shipment. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,



Phil Hutton  
Product Manager (18)  
Insecticide/Rodenticide Branch  
Registration Division (H7505C)

Enclosures:

- \* PRS Review and Label

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ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
in EPA Letter Dates

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Under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
as amended, for the pesticide  
registered under EPA Reg. No.  
55638-12

### Wettable Powder Bioinsecticide

Active Ingredient:  
Bacillus thuringiensis subspecies  
israeli strain EG2348

Lepidopteran active toxin.....	10.0%
Inert Ingredients .....	90.0%
TOTAL.....100.0%	
1.6 oz. active ingredient per pound	

CONDOR® bioinsecticide is a biological  
insecticide for the control of lepidopteran  
pests.

### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

### CAUTION

#### Statement of Practical Treatment

Swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If Inhaled: Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention.

If In Eyes: Flush with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

If On Skin: Wash with soap and water.

**PRECAUCION AL USUARIO:**  
Si usted no lee ingles, no use este producto hasta que la etiqueta le haya sido explicada completamente.

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals**  
Harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. In case of contact immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

#### STORAGE:

Store in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children.

#### PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:

Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

#### CONTAINER DISPOSAL:

Bag: Completely empty bag into application equipment. 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!

EPA Reg. No. 55638-12  
EPA Est. No. 769-GA-1

Net Contents: 4 U.S. Pounds

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**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**Preharvest Interval:** *CONDOR*® bioinsecticide may be applied to the crops listed in the **APPLICATION RATE TABLE** at any time, up to and on the day of harvest and in storage.

**Mode of Action:** After consuming a lethal dose of *CONDOR*, larvae will cease to feed, but may remain alive on foliage for several days before dying. Immediately after ingestion of *CONDOR*, larvae begin to move slowly, become discolored, shrivel and blacken prior to death.

**MIXING INSTRUCTIONS**

*CONDOR* bioinsecticide may be applied with conventional ground, aerial or hand held application equipment with quantities of water sufficient to provide thorough coverage of infested plants. Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system. To obtain a suitable mixture with water, add enough water to allow maximum agitation. With agitator running, slowly add in *CONDOR*. Continue agitation. Then add remainder of water and other spray materials and agitate until mixed. Maintain suspension while loading and spraying. Do not mix more *CONDOR* than can be used in a 12-hour period. Rinse and flush spray equipment thoroughly following each use. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

In order to make proper decisions on application rates to be used, follow the recommendations in the **APPLICATION RATE TABLE** and these guidelines:

**APPLICATION GUIDELINES**

Pest category	Pest Pressure (number of larvae/plant)			
	Low <sup>1</sup> (<0.3)	Moderate <sup>2</sup> (0.3-1.0)	High <sup>3</sup> (1.0-5.0)	Extreme <sup>4</sup> (>5.0)
	Pounds of Product to be Applied per Acre			
Category 1	1.5	2.0	2.5	2.5
Category 2	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5
Category 3	1.0	1.0	1.5	2.0

<sup>1</sup>Recommended spray interval of 7-10 days.  
<sup>2</sup>Recommended spray interval of 6-8 days.  
<sup>3</sup>Recommended spray interval of 4-6 days.  
<sup>4</sup>Recommended spray interval of 3-5 days.

**Category 1 pests include:** artichoke plume moth, navel orangeworm, oriental fruit moth, tomato fruitworm (also called bollworm and corn earworm), tufted apple budmoth.

**Category 2 pests include:** amorbias, armyworms, cabbage looper, citrus cutworm, diamondback moth, leafrollers, melonworm, peach twig borer, pickleworm, soybean per, tomato pinworm, tobacco budworm and tortrix moth.

**Category 3 pests include:** all caterpillar pests shown in the **APPLICATION RATE TABLE**, except those shown in Categories 1 and 2.

For crops such as Fruits, Nuts, and Vines applications are often timed to stage of development and recommendations from local Extension personnel should always be followed.

**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

*CONDOR*, bioinsecticide is a selective insecticide for use against the lepidopteran larvae listed in the **APPLICATION RATE TABLE**. Larvae must consume deposits of *CONDOR* to be affected. Always follow these directions:

- Make applications when larvae are still small (early instars) and actively feeding on foliage or other plant parts.
- Make applications before noticeable foliar damage occurs. Thorough spray coverage is essential for good insect control. For ground applications, directed drop nozzles should be used for certain vegetable crops.
- When insect infestations are heavy, use the higher label rates, shorten the spray interval, and/or use larger total spray volume to improve spray coverage (see **APPLICATION GUIDELINES** for selection of rates and intervals).
- Applications should be repeated at an interval sufficient to maintain control, depending upon plant growth, insect pressure and weather conditions after spraying. (Refer to **APPLICATION GUIDELINES**)
- For ground applications, use a minimum of 20 gallons of water per acre. For aerial applications, use a minimum of 5 gallons of water per acre.
- Local conditions may affect the use of *CONDOR*. Consult your State Agricultural Extension Specialist for specific recommendations related to local crop protection problems.
- Spray water/spray tank solutions should not exceed pH 8.0. If necessary, buffer water to near neutral pH.

**HAND HELD EQUIPMENT**

When using hand held equipment, mix 3 teaspoons per gallon of water or 1 1/2 pounds per 100 gallons of spray solution. Spray to wet, but not to runoff.

**TANK MIX**

Combinations of *CONDOR* with commonly used insecticides, fungicides, or other spray tank adjuvants are generally not deleterious to performance. It is advisable to test physical compatibility by mixing all components in small containers in proportionate quantities prior to mixing in spray tank. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing. No label dosage rate should be exceeded. Application must be made in accordance with the more restrictive of label limitation and precautions.

- For improved durability of spray deposits, an approved spreader/sticker is strongly recommended for hard-to-wet crops such as cole crops.
- Feeding stimulants may improve performance. Consider using feeding stimulants in situations of heavy worm pressure, inadequate coverage, or dense crop canopy.

### APPLICATION RATE TABLE

I. VEGETABLES AND COLE CROPS (Fresh and Processed)		
Such as: Crop	Insect Pest	Rate/Acre (pounds)
Artichokes	Armyworms	1.0 - 2.5
Arugala	Artichoke plume moth	
Asparagus	Beet armyworm	
Beans	Cabbage budworm	
Beets	Cabbage looper	
Bok Choy	Cabbage webworm	
broccoli	Celery leaf-tier	
Brussels sprouts	Corn earworm	
Cabbage	Cross-striped cabbageworm	
Cardoni	Diamondback moth	
Carrots	European corn borer	
Cauliflower	Fall armyworm	
Celeriac	Green cloverworm	
Celery	Imported cabbageworm	
Chick peas	Melonworm	
Chicory	Omnivorous leafroller	
Chinese cabbage	Pickleworm	
Collards	Rindworm	
Cucumber	complex	
Cucurbits	Saltmarsh caterpillar	
Dry bulb onions	Soybean looper	
Eggplants	Tobacco budworm	
Escarole	Tomato fruitworm	
Endive	Tomato hornworm	
Garlic	Tomato pinworm	
Green onions	Velvetbean caterpillar	
Greens	Yellowstriped armyworm	
Beet, China, Dandelion, Mustard, Turnip		
Horseradish		
ale		
Kohlrabi		
Leeks		
Lentils		
Lettuce: Head, Leaf and Romaine		
Malanga		
Melons		
Cantaloupe, Crenshaw, Honeydew, Muskmelon, Watermelon, etc.		
Napa		
Okra		
Onions		
arsley		
Asparagus		
Peas		
Peppers		
Potatoes		

Pumpkins		
Radishes		
Rutabaga		
Salsify		
Shallots		
Soybean foliage		
Spinach		
Squash		
Sugar Beets		
Sweet potatoes		
Swiss Chard		
Tomatoes		
Turnips		
Watercress		
II. HERBS AND SPICES		
Such as: Crop	Insect Pest	Rate/Acre (pounds)
Basil	Armyworms	1.0 - 2.5
Chives	Diamondback moth	
Cilantro	European corn borer	
Dill	Green cloverworm	
Oregano	Imported cabbageworm	
Peppermint	Loopers	
Thyme	Saltmarsh caterpillar	
III. PASTURE AND HAY CROPS		
Such as: Crop	Insect Pest	Rate/Acre (pounds)
Alfalfa (hay & seed)	Alfalfa caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
Pasture (grasses & hay)	Armyworms*	
Silage	Loopers*	
	European skipper	
	Webworm	
* Product should be applied when early instar larvae first appear. If infestations persist, make a second application 7-10 days later. Combination of CONDOR with a contact insecticide is recommended for control of 4th and 5th instar larvae.		

IV. FRUIT, NUT AND VINE CROPS		
Such as: crop	Insect Pest	Rate/Acre (pounds)
<b>Pome and Stone Fruit Trees:</b>  Apples Apricots Cherries Nectarines Peaches Pears Plums Prunes Quince	Cankerworm (Spring & Fall) Eastern tent caterpillar Fall webworm Fruittree leafroller Gypsy moth Navel orangeworm Omnivorous leafroller Oriental fruit moth Peach twig borer Redbanded leafroller Redhumped caterpillar Tortrix moth (Orange and Garden) Tufted apple budmoth Variegated leafroller Walnut caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
<b>Nut Trees:</b> Almonds Chestnuts Filberts Pecans Walnuts	Citrus cutworm Filbert leafroller Filbert webworm Navel orangeworm Oblique banded leafroller Peach twig borer Roughskinned cutworm	1.0 - 2.5
<b>Citrus.</b>	Amorbia Citrus cutworm Fruittree leafroller Orangedog	1.0 - 2.5

<b>Small Fruit and Berries:</b> Blackberries Blueberries Cranberries Currants Raspberries Strawberries	Achema sphinx moth Armyworms Blueberry leafroller Fruittree leafroller Grape berry moth Gypsy moth Loopers Oblique banded leafroller Tobacco budworm	1.0 - 2.5
<b>Grapes:</b>	Grape berry moth Cherry fruitworm Grape leafroller Grapeleaf skeletonizer Green fruitworm Omnivorous leafroller Orange tortrix Saltmarsh caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
<b>Tropical and Other Fruit:</b> Avocados	Amorbia Loopers Orange tortrix Omnivorous leafroller Omnivorous looper Spanworm	1.0 - 2.5
<b>Bananas</b>	Banana skipper	1.0 - 2.0
<b>Kiwi</b>	Omnivorous leafroller	1.5 - 2.5
<b>Persimmons Pomegranate</b>	Citrus cutworm Fall webworm Filbert webworm Omnivorous leafroller Redhumped caterpillar Tent caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5

Pineapple	Gummosos- Batrachedra commosae Thecla-Thecla basilides	1.0 - 2.0
Tropical fruits	Hornworms Leafrollers Loopers Omnivorous leafroller	1.0 - 2.5

V. FIELD CROPS		
Such as: Crop	Insect Pest	Rate/Acre (pounds)
Canola/ Rape Seed Evening Primrose	Armyworms Diamondback moth Imported cabbageworm Loopers	1.0 - 2.5
Corn (Field, Sweet, Popcorn)	Armyworms European corn borer Southwestern corn borer	1.0 - 2.5
Cotton*	Beet armyworm Bollworm Cabbage looper Cotton leaf perforator Saltmarsh caterpillar Tobacco budworm	1.0 - 2.5

\* Use *CONDOR* to control light to moderate populations of newly hatched worms in integrated pest management programs. Repeat treatments at 4 to 5 day intervals or as long as necessary until results are acceptable. For control of cotton bollworm and tobacco budworm ovicides such as Larvin, or synthetic pyrethroids can be combined with *CONDOR* in accordance with the more restrictive of label limitation and precautions. No label dosage rates should be exceeded. This product cannot be mixed with any product containing a label prohibition against such mixing.

Hops	Armyworms Loopers Oblique banded leafroller Omnivorous leafier Spotted cutworm	1.0 - 2.5
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Jojoba	Looper ( <i>Anacamptodes</i> <i>spp.</i> )	1.0 - 2.0
Peanuts	Fall armyworm Green cloverworm Loopers Podworms Velvetbean caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
Rice	Armyworms Green cloverworm Loopers Saltmarsh caterpillar Velvetbean caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
Safflower	Armyworms Loopers Saltmarsh caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
Small Grains (Barley, Oats, Rye, Wheat, etc.)	Armyworms Loopers	1.0 - 2.5
Sorghum	European corn borer Fall armyworm Saltmarsh caterpillar Velvetbean caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
Soybeans	Green cloverworm Soybean looper Velvetbean caterpillar	1.0 - 2.5
Sunflowers	Banded sunflower moth Beet armyworm Headmoth Loopers Sunflower moth	1.0 - 2.5
Tobacco	Tobacco budworm Tobacco hornworm Loopers	1.0 - 2.5

**VI. COMMERCIAL FLOWERS AND ORNAMENTAL PLANTS**

Such as: Crop	Insect Pest	Rate/Acre (pounds)
Bedding plants in vases Greenhouse Ornamentals, Wholesale	Armyworms Azalea moth Diamondback moth Ello moth (hornworm) Lo moth Loopers Oleander moth Omnivorous leafroller Omnivorous looper Tobacco budworm	1.0 - 2.5

**Warranty and Conditions of Sale**

Ecogen warrants that this product conforms to the description on this label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on this label when used in accordance with the directions on this label under normal conditions of use.

**ECOGEN MAKES NO WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE.**

If this product is defective, Buyer's exclusive remedy shall be the replacement of the product, or if replacement is impracticable, refund of the purchase price. In no case will Ecogen be liable for incidental, consequential or special damages resulting from the handling, storage or use of this product.

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**VII. FOREST, SHADE TREE AND NURSERY STOCK**

Such as: Crop	Insect Pest	Rate/Acre (pounds)
Forest, Shade trees Nursery trees	Bagworm Blackheaded budworm Browntail moth California oakworm Douglas fir tussock moth Elm spanworm Fall webworm Fruittree leafroller Greenstriped mapleworm Gypsy moth Jack pine budworm Mimosa webworm Pine butterfly Redhumped caterpillar Saddleback caterpillar Saddle prominent caterpillar Spring and fall cankerworm Spruce budworm Tent caterpillar Tortrix Western tussock moth	1.0 - 2.5