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SUBJECT:

Label Amendment Submission of 07/27/93 in Response to PRONOTICE 9527

EPA Reg. No. 62719-193

TURF FERTILIZER CONTAINS GALLEY PLUS SURFLAN

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, successfully REMOVES THE PRODUCT FROM THE SCOPE of PR Notice 93-7 once the comments (if any) on the attached sheet are addressed. Other than the alterations (if any) listed on the attached sheet, no further alterations to the labeling are necessary to reflect the requirements of the Worker Protection Standard.

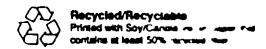
Since your amendment proposes to delete uses directly and/or to delete uses implicitly through the use of exclusionary statements, the Agency will publish in the Federal Register a notice of receipt of your amendment to delete uses, as required by section 6(1)(1) of FIFRA. The Agency will defer action for 90 days from the date of the Federal Register notice to give affected minor users an opportunity to try to persuade you to retain the uses(s). When the comment period has expired, the Agency will approve the amendment unless you have withdrawn it, and stamp the amended labeling "accepted." Your stamped-accepted labeling will then be sent to you.

As described in Supplement A of PR Notice 93-11 (self-verification option), you may sell and distribute product bearing the submitted labeling before you receive a copy of your stamped-accepted labeling. Note that your registration is not amended until the comment period required by section 6(f)(1) of FIFRA has expired and the Agency has approved the amendment. Therefore, you may withdraw your proposed amendment at any time during the comment period and until you receive your stamped-accepted labeling.

Sincerely.

James Tompkins, Deputy Chief Registration Support Branch Registration Division (7505W)

Enclosures



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Modify the exclusionary statement to conform to the EPA-approved language specified in PRN 93-11.

Revisions:

1) Added a statement to the General Use Precautions section of the label to remove this product from the scope of the Worker Protection Standard. 10d 4/9/92

(Logo) DowElanco

Turf Fertilizer - Contains Gallery* plus Surflan*

A Balanced Turf Fertilizer Containing GALLERY and SURFLAN, Selective Preemergence Herbicides for Control of Certain Broadlest Weeds and Annual Grasses in Established Warm Season Perennial Turfgrasses.

Active Ingredients:

isoxaben: N-{3-(1-ethyl-1-methylpropyl)-5-isoxazotyl}-	•
2,6-dimethoxybenzamide and isomers	0.29%
oryzalin: 3,5-dinitro-N4,N4-dipropylsulfanilamide	0.86%
Inert Ingredients	98.85%
Total	100.00%

GUARANTEED FERTILIZER ANALYSIS	
Total Nitrogen	18.0%
Available Phosphoric Acid (P2O5)	5.0%
Soluble Potash (K2O)	9.0%

Contains 0.2875 pounds active ingredient per 25 pound bag.

Keep Out of Reach of Children CAUTION

See back or container/side panel for additional precautionary statements.

Notice: Read the entire label. Use only according to label directions. Before buying this product, read Warranty Disclaimer and Limitation of Remedies Sections elsewhere on this label.

In case of emergency endangering health or the environment involving this product, call collect 517-636-4400

Do Not Ship or Store with Food, Feeds, Drugs, or Clothing.

E.P.A. Reg. No. 62719-193

E.P.A. Est. No. _____

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Herbicide Net Contents - 25 Pounds

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ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated

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Under the Federal Insecticide, and Rodenticide Act an amended, for the pessicide registered under EPA Her. No.

Precautionary Statements

Keep Out of Reach of Children

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION

Causes Eye Irritation - Harmful If swallowed or inhaled

Avoid breathing dust and contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

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If In eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

If swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink one or two 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 individual to fresh air. Get medical attuition if breathing difficulty occurs. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, and get medical attention immediately.

Environmental Hazards

Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intentidal areas below the mean high water mark. Drift or inadvertent application to areas adjacent to treated turigrasses may result in reduced germination or emergence of nontarget plants. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

Directions for Use

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

Read all directions carefully before applying this product.

Storage and Disposal

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

Storage: Store in original container. Protect stored product from moisture. In case of leak or spill, contain material and dispose as waste.

Peeticide 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 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.

General Information

This turf fertilizer product contains GALLERY and SURFLAN, preemergence herbicides for control of certain broadleaf weeds and annual grasses in established warm season turfgrasses. Apply in late summer to early fall to control fall approximately 3 weeks prior to the expected germination of winter annual weeds, or in early spring, 3 weeks prior to germination of weeds which emerge in spring or early summer.

This product will not control established weeds. Existing weeds should be controlled with postemergence herbicides. To insure optimal fertilizer and herbicidal response, water treated areas as soon as possible after application. A single rainfall or sprinkler irrigation of 0.5 inch or more is required to activate this product.

Important Use Precautions:

- Do not apply to non-turf areas such as flower beds or gardens. Take precautions to prevent inadvertent application from rotary-type applicators to such areas. Herbicides in this product prevent seed emergence and may injure bedding plants.
- This product may injure turl that is weakened due to severe winter weather or is not well
 established. Apply only to healthy established warm season turigrasses.
- Do not apply this product in the spring and summer to tall fescue turigrass seeded the previous fail.
- Do not apply in the spring to 8-mudagrass which has been overseeded with winter annual grasses since thinning may occur.
- Do not apply to newly sprigged or hydromulched areas of Bermudagrass, St. Augustinegrass, centipedegrass or zoysiagrass until turf is well established.
- . Do not apply to dichondra.
- . Do not apply to golf course putting greens.
- Any cultural practices that disturb the soil, such as aerification or verticutting should be done
 prior to application of this product.
- Do not overdose or overlap during application in such a way as to apply in excess of labeled rates as turi injury may occur.
- Users who wish to use this product on turigrass species not recommended on this label may
 determine the suitability for such uses by treating a small area at a recommended rate. Prior to
 treating a larger area, the treatment should be observed for any sign of herbicidal injury for 30 to
 60 days to determine if the treatment is safe to the target turi species. THE USER
 ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY PLANT DAMAGE OR OTHER LIABILITY
 RESULTING FROM USE OF GALLERY ON TURF SPECIES NOT
 RECOMMENDED ON THIS LABEL.

This Product is Recommended for Use on the Following Established Warm Season Perennial Turigrass Species:

Common Name Bahiagrass Bermudagrass Centipedegrass Fescue, tall . St. Augustinegrass

Zoysiagrass Zoysiagrass Scientific Name

Paspalum notatum var. Saurae parodi

Cynodon dactylon Eremochloa ophiuroides Festuca arundinaceae Stenotaphrum secundatum

Zoysia japonica Zoysia tenudolia

Application

Application Equipment and Application Techniques: Apply this product using a drop or rotary-type spreader designed to apply granular fertilizer. Calibrate application equipment prior to use according to manufacturer's directions. Check frequently to be sure equipment is operating properly and distributing product uniformly. Avoid use of spreaders that apply material in narrow concentrated bands. Avoid skips or overlaps as poor weed control or turl injury may occur. More uniform application may be achieved by spreading half of the required amount of product over the area and then applying the remaining half in swaths at right angles to the first. A splash board mounted below the release point of drop-type spreaders can improve the uniformity of product distribution.

Broadcast Application Rate

Apply at a broadcast rate of 233 pounds per acre (5.3 pounds per 1000 square feet).

Weeds Controlled

Summer Annual weeds Controlled by a Single Application:

Common Name

Scientific Name

Barnyardgrass
Burweed, lawn
Carpetweed
Celery, wild

Echinochloa crus-galli Soliva pterosperma Mcllugo verticillata Apium leptophyllum

Crabgrass Digitaria spp.

(Large crabgrass) (Smooth crabgrass)

Crowlootgrass

Foxtails

Dactyloctenium aegyptium

Setaria spp.

(Bottlegrass)
(Bristlegrass)
(Glant foxtail)
(Green foxtail)
(Pigeongrass)
(Robust foxtail)
(Yellow foxtail)

Goosegrass Eleusine indica
Johnsongrass Sorghum halepense

(seedling only)

Knotweed, prostrate Polygonum aviculare
Kochia Kochia scoparia
Lambequarters, common Chenopodium album

Mallow, little Malva pervillora
Pennywort, lawn Hydrocotyle sibthorpioides

Pigweeds Amaranthus spp. Pineappleweed Matricaria matricarioides Portulaca oleracea Pursiane, common Euphorbia humistrata Spurge, prostrate Spurge, spotted Euphorbia maculata Sourry, com Speroula arvensis Oxalis comiculata Woodsorrel, creeping Oxalis stricta Woodsorrel, yellow

Winter Annual Weeds Controlled by a Single Application:

Common Name

Buttercup

Bluegrass, annual

Chickweed, common

Chickweed, mouseear

Cerastium vulgatum

Foolsparsley
Geranium, Carolina
Henbit
Cerasuum vuigatum
Aethusa cynapium
Geranium carolinianum
Lamium amplexicaule

Parstey - piert

Ryegrass, annual

Speedwell, thymeleat

Lamum amplexicaute
Alchemilia arvensis
Lolium multiflorum
Veronica serpylifolia

Weeds partially controlled by a single application; or, controlled by repeat applications:

Scientific Name Common Name Clover spp. (1) Tritolium soo. Tritolium repens Clover, white (1) Taraxacum officinale Dandelion (1) Groundsel, common Senecio vulgaris Medic, black Medicago lupulina Plantain, broadleaf Plantago major Plantago lanceolata Plantain, buckhom Plantago elongata Plantago, stender

1. From seed only

WARRANTY DISCLAIMER

DowElanco warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on the label when used in strict accordance with the directions, subject to the inherent risks set forth below. DowElanco makes no other express or implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose or any other express or implied warranty.

INHERENT RISKS OF USE

It is impossible to eliminate all risks associated with use of this product. Plant injury, lack of performance, or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as use of the product contrary to the tabel instructions (including conditions noted on the tabel, such as unfavorable temperatures, soil conditions, etc.), abnormal conditions (such as excessive rainfall, drought, formadoes, hurricanes), presence of other materials, the manner of application, or other factors, all of which are beyond the control of DowElanco or the seller. All such risks shall be assumed by the buyer.

LIMITATION OF REMEDIES

The exclusive remedy for losses or damages resulting from this product (including claims based on contract, negligence, strict liability, or other legal theories), shall be limited to, at DowElanco's election, one of the following:

- (1) Refund of purchase price paid by buyer or user for product bought, or
- (2) Replacement of amount of product used.

DowElanco shall not be liable for losses or damages resulting from handling or use of this product unless DowElanco is promptly notified of such loss or damage in writing. In no case shall DowElanco be liable for consequential or incidental damages or losses.

The terms of the Warranty Disclaimer above and this Limitation of Remedies cannot be varied by any written or verbal statements or agreements. No employee or sales agent of DowElanco or the seller is authorized to vary or exceed the terms of the Warranty Disclaimer or this Limitation of Remedies in any manner.

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