



## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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OFFICE OF  
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES  
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

OCT 25 2001

Ms. Barbara J. Kaminski  
Regulatory Manager  
Dow AgroSciences LLC  
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Indianapolis, IN 46268

Dear Ms. Kaminski:

Subject: GOAL<sup>®</sup> Technical Herbicide  
EPA Registration No. 62719-399  
Applications and Your Letters Dated September 26,  
Transition Labeling from Rohm & Haas Company to  
Dow AgroSciences: Company Name and Address, Warranty  
Statements, Trademark referencers and Formatting;  
Request To Amend Registration by Revising First Aid  
Statements in Compliance with PR Notice 2001-1; And  
Added Use-Sites for Which This Product May Be Formulated  
(Christmas Trees, Conifer Seed beds and Transplants,  
Container-Grown Stock, Industrial Sites and Landscapes);  
and the Use Section Was Reformatted and Uses Grouped by  
Category of Use

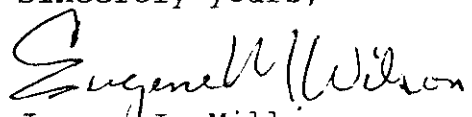
The proposed subject labeling amendments have been reviewed and found acceptable under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, provided that you:

1. Revise the chemical expression for oxyfluorfen by adding a hyphen following, as: "....-nitrophenoxy)-....".
2. In listing of the use-sites "conifer seedbeds and transplants" must be listed together. The use site is conifer transplants not "transplants" as is written. You omitted the word "and".
3. Submit one (1) copy of the final printed label prior to your shipment of this pesticide product under the enclosed revised stamped label.

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 under this labeling

constitutes acceptance of these conditions. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely yours,

*for*   
Joanne I. Miller  
Product Manager (23)  
Herbicide Branch  
Registration Division (7505C)

Enclosure

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# Goal\* Technical Purified

For Manufacturing Use Only

Active Ingredient	
Oxyfluorfen: 2-chloro-1-(3-ethoxy-4-nitrophenoxy)	
4-(trifluoromethyl) benzene .....	99%
Inert Ingredients .....	01%
Total .....	100%

**ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
in EPA Letter Dated**

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**Under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
as amended, for the pesticide  
registered under EPA Reg. No.  
62719-399**

Keep Out of Reach of Children

## CAUTION

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### Precautionary Statements

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#### Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

Harmful if Swallowed • Causes Moderate Eye Irritation

Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling

#### First Aid

**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.

**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 swallowed:** Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

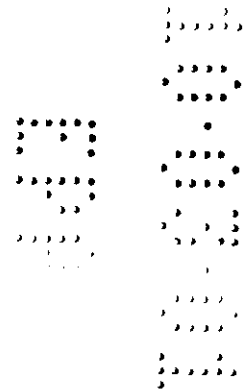
**Note to Physician:** Evacuation of the stomach might be advisable.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-992-5994 day or night, for emergency treatment information.

#### Environmental Hazards

This product is highly toxic to aquatic invertebrates, aquatic plants, wildlife and fish.

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, ocean or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into sewer systems without previously notifying the sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.



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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.

Only for formulation into a herbicide for the following uses: (1) industrial sites and non-crop areas, landscapes, ornamentals and nursery stock, including, Christmas trees, conifer seedbeds, transplants, and container grown stock, shade trees, cottonwood, deciduous trees, and eucalyptus; crops, including, artichoke, avocado, banana, blackberry, broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, cacao, clover (grown for seed), clary sage (grown for essence), citrus (non-bearing), coffee, corn, cotton, dates, feijoa, figs, fallow bed, fallow fields, garbanzo beans, garlic, grapes, guava, horseradish, jojoba, kiwi fruit, macadamia nut, mint, olive, onion, papaya, persimmon, pistachio, pome fruit, pomegranate, raspberry, soybean, stone fruit, tree nuts, taro, and grasses grown for seed;

2) Uses for which US EPA has accepted the required data and/or citations of data that the formulator has submitted in support of registration; and

3) Uses for experimental purposes that are in compliance with US EPA requirements.

It is the responsibility of the re-formulator to supply data to EPA to support all claims listed on the re-formulators' label covering all directions for use. Re-formulators should consult Dow AgroSciences for formulation information.

**NOTE: Goal Technical should be melted by holding at 110° C for 48 hours. DO NOT HEAT ABOVE 200° C (PRODUCT DECOMPOSES)**

**Storage and Disposal**

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

**Storage:** Keep away from fire and sparks. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

**Container Disposal:** Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities.

**Warranty Limitations and Disclaimer**

Dow AgroSciences warrants that at the time of delivery, the product will conform to its chemical description on the label, that it will pass without objection in the trade under the contract description, that seller will convey good title thereto, and that such product will be delivered free from any lawful security interest, lien or encumbrance.

This is the only warranty made on this product. Dow AgroSciences EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AND, EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN THE ABOVE PARAGRAPH, ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES. Buyer acknowledges the use of its own independent skill and expertise in the selection and use of the product and does not rely on any oral or written statements or representations.

In case of emergency endangering health or the environment involving this product, call 1-800-992-5994.

Agricultural Chemical: Do not ship or store with food, feeds, drugs or clothing.

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EPA Est. 707-PA-01

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# Herbicide

Net Weight \_\_ lb

