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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Dr. Kenneth Racke Dow AgroSciences LLC 9330 Zionsville Road Indianapolis, IN 46268

Subject:

Delegate WG, EPA Reg. No. 62719-541 Supplemental Label

Date of Registrant Submission: 10/21/08

Decision: 401987

Dear Dr. Racke:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable subject to the comments below.

- 1. Change the title "Resistance Management" to "Resistance Management Recommendations."
- 2. Move "Restrictions" section above "Resistance Management Recommendations."
- 3. Under the "Note" section add the sentences "This product is toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply where runoff is likely to occur," after the sentence about toxicity to bees.

Two (2) copies of the finished labeling must be submitted prior to releasing the product for shipment. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Samantha Hulkower at (703) 603-0683.

Sincerely,

Kimberly Nesci / Product Manager 11

Insecticide Branch

Registration Division (7505P)

Enclosure:

Copy of Label Stamped "Accepted with Comments"

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated

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Under the Federal Insecticide.

Supplemental Labeling



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Delegate WG

EPA Reg. No. 62719-541

For Control of Asian Citrus Psyllid in Citrus

ATTENTION

- · It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
- This labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of application.
- Read the label affixed to the container for Delegate[™] WG insecticide before applying. Carefully follow all precautionary statements and applicable use directions.
- Use of Delegate WG according to this supplemental labeling is subject to all use precautions and limitations imposed by the label affixed to the container for Delegate WG.

Directions for Use

Refer to product label for General Use Precautions, Mixing, and Application information.

Pests and Application Rates:

(numbers in parentheses (-) refer to footnotes below)

Pests	Delegate WG (oz/acre)
citrus leafminer (1) citrus orangedog Asian citrus psyllid (1) katydids (2) lepidopterous larvae, including: avocado leafroller citrus peelminer cutworms fruit tree leafroller light brown apple moth orange tortrix western tussock moth	3 – 6
citrus thrips, Scirtothrips citri (1)	4 - 6

- (1) Control of leafminers, thrips, and psylla may be improved by addition of an adjuvant to the spray mixture. See Use of Adjuvants section under Mixing.
- (2) Katydids: Control of nymphs only; suppression of adults.

Application Timing: Treat when pests appear or in accordance with local economic thresholds. Consult your Dow AgroSciences representative, extension service specialist, certified crop advisor or your state agricultural experiment station for any additional use recommendations for your area.

Application Rate: The amount of Delegate WG to apply per acre will depend upon tree size and pest pressure. Use a lower rate in the specified rate range for light infestations and/or smaller trees and a higher rate for heavy infestations and/or larger trees. For optimum performance of Delegate WG, apply in

a sufficient spray volume to achieve thorough coverage. Consult your Dow AgroSciences representative, extension service specialist, or certified crop advisor for recommended spray volumes for specific types of application equipment.

Resistance Management: To reduce the potential for resistance development in target pest species, do not make more than 2 consecutive applications of Group 5 insecticides (spinetoram and spinosad). If additional treatments are required after 2 consecutive applications of Group 5 insecticides, rotate to another class of effective insecticides for at least one application. To delay resistance development in citrus thrips, rotate to another class of effective products for the next 2 applications after using two applications of Delegate WG within a season. Consult your Dow AgroSciences representative, extension specialist, certified crop advisor, or state agricultural experiment station for information on alternative effective products to use in your area. To further aid in resistance management, do not apply to citrus nurseries or citrus in greenhouses.

Restrictions:

- Do not apply more than a total of 12 oz of Delegate WG (0.188 lb ai of spinetoram) per acre per crop.
- Maximum Number of Applications: Do not make more than 3 applications per calendar year.
- Minimum Re-Treatment Interval: Do not make applications less than 7 days apart.
- Preharvest Interval (PHI): Do not apply within 1 day of harvest.
- Do not apply to citrus nurseries or citrus in greenhouses.

Note: This product is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment on blooming crops or weeds. Refer to the Environmental Hazards section of the product label attached to the product container for required protective measures.

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