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U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
Office of Pesticide Programs  
Registration Division (875600)  
401 "M" St., S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg.  
Number:

64745-4

Date of Issuance:

SEP 27 1999

## NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

☒ Registration  
☐ Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Three Elephant  
Disodium Octaborate  
Tetrahydrate Technical

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

North American Chemical Company  
8300 College Boulevard  
Overland Park, KS 66210

**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 you:

1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration 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. Make the following label changes:

a. Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No. 64745-4".

3. The nominal concentration on the Confidential Statement of Formula dated November 4, 1998, should be 99.98% (see CSF, column 13b). Revise your Confidential Statement of Formula as necessary and resubmit to the Agency.

Signature of Approving Official:

Date:

SEP 27 1999

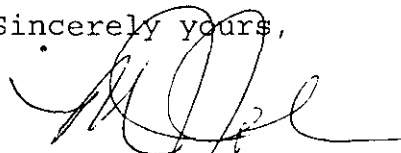
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Submit two copies of the revised printed label for the record.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'M. Johnson, Jr.', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

Marion J. Johnson, Jr.  
Product Manager 10  
Insecticide Branch  
Registration Division 7505c

# THREE ELEPHANT® DISODIUM OCTABORATE TETRAHYDRATE TECHNICAL

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Disodium Octaborate Tetrahydrate..... 99.98%

**OTHER INGREDIENTS** ..... 0.02%

Total ..... 100.00%

**NOT FOR FOOD OR DRUG USE**  
**FOR MANUFACTURING USE ONLY**

**Keep Out of Reach of Children**

**CAUTION**

**See below for additional  
precautionary statements.**

**ACCEPTED**

**with COMMENTS**  
**EPA Reg. No. 64745-U**  
**In EPA Letter Dated:**

**SEP 27 1999**

**NORTH AMERICAN CHEMICAL COMPANY**  
**Overland Park, KS**

**EPA Est.** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

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

**Storage:** Store in a cool, dry area away from heat.

**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:** Completely empty bags 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. Observe all Federal, state and local regulations concerning disposal of waste pesticide and containers.

Formulators and repackagers using this product are responsible for obtaining Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) registration for their products.

This product is a soluble inorganic powder which may be used for the formulation of products for the following registered end-use patterns:

- Algacides for water treatment in swimming pools;
- Bacteriostats for use in impregnating or otherwise applying to absorbent material(s) to inhibit the growth of odor-causing bacteria when applied at a rate of 0.015 to 0.37% w/w (approximate) equivalent boron;
- Insecticides for mop, spot and crack and crevice treatment in homes, residential, industrial, institutional and commercial buildings and in transportation equipment;
- Insecticides/fungicides for wood treatment.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**Hazards to Humans  
and Domestic Animals**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

**Statement of Practical Treatment**

**If 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 [or if available, by administering syrup of ipecac]. If person is unconscious, do not give anything by mouth and do not induce vomiting. **If Inhaled:** Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth. Get medical attention. **If in Eyes:** Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

**Environmental Hazards**

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans 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 to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

**Formulators/Repackagers:** Refer to PR Notice 95-1 for the applicability of the *Environmental Hazards* statement to your product.

**CONDITIONS OF SALE**

All statements concerning the use of this product apply only when the product is used as directed. THERE ARE NO WARRANTIES INCLUDING MERCHANTABILITY WHICH EXTEND BEYOND THE DESCRIPTION ON THE LABEL. The manufacturer shall in no event be liable for consequential damages. Read all directions carefully. Neither manufacturer nor seller makes, and their employees and agents are not permitted to make, any representations or warranties, expressed or implied by law, not specifically set forth herein.