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Term of Issuance:

Unconditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Thuricide 48 LV Forestry

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

x Registration
Reregistration

(under FIFRA, as amended)

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Certis USA 9145 Guilford Road Suite 175 Columbia, MD 21046

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention 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 unconditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA section 3(c)(5) provided that you:

- (1) Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 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) Add the phrase "EPA Reg. No. 70051-97" to the product label.
- (3) Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before release of the product for shipment.

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

Signature of Approving Official:

Date:

10-30-03

Dennis Szuhay, Branch Chief, Microbial Pesticide Branch,

Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (7511C)

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# Thuricide 48 LV Forestry

Master Label

Biological Insecticide

Aqueous Concentrate for Aerial or Ground Application
For Control of Insect Pests on Shade, Ornamental and Forest Trees

# **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

### **CAUTION**

EPA Registration Number: 70051-

EPA Establishment Number: 70051-CA-001

Net Contents: 5 gal., 53 gal., Bulk

Lot No.:

Made in U.S.A.

# ACCEPTED

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Under the Federal Insecticide. Fungistide. and Rodenticlide Act as amended. for the posticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 70051-97

### FIRST AID

If inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

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.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. Hot Line Number: 1-800-255-3924.

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS—CAUTION: Harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing spray mist. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

<sup>\*</sup> The percentage active ingredient does not indicate product performance and potency measurements are not federally standardized.

# Personal Protective Equipment:

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- -Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- -Waterproof gloves
- -Shoes plus socks

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

Mixer/loaders and applicators must wear a dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95 or P-95. Repeated exposure to high concentrations of microbial proteins can cause allergic sensitization.

# **Engineering Controls Statement**

When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240 (d) (4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

# User Safety Recommendations:

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

Avoiding spray drift at the application site is the responsibility of the applicator. The interaction of many equipment-and-weather-related factors determines the potential for spray drift. The applicator and the grower are responsible for considering all these factors when making decisions.

### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:

Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**: It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

# AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 4 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water is:

- -Coveralls
- -Waterproof gloves
- -Shoes plus socks

Suspension must be shaken or stirred before use. Pour the application rate amount of Thuricide 48 LV Forestry into the required volume of water in the spray tank. Agitate as necessary to maintain suspension. Do not allow diluted sprays to remain in the tank for more than 72 hours. Thuricide 48 LV Forestry is formulated to provide desirable coverage and stickability on leaf surfaces. Additional adjuvants, spreaders, or stickers may be added but are not essential.

Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

### **GROUND APPLICATION**

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100 gallons with high-gallonage hydraulic sprayers 10 gallons with mist blower

### **AERIAL APPLICATION**

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expected when Thuricide 48 LV Forestry is applied to dry foliage with a calibrated aircraft capable of obtaining droplet sizes below 300 microns and preferably in the range of 50-150 microns.

# APPLICATION RATES FOR FORESTRY INSECT CONTROL

Thorough coverage is essential when using Thuricide 48 LV Forestry. Use the lower rate for light to moderate infestations. Use the higher rates against heavier worm infestations.

Pest	Ounces	Dosage	Directions
1 031	Per Acre	BIU Per	Directions
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Spring Cankerworm	11-44	4-16	Apply when leaf expansion reaches 40-
Fall Cankerworm	11-44	4-16	50% as infestation warrants. If eggs
Elm Spanworm	11-44	4-16	hatch over a long period of time or if
	11-44	4-16	reinfestation occurs, respray about 14
Tent Caterpillar			days after the first application.
Gypsy Moth	22-106	8-40	
Spruce Budworm	16-106	6-40	Apply when most larvae are 3 <sup>rd</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup>
			instar. Also consider the opening of the
		1 1 2	bud cap to ensure foliage exposure.
Douglas Fir	11-44	4-16	Apply after eggs have hatched and
Tussock Moth			early instar larvae are feeding on
Jack Pine Budworm	11-44	4-16	exposed foliage
Bagworms	11-44	4-16	
California Oak	11-44	4-16	
Moth			
Western Tussock	11-44	4-16	
Moth			
Fruit Tree Leafroller	11-44	4-16	
Mimosa Webworm	11-44	4-16	
Redhumped	5-32	2-12	
Caterpillar			
Fall Webworm	5-22	2-8	
Pine Butterfly	16-64	6-24	
Eastern Hemlock	22-106	8-40	
Looper and Western			
Hemlock Looper	}		
Oakleaf Tier	11-44	4-16	
Whitemarked	11-44	4-16	-
Tussock Moth	•• ' '		
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### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

**Pesticide Storage**: Store in a cool place. Activity may be impaired by prolonged storage at temperatures above 90 F. Protect from freezing.

**Pesticide Disposal**: Wastes resulting from this product may be disposed on on-site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Plastic Containers: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke. Reuse of thoroughly cleaned container is allowable

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## Warranty

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# SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING NON WPS

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### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Bacillus thuringiensis kurstaki s	solids, spores, and	
insecticidal toxins*	-	19.0%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	.,	91.0%
•	TOTAL:	$1\overline{00.0\%}$

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As a general precaution when exposed to potentially high concentrations of living microbial products such as this, all mixer/loaders and applicators must wear a dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95, or P-95.

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Not for use on trees being grown for sale or other commercial use, or for commercial seed production, or for the production of timber or wood products, or for research purposes except wide-area public pest control programs sponsored by government entities, such as mosquito abatement, gypsy moth control, and mediterranean fruit fly eradication.

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Hemlock Looper			
Oakleaf Tier	11-44	4-16	

Thuricide 48 LV Forestry may be used to protect trees and shrubs as in:

- Forests
- Residential, municipal and shade tree areas
- Recreational areas such as campgrounds, golf courses, parks and parkways
- Ornamental and shade trees
- Shelterbelts, rights of way and other easements

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