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> OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Ms Rebecca A. Clemmer United Phosphorus, Inc. 630 Freedom Business Center, Suite 402 King of Prussia, PA 19406 MAR 1 9 2010

Subject: Label Notification(s) for Pesticide Registration Notice 2007-4, 98-10 and 2001-5

Dear Registrant:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application(s) for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4, 98-10 and 2001-5 and dated January 13, 2010 for:

#### EPA Registration 70506-107PoaConstrictor

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for applicability under PRN 2007-4, 98-10, and 2001-5 and finds that the label change(s) requested falls within the scope of PRN 2007-4, 98-10 and 2001-5. The label has been date-stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on <u>nonrefillable</u> containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by non-notification/PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please call me directly at 703-305-6249 or Banza Djapao of my staff at 703-305-7269.

Sincerely,

Linda Arrington Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader Registration Division (7505P) Office of Pesticide Programs

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January 13, 2010

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Re: Notifications – multiple products

To Whom It May Concern:

United Phosphorus is submitting multiple labels with Notifications. See the list below.

Surflan AS MUP	70506-48	PR 2007-4; PR 98-10
Metri Tech	<del>70506-</del> 62	PR 2007-4; PR 98-10
Etho Tech	70506-105	PR 2007-4; PR 98-10
Oryzalin Technical	70506-41	PR 2007-4
PoaConstrictor	(70506-107)	PR 2007-4; PR 98-10; PR
		2001-5
Bifenthrin Technical	70506-18	PR 2007-4; PR 98-10

For each product, enclosed please find: one copy of the label marked to show changes, and EPA Form 8570-1.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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GROUP <u>16</u> HERBICIDE

# POACONSTRICTOR

# Herbicide

# NOTIFICATION

# NOT FOR USE ON COMMERCIAL SOD FARMS IN ARIZONA SUSPENSION CONCENTRATE HERBICIDE MAR 1 9 2010 Selective Herbicide For Use By Professional Applicators On Ornamental Turf Only

#### **ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:**

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Ethofumesate: (2-ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-3,3-dimethyl-5-benzofuranyl methanesulfonate)* 42%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:
TOTAL:

\*This product contains 4 lbs. active ingredient per gallon.

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION PRECAUCION

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle. (If you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

# For 24-Hour Emergency Contact, call CHEMTREC (1-800-424-9300)

	FIRST AID
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 the poison control center
	or doctor.
	• Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If inhaled:	• Move person to fresh air.
	• If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by 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.
If on skin or	Take off contaminated clothing.
clothing:	• Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
	Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist.

# **PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)**

# Applicators and other handlers must wear:

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

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

#### **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 outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below mean high water mark. Do not apply when wind conditions may cause spray drift from the application site. 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. Do not graze livestock on treated turf. Do not feed treated grass clippings to livestock. Read entire Use Precautions, Directions for Use, and Warranty Disclaimer before using this product.

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

# SHAKE CONTAINER WELL BEFORE USING

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# 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 equipments 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 enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) 005 012 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

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- Shoes and socks
- Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material

#### NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are not within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Keep unprotected persons out of treated area until sprays have dried.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

POACONSTRICTOR is a herbicide intended for use on ornamental turf such as golf courses, sod farms, parks, cemeteries and homeowner or commercial lawns, and after overseeding specific grasses. It may be used on established perennial ryegrass, Kentucky bluegrass, creeping bentgrass, turf-type tall fescue, St. Augustinegrass, and dormant bermudagrass for the control and/or suppression of the annual grasses and broadleaf weeds listed in the tables below. POACONSTRICTOR is for professional use only.

POACONSTRICTOR has both preemergent and early (two-leaf stage) postemergent activity and works best in programs emphasizing both approaches. POACONSTRICTOR application is most effective on healthy, vigorously growing turf.

# WEED SPECIES CONTROLLED

#### **PREEMERGENCE**

#### **Annual Grasses**

Barnyardgrass (Echinochloa crus-galli) Bluegrass, annual (Poa annua) Canarygrass (Phalaris canariensis) Crabgrass, large (Digitaria sanguinalis) Crabgrass, smooth (Digitaria ischaemum) Foxtail, green (Setaria viridis) Foxtail, yellow (Setaria glauca)

#### **Annual Broadleaves**

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Burclover (Medicago sp.) Chickweed, common (Stellaria media) Purslane, common (Portulaca oleracea) Pigweed, redroot (Amaranthus retroflexus)	ر ار در د م ب کی م کی م کی م کی م
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#### **Annual Broadleaves**

Chickweed, common (Stellaria media) Clover, white (Trifolium repens)

# **PREEMERGENCE/EARLY POSTEMERGENCE**

#### Annual Grasses

Crabgrass, large (Digitaria sanguinalis) Crabgrass, smooth (Digitaria ischaemum)

# **USE PRECAUTIONS**

- POACONSTRICTOR is not intended for use by homeowners and should be applied to homeowner lawns by licensed or certified applicators.
- DO NOT OVERAPPLY **POACONSTRICTOR**. Follow the instructions in this label or damage to nontarget turf may result.
- Spray overlap can cause turf injury due to over application. Use of a spray colorant or indicator is recommended so that spray overlap can be avoided.
- Do not apply with hand-held or flood jet nozzles because treatments may not be uniform.
- Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.
- When using POACONSTRICTOR, overseed to prevent stand thinning as a result of loss of annual bluegrass loss. Use the rate of POACONSTRICTOR recommended for the overseeded species when overseeding. In mixed stands of established turfgrasses, use the rate recommended for the *least* tolerant species.
- Delay application of POACONSTRICTOR at least 8 weeks after application of a Plant Growth Regulator, although a POACONSTRICTOR program may be initiated on creeping bentgrass 3 weeks after a single application of PRIMO\* has been applied.
- Do not apply POACONSTRICTOR to putting greens.
- Do not apply POACONSTRICTOR to zoysiagrass and hard or fine fescue to avoid serious injury.

# Spray Equipment, Application, and Precautions

Use standard, low-pressure (20 to 50 psi) spray equipment to apply POACONSTRICTOR. Calibrate spray equipment prior to use and frequently check the equipment during application. Use a spray indicator to aid in even application. Prior to and after applying POACONSTRICTOR, thoroughly clean and rinse the spray tank and line.

#### Varietal Tolerance

Ethofumesate (the active ingredient in POACONSTRICTOR) has been used on the following turfgrass cultivars. However, POACONSTRICTOR can be used on other cultivars. Prior to large-scale use of POACONSTRICTOR on cultivars other than listed below, test a small area for tolerance.

• CREEPING BENTGRASS—The following cultivars have shown good to excellent tolerance to POACONSTRICTOR: Carmen, Cobra, Highland, Lopez, Mariner, National, Penncross, Providence, Putter, Southshore, SR1020, and Viper.

Injury has been occasionally noted on Emerald, Penneagle, and Pennlinks cultivars,

POACONSTRICTOR may cause serious injury to Cohansey, Colonial, south German varieties, Egmont, Bardot, Tracenta, Allure, Astoria, and SR7100.

• **DORMANT BERMUDAGRASS**—Tifgreen, Tidwarf and Common bermudagrass are more susceptible to POACONSTRICTOR than hybrid bermudagrass.

**KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS**—Adelphi, American, Aspen, Asset, Challenger, Classic, Emundi, Huntsville, Georgetown, Glade, Haga, Julic, Liberty, Merit, Midnight, Monopoly, Mystic, Parade, Rugby, Sydsport, Touchdown. NOTE: DO NOT APPLY to Explorer, Limousine, Northstar, RAN I and Total Eclipse.

- **PERENNIAL RYEGRASS**—Acclaim, Blazer, Dasker, Derby, Elka, Fiesta, Goalie, Hunter, Linn, Loretta, Manhattan II, Palmer, Pennfine, Regal, Yorktown
- ST. AUGUSTINEGRASS—Raleigh
- TURF-TYPE FALL FESCUE—America, Arid, Mustang

#### **General Recommendations**

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- For fall control of annual bluegrass, begin applications of POACONSTRICTOR during the period of maximum weed germination and end as close to the first killing freeze as possible.
- Spring applications should be made during the period of maximum weed germination. Consult your weed science specialist or university extension service for the recommended application timing in your area. Spring applications are most effective following fall applications.

# SEE CHART BELOW FOR USE RATES AND TIMINGS AND READ TEXT BELOW FOR SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EACH TYPE OF GRASS.

#### **Recommended Rates and Timings**

	Use Rate <sup>1</sup>						Overseeding Safety Interval <sup>3</sup>	Application Safety Interval <sup>4</sup>	
Turf Type	Primary Targets	Application Timing	Oz/Acre	Oz/1000 Sq. Ft.	# of Apps	Application Interval (Days)	(Weeks After Treatment)	(Weeks After Emergence)	
Creeping Bentgrass	Annual Bluegrass	Fall	24	9/16	2-3	21-28	4	4	
		Spring <sup>2</sup>	24	9/16	1-2	21-28			
Kentucky Bluegrass	Annual Bluegrass	Fall	24	9/16	2-3	21-28	6	8	
Ryegrass	Annual Bluegrass	Fall	32-64	3⁄4 - 1½	2-3	21-28	1-2	1-2	
	-	Spring <sup>2</sup>			1-2	21-28			
St. Augustinegrass (Est. Turf)	Bermudagrass Suppression	Spring	48-64	1 1/8 – 2¼	2-3	21-28	NA	NA	
Turf-Type Tall Fescue	Annual Bluegrass	Fall	24-48	3/4 - 11/2	2-3	21-28	0	2-3	
Overseeded (rye	grass) Bermudag	rass:							
Dormant Bermudagrass	Annual Bluegrass	Fall	24-64	9/16 – 1½	2-3	21-28	NA	NA	
Nondormant Bermudagrass	Annual Bluegrass	Fall	32-36	3⁄4 - 7/8	2	21-28	NA	NA	

NA - Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup>Apply POACONSTRICTOR in 20 to 60 gallons of water per acre or 1 to 3 gallons of water per 1000 sq. ft.

<sup>2</sup>Only make spring applications after previous fall treatments.

<sup>3</sup>After the last treatment of POACONSTRICTOR, the interval provided applies to overseeding of the specific grass on same type of grass to which POACONSTRICTOR was applied.

POACONSTRICTOR may be applied to specific grass following seed emergence after the recommended time interval.

# **RECOMMENDATIONS FOR SPECIFIC GRASS TYPES**

# COOL SEASON TURFGRASSES

# **Creeping Bentgrass**

POACONSTRICTOR may be applied to bentgrass as long as the turf is at a length typically found on fairways (or longer). When applying to bentgrass, use the following guidelines.

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- Avoid using POACONSTRICTOR in areas that are heavily shaded and / or poorly drained.
- Creeping bentgrass tolerance to POACONSTRICTOR may be improved by tank mixing POACONSTRICTOR with nitrogen fertilizer (controlled release or soluble) at a rate of 0.1 to 0.25 lb N per 10,000 ft<sup>2</sup>. This may also improve creeping bentgrass conversion in the areas treated.
- Control of annual bluegrass is best achieved by making two applications of POACONSTRICTOR; one in the fall followed by one in the spring.
- POACONSTRICTOR works best in the spring if applied after creeping bentgrass has resumed active growth and is fully green.

When overseeding with creeping bentgrass, use the following guidelines:

- After applying POACONSTRICTOR, wait a minimum of 3 4 weeks before overseeding with bentgrass.
- When an area has been renovated or overseeded with bentgrass, do not apply POACONSTRICTOR until 3 4 weeks after seedling emergence.

# **Kentucky Bluegrass**

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- Delay application of POACONSTRICTOR to bluegrass until at least 8 weeks after emergence.
- Bluegrass overseeded with ryegrass may be treated with POACONSTRICTOR 1 2 weeks after ryegrass emergence.

When overseeding with Kentucky Bluegrass use the following guidelines:

- Wait at least six weeks after the last POACONSTRICTOR application before reseeding with Kentucky bluegrass.
- Note that sod quality during the spring may be diminished following fall applications of POACONSTRICTOR. Alternatives to fall application of POACONSTRICTOR include seeding with dormant bluegrass in the late fall or to delay reseeding until the spring.

# **Perennial Ryegrass**

Control of annual bluegrass in perennial ryegrass is easiest when it is newly emerged, and application of POACONSTRICTOR is made during the primary period of annual bluegrass germination (and up to 30 days after annual bluegrass emergence) in the fall and/or spring. Consult your local Extension Service or university weed specialist for the date(s) that annual bluegrass germinates in your area.

- For best results, apply POACONSTRICTORin both the fall and spring.
- Application in the fall or spring will also reduce competition from selected broadleaf weeds and crabgrass.

When overseeding with perennial ryegrass, use the following guidelines:

- Wait 1 2 weeks (or until the seedlings are approximately 1" tall) before applying POACONSTRICTOR to the seeded area.
- To the extent possible, thatch should be removed from the area being seeded as it can diminish the effectiveness of the POACONSTRICTOR treatment.
- Do not apply mulch or straw to the seeded areas until after POACONSTRICTOR has been applied.

# **Turf-Type Tall Fescue**

Make POACONSTRICTOR applications to turf-type tall fescue in the fall. If overseeding with turf-type tall fescue, application of POACONSTRICTOR may be done at the same time as seeding.

# WARM SEASON TURFGRASSES

St. Augustinegrass (Established Turf)

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POACONSTRICTOR suppresses the development of actively growing Bermudagrass in established St. Augustine sod. Apply POACONSTRICTOR Herbicide to St. Augustinegrass in the spring and early summer to suppress bermudagrass and Bermudagrass seedhead formation and/or for control of annual bluegrass.

Notes regarding applications to St. Augustinegrass:

Do not treat St. Augustinegrass in the first six months after germination.

- Do not treat St. Augustinegrass that is under stress or injury to the turf may result.
- Temporary stunting and minor discoloration of St. Augustinegrass may occur after application. If the St. Augustinegrass shows signs of severe yellowing or stunting, discontinue applications.

Use the following guidelines when applying POACONSTRICTOR to St. Augustinegrass:

- Begin POACONSTRICTOR applications when Bermudagrass first breaks dormancy in the spring. Application timing is critical to achieve optimum results and will vary depending on location and temperature.
- For best results, make multiple applications of POACONSTRICTOR with the second application being made 21 28 days after the first application.
- A third application made 21 28 days after the second application may be necessary for maximum suppression of bermudagrass or annual bluegrass.
- To improve suppression, each application of POACONSTRICTOR may be tank-mixed with (Atrazine at up to 2 lb ai/A for first application and 0.75 lb 1 lb ai/A triazine for second or third application).

#### **Overseeded Dormant Bermudagrass**

Notes regarding applications to Bermudagrass:

- **Do not make** more than two applications of POACONSTRICTOR when treating nondormant bermudagrass. Treatment to turf that is not fully dormant may cause early injury and/or delayed spring green-up.
- Application of POACONSTRICTOR to bermudagrass that is stressed due to shade, poorly drained soils, and high traffic may result in increased turf injury. Avoid use of POACONSTRICTOR or use lower rates under these conditions.

Use the following guidelines when applying POACONSTRICTOR to Bermudagrass:

- To control annual bluegrass, make applications of POACONSTRICTOR in late fall (ideally 1 2 weeks after emergence of overseeded perennial ryegrass) on overseeded bermudagrass.
- When POACONSTRICTOR is applied in late November or early December, applications of 32 36 oz. per acre have shown acceptable control of annual bluegrass with minimum injury to nondormant (or predormant) bermudagrass. If lower rates are used, reduced annual bluegrass, control should be expected. If higher rates are used, increased injury to Bermudagrass may occur?
- One or two supplemental applications made through the winter (at 21 28 day intervals) may assist in controlling annual bluegrass.
- POACONSTRICTOR should not be applied to Bermudagrass in the 4 weeks prior to Breaking winter dormancy. Applications made to Bermudagrass in the 4 weeks prior to breaking dormancy hay temporarily delay the normal start of active growth.

When overseeding bermudagrass, use the following guidelines:

• Common bermudagrass in fairways or roughs may be more susceptible to herbicide injury than hybrid bermudagrass.

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- When making applications to nondormant bermudagrass, POACONSTRICTOR should be kept within areas that are overseeded so that the ryegrass will mask any early injury or late transition in the spring that may occur.
- Using a higher than normal seeding rate may be desirable in order to minimize the appearance of thin turf.

# **POACONSTRICTOR Mixtures with Fertilizers**

# **POACONSTRICTOR Impregnation on Drv Bulk Fertilizers**

POACONSTRICTOR may be impregnated on many dry bulk fertilizers (See "1" below.) and applied for the control of labeled grasses and broadleaf weeds. All POACONSTRICTOR label and supplementary literature instructions and precautions regarding rates per acre, soil type, application, and other directions must be followed. All individual State regulations relating to dry bulk fertilizer blending, registration, labeling and application are the responsibility of the individual and/or company selling the POACONSTRICTOR fertilizer mixtures. A minimum of 200 pounds and a maximum of 700 pounds of approved fertilizer ingredients impregnated with the appropriate amount of POACONSTRICTOR must be applied per acre. For impregnating the pesticide on dry fertilizers, use a closed rotary drum type mixer equipped with suitable spraying equipment. The spray nozzles should be positioned inside of the mixer to provide uniform spray coverage of the tumbling fertilizer. The POACONSTRICTOR should be sprayed uniformly onto the fertilizer using a fine spray pattern.

The physical properties of fertilizers vary, particularly in liquid absorptive capacity. When absorptivity is sufficient, simple spray impregnation of the fertilizer with POACONSTRICTOR provides a satisfactory dry mixture. If the absorptivity is not adequate, use of a highly absorptive powder is required to provide a dry, free-flowing mixture. Microcel E (Johns-Manville Products Corporation) is the recommended absorbent powder. It should be added separately and uniformly to the prepared pesticide/fertilizer mixture in a quantity that is sufficient to provide a suitably free-flowing mixture. Generally, less than 2% by weight of Microcel E is required.

The amount of POACONSTRICTOR actually required in the formulation of specific fertilizer mixtures should be calibrated carefully for each production operation. This is necessary to ensure that the amount of POACONSTRICTOR actually contained in the fertilizer mixture applied to the soil represents the correct dosage rate.

Bulk fertilizers impregnated with POACONSTRICTOR should be applied immediately, NOT STORED.

1. Approved dry fertilizer ingredients for use with POACONSTRICTOR

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# **POACONSTRICTOR Impregnation on Drv Bulk Fertilizers**

POACONSTRICTOR Physical Data				
Density $1.14 \text{ g/cm}^3$				
Pounds/gallon 9.50				
Flashpoint Non-combustible				

#### **POACONSTRICTOR with Liquid Fertilizer**

The following procedure is suggested for evaluation of physical compatibility of POACONSTRICTOR Herbicide in mixtures with liquid fertilizers for spray tank applications.

#### **Material Required**

- 1. POACONSTRICTOR components of tank sizes if intended for use
- 2. Liquid fertilizer to be used
- 3. Adjuvant for fertilizer tank mix: Compex\* or E-Z Mix\*\*
- 4. Two (or more) one quart, wide mouth containers with lids or stoppers
- 5. Measuring spoons (25 ml pipette or graduated cylinder provides more accurate measurement)
- 6. Measuring cup, 8 fl. oz. (237 ml)

\*Compex, Kalo Laboratories, Inc., Kansas City, MO

\*\*E-Z Mix, United Agri-Products, Greeley, CO

#### Procedure

- 1. Pour one pint (473 ml) of the liquid fertilizer into each of the quart containers.
- 2. Add adjuvant(s) to one or more of the containers and mix; follow label directions of adjuvant.
- 3. Add the POACONSTRICTOR and tank mix components to the containers (see rate table below).
- 4. Close the containers with lids or stoppers and mix contents by inverting the containers ten times.
- 5. Inspect the surface and body of mixture:
  - a. immediately after mixing,
  - b. after allowing mixtures to stand quietly for 30 minutes,
  - c. immediately after mixing again (invert the containers ten more times).

If uniform mixture does not occur, the spray tank mixture should not be used. If any of the mixtures remain uniform for 30 minutes, that mixture may be used in spray tank applications. Should any of the mixtures separate after 30 minutes but remix readily into a uniform mixture with inversion of the container, the mixture may be used provided that the adequate agitation is maintained in the spray tank. If a POACONSTRICTOR + fertilizer mixture utilizing an adjuvant is satisfactory, but the one without adjuvant is not, be sure to use the adjuvant in the spray tank at the rate recommended on the label which was used in the test.

If non-dispersible oil, sludge, or clumps of solids form in the mixtures, those combinations should not be used for spray tank application.

Mixtures with Liquid Fertilizers					
Gal. of Liquid Fertilizer to be applied per acreml or tsp of POACONSTRICTOR to be added to fertilizer					
gal	ml	topyes			
20	17.6	3.6			
30	12.0	2.4 3 3.19			
40	9.0	1.9			
50	7.1	1.505			
60	6.0	1.2 33394			

#### **Rate Table for POACONSTRICTOR** Mixtures with Liquid Fertilizers

\*Based on field rate of 3.0 lb. ai/acre (3/4 gal/acre) in the fertilizer volumes indicated. Adjust amount of POACONSTRICTOR added proportionately to correspond with intended field use rate recommended.on POACONSTRICTOR label. Add the proportionate amount of tank mix component.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Storage: Protect POACONSTRICTOR from freezing temperatures.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of

Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed 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.

# <u>Container Disposal: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Clean container promptly after emptying.</u>

[Containers less than 5 gallons] Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

[For containers larger than 5 gallons] Triple rinse or pressure rinse as follows:

Triple rinse: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times.

Pressure rinse: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and continue to drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Hold container upside down over application equipment or mix tank or collect rinsate for later use or disposal. Insert pressure rinsing nozzle in the side of the container, and rinse at about 40 psi for at least 30 seconds. Drain for 10 seconds after flow begins to drip.

Then offer for recycling if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities

**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.

# DO NOT REUSE EMPTY CONTAINER

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