



U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Office of Pesticide Programs
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Reg. Number:

71653-14

Date of Issuance:

5/27/22

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

Registration
 Reregistration
(under FIFRA, as amended)

Term of Issuance:

Unconditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

CAN-BOR

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Genics, Inc.
561 Acheson Rd- 53016 Hwy 60; Acheson Industrial Park
Spruce Grove, AB T7X 3G7
CANADA

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Antimicrobials 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 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/registration review of your product when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.

Signature of Approving Official:

Marcel Howard, Acting PM 34
Regulatory Management Branch II
Antimicrobials Division (7510M)

Date:

5/27/22

2. Make the following label changes before you release the product for shipment:
 - Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, “EPA Reg. No. 71653-14.”
3. The data requirements for storage stability and corrosion characteristics (Guidelines 830.6317 and 830.6320) must be provided. A one-year study is required to satisfy these data requirements. You have 18 months from the date of registration to provide these data.
4. Submit one copy of the revised final printed label for the record before you release the product for shipment.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company’s website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product’s label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA’s Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. Please also note that the record for this product currently contains the following CSFs:

- Basic CSF dated 04/06/2022
- Alternate Formulation #1 dated 04/06/2022

If you have any questions, please contact Lorena Rivas, via email at rivas.lorena@epa.gov.

Enclosure: Stamped Label



CAN-BOR

INSECTICIDE AND FUNGICIDE

A preservative for protection and treatment of wood against fungal decay and wood destroying insects including termites.

For the prevention and remedial control of wood infesting organisms including: Termites, Drywood Termites, Wood Destroying Beetles Decay Fungi and Carpenter Ants**

****Also for Wood Foam Composite Structural Components**

Active Ingredient:

Disodium Octaborate Tetrahydrate
(CAS No. 12280-03-4)98%

Other Ingredient+2%

+Contains 2% H₂O – Absorbed Moisture

Keep Out of Reach of Children

CAUTION

EPA Reg. No. 71653-RU
EPA Est. 71653-CAN-01

FIRST AID

If Swallowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Immediately call a poison control center or doctor 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. • Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. • Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice
<p>Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1800-424-9300 for emergency medical treatment information.</p>	

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards To Humans & Domestic Animals

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

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Some materials that are chemical-resistant to this product are barrier laminate; butyl, nitrile, neoprene and natural rubbers ≥ 14 mils; polyethylene; polyvinyl chloride; and viton ≥ 14 mils. If you want more options, follow the instructions for category C on an EPA chemical-resistance category selection chart. Applicators, mixers and other handlers must wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants, socks, shoes, chemical-resistant gloves and protective eyewear. When applying this product in confined spaces, provide ventilation or an exhaust system; or use a NIOSH-approved dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C) with a prefilter approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval prefix TC-23C); or use a canister approved for pesticides (MSHA/NIOSH approval prefix TC-14G) or a NIOSH-approved respirator with any N,R, P or HE prefilter.

User Safety Requirements

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.

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.

ACCEPTED

May 27, 2022

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 71653-14

Environmental Hazards

This pesticide is toxic to fish and wildlife. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment washwaters.

NOTICE

Read and understand the entire label before using. Use only according to label directions.

Before buying or using this product, read the **Warranty Disclaimer** and **Limitation of Remedies** statements found elsewhere on this label. If terms are unacceptable, return unopened package to seller for full refund of purchase price. Otherwise, use by the buyer or any other user constitutes acceptance of the terms under **Warranty Disclaimer** and **Limitation of Remedies**.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

General Information

CAN-BOR is a water soluble, inorganic borate salt with insecticidal and fungicidal properties effective against wood-destroying organisms including the target pests listed below. Apply **CAN-BOR** as a liquid solution, powder or foam. **CAN-BOR** is an effective treatment for wood (and wood-foam composite structural components) to kill and prevent infestations of decay fungi including white rot, brown rot (i.e., *Poria*) and wet rots. This product may be used for preventative treatment (before signs of infestation), for wood in existing structures and for remedial treatment of infested wood in existing structures. **CAN-BOR** is also effective for the prevention and control of wood destroying insects such as, but not limited to, the following organisms: **Subterranean Termites** (*Reticulitermes*, *Heterotermes*, *Coptotermes* (Formosan)), **Drywood Termites** (*Kaloterms*, *Incisitermes*), **Dampwood Termites** (*Zootermopsis*), **Powderpost Beetles** (*Lyctidae*), **"False" Powderpost Beetles** (*Bostrichidae*), **Deathwatch and Furniture Beetles** (*Anobiidae*), **Old House Borers**, **Longhorn Beetles** (*Cerambycidae*), **Carpenter Ants** (*Camponotus*), **Bark and Timber Beetles** (*Scolytidae*).

CAN-BOR is recommended for wood and cellulose material in accordance with the specific treatment methods described herein. **CAN-BOR** is effective for all interior and exterior wood (and wood-foam composite structural components) that will be protected from excessive rain and not in direct contact with the soil. Types of wood include, but are not limited to, all types of lumber, logs and plywood. This product kills wood-destroying organisms. Some etching of treated wood may occur from organisms before they die. Do not apply **CAN-BOR** to wood or cellulose material that has been painted, varnished or sealed. For best results, apply **CAN-BOR** to bare wood. Use soap and water to clean application equipment.

Note: Spraying water on some wood species can mobilize natural wood extractives, raise the grain and leave behind calcium or other deposits. Prior to treating large areas, treat a small area with **CAN-BOR** solution to ensure that you are satisfied with the final aesthetics.

Preparation of Treatment Solutions

10% CAN-BOR Liquid Solution: To prepare solution, add approximately 80% of the required volume of water to the mixing vessel. While stirring, gradually add 1.0 pound of **CAN-BOR** for each gallon of treating solution required. Add remaining water to the solution and stir until the entire product has dissolved.

15% CAN-BOR Liquid Solution: Prepare solution as above, but gradually add 1.5 pounds of **CAN-BOR** for each gallon of treatment solution needed. Use this solution as soon as possible and do not store for an extended length of time.

15% CAN-BOR Foam: Prepare a 15% liquid solution as described above and also add a surfactant-foaming agent. Generally, 12 ounces of a foaming agent, added to the 15% liquid solution, produces a dry foam with the desired expansion ratio of approximately 20 to 1 (20 gallons of foam per 1 gallon of liquid solution). The **CAN-BOR** Foam should be of a "dry" consistency that adheres to wood surfaces so that run-off is minimized. A "wet" foam may damage wallboard or other building components. Refer to the individual foam equipment manufacturer's manual and the surfactant's label for specific instructions.

Wash and rinse all equipment after each use.

General Application Instructions

CAN-BOR as a liquid solution: **CAN-BOR** liquid applications may be made to wood structures including decks, fences, steps, sheds, barns and other outbuildings. Such structures must be protected from excess rain. On wood with drier than normal moisture content, apply by brush or spray two applications of a 10% solution to wood surfaces. On wood with normal moisture content, apply by brush or spray one application of a 15% solution to wood surfaces. Application may also be made by drilling and then injecting the solution under pressure into sound wood or into the insect galleries of infested wood. **CAN-BOR** may be applied as a foam to wood surfaces or injected into wall voids or insect galleries.

Remedial and Preventative Treatment

CAN-BOR Solutions for the Control of Wood Destroying Organisms and to Kill Active Infestations of Termites, Powderpost Beetles and Wood Decay Fungi: For remedial control of wood attacking organisms or for the protection of wood against future infestations, two applications of a 10% liquid solution are required. One application of a 15% liquid solution may be used. Apply **CAN-BOR** solutions by brush or spray at the rate of 5 gallons of liquid solution per 1000 square feet of wood surface area. Thoroughly wet wood surface area. Application may also be made by drilling and then injecting the liquid solution under pressure into sound wood or until run-off is observed coming from entry/exit holes of infested wood.

CAN-BOR Powder to Kill and Control Wood Destroying Organisms, Such as Termites and Carpenter Ants: Apply **CAN-BOR** as is to wood members by drilling and injecting the powder into galleries or by dusting generously on wood surfaces. **CAN-BOR** powder can also be injected or dusted into wall voids such as between studs, block voids, box sills, eaves, attics, soffits, etc. Apply **CAN-BOR** powder to these areas at the rate of 0.5 ounce (12-14 grams) per square foot.

CAN-BOR Foam: In wall voids, inject enough dry foam to contact wood surfaces of studs in the wall or the entire desired target area. Apply foam, where possible, to abutting wood surfaces and between wood joints. Apply the foam so that all accessible wood surfaces are covered with foam. **CAN-BOR** foam can also be injected into insect galleries until run-off is observed.

Storage and Disposal

(1.5 lb bag • 250 lb. drum • 1500 lb. super sack)

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in a dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access.

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: Non-refillable container; do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse (or equivalent) container then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration.

Storage and Disposal

(25 lb. bucket)

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in a dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access.

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: Refillable Container; refill this container with only Disodium Octaborate Tetrahydrate. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or mix tank. Fill the container about 10% full with water. Agitate vigorously or recirculate water with a pump for 2 minutes. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times, then offer container for recycling, if available; or reconditioning, if appropriate; or dispose of container in a sanitary landfill

Warranty Disclaimer

Manufacturer warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on the label when used in strict accordance with the directions, subject to the inherent risks set forth below. **MANUFACTURER MAKES NO OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY.**

Inherent Risks of Use

The directions for use of this product are believed to be adequate and must be carefully followed. It is impossible to eliminate all risks associated with use of this product. Lack of performance or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as use of the product contrary to label instructions, abnormal conditions, the presence of other materials, climatic conditions or the manner of application, all of which are beyond the control of the Manufacturer. The buyer/user assumes all such risks.

Limitation of Remedies

To the extent not prohibited by applicable law, the exclusive remedy for losses or damages resulting from this product (including claims based on contract, negligence, strict liability or other legal theories) shall be limited to, at Manufacturer's election, one of the following:

1. Refund of purchase price paid by buyer or user for product bought, or
2. Replacement of amount of product used.

To the extent not prohibited by applicable law: a) Manufacturer shall not be liable for losses or damages resulting from handling or use of this product unless Manufacturer is promptly notified of such loss or damage in writing; and b) **IN NO CASE SHALL MANUFACTURER BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES OR LOSSES, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMIT, HEALTH RELATED DAMAGES OR INJURIES.** The terms of this **Warranty Disclaimer** and **Limitation of Remedies** cannot be varied by any written or verbal statements or agreements. No employee or sales agent of Manufacturer or the seller is authorized to vary or exceed the terms of this **Warranty Disclaimer** or **Limitation of Remedies** in any manner.