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Subject: Non-PRIA (Pesticide Registration Improvement Act) Labeling Amendment – To Update

the Restricted-Entry Interval (REI) to 12 Hours

Product Name: Serifel Biofungicide EPA Registration Number: 71840-18 Application Date: 04/08/2019

Action Case Number: 74884

Dear Ms. Butts:

The amended labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable.

This approval does not affect any terms or conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing terms or conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one (1) copy of the final printed labeling before you release this product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR § 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR § 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to your company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA and is subject to review by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). If the website is false or misleading, the product will be considered to be misbranded and sale or distribution of the product is unlawful under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR § 156.10(a)(5) lists examples of statements the EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims

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made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the EPA 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 Assurance.

Your release for shipment of this product constitutes acceptance of these terms. If these terms are not complied with, this registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6.

If you have any questions, please contact Daniel Schoeff via email at schoeff.daniel@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

DANIEL Digitally signed by DANIEL SCHOEFF

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Bacillus amyloliquefaciens strain MBI 600

Group

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Fungicide

Serifel®

Biofungicide

{Alternate Brand Name: Serifel® M Biofungicide}

Sub-label A: Serifel is an agricultural biofungicide/bactericide product for suppression of plant diseases in listed crops.



Sub-label B: Serifel is an agricultural biofungicide product for use in mushroom production.

Active Ingredient:

Bacillus amyloliquefaciens strain MBI 600*†	11.0%
Other Ingredients:	89.0%
Total:	100.0%

^{*}Serifel contains a minimum of 5.5 x 10¹⁰ colony forming units per gram.

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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.)

See inside for complete First Aid, Precautionary Statements, Directions For Use, Conditions of Sale and Warranty, and state-specific crop and/or use site restrictions.

In case of an emergency endangering life or property involving this product, call day or night 1-800-832-HELP (4357).

Batch Code: (Printed on Bottle)

Net Weight:

BASF Corporation 26 Davis Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

ACCEPTED

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under

EPA Reg. No. 71840-18

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FIRST AID

If in eyes

- Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes.
- Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

HOTLINE NUMBER

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact BASF Corporation for emergency medical treatment information at 1-800-832-HELP (4357).

Precautionary Statements

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Shoes plus socks
- Protective eyewear
- A NIOSH-approved particulate respirator with any R or P filter with NIOSH approval number prefix TC-84A; or a NIOSH-approved powered air purifying respirator with an HE filter with NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C. (Repeated exposure to high concentrations of microbial proteins can cause allergic sensitization.)

Follow the manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and 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:

- Remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product.
 As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

Environmental Hazards

For terrestrial uses, **DO NOT** apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. **DO NOT** contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

Directions For Use

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. **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 State or Tribal 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 (REI). 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) of **12 hours**.

EXCEPTION: If the product is soil injected or soil incorporated, the Worker Protection Standard, under certain circumstances, allows workers to enter the treated area if there will be no contact with anything that has been treated.

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
- Chemical-resistant gloves (made of any waterproof material)
- Shoes plus socks
- Protective eyewear

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

DO NOT contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

Pesticide Storage

Store in a cool, dry place until used. **DO NOT** store this product near food, feed, seed, fertilizers, or other pesticides.

Pesticide Disposal

To avoid wastes, use all material in this container by application according to label directions. If wastes cannot be avoided, offer remaining product to a waste disposal facility or pesticide disposal program (often such programs are run by state or local governments or by industry).

Container Handling

Nonrefillable Container. DO NOT reuse or refill this container. Clean container promptly after emptying.

Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container 1/4 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. **DO NOT** burn, unless allowed by state and local ordinances. If burned, stay out of smoke.

In Case of Emergency

In case of large-scale spill of this product, call:

• CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300

• BASF Corporation 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

In case of medical emergency regarding this product, call:

- Your local doctor for immediate treatment
- Your local poison control center (hospital)
- BASF Corporation 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

Product Information

This package contains **Serifel® biofungicide**, a wettable powder (WP). The active ingredient in **Serifel** is *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* strain MBI 600, a beneficial microbe providing suppression of listed foliar and soilborne plant diseases. Apply **Serifel** preventively in low to medium disease pressure situations. **Serifel** can be applied as a foliar spray, a directed or banded spray, a soil or plant drench, as an in-furrow application, or through chemigation. **Serifel** can be applied alone or in a tank mix with other registered pest control products, unless otherwise noted in **Table 2. Crop-specific Directions**. Apply **Serifel** in a regularly scheduled protective spray program and use in a rotation program with other registered pesticide products. Under higher disease pressure situations, **Serifel** can be tank mixed with other registered pesticide products.

Label statement required by the State of Oregon

Information regarding the contents and levels of metals in this product is available on the Internet at http://www.aapfco.org/metals.html

Integrated Pest Management (IPM)

Serifel can be integrated into an overall disease and pest management program. Follow cultural practices known to reduce disease development. Consult your local extension specialist, certified crop advisor and/or BASF representative for additional IPM strategies established for your area. **Serifel** may be used in agricultural extension advisory (disease forecasting) programs, which recommend application timing based on environmental factors favorable for disease development.

Application Instructions

Apply rates of **Serifel** as instructed by **Table 2. Crop-specific Directions**. Apply **Serifel** with ground equipment or through sprinkler irrigation equipment. Equipment must be checked frequently for calibration. If heavy rainfall or irrigation occurs shortly after application, reapplication of **Serifel** may be necessary.

Under low-level disease conditions, the minimum application rates can be used while maximum application rates and shortened spray schedules are to be used for severe or threatening disease conditions. Tank mixing **Serifel** with other registered pesticide products can also improve performance.

Cleaning Spray Equipment

Spraying equipment must be cleaned thoroughly before and after applying this product, particularly if a product with potential to injure crops was used prior to **Serifel**.

Consult BASF Representatives for additional information regarding agitation and recirculation.

Foliar Ground Applications

Apply **Serifel** in sufficient water to ensure thorough coverage of foliage, bloom, and fruit. Thorough coverage is required. Complete coverage of the stem, all the way down to the soil, is required for suppression of soilborne diseases of the stem.

Maintain agitation of product during the application process. Apply the product mixture shortly after mixing. **DO NOT** store mixed slurries of **Serifel** overnight.

In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications

Apply **Serifel** as a water-based suspension alone or with other registered pest control products and fertilizers labeled for in-furrow or soil drench via standard agricultural application machinery. Prior to mixing, determine physical compatibility by mixing proportional quantities of the products in water as described in the **Compatibility Test for Tank Mix Components** section of this label. Maintain agitation of product during the application process. Apply

the product mixture shortly after mixing. **DO NOT** store mixed slurries of **Serifel® biofungicide** overnight.

For in-furrow, shanked-in, injected, or soil drench applications, mix 4 to 16 ounces by weight of Serifel with a water volume appropriate for the crop and application type. Use higher rates and consider mixing with other registered pesticide products when conditions favor heavy disease development.

For soil drench applications at planting for seeding or transplants, apply a spray mixture of **Serifel** with

adequate water volume to thoroughly drench through the root zone.

For shanked-in and injected applications, the use of **Serifel** can be prior to planting, at planting or after planting of seed or transplants.

For in-furrow applications, apply Serifel as an infurrow spray using the appropriate amount of water for the specific crop. Making a pre-slurry suspension of Serifel may help disperse Serifel and improve equipment compatibility at lower application volumes.

Table 1. Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications of Serifel

Rate Per 1000 row feet		Serifel Rate (ozs/A)								
(ozs product)	12-inch rows	15-inch rows	20-inch rows	22-inch rows	30-inch rows	32-inch rows	34-inch rows	36-inch rows	38-inch rows	40-inch rows
0.3	13.1	10.4	7.8	7.1	5.2	4.9	4.6	4.4	4.1	4.0
0.4	see footnote ¹	13.9	10.4	9.5	7.0	6.5	6.1	5.8	5.5	5.2
0.5	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	13.1	11.9	8.7	8.2	7.7	7.3	6.9	6.6
0.6	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	15.7	14.2	10.4	9.8	9.2	8.7	8.2	7.9
0.7	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	12.2	11.4	10.7	10.2	9.6	9.2
0.8	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	13.9	13.0	12.3	11.6	11.0	10.5
0.9	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	see footnote ¹	15.7	14.7	13.8	13.1	12.3	11.8
1.0	see footnote ¹	15.4	14.5	13.7	13.1					
1.1	see footnote ¹	16.0	15.1	14.4						
1.2	see footnote ¹	15.7								

Application Directions. Use 0.3 to 1.2 ozs of **Serifel** per 1000 feet of row. Refer to this chart to determine the rate per acre. Apply at planting as an in-furrow application by directing the spray into the furrow before seed is covered.

DO NOT apply more than 16 ozs (1 lb) per acre of **Serifel**.

¹ For 40-inch rows, use a maximum of 1.2 ozs of **Serifel** per 1000 row feet.

For 36- to 38-inch rows, use a maximum of 1.1 ozs of **Serifel** per 1000 row feet.

For 34-inch rows, use a maximum of 1.0 oz of Serifel per 1000 row feet.

For 30- to 32-inch rows, use a maximum of 0.9 oz of **Serifel** per 1000 row feet.

For 20- to 22-inch rows, use a maximum of 0.6 oz of **Serifel** per 1000 row feet.

For 15-inch rows, use a maximum of 0.4 oz of **Serifel** per 1000 row feet.

For 12-inch rows, use a maximum of 0.3 oz of **Serifel** per 1000 row feet.

Instructions for Directed or Banded Sprays Related to Ground Applications

The application rates shown in **Table 2. Crop-specific Directions** on this label reflect the amount of product to be applied uniformly over an acre of ground on a broadcast basis. In some crops, **Serifel® biofungicide** may be used as a directed or banded spray over the rows or plant beds with the alleys or row middles left unsprayed. For such uses, reduce the labeled **Serifel** rates in proportion to the area actually sprayed. This adjustment is necessary to avoid applying the product at use rates higher than permitted according to label directions. The following formula may be used to determine the broadcast equivalent rate for doing directed or banded sprays:

Example: A directed spray application will be made to 45-inch plant beds that are separated by 15-inch unsprayed row middles.

The calculation to determine the appropriate equivalent rate of product to use for this situation based on a label broadcast rate of 4 ozs/acre follows:

45 inches		4 ozs		3 ozs
sprayed bed width	~	Serifel	_	Serifel
60 inches	^	treated acre	_	field acre

Directions for Use through Sprinkler Chemigation Systems

Sprayer Preparation

Clean chemical tank and injector system thoroughly. Flush system with clean water.

Application Instructions

Apply **Serifel** at rates and timings as described in this label.

Use Precautions for Sprinkler Irrigation Applications

- Apply this product only through sprinkler (including center pivot, lateral move, end tow, side (wheel) roll, traveler, big gun, solid set, or hand move) irrigation systems.
 DO NOT apply this product through any other type of irrigation system.
- Add **Serifel** to the pesticide supply tank under agitation containing sufficient water to maintain a continuous flow

- by the injection equipment. In continuous moving systems, inject this product-water mixture continuously, applying the labeled rate per acre for that crop.
- **DO NOT** exceed 1/2 inch (13,577 gallons) per acre. In stationary or noncontinuous moving systems, inject the product-water mixture in the last 15 to 30 minutes of each set allowing sufficient time for all of the required pesticide to be applied by all the sprinkler heads and applying the labeled rate per acre for that crop.
- DO NOT apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.
- Crop injury, lack of effectiveness, or illegal pesticide residues in the crop can result from non-uniform distribution of treated water. Thorough coverage of foliage is required for good suppression. Maintain good agitation during the entire application period.
- If you have questions about calibration, you should contact State Extension Service specialists, equipment manufacturers or other experts.
- The system must contain a functional check valve, vacuum relief valve, and low pressure drain appropriately located on the irrigation pipeline to prevent water source contamination from backflow.
- The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- The pesticide injection pipeline must also contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being withdrawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.
- The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.
- The irrigation line or water pump must include a functional pressure switch, which will stop the water pump motor when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.
- Systems must use a metering pump, such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock.
- Allow sufficient time for pesticide to be flushed through all lines and all nozzles before turning off irrigation water.
- DO NOT connect an irrigation system (including green-house systems) used for pesticide application to a public water system unless the pesticide label-prescribed safety devices for public water systems are in place.
- A person knowledgeable of the chemigation system and responsible for its operation, or under the supervision of

the responsible person, shall shut the system down and make necessary adjustments should the need arise.

Specific Instructions for Public Water Systems

- Public water system means a system for the provision to the public of piped water for human consumption if such system has at least 15 service connections or regularly serves an average of at least 25 individuals daily at least 60 days out of the year.
- 2. Chemigation systems connected to public water systems must contain a functional, reduced-pressure zone, backflow preventer (RPZ) or the functional equivalent in the water supply line upstream from the point of pesticide introduction. As an option to the RPZ, the water from the public water system should be discharged into a reservoir tank prior to pesticide introduction. There shall be a complete physical break (air gap) between the flow outlet end of the fill pipe and the top or overflow rim of the reservoir tank of at least twice the inside diameter of the fill pipe.
- 3. The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- 4. The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being withdrawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.
- 5. The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops, or in cases where there is no water pump, when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.
- 6. Systems must use a metering pump, such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock.
- 7. The pesticide supply tank must be under agitation containing sufficient water to maintain a continuous flow by the injection equipment. In continuous moving systems, inject this product-water mixture continuously, applying the labeled rate per acre for that crop.
- 8. **DO NOT** apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.

Additives and Tank Mixing Information

Serifel® biofungicide can be tank mixed with most recommended registered pest control products, liquid fertilizers, biological control products, adjuvants, and additives as specified in **Table 2. Crop-specific Directions**. Before using any tank mix (bactericides, fungicides, insecticides, herbicides, liquid fertilizers, biological control products, adjuvants, and additives), test the combination on a small portion of the crop to be treated to ensure that

a phytotoxic response will not occur as a result of application.

Consult a BASF representative or local agricultural authorities for more information concerning additives.

If tank mixes are used, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures.

Compatibility Test for Tank Mix Components

Using a suitable container, add proportional amounts of product to water following the tank mixing order below.

Tank Mix Components

- 1. **Water.** For 100 gallons per acre spray volume, use 16 cups (1 gallon) of water. For other spray volumes, adjust rates accordingly. Use only water from the intended source at the source temperature.
- Water-dispersible products (dry flowables, wettable powders, suspension concentrates, or suspoemulsions).
 Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- Water-soluble products. Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- Emulsifiable concentrates (oil concentrate or methylated seed oil when applicable). Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- 5. **Water-soluble additives.** Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- 6. Let the solution stand for 5 minutes.

Evaluate the solution for uniformity and stability. The spray solution should not have free oil on the surface, nor fine particles that precipitate to the bottom, nor thick (clabbered) texture. Simulate tank agitation by inverting the jar for another 10 cycles to ensure that the mixture resuspends. If the tank mix combination does not settle or can be resuspended by agitation, it is considered physically compatible. **DO NOT** use any spray solution that could clog spray nozzles.

Mixing Order

- Water Begin by agitating a thoroughly clean sprayer tank 3/4 full of clean water. The pH of the spray solution must be between 4 and 9. The product mixture must be applied shortly after mixing. DO NOT store mixed slurries of Serifel overnight.
- 2. **Agitation** Maintain constant agitation throughout mixing and application.
- 3. **Inductor** If an inductor is used, rinse it thoroughly after each component has been added.
- 4. Products in polyvinyl alcohol (PVA) bags Place any product contained in water-soluble PVA bags into the mixing tank. Wait until all water-soluble PVA bags have fully dissolved and the product is evenly mixed in the spray tank before continuing.

- 5. Water-dispersible products (such as Serifel® biofungicide, dry flowables, wettable powders, suspension concentrates, or suspensions).
- 6. Water-soluble products
- 7. **Emulsifiable concentrates** (such as oil concentrates when applicable).
- 8. **Water-soluble additives** (such as ammonium sulfate (AMS) or urea ammonium nitrate (UAN) when applicable).
- 9. Remaining quantity of water

Make sure that each component is thoroughly mixed and suspended before adding tank mix partners. Maintain constant agitation during application. See **Table 2**. **Crop-specific Directions** for more details.

Restrictions and Limitations

- Crop Rotation Restriction None
- Preharvest Interval (PHI) 0 Day
- Re-entry Interval (REI) 12 hours
- Not for use in California on crops and diseases marked with an asterisk (*) in Table 2. Crop-specific Directions

Table 2. Crop-specific Directions

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Alfalfa and Clover[*] Includes alfalfa and clover mixed with forage grasses	Foliar Diseases White mold[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For White mold, begin application shortly after emergence or transplanting and repeat on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed.
			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Artichoke[*]	Foliar Diseases Alternaria leaf spot[*] (Alternaria spp.) Anthracnose[*] (Colletotrichum spp.)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications before infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pres-
	Botrytis gray mold[*] (Botrytis spp.) Powdery mildew[*] (Leveillula taurica) Ramularia leaf spot[*]		sitorter interval when disease pressure is high. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	(Ramularia cynarae) Soil Diseases Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.) Rhizoctonia crown rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
	Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)		

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Asparagus[*]	Foliar Diseases Alternaria leaf spot[*] (Alternaria spp.) Anthracnose[*] (Colletotrichum spp.) Botrytis gray mold[*] (Botrytis spp.) Phytophthora spear and crown rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.) Watery soft rot[*]	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	(Sclerotinia spp.) Soil Diseases Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.) Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

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Berries and small fruits subgroups[*]	Foliar Diseases	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Mummy berry, begin applications at bud break and continue
Bushberry subgroup	Alternaria fruit rot (Alternaria spp.)	(0.23 to 1.0 lb/A)	on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed.
Blueberry (highbush and lowbush) Currant	Anthracnose (Colletotrichum spp.)		For Alternaria fruit rot, Anthracnose, Botrytis gray
Elderberry Gooseberry	Bacterial canker[*] (Pseudomonas spp.)		mold, and Powdery mildew, begin applications prior to infection
Huckleberry Caneberry subgroup	Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.)		and continue on 2- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the
Blackberry (all varieties) Loganberry Raspberry (black and red)	Mummy berry (Monilinia spp.)		higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high.
Wild raspberry Low growing berry subgroup (except strawberry) Bearberry Bilberry Cloudberry	Powdery mildew (Microsphaera spp.[*], Podosphaera spp., Sphaerotheca spp.)		For Bacterial canker, apply before fall rains and again during dormancy prior to spring growth. Apply prior to disease development and continue on 2- to 10-day intervals as needed throughout the growing season.
Cranberry Lingonberry			For Cranberries, make application only to non-flooded fields.
Muntries Partridgeberry			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform
Small fruit vine climbing subgroup (except fuzzy kiwifruit and grape) Amur river grape Gooseberry Kiwifruit, hardy Maypop Schisandra berry			dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Brassica (cole) leafy vegetables group[*]	Foliar Diseases Alternaria leaf spot[*]	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 3- to
Head and stem	(Alternaria spp.)		10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease develop-
Broccoli Broccoli, Chinese Brussels sprouts	Botrytis gray mold[*] (Botrytis spp.)		ment. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pres-
Cabbage Cabbage, Chinese (napa)	Downy mildew[*] (Peronospora spp.)		sure is high. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient
Cabbage, Chinese mustard Cauliflower Cavalo broccolo Kohlrabi	Pin rot[*] (Alternaria spp./ Xanthomonas spp. complex)		water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
Leafy greens Broccoli raab Cabbage, Chinese	Powdery mildew[*] (Erysiphe polygoni)		
(bok choy) Collards	Rust[*] (Puccinia porri)		
Kale Mizuna Mustard greens	White rust[*] (Albugo candida)		
Mustard spinach	Soil Diseases		See Application Instructions for
Rape greens	Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.)		In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications.
	Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.)		Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
	Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.)		
	Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		
	Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)		

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Bulb vegetables group[*] Chive, fresh leaves Chive, Chinese, fresh leaves Daylily, bulb Elegans hosta Fritillaria, bulb Fritillaria, leaves Garlic, bulb Garlic, great-headed, bulb Garlic, serpent, bulb Kurrat Lady's leek Leek Leek, wild Lily, bulb	Foliar Diseases Botrytis leaf blight and neck rot[*] (Botrytis spp.) Downy mildew[*] (Peronospora spp.) Powdery mildew[*] (Erysiphe spp.) Purple blotch[*] (Alternaria porri) Stemphylium leaf blight and stalk rot[*] (Stemphylium vesicarium) White rot[*] (Sclerotium cepivorum)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
Onion, Beltsville bunching Onion, bulb Onion, Chinese, bulb Onion, fresh Onion, green Onion, macrostem Onion, pearl Onion, potato, bulb Onion, tree, tops Onion, Welsh, tops Shallot, bulb Shallot, fresh leaves	Soil Diseases Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Pink root[*] (Phoma spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.) Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.

Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Calamondin Citron Citrus hybrids Grapefruit Kumquat Lemon Lime Mediterranean mandarin Orange (sour and sweet) Pummelo Satsuma mandarin Tangelo Tangerine Tangor	Alternaria leaf spot (Alternaria spp.) Citrus canker[*] (Xanthomonas campestris pv. citri) Greasy spot (Mycosphaerella citri) Melanose (Diaporthe citri) Post bloom fruit drop (Colletotrichum spp.) Scab[*] (Elsinoe fawcettii)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Greasy spot, begin applications at the start of each new flush of foliage and repeat for each new flush. Tank mix Serifel with labeled spray oil or copper-based fungicide products. For Post bloom fruit drop, begin applications at early bloom when conditions are favorable for disease development. Continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. For Alternaria leaf spot, begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. For Melanose, begin applications at petal fall and continue on 14- to 21-day intervals as needed. For Citrus canker, apply when environmental conditions are conducive to disease development and continue on 7- to 14-day intervals if needed. For Scab, apply at the first new flush of foliage and repeat at petal fall and when fruit are 1/2 inch in diameter. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	Soil Diseases Phytophthora root rot[*]		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications.
OPTIONAL TEXT: * Not registered	(Phytophthora spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.)		Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.

Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Cucurbit vegetables group[*] Chayote Chinese waxgourd Citron melon Cucumber Gherkin Pumpkin Watermelon Edible gourd Chinese okra Cucuzza Hyotan Momordica spp. Balsam apple Balsam pear Bitter melon Chinese cucumber Muskmelon Cantaloupe Casaba Crenshaw melon Golden pershaw melon Honey balls Honeydew melon Mango melon Persian melon Santa Claus melon Snake melon	Foliar Diseases Alternaria leaf spot (Alternaria spp.) Anthracnose (Colletotrichum spp.) Downy mildew (Pseudoperonospora spp.) Gummy stem blight (Didymella bryoniae) Powdery mildew (Erysiphe spp., Sphaerotheca spp.) Soil Diseases Charcoal rot[*] (Macrophomina phaseolina) Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.) Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani) Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue. See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
Summer squash Crookneck squash Scallop squash Straightneck squash Vegetable marrow Zucchini Winter squash Acorn squash Butternut squash Calabaza Hubbard squash Spaghetti squash	Vine decline[*] (Monosporascus cannonballus)		

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Corn[*] Field corn Popcorn Seed production Silage corn Sweet corn	Foliar Diseases Common rust[*] (Puccinia sorghi) Southern leaf blight[*] (Bipolaris maydis)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. Mix Serifel with a labeled corn fungicide. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient
			water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	Soil Diseases		See Application Instructions for
(N pt) Fus (For Phy)	Charcoal rot[*] (Macrophomina phaseolina)		In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume
	Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.)		to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
	Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.)		
	Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.)		
	Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		

Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Fruiting vegetables group[*] Eggplant Groundcherry Pepino Pepper (all varieties) Tomatillo Tomato Foliar Diseases Anthracnose (Colletotrichum spp.) Bacterial speck[*] (Pseudomonas spp.) Bacterial spot[*] (Xanthomonas spp.) Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.) Buckeye rot (Phytophthora parasitica) Early blight (Alternaria spp.) Late blight (Phytophthora infestans) Powdery mildew	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Bacterial spot, Bacterial speck and Target spot, begin applications shortly after emergence or transplanting and continue on 2- to 7-day intervals if conditions are conducive to disease development. For improved suppression of bacterial spot and
(Erysiphe spp., Leveillula spp., Oidiopsis spp., Sphaerotheca spp.) Target spot[*] (Corynespora cassiicola) Soil Diseases Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.) Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani) Sclerotinia stem rot[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum) Southern blight[*] (Sclerotium rolfsii) Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)		speck, tank mix or rotate with labeled copper-based bactericides. For Anthracnose, Botrytis gray mold, Buckeye rot and Powdery mildew, begin application shortly after emergence or transplanting and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. For Early blight and Late blight, apply when plants are 4 to 6 inches tall and continue on 5- to 10-day intervals as needed. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue. See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone. Complete coverage of the stem, all the way down to the soil, is required for suppression of soilborne diseases of the stem.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Сгор	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Fuzzy Kiwi[*]	Foliar Diseases	4 to 16 ozs/A	For Botrytis, begin applications
	Botrytis Fruit Rot[*] (Botrytis cinerea)	(0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	prior to disease development. Use higher rates and shorter intervals when disease pressure is high.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Grape[*]	Botryosphaeria dieback, including Black dead arm, Botryosphaeria canker and Diplodia cane dieback[*] (Botryosphaeria spp.,	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Powdery mildew and Phomopsis, begin foliar applications at bud break or prior to onset of disease. Repeat applications on 5- to 10-day intervals as needed. For Downy mildew, begin appli-
	Diplodia spp., Dothiorella spp., Lasiodiplodia spp., Neofusicoccum spp.,		cations before pre-bloom and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed.
	Sphaeropsis spp.) Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.)		For Botrytis gray mold and Summer bunch rot, begin appli- cations prior to disease development when conditions
	Downy mildew[*] (Plasmopara viticola)		favor the development of Botrytis and summer bunch rot such as during early bloom, bunch preclo-
	Esca, Black measles[*] (Phaeoacremonium spp., Phaeomoniella spp.)		sure and veraison. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high.
	Eutypa (Eutypa lata)		For Botryosphaeria dieback, Phomopsis dieback, Esca and
	Macrophoma rot[*] (Botryosphaeria dothidea)	Sanitation of procritical. For Macropho pruning wounds pruning tools is symptom suppr growing season	Eutypa, apply to pruning wounds. Sanitation of pruning tools is critical.
	Phomopsis[*] (Phomopsis viticola)		For Macrophoma rot, apply to pruning wounds. Sanitation of
	Phomopsis cane and leaf spot[*] (Phomopsis viticola)		pruning tools is critical. For foliar symptom suppression during the growing season, apply just after
Phomopsis dieback[*] (Phomopsis viticola) Powdery mildew (Erysiphe spp., Uncinula spp.[*])		bloom and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals until harvest when environmental conditions are con-	
		ducive for disease development. For Phomopsis cane and leaf spot, begin applications between	
	Summer bunch rot (Alternaria spp., Aspergillus spp.[*], Botrytis spp., Cladosporium spp.[*], Penicillium spp.[*], Rhizopus spp.[*])		bud break and 1-inch shoots and repeat when shoots are 6 to 8 inches long.
			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Hops[*]	Foliar Diseases Powdery mildew[*] (Sphaerotheca macularis)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Powdery mildew, begin foliar applications prior to onset of disease and continue on 5- to 10-day intervals as needed.
			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Leafy vegetables (except Brassica vegetables) group[*] Amaranth Arugula Cardoon Celery Celery, Chinese Celtuce Chervil Chrysanthemum (edible-leaved and garland) Corn salad Cress (garden and upland) Dandelion Dock Endive Fennel, Florence Lettuce (head and leaf) Orach Parsley Purslane (garden and winter) Radicchio (red chicory) Rhubarb Spinach Spinach (New Zealand and vine)	Foliar Diseases Bacterial leaf spot[*] (Pseudomonas spp., Xanthomonas) Botrytis gray mold[*] (Botrytis spp.) Cercospora leaf spot[*] (Cercospora spp.) Downy mildew[*] (Bremia lactucae, Peronospora spp.) Head and leaf drop[*] (Sclerotinia spp.) Pink rot[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum) Powdery mildew[*] (Erysiphe spp.) White mold, Lettuce drop[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum) White rust[*] (Albugo spp.)		For Head and leaf drop, White mold, and Lettuce drop, apply before emergence as a directed or banded spray 4 to 6 inches wide. Apply again at thinning or cultivation and continue on 10- to 14-day intervals if conditions remain conducive for disease development. For Pink rot, apply before emergence as a directed or banded spray 4 to 6 inches wide. Apply again at thinning or cultivation and continue on 10- to 14-day intervals if conditions remain conducive for disease development. For Botrytis gray mold, Cercospora leaf spot, Downy mildew, White rust and Powdery mildew, apply prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. For Bacterial leaf spot, begin applications prior to disease onset and continue on 2- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive to disease development. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thor-
Swiss chard	Soil Diseases		ough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue. See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected
	Bottom rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani) Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Head and leaf drop[*] (Sclerotinia spp.) Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)		or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Legume vegetables (succulent and dried beans and peas, except soybean) group[*] Broad bean Chickpea Guar Lablab bean Lentil	Foliar Diseases Botrytis gray mold[*] (Botrytis spp.) Powdery mildew[*] (Microsphaera diffusa) White mold[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For White mold and Botrytis gray mold, apply shortly after emergence or transplanting when conditions favor disease development. Repeat on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. When disease pressure is high, use Serifel in a rotation program with other registered fungicides.
Pigeon pea Lupinus spp. Grain lupin Sweet lupin			For Powdery mildew, begin foliar applications prior to onset of disease and continue on 5- to 10-day intervals as needed.
White lupin Phaseolus spp. Field bean Kidney bean Lima bean			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
Navy bean Pinto bean Tepary bean	Soil Diseases Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.)		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications.
Pisum spp. English pea Field pea Garden pea Green pea	Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.)		Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
Vigna spp. Adzuki bean Blackeyed pea Catjang Cowpea Crowder pea Moth bean Mung bean Rice bean Southern pea Urd bean	Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani) Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)		

Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions	
Oilseed group[*] Castor oil plant Cottonseed Flaxseed Rapeseed Rapeseed, canola varieties Safflower	Foliar Diseases White mold[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	(0.25 to 1.0 lb/A) after emergence when cond favor disease development. on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. When disease pres	needed. When disease pressure is high, use the higher rate and
Sesame Sunflower			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.	
	Soil Diseases		See Application Instructions for	
	Cylindrocladium black rot[*] (Cylindrocladium spp.) Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.)		In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.	
	Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.)			
	Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)			
	Southern blight[*] (Sclerotium rolfsii)			
	Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)			

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Peanut[*]	Foliar Diseases Early leaf spot[*] (Cercospora arachidicola) Late leaf spot[*] (Cercospora personatum) Pepper spot[*]	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Foliar diseases, apply prior to disease development. Repeat on 5- to 14-day intervals as needed. When disease pressure is high, use higher rates and shorter intervals. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient
	(Leptospherulina crassiasca) Rust[*] (Puccinia arachidis) Web blotch[*] (Phoma arachidicola)		water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	Soil Diseases Cylindrocladium black rot[*] (Cylindrocladium spp.) Rhizoctonia limb rot, Peg rot and Pod rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani) Sclerotinia blight[*] (Sclerotinia minor) Sclerotioum rot, Southern stem rot, Southern blight and White mold[*]		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Pome fruit group[*]	Foliar Diseases	4 to 16 ozs/A	For Bitter rot, Bot rot, Brooks
Apple Crabapple Loquat	Alternaria blotch[*] (Alternaria mali)	(0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	spot, Bull's eye rot, Cedar apple rust, and Flyspeck, begin applications at pre-bloom when
Mayhaw Pear	Bitter rot (Colletotrichum spp.)		conditions are favorable for disease development. Repeat applications on 7- to 14-day inter-
Pear, Oriental Quince	Blue mold[*] (Penicillium spp.)		vals as needed.
	Bot rot[*] (Botryosphaeria dothidea)		For Powdery mildew, begin applications at tight cluster or earlier if conditions are favorable for dis-
	Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.)		ease development. Repeat application on 7- to 10-day inter-
	Brooks spot[*] (Mycosphaerella pomi)		vals through the second cover spray.
	Bull's eye rot[*] (Neofabraea spp.)		For Fire blight, begin applications at 1% to 5% bloom and repeat as needed to protect new blossoms
	Cedar apple rust[*] (Gymnosporangium juniperi-virginianae)		when conditions are favorable for disease development. During rapid bloom development, apply at 2- to
	Fire blight[*] (Erwinia amylovora)		7-day intervals when conditions are favorable for disease development. Continue application at 7-day inter-
	Flyspeck[*] (Schizothyrium pomi) Powdery mildew		vals after petal fall when conditions are favorable for disease development. For improved performance,
	(Podosphaera spp.)		use Serifel in a rotational program with a registered antibiotic product.
	Scab (Venturia spp.)		For Scab, begin applications at green tip or when conditions are favorable for disease development. Continue applications on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. Use Serifel in a rotational program with fungicides registered for scab control.
			For Alternaria blotch, Blue mold and Botrytis gray mold, begin applications prior to disease development and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed.
			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Foliar Diseases	4 to 16 ozs/A	For Black rot/Crown rot,
Aerial stem rot[*] (Erwinia carotovora)	(0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Bacterial leaf spot and Botrytis gray mold, begin foliar applications shortly after emergence or
Bacterial leaf spot[*] (Xanthomonas campestris pv. carotae)		transplanting and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are favorable for disease development.
Black dot[*] (Colletotrichum coccodes)		Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high.
Black rot/Crown rot (Alternaria spp.)		For Aerial stem rot, begin applications prior to disease development and continue at 7- to
Brown spot and black pit		10-day intervals as needed.
Early blight (Alternaria solani)		For White mold, begin foliar applications shortly after emergence or transplanting and continue on
Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.)		7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are favorable for disease development.
Late blight (Phytophthora infestans)		For Early blight and Late blight, begin applications shortly after
White mold (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum)		emergence or transplanting and continue on 5- to 7-day intervals as needed. Use Serifel in a rotational program or tank mix with other registered fungicides labeled for early blight and late blight control.
		For all other listed diseases, begin application prior to disease development and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed.
		Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	Foliar Diseases Aerial stem rot[*] (Erwinia carotovora) Bacterial leaf spot[*] (Xanthomonas campestris pv. carotae) Black dot[*] (Colletotrichum coccodes) Black rot/Crown rot (Alternaria spp.) Brown spot and black pit (Alternaria alternata) Early blight (Alternaria solani) Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.) Late blight (Phytophthora infestans) White mold	Target Diseases per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre) Foliar Diseases Aerial stem rot[*] (Erwinia carotovora) Bacterial leaf spot[*] (Xanthomonas campestris pv. carotae) Black dot[*] (Colletotrichum coccodes) Black rot/Crown rot (Alternaria spp.) Brown spot and black pit (Alternaria alternata) Early blight (Alternaria solani) Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.) Late blight (Phytophthora infestans) White mold

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Root and tuber vegetables (except sugar beet) group[*]	Soil Diseases Black rot of Sweet Potato[*] (Ceratocystis fimbriata)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications.
Arracacha Arrowroot Artichoke, Chinese	Black scurf[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
Artichoke, Jerusalem Canna, edible	Cavity spot[*] (Pythium spp.)		
Carrot Cassava (bitter and sweet) Chayote (root)	Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.)		
Chufa Dasheen (taro) Ginger	Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.)		
Leren Potato	Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.)		
Sweet potato Tanier Turmeric	Rhizoctonia damping off[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		
Yam bean Yam, true	Silver scurf[*] (Helminthosporium spp.)		
	Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)		

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Soybean[*] (Glycine max)	Foliar Diseases White mold[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. Mix Serifel with a labeled soybean fungicide.
			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	Soil Diseases		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
	Charcoal rot[*] (Macrophomina phaseolina)		
	Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.)		
	Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.)		
	Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.)		
	Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Stone fruit group[*] Apricot Cherry (sweet and tart) Nectarine Peach Plum (all varieties) Plumcot Prune	Foliar Diseases Alternaria spot[*] (Alternaria alternata) Anthracnose[*] (Colletotrichum spp.) Bacterial canker[*] (Pseudomonas spp.) Bacterial spot[*] (Xanthomonas arboricola) Blossom blight[*] (Monilinia spp.) Botrytis gray mold[*] (Botrytis spp.) Brown rot of fruit (Monilinia spp.) Powdery mildew (Podosphaera spp., Sphaerotheca spp.) Ripe fruit rot[*] (Botrytis spp., Monilinia spp., Rhizopus spp.) Shot hole[*] (Wilsonomyces carpophilus)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Anthracnose and Brown rot of fruit, begin applications prior to disease development when conditions are favorable for disease development and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. For Bacterial canker, apply after harvest prior to fall rain events. Reapply in the early spring during dormancy. For Bacterial spot, begin applications at bud break and continue at 7- to 14-day intervals as needed until harvest. For improved performance, use Serifel in a rotational program with registered antibiotic and copper products. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. For Blossom blight, begin applications at early bloom and continue through petal fall at 7-day intervals as needed. For Powdery mildew, begin applications at popcorn stage and continue on 7-day intervals as needed. For all other listed diseases, begin foliar applications prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Strawberry[*]	Foliar Diseases Angular leaf spot[*] (Xanthomonas fragariae) Anthracnose (Colletotrichum spp.) Botrytis gray mold (Botrytis spp.) Leaf scorch[*] (Diplocarpon earliana) Leaf spot[*] (Mycosphaerella fragariae) Powdery mildew (Erysiphe spp., Sphaerotheca spp.)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Angular leaf spot, Anthracnose, Leaf scorch, and Leaf spot, begin foliar applica- tions prior to infection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if condi- tions are conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. For Botrytis gray mold and Powdery mildew, begin applica- tions at or before flowering, continuing on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pres- sure is high. Use Serifel in a rotational program or tank mix with other registered fungicides labeled for Botrytis and powdery mildew control. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thor- ough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.
	Soil Diseases Charcoal rot[*] (Macrophomina phaseolina) Fusarium wilt[*] (Fusarium spp.) Phytophthora root rot[*] (Phytophthora spp.) Pythium damping off[*] (Pythium spp.) Rhizoctonia root rot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani) Verticillium wilt[*] (Verticillium spp.)		See Application Instructions for In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications. Apply a high enough water volume to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Sugar beet[*]	Foliar Diseases	(0.25 to 1.0 lb/A) mildew, begin applications prinfection and continue on 7-14-day intervals if conditions conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate an shorter interval when disease sure is high. For Rhizoctonia stem can and crown rot, begin applications prinfection and continue on 7-14-day intervals if conditions conducive for disease development. Use the higher rate an shorter interval when disease sure is high.	For Leaf spot and Powdery
	Leaf spot[*] (Cercospora beticola)		infection and continue on 7- to
	Powdery mildew[*] (Erysiphe betae)		conducive for disease develop- ment. Use the higher rate and
	Rhizoctonia stem canker and crown rot[*]		shorter interval when disease pressure is high.
	(Rhizoctonia solani)		For Rhizoctonia stem canker and crown rot, begin applications at the 2-leaf stage and continue on 3- to 10-day intervals until the 8-leaf stage.
			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Tobacco[*]	Foliar Diseases	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	Begin foliar applications prior to in-
	Angular leaf spot[*] (Pseudomonas spp.)		fection and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals if conditions are conducive for disease develop-
	Anthracnose[*] (Colletotrichum destructivum,		ment. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high.
	Glomerella glycines)		Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient
	Barnspot/Frogeye leaf spot[*] (Cercospora nicotianae)		water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot
	Brown spot[*] (Alternaria alternata)		See Application Instructions for
	Blue mold[*] (Peronospora spp.)		
	Botrytis gray mold[*] (Botrytis cinerea)		
	Collar rot[*] (Sclerotinia sclerotiorum)		
	Powdery mildew[*] (Erysiphe cichoracearum)		
	Target spot[*] (Rhizoctonia solani)		
	Soil Diseases		
	Black root rot[*] (Thielaviopsis basicola)		In-furrow, Shanked-in, Injected or Soil Drench Applications.
	Black shank[*] (Phytophthora spp.)		Apply a enough water to thoroughly soak soil through the root zone.
	Charcoal rot[*] (Macrophomina phaseolina)		
	Southern blight[*] (Sclerotium rolfsii)		

Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Crop	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Tree nuts group[*] Almond Beech nut Brazil nut Butternut Cashew Chestnut Chinquapin Coconut Filbert (hazelnut) Hickory nut Pecan Pistachio Walnut (black and English)	Foliar Diseases Alternaria blight[*] (Alternaria spp.) Anthracnose[*] (Colletotrichum spp.) Bacterial canker[*] (Pseudomonas syringae) Botryosphaeria panicle and shoot blight[*] (Botryosphaeria spp.) Brown rot/Blossom blight[*] (Monilinia spp.) Hull Rot[*] (Monilinia spp., Rhizopus spp.) Rust[*] (Tranzschelia discolor) Scab[*] (Cladosporium spp.) Shot hole[*] (Wilsonomyces carpophilus) Walnut blight[*] (Xanthomonas campestris)	•	For Anthracnose, Shot hole and Brown rot/Blossom blight, begin applications prior to disease development when conditions are favorable for disease development and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. For Bacterial canker, begin applications prior to disease development and repeat at 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. For Walnut blight, begin applications no later than pistillate bloom and repeat at 3- to 10-day intervals as needed. For improved performance, use Serifel in a rotational program or tank mixed with other crop protection products labeled for use on walnut blight. Use the higher rate and shorter interval when disease pressure is high. For Hull Rot, Serifel can be applied to the foliage or to the soil. For foliar applications, apply Serifel 3 to 4 weeks prior to hull split (early June) for hull rot caused by Monilinia spp. Make an application of Serifel at hull split for hull rot caused by Rhizopus spp. Serifel can also be applied to orchard floor to reduce the inoculum of fungi causing hull rot. For orchard floor applications, make 1 to 2 applications of Serifel to the orchard floor 1 to 3 weeks prior to hull split. Apply Serifel in a mix of 50 gallons of water per acre across the entire width of the row up to 6 to 12 inches from the trunks. 30 minutes after application, turn on water sprinklers for 5 hours to water Serifel into the soil. For all other listed diseases, begin application prior to disease
			development and continue on 7- to 10-day intervals as needed. Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

 Table 2. Crop-specific Directions (continued)

Сгор	Target Diseases	Product Use Rate per Application (ozs or lb of Serifel® biofungicide/Acre)	Application Directions
Head sc	Foliar Diseases Head scab[*] (Fusarium spp.)	4 to 16 ozs/A (0.25 to 1.0 lb/A)	For Head scab, apply Serifel at any time from one week prior to flowering to one week after flowering. Tank mix Serifel with a fungicide labeled for head scab.
			Mix and apply Serifel in sufficient water volume to ensure uniform dispersion in spray tank and thorough coverage of foliage and shoot tissue.

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Biofungicide

{Alternate Brand Name: Serifel® M Biofungicide}

Sub-label B:

Serifel is an agricultural biofungicide product for use in mushroom production.



Bacillus amyloliquefaciens strain MBI 600

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Fungicide



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Active Ingredient:

Bacillus amyloliquefaciens strain MBI 600*†	11.0%
Other Ingredients:	89.0%
Total:	100.0%

^{*}Serifel contains a minimum of 5.5 x 10¹⁰ colony forming units per gram.

EPA Reg. No. 71840-18

EPA Est. No.

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.)

See inside for complete First Aid, Precautionary Statements, Directions For Use, Conditions of Sale and Warranty, and state-specific crop and/or use site restrictions.

In case of an emergency endangering life or property involving this product, call day or night 1-800-832-HELP (4357).

Batch Code: (Printed on Bottle)

Net Weight:

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[†] Formerly named Bacillus subtilis strain MBI 600

FIRST AID

If in eyes

- Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 to 20 minutes.
- Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

HOTLINE NUMBER

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact BASF Corporation for emergency medical treatment information at 1-800-832-HELP (4357).

Precautionary Statements

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Shoes plus socks
- Protective eyewear
- A NIOSH-approved particulate respirator with any R or P filter with NIOSH approval number prefix TC-84A; or a NIOSH-approved powered air purifying respirator with an HE filter with NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C. (Repeated exposure to high concentrations of microbial proteins can cause allergic sensitization.)

Follow the manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and 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:

- Remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product.
 As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

Environmental Hazards

For terrestrial uses, **DO NOT** apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. **DO NOT** contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

Directions For Use

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. **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 State or Tribal 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 (REI). 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) of **12 hours**.

EXCEPTION: If the product is soil injected or soil incorporated, the Worker Protection Standard, under certain circumstances, allows workers to enter the treated area if there will be no contact with anything that has been treated.

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
- Chemical-resistant gloves (made of any waterproof material)
- Shoes plus socks
- Protective eyewear

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

DO NOT contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

Pesticide Storage

Store in a cool, dry place until used. **DO NOT** store this product near food, feed, seed, fertilizers, or other pesticides.

Pesticide Disposal

To avoid wastes, use all material in this container by application according to label directions. If wastes cannot be avoided, offer remaining product to a waste disposal facility or pesticide disposal program (often such programs are run by state or local governments or by industry).

Container Handling

{for plastic containers}

Nonrefillable Container. DO NOT reuse or refill this container. Clean container promptly after emptying.

Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container 1/4 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. **DO NOT** burn, unless allowed by state and local ordinances. If burned, stay out of smoke.

(for drums with plastic liners)

Nonrefillable Container. DO NOT reuse or refill this container. Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then, offer for recycling if available or dispose of liner in a sanitary landfill or by incineration. If drum is contaminated and cannot be reused, dispose of it in the manner required for its liner.

In Case of Emergency

In case of large-scale spill of this product, call:

• CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300

BASF Corporation 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

In case of medical emergency regarding this product, call:

Your local doctor for immediate treatment

• Your local poison control center (hospital)

• BASF Corporation 1-800-832-HELP (4357)

Product Information

This package contains **Serifel® biofungicide**, a wettable powder (WP). The active ingredient in **Serifel** is *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* strain MBI 600, a beneficial microbe providing suppression of Green Mold in mushroom production. Apply **Serifel** preventively in low to medium

disease pressure situations. Mix **Serifel** with mushroom spawn grains or mushroom growing supplement, or apply **Serifel** as a drench alone to the surface of mushroom beds or in tank mixes with other pesticide products registered for use in mushroom production.

Label statement required by the State of Oregon

Information regarding the contents and levels of metals in this product is available on the Internet at http://www.aapfco.org/metals.html

Integrated Pest Management (IPM)

Serifel can be integrated into an overall disease and pest management program. Follow cultural practices known to reduce disease development. Consult your local extension specialist, certified crop advisor and/or BASF representative for additional IPM strategies established for your area. **Serifel** may be used in agricultural extension advisory (disease forecasting) programs, which recommend application timing based on environmental factors favorable for disease development.

Application Instructions

For all treatments of **Serifel**, carefully read and follow all label directions, use rates and restrictions. For treatment of mushroom spawn grains and growing supplement, use the stated maximum label rates when heavy disease development is anticipated. For drench applications, application of **Serifel** prior to or in the early stages of disease development provides the best suppression of Green Mold. Use the stated maximum label rates for conditions conducive to rapid disease development or when disease development is anticipated. For proper application, determine the number of square feet of bed surface to be treated and the label use rate. For drench applications, prepare only the amount of spray solution required to treat the measured square feet of bed surface. Accurate spray equipment calibration is essential prior to use.

Cleaning Spray Equipment

Spraying equipment must be cleaned thoroughly before and after applying this product, particularly if a product with potential to injure crops was used prior to **Serifel**.

Consult BASF Representatives for additional information regarding agitation and recirculation.

Directions for Use through Drip and Sprinkler Chemigation Systems

Sprayer Preparation

Clean chemical tank and injector system thoroughly. Flush system with clean water.

Application Instructions

Apply **Serifel** at rates and timings as described in this label.

Use Precautions for Drip and Sprinkler Irrigation Applications

- Apply this product only through sprinkler (solid set and hand move) or drip type irrigation systems. **DO NOT** apply this product through any other type of irrigation system.
- Add Serifel® biofungicide to the pesticide supply tank under agitation containing sufficient water to maintain a continuous flow by the injection equipment. In continuous moving systems, inject this product-water mixture continuously, applying the labeled rate.
- **DO NOT** apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.
- Crop injury, lack of effectiveness, or illegal pesticide residues in the crop can result from non-uniform distribution of treated water. Maintain good agitation during the entire application period.
- If you have questions about calibration, you should contact State Extension Service specialists, equipment manufacturers or other experts.
- The system must contain a functional check valve, vacuum relief valve, and low pressure drain appropriately located on the irrigation pipeline to prevent water source contamination from backflow.
- The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- The pesticide injection pipeline must also contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being withdrawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.
- The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops.
- The irrigation line or water pump must include a functional pressure switch, which will stop the water pump motor when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.
- Systems must use a metering pump, such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock.
- Allow sufficient time for pesticide to be flushed through all lines and all nozzles before turning off irrigation water.
- DO NOT connect an irrigation system (including greenhouse systems) used for pesticide application to a public water system unless the pesticide label-prescribed safety devices for public water systems are in place.

 A person knowledgeable of the chemigation system and responsible for its operation, or under the supervision of the responsible person, shall shut the system down and make necessary adjustments should the need arise.

Specific Instructions for Public Water Systems

- Public water system means a system for the provision to the public of piped water for human consumption if such system has at least 15 service connections or regularly serves an average of at least 25 individuals daily at least 60 days out of the year.
- 2. Chemigation systems connected to public water systems must contain a functional, reduced-pressure zone (RPZ), backflow preventer or the functional equivalent in the water supply line upstream from the point of pesticide introduction. As an option to the RPZ, the water from the public water system should be discharged into a reservoir tank prior to pesticide introduction. There shall be a complete physical break (air gap) between the flow outlet end of the fill pipe and the top or overflow rim of the reservoir tank of at least twice the inside diameter of the fill pipe.
- 3. The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, automatic, quick-closing check valve to prevent the flow of fluid back toward the injection pump.
- 4. The pesticide injection pipeline must contain a functional, normally closed, solenoid-operated valve located on the intake side of the injection pump and connected to the system interlock to prevent fluid from being withdrawn from the supply tank when the irrigation system is either automatically or manually shut down.
- 5. The system must contain functional interlocking controls to automatically shut off the pesticide injection pump when the water pump motor stops, or in cases where there is no water pump, when the water pressure decreases to the point where pesticide distribution is adversely affected.
- 6. Systems must use a metering pump, such as a positive displacement injection pump (e.g., diaphragm pump) effectively designed and constructed of materials that are compatible with pesticides and capable of being fitted with a system interlock.
- 7. The pesticide supply tank must be under agitation containing sufficient water to maintain a continuous flow by the injection equipment. In continuous moving systems, inject this product-water mixture continuously, applying the labeled rate per acre for that crop.
- 8. **DO NOT** apply when wind speed favors drift beyond the area intended for treatment.

Solid State and Hand Move Irrigation Equipment

- Determine acreage (square footage) covered by sprinkler.
- Fill injector solution tank with water and adjust flow rate to use contents over a 10- to 30-minute interval.
- Determine the amount of **Serifel** that is required to treat the area.

- Add the required amount of Serifel® biofungicide into the same quantity of water used to calibrate the injection equipment.
- Maintain constant solution tank agitation during the injection period.
- Operate system at normal pressures specified by the manufacturer of the injection equipment and used for the time interval established during calibration.
- Inject **Serifel** at the end of the irrigation cycle or as a separate application to maximize fungicide retention.
- Stop injection equipment after treatment is completed.
 Continue to operate the system until Serifel solution has cleared the last sprinkler head.

Additives and Tank Mixing Information

Serifel can be tank mixed with most recommended registered pest control products, liquid fertilizers, biological control products, adjuvants, and additives. Before using any tank mix (bactericides, fungicides, insecticides, herbicides, liquid fertilizers, biological control products, adjuvants, and additives), test the combination on a small portion of the crop to be treated to ensure that a phytotoxic response will not occur as a result of application.

Consult a BASF representative or local agricultural authorities for more information concerning additives.

If tank mixes are used, observe the most restrictive of labeling limitations and precautions of all products used in mixtures.

Compatibility Test for Tank Mix Components

Using a suitable container, add proportional amounts of product to water following the tank mixing order below.

Tank Mix Components

- Water. For 100 gallons spray volume, use 16 cups (1 gallon) of water. For other spray volumes, adjust rates accordingly. Use only water from the intended source at the source temperature.
- Water-dispersible products (dry flowables, wettable powders, suspension concentrates, or suspoemulsions).
 Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- 3. **Water-soluble products.** Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- 4. **Emulsifiable concentrates.** Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- 5. **Water-soluble additives.** Cap the jar and invert 10 cycles.
- 6. Let the solution stand for 5 minutes.

Evaluate the solution for uniformity and stability. The spray solution should not have free oil on the surface, nor fine particles that precipitate to the bottom, nor thick (clabbered) texture. Simulate tank agitation by inverting the jar for another 10 cycles to ensure that the mixture resuspends. If the tank mix combination does not settle or can be resuspended by agitation, it is considered physically compatible. **DO NOT** use any spray solution that could clog spray nozzles.

Mixing Order

- Water Begin by agitating a thoroughly clean sprayer tank 3/4 full of clean water. The pH of the spray solution must be between 4 and 9. The product mixture must be applied shortly after mixing. DO NOT store mixed slurries of Serifel overnight.
- 2. **Agitation** Maintain constant agitation throughout mixing and application.
- 3. **Inductor** If an inductor is used, rinse it thoroughly after each component has been added.
- 4. Products in polyvinyl alcohol (PVA) bags Place any product contained in water-soluble PVA bags into the mixing tank. Wait until all water-soluble PVA bags have fully dissolved and the product is evenly mixed in the spray tank before continuing.
- Water-dispersible products (such as Serifel, dry flowables, wettable powders, suspension concentrates, or suspoemulsions).
- 6. Water-soluble products
- 7. **Emulsifiable concentrates** (such as oil concentrates when applicable).
- 8. **Water-soluble additives** (such as ammonium sulfate (AMS) or urea ammonium nitrate (UAN) when applicable).
- 9. Remaining quantity of water

Make sure that each component is thoroughly mixed and suspended before adding tank mix partners. Maintain constant agitation during application.

See **Application Rates and Instructions Table** for rates ranges and use instructions.

Restrictions and Limitations

- Crop Rotation Restriction None
- Preharvest Interval (PHI) 0 Day
- Re-entry Interval (REI) 12 hours
- Not for use in California on crops and diseases marked with an asterisk (*) in Application Rates and Instructions Table

Application Rates and Instructions Table

Crop	Target Diseases	Application Instructions and Rates for Serifel® biofungicide
Mushroom Growing Beds (Compost	Green Mold Trichoderma spp. (e.g. T. aggressivum, T. harzianum)	For suppression of Green Mold in mushroom compost (e.g. Phase II growing systems). For optimum performance, Serifel must be well mixed into the compost.
incorporation)[*]		Wet mixing: Apply 1.5 to 5 lbs of Serifel in a sufficient amount of water to thoroughly mix it into the volume of compost required for 8,000 square feet of bed surface area.
		Dry mixing: Thoroughly mix 1.5 to 5 lbs Serifel with 80 to 100 lbs of gypsum, limestone or chalk and thoroughly mix into the volume of compost required for 8,000 square feet of bed surface area.
Mushroom Growing Beds		For suppression of Green Mold on the surface of mushroom beds. Serifel should be applied as a preventative treatment.
(Surface drench)[*]	room Spawn	Apply 1.5 to 5 lbs of Serifel in 150 gallons of irrigation water as a drench to 8,000 square feet of bed surface at casing. Repeat applications can be made before 1st flush, between 1st and 2nd flush and between 2nd and 3rd flush according to disease pressure. During application, maintain adequate agitation in the irrigation tank to prevent product sedimentation. Thorough coverage of beds is essential for effective disease suppression. Serifel can be applied with commonly used ground equipment: hose-end, pressurized, greenhouse and hand-held sprayers. To achieve good coverage, use proper spray pressure, gallonage per square feet of bed surface, nozzles, nozzle spacing and ground speed.
Mushroom Spawn Grains[*]		For suppression of Green Mold in mushroom compost applied with spawning media. Thoroughly mix 1.5 to 5 lbs of Serifel with 80 to 100 lb of gypsum, limestone or chalk. Use this mixture to coat spawn grains (approximately 1,600 units).
		Bed surface at spawning (e.g. Phase II growing systems): Apply treated spawn to 8,000 square feet of bed surface area.
	•	Compost incorporation (e.g. Phase III growing systems): Mix the treated spawn into the mushroom growing substrate. Apply treated spawn to the volume of compost required for 8,000 square feet of bed surface area.
Mushroom Growing Supplement[*]		For suppression of Green Mold in mushroom compost applied with supplement. Thoroughly mix 1.5 to 5 lbs of Serifel with 80 to 100 lbs of gypsum, limestone or chalk. Use this mixture to coat supplement (approximately 2,000 lb).
		Bed surface at spawning (e.g. Phase II growing systems): Apply supplement to 8,000 square feet of bed surface area.
	Compost incorporation (e.g. Phase III growing systems): Mix the treated supplement into the mushroom growing substrate. Apply treated supplement to the volume of compost required for 8,000 square feet of bed surface area.	

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