

#### UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Jacob S. Moore Regulatory Consultant Technology Sciences Group, Inc. 712 Fifth Street, Suite A Davis, CA 95616

Subject: Labeling Notification per Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 – Add marketing claims. Product Name: BG-Sweetscent EPA Registration Number: 87472-1 Application Date: November 7, 2016 OPP Decision Number: 523390

Dear Mr. Moore:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is in receipt of your application for notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 for the above referenced product. The Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (BPPD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN 98-10.

The labeling submitted with this application has been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records. You must submit one (1) copy of the final printed labeling with the modifications.

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 the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and is subject to review by the 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 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.

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If you have any questions, please contact Menyon Adams of my team by phone at (703) 347-8496 or via email at adams.menyon@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Andrew Bryceland, Team Leader Biochemical Pesticides Branch Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (7511P) Office of Pesticide Programs

Enclosure

# **BG-Sweetscent**

#### - Mosquito attractant

#### **Active Ingredients:**

Lactic acid	34.59%
Ammonium bicarbonate	26.49%
Hexanoic acid	8.82%
Other Ingredients:	<u>30.10%</u>
Total:	100.00%

#### NOTIFICATION

#### 87472-1

The applicant has certified that no changes, other than those reported to the Agency have been made to the labeling. The Agency acknowledges this notification by letter dated:

04/27/2017

## Keep Out of Reach of Children CAUTION

FIRST AID	
If in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 – 20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
lf on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15 – 20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
	ct container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or atment. (In the U.S.) You may also contact 1-800-222-1222 for emergency medical treatment information.
See (back p	anel) (insert label) (insert instructions) for (additional) Precautionary

Statements and Directions for Use.

EPA Reg. No.: 87472-1 EPA Est. No.: XXXXX-XXX-XXX

Net Contents: 0.39 oz. (11.1 grams). Contains 1 (sachet) (packet).

#### Manufactured by:

Biogents AG Weissenburgstr. 22 D-93055 Regensburg, GERMANY www.biogents.com

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals - CAUTION:** May cause severe eye irritation. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact of mouth, skin, or eyes with the contents. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using bathroom facilities.

**Environmental Hazards:** To protect the environment, do not allow pesticide to enter or run off into storm drains, drainage ditches, gutters or surface waters. Applying this product in calm weather when rain is not predicted for the next 24 hours will help to ensure that wind or rain does not blow or wash pesticide off the treatment area. Sweeping any product that lands on a driveway, sidewalk, or street, back onto the treated area of the lawn or garden will help to prevent run off to water bodies or drainage systems.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

#### DO NOT OPEN (SACHET) (PACKET).

BG-Sweetscent is a lure designed to mimic human skin (scents) (emanations) (odors) to attract mosquitoes to traps where they die. The BG-Sweetscent can be used in any kind of mosquito traps, either inside or outside, depending on the trap type. Place the BG-Sweetscent (sachet) (packet) in the space allocated for added mosquito attractants, either inside or outside the trap. Refer to the trap manufacturer's directions for use for placement. Replace the lure after eight (8) weeks of use.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. **Pesticide Storage:** Store in a cool, dry place out of reach of children until ready to use. **Pesticide Disposal and Container Handling:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Dispose of used sachet in the trash.

#### Text on individual attractant sachets:

- Biogents
- BG-Sweetscent
- Keep Out of Reach of Children
- CAUTION
- Do not open (sachet) (packet).
- See outside container for directions for use. Replace after 8 weeks of use.
- www.biogents.com

### **Optional Label Claims:**

- Mosquito attractant.
- Designed for use with any mosquito trap.
- Replace every 8 weeks (after 60 days).
- Attracts (the) Aedes albopictus, Asian Tiger Mosquito (and the Yellow Fever or Dengue Mosquito, Aedes aegypti).
- Increase your catch rates(!).
- Added attractants further lure insects.
- Lures mosquitoes to (the) trap, (and) away from you and your family.
  - BG-Sweetscent attracts mosquitoes, including those which may (transmit) (carry) (West Nile virus) (encephalitis) (Zika virus) (Chikungunya virus) (diseases), to the trap where they die.
- Mosquitoes can transmit (West Nile virus) (Zika virus) (Chikungunya virus) and other viruses that cause encephalitis. They can also transmit heartworm disease to dogs and cats. BG-Sweetscent attracts mosquitoes to the trap where they die.
- Effective in attracting a broad range of mosquito species, including those which may (transmit) (carry) diseases such as West Nile Virus, Encephalitis, Zika virus, Chikungunya or Dengue.
- Mimics naturally occurring short-range mosquito attractants including human skin (scents) (emanations) (odors).
- Mimics naturally occurring human skin (scents) (emanations) (odors) (which attract mosquitoes) (to which mosquitoes are attracted).
- Mimics naturally occurring human skin (scents) (emanations) (odors) which are short-range mosquito attractants.
- Developed for (targeting) (attracting) a wide range of mosquitoes, including the Asian Tiger Mosquito.
- Developed to target a wide range of (mosquito) (biting insect) species, including those (which) (that) may (transmit) (carry) diseases such as (West Nile Virus) (Zika virus) (Chikungunya virus) (and) (Encephalitis).
- Developed to catch mosquitoes, including those which may (transmit) (carry)

(diseases such as) (West Nile Virus) (Zika virus) (Chikungunya (virus)) Dengue) (and) (or) (Encephalitis).

- Mimics naturally occurring human skin scents.
- Biogents Science for Mosquito Control.