



## OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Brien O'Loughlin  
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Subject: Label Amendment – Removal of Container Handling Instructions for HDPE or Zinc Coated Drums, and ISO Tanks  
Product Name: INMES S-METOLACHLOR TECHNICAL  
EPA Registration Number: 94145-2  
Application Date: November 2, 2023  
Decision Number: 594828

Dear Brien O'Loughlin:

The Agency, in accordance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, has completed reviewing all the information submitted with your application to remove the container handling instructions for HDPE or zinc coated drums, and ISO tanks. The label approved on January 20, 2023, erroneously included said instructions. The Agency has concluded that your submission is acceptable. The label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA, as amended, is acceptable.

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

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the 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 12 months from the date of this letter. After 12 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.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Julie Javier by email at [javier.julie@epa.gov](mailto:javier.julie@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Linda Arrington", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Linda Arrington, Branch Chief  
Risk Management and Implementation Branch 4  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division  
Office of Pesticide Programs

ENCLOSURE: Stamped label

# INMES S-Metolachlor Technical

FOR FORMULATION ONLY INTO HERBICIDES



### ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

S-metolachlor\* ..... 98.3%

OTHER INGREDIENTS: ..... 1.7%

TOTAL ..... 100.0%

\*CAS No. 87392-12-9

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

FIRST AID	
If Swallowed:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Call a 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>
If on Skin or Clothing:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <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 in Eyes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <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.</li> <li>Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
HOTLINE NUMBER	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or when going for treatment. For medical emergencies, call the poison control center at 1-800-222-1222. -For general information on this product, contact the National Pesticides Information Center (NPIC) at 1-800-858-7378, Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 12 PM PST, or at <a href="http://npic.orst.edu">http://npic.orst.edu</a> .	

### Manufactured for:

INMES, LLC  
2364 East Southwood Road  
San Tan Valley, AZ 85240

EPA Reg. No. 94145-2  
EPA Est. No.  
Net Contents: gal ( L)  
Lot No.: see container

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

#### CAUTION.

Harmful if swallowed, Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

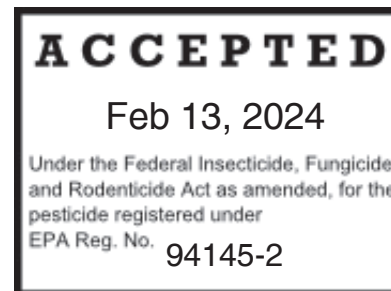
### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Only for formulation into a herbicide for the following uses: alfalfa grown for seed; asparagus; vegetable, legume (crop group 6); root and tuber vegetables (subgroup 1B and 1C); beet, garden, leaves; buffalograss; Brassica head and stem vegetables subgroup 5A; Brassica leafy greens subgroup 5B; leafy petioles (Subgroup 4B plus rhubarb); cilantro/coriander; corn; cotton; vegetable, cucurbit (Crop Group 9); fruiting vegetables (Group 8-10); established grasses grown for seed; guymon bermudagrass for seed production; head lettuce; leaf lettuce; caneberry (Subgroup 13-07A); bushberry (Subgroup 13-07B); low-growing berries (Subgroup 13-07G excluding cranberry); meadowfoam grown for seed; nurseries, turf, and landscape plantings; onion, bulb subgroup 3-07A; onion, green, subgroup 3-07B; peaches; peanuts; radishes grown for seed (excluding daikon); safflowers; sesame; sorghum (sweet, grain or forage); soybeans; soybean, immature seed; spinach; sugar beets; sugarcane; sunflowers (Subgroup 20B); uses for which the US EPA has accepted the required data and/or citations of data that the formulator has submitted in support of registration excluding any use strictly prohibited by this label; uses for experimental purposes that are in compliance with the US EPA's requirements. Formulators are responsible for providing data to support registration of products formulated from S-metolachlor Technical.

### ENDANGERED SPECIES PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS

This product may only be formulated into end-use products that contain the following language on their labeling when they are released for shipment: "ENDANGERED SPECIES PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS:" {to be placed at the beginning of the Directions for Use section of all end-use product labels} It is a Federal offense to use any pesticide in a manner that results in an unauthorized "take" (e.g., kill or otherwise harm) of an endangered species, and certain threatened species, under the Endangered Species Act section 9. When using this product, you must follow the measures contained in the Endangered Species Protection Bulletin for the area in which you are applying the product. You must obtain a Bulletin no earlier than six months before using this product. To obtain Bulletins, consult <http://www.epa.gov/espp/>, call 1-844-447-3813, or email [ESPP@epa.gov](mailto:ESPP@epa.gov). You must use the Bulletin valid for the month in which you will apply the product.

"Reporting Ecological Incidents:" {to be placed in the Environmental Hazards section of all end-use product labels} "To report ecological incidents, including mortality, injury, or harm to plants and animals, call [registrant phone number]."



## Storage and Disposal

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

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Keep away from heat and flame. Do not store near seed, fertilizers, or foodstuffs. Can be stored at temperatures as low as minus 20°F. Open dumping is prohibited.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Open dumping is prohibited. Wastes resulting from the use of this product are toxic. Improper disposal of unused pesticide is a violation of federal law. Pesticide that cannot be used according to label instructions must be disposed of according to federal, state, or local procedures. For guidance in proper disposal methods, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office.

**CONTAINER HANDLING:** Nonrefillable Container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse as follows: Empty remaining contents into application equipment or mix tank. Fill the container ¼ full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Turn the container over onto its other end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling if available or reconditioning if appropriate or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

### WARRANTY—CONDITIONS OF SALE

Manufacturer warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the "DIRECTIONS FOR USE". To the extent consistent with applicable law, manufacturer makes no other warranties, expressed or implied, including fitness or merchantability. To the extent consistent with applicable law, in no case shall the Manufacturer or the Seller be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. The foregoing is a condition of sale and is accepted as such by the Buyer.

[EPA Approval Date]