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RHONE-POULENC

THIRALIN PLUS

FUNGICIDE/INSECTICIDE

SEED PROTECTANT POWDER FOR RAPESEED (CANOLA)

CONTAINS LINDANE, THIRAM AND BENOMYL

AGRICULTURAL

GUARANTEE: Gamma BHC (from Lindane) 75% Thiram 10% Benomyl 6%

> REGISTRATION NO. 15587 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

DANGER POISON

RHONE-POULENC CANADA INC. 2000 ARGENTIA ROAD, PLAZA 3, SUITE 400 MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO L5N 1V9

IN CASE OF SPILLS, POISONING OR FIRE, TELEPHONE EMERGENCY RESPONSE NUMBER COLLECT (416) 634-2359

NET WEIGHT 1 KILOGRAM

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

CONTROLS: Flea Beetles, Seed Decay, Seedling Blight, Damping-off and Blackleg (Phoma) during germinating and early growth stages of rapeseed (Canola).

RATE: Mix 3 kilograms (kg) of THIRALIN-PLUS with 100 kg of seed (equivalent to 30 grams (g)/kg of seed). THIRALIN-PLUS contains an adhesive and therefore it is not necessary to wet the seed first with oil.

METHODS OF TREATING

PRE-SEEDING TREATMENT: A commercial drum or auger dust seed treater or cement mixer are suitable for treating seed. These methods are recommended over drill-box treating because a more uniform application of THIRALIN-PLUS to the seed coat can be obtained. While treating, wear a dust mask, goggles and gloves. Work in a well ventilated area. Treated seed may be stored up to 3 months.

Label all containers of treated seed "POISON - This seed has been treated with Lindane, Thiram and Benomyl: do not use for food, feed or oil processing."

DRILL-BOX TREATMENT: Do not use with bare hands; wear a dust mask and goggles. When the drill box is empty at the start of seeding operations, mix some seed with the required amount of THIRALIN-PLUS in a separate container and place this treated seed in the bottom of the empty box. This premixing is not necessary when, at refilling, sufficient treated seed has remained to cover the bottom of drill box.

Obtain the amount of THIRALIN-PLUS required for treating all the seed that the drill box will hold. Fill the box half-full with seed and sprinkle half the needed seed protectant over this seed. Mix the seed by means of a stick or paddle until the colour of the seed is uniform. Then fill the box and sprinkle the remaining seed protectant over the seed and mix as outlined above.

PRECAUTIONS: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Poisonous if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. May cause allergic eczema in sensitive individuals. Avoid breathing dust and contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Apply seed treatment only in well ventilated areas. Wash after handling and before eating, drinking or smoking. Do not consume alcoholic beverages immediately before or within 24 hours after working with THIRALIN-PLUS. Highly toxic to fish, birds and wildlife. Do not contaminate streams or ponds.

FIRST AID: GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY IF SWALLOWED. Induce vomiting by touching the back of the throat with a finger or blunt object, repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Milk or fats (oils) must not be given.

The skin is an important route of absorption. Contaminated clothing should be removed as soon as possible and skin washed with soap and cold water. Get medical attention immediately if patient feels ill.

If eyes contaminated, flush with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: Lindane is an organochlorine pesticide. Symptoms of poisoning are associated with effects on the central nervous system. Following acute overdose: Initial excitement and apprehension, initial respiration accelerated by respiratory depression, muscular tremor followed by convulsions. Treatment is aimed at controlling convulsions using diazepam given intravenously for preference.

STORAGE: Store product in a cool, dry place.

DISPOSAL:

- 1. Empty bag.
- 2. Make the empty bag unsuitable for further use.
- 3. Dispose of the bag in accordance with provincial and municipal requirements.
- 4. For information on the disposal of the unused, unwanted product and the cleanup of spills contact the regional office of Environmental Protection, Environment Canada.

NOTICE TO USER: This control product is to be used in accordance with the directions on this label. It is an offence under the Pest Control Products Act to use a control product under unsafe conditions.

NOTICE TO BUYER: Seller's guarantee shall be limited to the terms set out on the label and subject thereto, the buyer assumes the risk to persons or property arising from the use or handling of this product and accepts the product on that condition.

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