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WARNING: Safety data and registration of this product are under review. Directions for use and cautionary statements should be carefully followed. Read the label before using.

METASYSTOX-R
SYSTEMIC SPRAY CONCENTRATE
INSECTICIDE

Contains oxydemeton-methyl

COMMERCIAL

NET CONTENTS _____ MILLILITRES

GUARANTEE: Oxydemeton-methyl....240 g/L

REGISTRATION NO. 9291
PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT AND OPEN FLAME

DANGER

POISON FLAMMABLE

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
CALL A DOCTOR IN CASE OF ACCIDENT

(See rear panel for first aid and danger statements)

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

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NOTICE TO USER: This control product is to be used only 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.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

METASYSTOX-R Systemic Spray Concentrate kills aphids, mites, birch leaf miner, and holly leaf miner on ornamental flowers, shrubs, and trees.

METASYSTOX-R Systemic Spray Concentrate kills insects that come in direct contact with spray deposit. In addition, when spray solutions are applied to plant foliage, they are absorbed into the plant and kill sucking insects that feed on the plant sap.

METASYSTOX-R Systemic Spray Concentrate mixes readily with water and may be used in all types of sprayers. Applications should be made as soon as possible after insects are seen on the plant foliage. This usually occurs soon after growth begins in the spring.

HOW TO USE:

In Compressed Air Sprayer: For use in hand or knapsack-type sprayers, add 10 mL of METASYSTOX-R Systemic Spray Concentrate per 5 L of water and spray plants until they are thoroughly wet. Repeat as necessary to maintain insect control.

In Garden Hose Sprayers: For use in hose-end type garden sprayers add 10 mL of METASYSTOX-R Systemic Spray Concentrate for each 5 L of final spray mixture. For example, to prepare 25 L of finished spray, pour 50 mL of METASYSTOX-R Systemic Spray Concentrate into the sprayer jar and fill with water to the 25 L mark. Spray plants until they are thoroughly wet. Repeat applications as necessary to maintain insect control. Follow the recommendations of the manufacturer of your particular hose-end sprayer.

RESTRICTIONS

Do not use on plants used for food or forage. Use only according to label directions. Do not handle treated plants until spray deposit has dried.

Do not reuse container; bury container and unused chemical at

least 50 cm deep and away from water supplies.

DANGER

POISON

May be fatal if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear rubber gloves while handling this product or freshly treated plants. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not breathe spray mist. Do not contaminate feed or food. Keep out of reach of children. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

FIRST AID: In case of poisoning call a physician immediately. Have patient lie down and keep quiet. If swallowed, vomiting should be induced. Administer milk or water freely and induce vomiting by giving one dose (15 mL) of syrup of ipecac. If vomiting does not occur within 10 to 20 minutes, administer second dose. If syrup of ipecac is not available, induce vomiting by sticking finger down throat. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. The patient should be lying down with the head below the foot level and facing down or to one side. Professional medical assistance should be secured immediately. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON OR TO PERSONS IN A CONVULSIVE STATE. If on skin, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin immediately with soap and warm water. If eyes are contaminated, wash immediately with flowing water for at least 15 minutes.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: The compound inhibits cholinesterase resulting in stimulation of the central nervous system. This results in a sense of "tightness" in the chest sweating, contracted pupils, stomach pains, vomiting and diarrhea. The antidote is atropine sulfate administered in large therapeutic doses repeated as necessary to the point of tolerance. 2-PAM is also antidotal and may be administered in conjunction with atropine. Do not give morphine. Watch for pulmonary edema, which may develop in serious cases of poisoning even after 12 hours. At first sign of pulmonary edema, the patient should be placed in an oxygen tent and treated symptomatically.

NOTICE

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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