

US EPA ARCHIVE DOCUMENT

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Room 248

MEMORANDUM:

Subject: EPA File Symbol/EPA Reg. No.: 365-76  
Gortan Broad Spectrum Bactericide

From: Lucy D. Markarian, Biologist  
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Registration Support Branch  
Registration Division (7505W)

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To: Walter Francis / Velma Noble, PM 31  
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Registration Division (7505C)

Applicant: US Professional Laboratories  
L & F Products  
225 Summit Avenue  
Montvale, NJ 07645-1575

FORMULATION FROM LABEL:


<u>Active Ingredient(s)::</u>	<u>% by wt.</u>
Hexahydro-1,3,5-tris(2-hydroxyethyl-s-triazine .....	78.5 %
<u>Inert Ingredient(s):</u>	..... 21.5 %
.....	Total: 100.0 %

BACKGROUND

U S professional Laboratories of L & F products, has submitted n eye irritation study as 6(a)(2) data for the product Grotan under EPA 365-76. Based on the results of the test the registrant would like to change the signal word and precautionary label from CAUTION to Danger as expeditiously as possible.

RECOMMENDATION

The submitted eye study supports the change. The study shows that the subject product is corrosive to the eye. The study of the file did not yield any toxicological data to support the registration. In the light of the apparent corrosive nature, at least in the eyes, it is recommended that other required studies be also submitted.



The eye test is considered core minimum data, because the QA statement states that the inspected in life portion of the test was the dose preparation. This was an eye study that used the liquid test material as received. It is difficult to understand how the dose needed any preparation. The case has been referred to OECA.

LABEL

The signal word is DANGER.  
Based on the eye study the precautionary statement must include:

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

The ststement of practical treatment must include:

- If in eyes: Call physician. Keep eye lids open and flush with a gentle steady stream of water for 15 minutes.
- If swallowed: Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg white or gelatin mixture, or if these are not available a large quantity of water. Avoid alcohol.

Note to the physician: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate gastric lavage.

The label may have to be revised upon the submission and acceptance of the outstanding data.

Note to the PM

Category I placement of the ocular hazard potential places this product in restricted use classification. The PM must decide if alternative labeling language is sufficient to offset the hazard and the need for restricted use classification. If it is not placed in restricted use classification, then CRP will be necessary.

**DATA REVIEW FOR ACUTE EYE IRRITATION TESTING (§81-4)**

**Product Manager:** 31  
**MRID No.:** 435173-01  
**Testing Laboratory:** Springborn  
**Author(s):** Deborah A. Douds  
**Species:** Rabbit, New Zealand White  
**Sex:** 3 male & 3 female  
**Weight:** 2.832 - 3.363 K  
**Age:** Adult  
**Source:** Myrtle's Rabbitry, Thompson Station, TN  
**Dosage:** 0.5 ml  
**Test Material:** BD-024-3A, clear, light yellow viscous liquid  
**Quality Assurance (40 CFR §160.12):** Included, questionable

**Reviewer:** L. Markarian  
**Report Date:** 1/6/95  
**Report No.:** 3157-167

**Summary:**

1. **Toxicity Category:** I
2. **Classification:** Core minimum

**Procedure (Deviations From §81-4):**

Test material was instilled in the conjunctival sacs of six pre examined eyes as received. Evaluations were at 1, 24, 48, and 72 hrs and days 7, 10, 14, and 21, according to Draize. Fluorescein was used to confirm corneal findings starting at 24 hrs.

**Results:**

Observations	(number "positive"/number tested)							
	Hour	Days						
	1	1	2	3	7	10	14	21
Cornea Opacity	5/6	6/6	6/6	6/6	6/6	5/6	5/6	4/6
Iris	6/6	6/6	6/6	6/6	3/6	2/6	1/6	1/6
Conjunctivae								
Redness	6/6	6/6	6/6	6/6	6/6	5/6	4/6	1/6
Chemosis	6/6	6/6	6/6	6/6	3/6	2/6	3/6	1/6
Discharge	6/6	6/6	6/6	6/6	2/6	1/5	1/6	1/6

**Comments:** Additionally sloughing of the corneal epithelium, Vascularization of cornea, raised areas on the cornea, blanching of the conjunctivae, and hair loss around the eye were observed.

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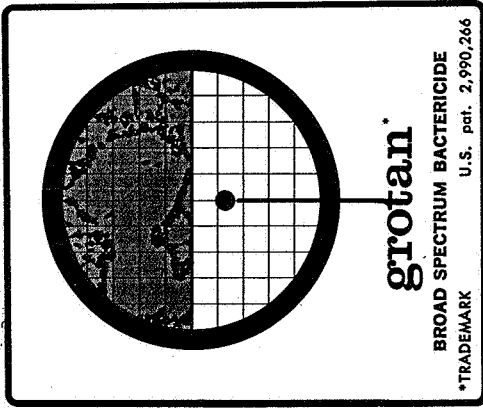
Hexahydro-1,2,3,5-tris(2hydroxyethyl)-  
s-Triazine

Laboratory: Springborn Laboratories, Inc., 640 North Elizabeth street,  
Spencerville, Ohio 45887

S T U D Y      M A T E R I A L      MRID NO      R E S U L T S      TOX CAT      CORE GRADE

Eye Irritation      BD-024-3A      435173-01      Corrosive      I      Minimum  
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**A LONG LASTING BROAD SPECTRUM BACTERICIDE, SLIMICIDE, AND FUNGICIDE FOR THE PRESERVATION OF METAL CUTTING FLUIDS AND COOLANTS**

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

Hexahydro — 1, 3, 5, — tris (2—hydroxethyl) — s — triazine ..... 78.5%

**INERT INGREDIENTS:**

..... 21.5%

**CAUTION:** Keep out of reach of children.

GROTAN CONCENTRATE is harmful if swallowed. Avoid skin contact and splashing in eyes. Wash eyes with large amounts of water if exposed. If irritation persists, get medical attention.

U.S.D.A. Reg. No. 10,000-1

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**NET CONTENTS 10 LBS.**

**DIRECTIONS:**  
**SOLUBLE EMULSION AND SYNTHETIC CUTTING FLUIDS**

1. For best results, drain and clean the system before adding fresh cutting fluid.
2. Add 0.15% of GRO-TAN to the use dilution. (1.2 pints per 100 gallons of diluted cutting fluid).
3. 0.15% of GROTAN should be added to the use dilution of the make-up fluid.

