

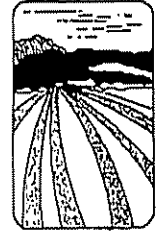


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RE: AMVAC Chemical Co./ Blocker™ 4F Flowable Fungicide
a.i. - PCNB (Pentachloronitrobenzene)
EPA Reg. No. 5481-472, EPA SLN No. OR-030015
Purpose - To control white mold on potatoes
Application Method- Chemigation

In 2003, under Section 24(c) FIFRA, the Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA) issued a Special Local Need registration (SLN) to AMVAC Chemical Company to allow for the use of Blocker™ 4F through irrigation, to control white mold (*Sclerotinia sclerotiorum*) in potatoes.

SLN OR-030015 originally expired December 31, 2003. However, to allow AMVAC time to collect additional data in support of this SLN, ODA has extended the expiration date to December 31, 2004. Jill Bloom, Mary Waller and others in EPA are aware of AMVAC's continuing research efforts.

Addition language protective to the environment has been included on this revised label. Otherwise, it is identical to the original SLN.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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