Does your product qualify for a Minimum Risk Pesticide Exemption in California?

The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) section 25(b)(2) [7 U.S. Code section 136w(b)(2)] and Title 3 of the California Code of Regulations sections 6147 exempt minimum risk pesticides from registration, provided the product meets certain criteria. For a preliminary check to see if your product qualifies for the minimum risk pesticide exemption in California, begin at **START**, answer the questions, and follow the arrows until you reach an **END**.

For more information regarding Minimum Risk Pesticides, visit <http://cdpr.ca.gov/docs/registration/sec25/sect25intro.htm>

START
Does your product...

Qualify for a Minimum Risk Exemption with U.S. EPA?[1]
- Yes → Contain citronella or citronella oil?
- No → **END** Product requires registration[2]

Contain citronella or citronella oil?
- Yes → Intend for topical application to human skin?
- No → Have active ingredients ≥ 8.5%?

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- Yes → **END** Product requires registration[2]
- No → Contain C – Label Statements?

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- Yes → Have active ingredients ≥ 8.5%?
- No → **END** Product requires registration[2]

Have active ingredients ≥ 8.5%?
- Yes → Contain C – Label Statements?
- No → Contain A – Active Ingredients?

Contain A – Active Ingredients?
- Yes → Contain D – Label Statements?
- No → Contain B – Active Ingredients?

Contain D – Label Statements?
- Yes → Contain B – Active Ingredients?
- No → **END** Product requires registration[2]

Contain B – Active Ingredients?
- Yes → Intend for topical application to human skin?
- No → **END** Product qualifies for exemption

Intend for topical application to human skin?
- Yes → Contain C – Label Statements?
- No → **END** Product requires registration[2]

Contain C – Label Statements?
- Yes → **END** Product qualifies for exemption
- No → **END** Product requires registration[2]

A – Active Ingredients

- ☐ Cedar oil
- ☐ Cinnamon oil
- ☐ Citric acid
- ☐ Clove oil
- ☐ Eugenol
- ☐ Garlic oil
- ☐ Lauryl sulfate
- ☐ Lemongrass oil
- ☐ Malic acid
- ☐ Mint oil
- ☐ Peppermint oil
- ☐ 2-phenethyl propionate (2-phenylethyl propionate)
- ☐ Potassium sorbate
- ☐ Rosemary oil
- ☐ Sodium lauryl sulfate
- ☐ Thyme oil
- ☐ White pepper

B – Active Ingredients

- ☐ Cloves
- ☐ Clove oil
- ☐ Eugenol
- ☐ Geraniol
- ☐ Geranium oil
- ☐ Peppermint
- ☐ Peppermint oil
- ☐ Rosemary
- ☐ Rosemary oil
- ☐ Sodium lauryl sulfate
- ☐ Thyme
- ☐ Thyme oil

C – Label Statements

- ☐ Minimum signal word "CAUTION"
- ☐ "Keep Out Of Reach of Children"
- ☐ Dermal sensitization precautionary statement
- ☐ Prohibition against application to the hands of children
- ☐ Requires adult supervision during application to children

D – Label Statements

- ☐ Minimum signal word "CAUTION"
- ☐ "Keep Out of Reach of Children"
- ☐ Appropriate precautionary language
- ☐ Requirement for appropriate eyewear and gloves

[1]If you are unsure if your product qualifies for a Minimum Risk Exemption, visit <http://www.epa.gov/minimum-risk-pesticides>
[2]Product requires registration with DPR, unless the label can be appropriately modified. For more information regarding registering a product with DPR, visit <http://cdpr.ca.gov/docs/registration/instructions.htm>

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