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Plant protection products in storage and on the field

Request for approval in accordance with bio.inspecta Organic Standard or NOP

If you plan to use any plant protection products, which are not specifically listed

- in Annex I, II of the current bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU equivalent Standard) bi-OS
- in the paragraphs §205.203, §205.206 or in the National List (§205.601 ff) of the NOP standard

please submit this application form to bio.inspecta and wait for our approval **before** using the inputs.
Using unauthorised inputs can lead to decertification of your crops/fields.
The completed form with annexes has to be sent to: international@bio-inspecta.ch

Input approvals can be complex and demanding, thus bio.inspecta recommends to **submit** the application **at least four weeks before the planned date of use**.

Please be aware that you can only use plant protection products in accordance with the national legislation in your country. Instructions on the label of the product have to be followed.

1. Applicant/operator

Name of operator		Address	
b.i Number		Country	
Person in charge for input approval (signing this documents)		Position within the company	

2. Information about the plant protection product

Product is purchased ☐	Product is self manufactured ☐
Trade name of the product	
Is the plant protection product registered in your country? Y/N If yes, give the Registration No.	
From which company/distributor do you plan to buy the product?	
Manufacturer name (if known)	
Manufacturer address and website (if known)	

Composition of the product (sum 100% of volume or weight)			
Active substance(s)	CAS no.	%	
Inert substance(s)	CAS no.	%	Function (e.g. synergist, surfactant, emulsifier, anti-dusting agent, anti-caking agent, etc.)

Possible genetic modification of ingredients or substances/microorganisms used for production: provide evidence for absence		
Product/process	Possible use/contamination with GMO	Evidence for absence (name document here and submit it with application form)
Microbial products	Used mirco-organisms may have been subject to decombinant DNA techniques or other forms of geneteical engineering.	
Production of one or more ingredient in a fermenter system using micro-organisms	Used micro-organisms may have been subject to genetical engineering.	
Ingredients of agricultureal origin (e.g. vegetable oil)	Crop may have been genetically modified.	

Mineral oil		
Mineral oil named in the list of ingredients above (incl. CAS-Number) is composed predominately of paraffinic and naphthenic fractions with 50 percent boiling point (10 mm Hg) between 415 and 440 °F (212 and 226°C)?	☐ yes	☐ no

Additional information considered relevant

3. Application

The plant protection product shall be evaluated in accordance with	☐ bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU Equivalence) ☐ NOP ☐ Other
Crops concerned	
Quantity/ha on which the product is planned to be applied	
Mode of application (spraying, dipping etc.)	
Reason of use	

4. Please attach the following

- ☐ Technical data sheet / product specifications (formulation)
- ☐ Safety data sheet, other relevant data sheets (if applicable)
- ☐ Products approved for use according to an EU-equivalent standard or NOP by an accredited certification body: add copy of the certificate or approval documents / Link to OMRI-list for NOP
- ☐ Labels and recommendations for use

☐ **Important**: For products containing microorganisms or risky ingredients (corn, canola, soy etc): a declaration of compliance with the prohibition of genetically modified organisms pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 or USDA National Organic Program NOP, Please refer to the website of bio.inspecta. www.bio-inspecta.ch, *bi-OS Vendor Declaration non GMO, 24_636EN)*

☐ Other:

5. Signature by the operator

Operator name	
b.i number	
Product name	

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Place/Date	Name and Function	Signature

6. To be completed by bio.inspecta

Final assessment

☐ **Request is approved** ☐ bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU Equivalence) ☐ NOP ☐ Other

☐ **Request is rejected** ☐ bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU Equivalence) ☐ NOP ☐ Other

Explanation & justification

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Place/Date	Signature & Name

This approval is valid for three years from the date of singnatur of bio.inspecta.
It is in the responsibility of the operation to use only inputs, which have been approved for the respective standard.