

# VectoLex<sup>®</sup> FG

## BIOLOGICAL LARVICIDE

### FINE GRANULE

#### ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

<i>Bacillus sphaericus</i> 2362, Serotype H5a5b, strain ABTS 1743 fermentation solids, spores, and insecticidal toxins . . .	7.5%
OTHER INGREDIENTS . . . . .	92.5%
TOTAL . . . . .	100.0%

Potency: This product contains 50 BsITU/mg or 0.023 Billion BsITU/lb.  
Expiration Date: (Two years from the date of manufacture).

The percent active ingredient does not indicate product performance and potency measurements are not federally standardized.

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## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

1.0

FIRST AID	
<b>If in eyes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li><li>• Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li><li>• Call a poison control center for treatment advice.</li></ul>
<b>If on skin or clothing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Take off contaminated clothing.</li><li>• Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li><li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li></ul>
<b>If inhaled</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Move person to fresh air.</li><li>• If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth if possible.</li><li>• Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li></ul>
HOT LINE NUMBER	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-877-315-9819 (24 hours) for emergency medical treatment and/or transport emergency information. For all other information, call 1-800-323-9597.	

## 2.0 PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

### 2.1 HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Causes moderate eye irritation. Harmful if absorbed through the skin or inhaled. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear protective eyewear. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Mixers/loaders and applicators not in enclosed cabs or aircraft, must wear a dust/mist filtering respirator meeting NIOSH standards of at least N-95, R-95, or P-95. Repeated exposure to high concentrations of microbial proteins can cause allergic sensitizations.

### 2.2 Environmental Hazards

Do not apply directly to treated, finished drinking water reservoirs or drinking water receptacles when the water is intended for human consumption.

## 3.0 DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

For use only by federal, state, tribal or local government officials responsible for public health or vector control, or by persons certified in the appropriate category or otherwise authorized by the state or tribal lead pesticide regulatory agency to perform mosquito control applications, or by persons under their direct supervision. IN CALIFORNIA: This product is to be applied by County Health Department, State Department of Health Services, Mosquito and Vector Control or Mosquito Abatement District personnel, or persons under contract to these entities only.

## 4.0 STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

**Pesticide Storage:** Store in a cool, dry place.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**Container Handling:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag into application equipment, then offer for recycling if available or dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

## 5.0 DIRECTIONS FOR USE - VECTOLEX FG

### 5.1 Application Directions

#### MOSQUITO CONTROL

VectoLex<sup>®</sup> FG Biological Larvicide Fine Granule (hereafter referred to as VectoLex FG) is a selective microbial insecticide for use against mosquito larvae in a variety of habitats. VectoLex FG can be applied to areas that contain fish, other aquatic life, and plants. VectoLex FG can be applied to areas used by or in contact with humans, pets, horses, livestock, birds, or wildlife.

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**I. For control of mosquito larvae species\* in the following non-crop sites:**

<b>Habitat</b>	<b>Rate Range</b>
<b>Wastewater:</b> Sewage effluent, sewage lagoons, oxidation ponds, septic ditches, animal waste lagoons, impounded wastewater associated with fruit and vegetable processing.	5-20 lbs/acre**
<b>Stormwater/Drainage Systems:</b> Storm sewers, catch basins, drainage ditches, retention ponds, detention ponds and seepage ponds.	5-20 lbs/acre**
<b>Marine/Coastal Areas:</b> Salt marshes, mangroves, estuaries.	5-20 lbs/acre**
<b>Water Bodies:</b> Natural and manmade aquatic sites such as lakes, ponds, rivers, canals, streams and livestock watering ponds and troughs.	5-20 lbs/acre**
<b>Dormant Rice Fields:</b> Impounded water in dormant rice fields. (For application only during the interval between harvest and preparation of the field for the next cropping cycle.)	5-20 lbs/acre**
<b>Waste Tires:</b> Tires stockpiled in dumps, landfills, recycling plants, and other similar sites.	0.5-2 lbs/ 1000 sq. ft.

**II. For the control of mosquito larvae species\* in the following agricultural/crop sites where mosquito breeding occurs:**

<b>Habitats:</b>	<b>Rate Range</b>
Rice, pastures/hay fields, orchards, citrus groves, irrigated crops.	5-20 lbs/acre**

Apply VectoLex FG uniformly by aerial or conventional ground equipment. Reapply VectoLex FG as needed after 1 to 4 weeks.

\* Mosquito species effectively controlled by VectoLex FG, including many of those known to carry/transmit West Nile virus:

*Culex spp.*  
*Aedes vexans*  
*Ochlerotatus melanimon* (*Aedes melanimon*)  
*Ochlerotatus stimulans* (*Aedes stimulans*)  
*Ochlerotatus nigromaculis* (*Aedes nigromaculis*)  
*Psorophora columbiae*  
*Psorophora ferox*  
*Ochlerotatus triseriatus* (*Aedes triseriatus*)  
*Ochlerotatus sollicitans* (*Aedes sollicitans*)  
*Anopheles quadrimaculatus*  
*Coquillettidia perturbans*

\*\*Use higher rates (10 to 20 lbs/acre) in areas where extended residual control is necessary, or in habitats having deep water or dense surface cover.

Avoiding spray drift at the application site is the responsibility of the applicator. The interaction of many equipment and weather related factors determine the potential for spray drift. The applicator and the treatment coordinator are responsible for considering all these factors when making decisions.

**6.0 NOTICE TO USER**

To the extent consistent with applicable law, seller makes no warranty, express or implied, of merchantability, fitness or otherwise concerning the use of this product other than as indicated on this label. To the extent consistent with applicable law, user assumes all risks of use, storage or handling not in accordance with accompanying directions.