

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

- DANGER -

Convulsive poison! Fatal if swallowed or inhaled. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Avoid contact with skin. Do not breathe dust. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact any person or pet. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- *long-sleeved shirt and long pants.
- *cotton gloves
- *Shoes plus socks

When loading more than 3 lbs. (1.4kg) of bait into mechanical application equipment and when disposing of nonrigid containers (e.g., bags) handlers must wear:

- *Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- *waterproof gloves
- *shoes plus socks
- *goggles or face shield, and
- *dust/mist filtering respirator (NIOSH/msha approval number prefix TC-21c), or a NIOSH approved respirator with any N, P, R, or HE filter.

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. If there are no such instructions, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then, wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

Users should remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of waterproof gloves before removing them. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish, birds, and other wildlife. Do not allow bait to be exposed on soil surface. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

ENDANGERED SPECIES RESTRICTION

NOTICE: The killing of a member of an endangered species during strychnine baiting operations may result in a fine under the Endangered Species Act. Before baiting, the user is advised to contact the Regional U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Endangered Species Specialist) or the local Fish and Game Office for specific information on endangered species. Strychnine baits should not be used in the geographic ranges of the following species except under programs and procedures approved by the U.S. EPA; San Joaquin kit fox, Morro Bay kangaroo rat, Salt Marsh Harvest mouse, gray wolf, and grizzly bear.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store only in original container, in a dry place inaccessible to children and pets, under lock and key in a posted storage area.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spilled bait, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty drum or canister by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of drum or canister in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by State and local authorities.

NOTICE: Seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling that is contrary to label instructions.

**RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE
DUE TO HAZARD TO NONTARGET ORGANISMS**

For retail sale and use only by Certified Applicators or persons under the direct supervision of a Certified Applicator, and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's certification.



**THIS IS THE
OAT BAIT
FOR
POCKET
GOPHERS II**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
STRYCHNINE ALKALOID	0.50%
INERT INGREDIENTS	99.50%
TOTAL	100.00%

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
DANGER POISON
(PELIGRO)**



Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle (If you do not understand this label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

FIRST AID

- IF SWALLOWED:** CALL A PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER IMMEDIATELY. If less than ten (10) minutes have passed since the poison was taken, give 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Have patient lie down in a quiet, darkened room and keep him warm and quiet. If person is unconscious, do not give any thing by mouth and do not induce vomiting. Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention.
- IF INHALED:** Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention.
- IF IN EYES:** Hold eyelids open and flush with steady, gentle stream of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
- IF ON SKIN:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-658-7378 (National Pesticide Information Center) for emergency medical treatment information.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

- A. Administer 100% OXYGEN by positive pressure to provide as much pulmonary gas exchange as possible, despite seizures
- B. Administer ANTICONVULSANT DRUGS intravenously to control convulsions
- NOTICE:** It may be difficult or impossible to stop the seizure activity without stopping respiration. Be prepared to maintain pulmonary ventilation mechanically. Tracheotomy may be necessary if seizures are prolonged.

See side panel for additional precautionary statements.

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NET WT 25 lbs.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE
POCKET GOPHERS**

FOR USE IN SUBSOIL ONLY

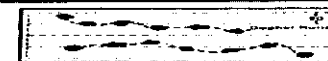
It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

USE RESTRICTIONS: This product may only be used to control pocket gophers (*Thomomys* spp. and *Geomys* spp.) in subsoil applications (only) in rangeland, pastures, cropland, and nonagricultural areas. This product may be applied by use of tractor-operated mechanical burrow builders or in manual applications as prescribed below. Bait must be deposited directly into pocket gophers' natural underground runways or into artificial underground tunnels made by burrow builders. Do not broadcast bait over crops grown for food or feed, or any other purpose. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers, other persons, or domestic animals. Keep pets and other people out of the area during application.

BAITING:

Manual Method: Using a shovel or other suitable implement, carefully remove burrow plug from flat side of burrow fan. Using a long-handled spoon, insert one teaspoon of bait into the main system. After bait placement has been made, cover opening with sod or dirt. Do not permit dirt to sift in and cover bait. Pick up and properly dispose of any spilled bait. Treat 2-7 fresh mounds per burrow system, depending upon its apparent length. Depending upon pocket gopher densities, one pound of bait will treat one to eight acres.

Burrow-Builder Method: Burrow builders construct artificial underground tunnels and automatically place bait in them in a single operation. A coultter disc opens the way for a subsoiler shank. At the bottom of the shank is a pointed tube or "torpedo". The torpedo creates the artificial burrow. Bait is dropped in preset quantities through an outlet in the rear underside of the torpedo. Close-set rubber tires behind the subsoiler shank close the cut above the burrow. Consult manufacturer's directions for the specific equipment to be used. Adjust the torpedo to the depth of pocket gopher runways. Make sure that soil is damp enough to hold formed tunnels. Cut artificial burrows at 20 to 25 foot intervals. Orient artificial burrows to intercept gophers' natural underground runways. Pick up or bury any spilled bait. One to three pounds of bait will treat one acre by the burrow-builder method.



Treatment indicated by dotted lines.

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