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Subject: Amended label to update the Environmental Hazards and add a pollinator restriction to the directions for ant control
Product Name: IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide
EPA Reg. No. 70506-158
EPA Decision No. 487433
Submission dated February 5, 2014

Dear Ms. Hutcheson:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act is acceptable. A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one (1) copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. See 40 CFR 156.10(a)(6).

Under 40 CFR 152.130(d), EPA may establish dates by which all product distributed or sold by the registrant must bear revised labeling. The following paragraphs set forth the schedule for ensuring that that your product bears revised labeling within a reasonable time period:

- Any product released for shipment after 2/28/14 must bear the new label.

If these conditions are not complied with, EPA will take appropriate action against this registration. If you have any questions please contact Julie Chao at 703-308-8735 or chao.julie@epa.gov.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Venus Eagle".

Venus Eagle, Product Manager (01)
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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide,
and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the
pesticide registered under:

GROUP 4 INSECTICIDE

IMIBLOC 70 DF
Termiticide/Insecticide

EPA. Reg. No: 70506-158

Not For Use in New York State

For use by individuals/firms licensed or registered by the state to apply termiticide products. States may have more restrictive requirements regarding qualifications of persons using this product. Consult the structural pest control regulatory agency of your state prior to use of this product.

For prevention or control of subterranean termites, drywood termites, dampwood termites, carpenter ants, and other wood-infesting insects.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT

IMIDACLOPRID – 1-[(6-Chloro-3-pyridinyl)methyl]-N-nitro-2-imidazolidinimine.....	70.0%
OTHER INGREDIENTS	30.0%
Total	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

FIRST AID	
If swallowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. • Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. • Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If in eyes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. • Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If on skin or clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take off contaminated clothing. • Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. Contact the Rocky Mountain Poison Center at 1-866-673-6671 for emergency medical treatment information.	
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: No specific antidote is available. Treat symptomatically.	

FOR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY: Spill, leak, fire, exposure, or accident, call CHEMTREC at 1-800-424-9300

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS
CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Causes eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust or vapor. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Keep children or pets off treated area until spray is dry.

When treating adjacent to an existing structure, the applicator must check the area to be treated, and immediately adjacent areas of the structure, for visible and accessible cracks and holes to prevent any leaks or significant exposures to persons occupying the structure. People present or residing in the structure during application must be advised to remove their pets and themselves from the structure if they see any signs of leakage. After application, the applicator is required to check for leaks. All leaks resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label must be cleaned up prior to leaving the application site. Do not allow people or pets to contact contaminated areas or to reoccupy contaminated areas of the structure until the clean-up is completed.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Applicators handlers (mixers, loaders, and applicators) must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirts and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material such as barrier laminate, butyl rubber, nitrile rubber, neoprene rubber, natural rubber, polyethylene, polyvinylchloride (PVC) or viton.
- Shoes plus socks.

After product is diluted according to label directions, shirt, pants, socks, shoes, and chemical-resistant gloves are sufficient.

In addition, all pesticide handlers must wear protective eyewear when working in a non-ventilated space or when applying termiticide by rodding or sub-slab injection.

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining personal protective equipment (PPE). If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is highly toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Apply this product only as specified on this label. Extreme care must be taken to avoid runoff. Apply only to soil or other fill substrate that will accept the solution at the specified rate. Do not treat soil that is saturated or frozen, or in any conditions where runoff or movement from the treatment area (site) is likely to occur.

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This product is highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment or residues on blooming plants/crops or weeds. Do not apply this product or allow it to drift to blooming plants/crops or weeds if bees are foraging in or adjacent to the treatment area.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage and disposal.
Pesticide Storage: Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other pesticides, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area.
Handle and open container in a manner as to prevent spillage. If the container is leaking or material is spilled for any reason or cause, carefully sweep material into a pile and dispose of as directed for pesticides below. Refer to Precautionary Statements on label for hazards associated with the handling of this material. In spill or leak incidents, keep unauthorized people away.
Pesticide Disposal: Pesticides wastes may be hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture 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 Handling: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container.
Clean container promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container 1/4 full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

NOTE: Not For Use in New York State

Do not apply this product, by any application method, to linden, basswood or other *Tilia* species in the State of Oregon.

Structures that may contain wells or cisterns within the foundation of the structure can only be treated using the treated backfill method described in the treatment around wells and cisterns section of this label. Consult local and state specifications for recommended distances of wells from treated area, or if such regulations do not exist, refer to Federal Housing Administration Specifications for guidance.

Do not formulate this product into other end-use products.

MIXING TABLE FOR IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide

GALLONS OF FINISHED SOLUTION DESIRED	OUNCES OF IMIBLOC 70 DF NEEDED	
	0.05% CONCENTRATE	0.1% CONCENTRATE
25	2.5	5
50	5	10
100	10	20

APPLICATION VOLUME

The application volumes described in the directions for use should be used whenever possible. When soil conditions will not accept the application of 4 gallons per 10 linear feet, twice the amount of IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide may be applied in 2 gallons of solution per 10 linear feet.

GENERAL CONTROL

Treatment standards for subterranean termite control may vary due to regulations, procedures used, soil types, construction practices and other factors. The purpose of chemical soil treatment for termite control is to establish a continuous chemical treated zone (horizontal or vertical as needed) between the wood and other cellulose material in the structure and the termite colonies in the soil. Follow all federal, state, and local regulations and treatment standards for protection of a structure from termites. In some cases where an aerial or above ground colony is established, supplemental treatments to control the termites, landscape modifications, and/or structural repairs may be needed to deprive termites of a moisture source. Use a 0.05% to 0.1% dilution based on local recommendations. Generally a 0.05% dilution is used for typical control situations, while a 0.1% dilution is normally used for severe or persistent infestations.

PRE-CONSTRUCTION TREATMENT

Do not apply at a lower dosage and/or concentration than that specified on this label when applying before installation of the finished grade.

Prior to each application, applicators must notify the general contractor, construction superintendent, or similar responsible party, of the intended termiticide application and intended sites of application and instruct the responsible person to notify construction workers and other individuals to leave the area to be treated during application and until the termiticide is absorbed into the soil.

CONCRETE SLAB-ON-GROUND OR BASEMENTS

Apply an overall treatment to the entire surface of soil or other substrate to be covered by the slab including areas to be under carports, porches, basement floor and entrance platforms. Apply at the rate of 1 gallon of solution to accurately and uniformly cover 10 square feet. If fill under slab is gravel or other coarse aggregate, apply at the rate of 1.5 gallons or sufficient volume of solutions, to accurately and uniformly cover 10 square feet. In addition, apply 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet to provide a uniform treated zone in soil at critical areas such as along the inside of foundation walls, and around plumbing, bath traps, utility services, and other features that will penetrate the slab.

After completion of grading, make an application by trenching or trenching and rodding around the slab or foundation perimeter. Rodding may be done from the bottom of a shallow trench. When rodding, rod holes must be spaced in a manner that will allow for a continuous chemical treated zone, no greater than 12 inches, to be deposited along the treated area. Rod holes should not extend below the footing. Apply 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet, per foot of depth to provide a uniform treated zone. When trenching, the trench along the outside foundation should be about 6 inches in depth. Use a low pressure spray (not to exceed 25 psi at the treatment tool when the valve is open) to treat soil which will be placed in the trench after rodding. Mix the spray solution with soil as it is being placed in the trench. When treating voids in hollow masonry units, use 2 gallons of solution per 10 linear feet of wall. Apply solution so it will reach the footing by injecting into the lower areas of the wall, just above the floor or footing.

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When treating foundations deeper than 4 feet, apply the termiticide as the backfill is being replaced, or if the construction contractor fails to notify the applicator to permit this, treat the foundation to a minimum depth of 4 feet after the backfill has been installed. The applicator must trench and rod into the trench or trench along the foundation walls and around pillars and other foundation elements, at the rate prescribed from grade to a minimum depth of 4 feet. When the top of the footing is exposed, the applicator must treat the soil adjacent to the footing to a depth not to exceed the bottom of the footing. However, in no case should a structure be treated below the footing.

Rodding in trench followed by flooding of trench and treatment of backfill may create a better continuous chemical treated zone than using soil rodding alone to establish a vertical termiticide treated zone.

CRAWL SPACES: Apply by trenching and rodding downward along the inside and outside of foundation walls, around piers, interior supports in contact with the soil, plumbing, and utility services. Apply four gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet, per foot of depth to create a uniform treated zone. Rodding may be done from the bottom of a shallow trench to top of the footing or a minimum of 4 feet. When rodding, space rod holes to create a continuous chemical treated zone along the treated area. Rod holes should not extend below the footing. When trenching, the trench should be about 6 inches wide and 6 inches deep. Use a low pressure spray to treat soil which will be placed in the trench, mixing the spray solution and soil together as it is being placed in the trench.

HOLLOW BLOCK FOUNDATIONS OR VOIDS: Hollow block foundations or voids in masonry resting on the footing may be treated to provide a continuous chemical treated zone in the voids at the footing. Apply 2 gallons of solution per 10 linear feet to the lower part of the void so that it reaches the top of the footing or soil.

Examine treatment of voids in block or rubble foundation walls closely. Applicators must inspect areas of possible runoff as a precaution against application leakage in the treated areas. Some areas may not be treatable or may require mechanical alteration prior to treatment.

All leaks resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label must be cleaned up prior to leaving the application site (refer to Precautionary Statements). Do not allow people or pets to contact or to reoccupy the contaminated areas of the structure until the clean up is completed.

POST-CONSTRUCTION TREATMENT

CONCRETE-SLAB-ON-GROUND: To apply under the slab in areas such as attached porches, carports, entrance platforms, garages and similar slab structures, it may be necessary to drill through the slab or exterior foundation. Space drill holes should be spaced so that a continuous chemical treated zone is created. Treat all existing cracks and cold, construction, or expansion joints. Also, treat around bath traps, plumbing and utility services which penetrate the slab. Apply 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet per foot of depth to provide a uniform treated zone. DO NOT TREAT UNTIL LOCATION OF HEAT OR AIR CONDITIONING DUCTS AND VENTS IS KNOWN AND EACH IS LOCATED. USE EXTREME CAUTION TO AVOID CONTAMINATION OF DUCTS AND VENTS. Plug and fill all drilled holes in commonly occupied areas with a suitable sealant. If plugs are not constructed of non-cellulose material, they must be covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material.

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An application should be made by trenching or trenching and rodding around the outside of the foundation wall. Apply 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet per foot of depth to create a uniform treated zone. When trenching, make the trench along the outside foundation about 6 inches wide and 6 inches deep. Use a low pressure spray to treat soil as it is being placed in the trench.

Rodding can be done from the bottom of a shallow trench. When rodding, space rod holes to create a continuous chemical treated zone, not greater than 12 inches, to be deposited along the treated area. Rod hole depth should not extend below the footing.

BATH TRAPS: Exposed soil or soil covered with tar or a similar type sealant under and around plumbing and/or drain pipe entry areas should be treated with 3 gallons of solution per square foot. Cut/install an access door or inspection vent if one is not already present. Inspect and remove any wood or cellulose debris, then treat soil by rodding or drenching the soil.

CRAWL SPACES: When there is not enough clearance between floor joists and ground surfaces to allow applicator access, excavate the area, if possible, and treat according to crawl spaces (refer to Pre-Construction Treatment). If excavation is not possible, treat crawl space soil and wood to prevent surface access by termites. Apply 1 gallon of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 square feet to create a uniform chemical treated zone. Use a very coarse spray at a pressure not greater than 25 psi at the treatment tool when the valve is open.

If a crawl space cannot be reached with the application wand, use extension wands or other suitable equipment to apply a coarse spray on the soil, wood and structural members which contact the soil, at the rates above. Do not apply to inaccessible crawl space areas using pressures greater than 25 psi at the treatment tool when the valve is open.

Treatment may also be made by drilling through the foundation wall or through the floor above and treating the soil perimeter using a rate of 1 gallon of solution per 10 square feet. Drill spacing must be at intervals not to exceed 16 inches. Many states have smaller intervals so check state regulations which may apply.

To prevent subterranean termites from constructing mud tubes between soil and crawl space wood members above, an overall soil treatment of this product may be applied. Remove all cellulose debris before application. Apply 1 gallon of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 square feet to provide a uniform chemical treated zone.

SHALLOW FOUNDATIONS: For shallow foundations, one foot or less in depth, dig a narrow trench about 6 inches wide and deep along both the outside and inside of the foundation walls, being careful not to dig below the bottom of the footings. If the foundation has an exposed footing, dig a trench alongside the footing taking care not to undermine the footing. Apply 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet to the top of footer to create a uniform treated zone. Apply the dilution to the trench and mix it with the soil as it is placed in the trench.

BASEMENTS – OUTSIDE PERIMETER: Along the outside of the exterior walls, apply by trenching or rodding within the trench. Rodding depth should be to the top of the footer, or to a minimum of 4 feet or according to state or local regulations. When rodding through a trench, dig a narrow trench about 6 inches wide and 6 inches deep, then apply 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet, per foot of depth to create a uniform treated zone

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by rodding through the trench. Use a low pressure spray to treat soil which will be placed into the trench after rodding. Mix spray solution with the soil as it is being placed in the trench.

BASEMENTS – INSIDE PERIMETER: If necessary, treat by drilling along the perimeter of the interior walls. Applications also may be necessary around sewer pipes, floor drains, conduits, expansion joints or any cracks or holes in the basement floor. Apply 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet to create a uniform treated zone.

Space drill holes to allow for creation of a continuous chemical treated zone. Plug and fill all drill holes in commonly occupied areas of the building with a suitable sealant. If plugs are not made of non-cellulose material, they must be covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material.

HOLLOW BLOCK FOUNDATION OR VOIDS: Hollow block foundations or voids in masonry resting on the footing may be treated to create a continuous chemical treated zone in the voids at the footing. Apply 2 gallons of solution per 10 linear feet to the lower part of the void so that it reaches the top of the footing or soil. Space drill holes so that intervals do not exceed 16 inches. Many states have smaller intervals so check state regulations which may apply.

Examine treatment of voids in block or rubble foundation walls closely as a precaution against application leakage in the treated areas. Some areas may not be treatable or may require mechanical alteration prior to treatment.

All leaks resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label must be cleaned up prior to leaving the application site (refer to Precautionary Statements). Do not allow people or pets to contact or to reoccupy the contaminated areas of the structure until the cleanup is completed.

PLENUMS: For plenum-type structures which use a sealed underfloor space to circulate heated and/or cooled air throughout the structure, apply the dilution at the rate of 4 gallons of solution (see APPLICATION VOLUME) per 10 linear feet, per foot of depth of soil to create a uniform treated zone adjacent to both sides of foundation walls, supporting piers, plumbing and conduits. Treat the soil by trenching to a depth of 6 inches or trenching and rodding (where conditions permit) or to the top of the footing. Where trenching or rodding are not possible, a surface application next to interior foundation walls may be made, but the treated strip shall not exceed a width of 18 inches, horizontally, from the foundation walls, piers or pipes. Make the surface application at a rate of 1.5 gallons of solution per 10 square feet as very coarse spray under low pressure (not greater than 25 psi when measured at the treating tool when valve is on).

When treating plenums, turn off air circulation system of the structure until application is finished and all termiticide has been absorbed by the soil.

TREATMENT AROUND WELLS OR CISTERNS: Do not contaminate wells or cisterns.
Structures with Wells/Cisterns Inside Foundations: Structures that contain wells or cisterns within the foundation of a structure may only be treated using the techniques below.

1. Do not apply within 5 feet of any well or cistern by rodding and/or trenching or by the backfill method. Treat soil between 5 and 10 feet from the well or cistern by the backfill method only. Treatment of soil adjacent to water pipes within 3 feet of grade should only be done by the backfill method.
 - a) Trench and remove soil to be treated onto heavy plastic sheeting or similar material or into a wheelbarrow.

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- b) Treat the soil at the rate of 4 gallons of solution per 10 linear feet per foot of the trench, or 1 gallon per 1.0 cubic feet of soil. Mix thoroughly into the soil taking care to contain the liquid and prevent runoff or spillage.
 - c) After the treated soil has absorbed the solution, replace the soil into the trench.
2. Treat infested and/or damaged wood in place using an injection technique such as described in the “Control of Wood Infesting Pests” section of this label.

Structures with Adjacent Wells/Cisterns and/or Other Water Bodies: Applicators must inspect all structures with nearby water sources such as wells, cisterns, surface ponds, streams, and other bodies of water and evaluate, at a minimum, the treatment recommendations listed below before making an application.

- 1. Before treatment, if feasible, expose the water pipe(s) coming from the well to the structure, if the pipe(s) enter the structure within 3 feet of grade.
- 2. Before treatment applicators are advised to take precautions to limit the risk of applying the termiticide into subsurface drains that could empty into any bodies of water. These precautions include evaluating whether application of the termiticide to the top of the footer may result in contamination of the subsurface drain. Consideration should be given to factors such as depth to the drain system and soil type and degree of compaction when determining the depth of treatment.
- 3. When appropriate (i.e., on the water side of the structure), the treated backfill technique (described above) can also be used to minimize off-site movement of termiticide.

FOAM APPLICATIONS

In some cases construction practices, soil subsidence and other factors may make it difficult to create a continuous chemical treatment zone using conventional treatment alone. In situations where necessary, supplement conventional application methods by use of foam generating equipment, or similar devices, to create a continuous treated zone.

Foam application may be made alone or combined with conventional application methods, provided that the labeled amount of active ingredient per unit area is used.

Foam Application Use Directions: Mix solution of IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide with manufacturer’s recommended volume of foaming agent (see table for foaming recommendations). Apply a sufficient volume of IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide foam alone or in combination with liquid solution to create a continuous treated zone at the recommended rate for specific application sites. Use appropriate dispersion tips and application method for site.

MIXING TABLE FOR IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide FOAM				
USE RATE OF IMIBLOC 70 DF	Gallons of Water	Foam Expansion Ratio	Finished Foam	
			(gallons)	(ai%)
2.5 ounces	1	25:1	25	0.05
	2.5	10:1		
	5	5:1		
5 ounces	1	50:1	50	0.05
	2.5	20:1		
	5	10:1		

* Add the manufacturer’s recommended quantity of foam agent to the IMIBLOC 70 DF

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Termiticide/Insecticide solution.

Depending on the circumstances, foam applications may be used alone or combined with liquid solution applications. Applications may be made behind veneers, piers, chimney bases, into rubble foundations, into block voids or structural voids, wall voids, under slabs, stoops, porches, or to the soil in crawl spaces, and other similar voids.

Foam and liquid applications must be consistent with volume and active ingredient instructions in order to ensure proper application has been made. The volume and amount of active ingredient are essential to an effective treatment. At least 75% of the gallons of IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide must be applied as a typical liquid treatment. The remaining 25% or less gallons are delivered to appropriate locations using a foam application.

NOTE: When foam is used solely to kill subterranean termites in above ground locations (such as feeding galleries in wooden framing, or in voids with framed walls), and whenever the target pest is other than subterranean termites (drywood termites, beetles, ants, etc.), dilute solutions of imidacloprid may be expanded by foaming without concentrating the imidacloprid solution as previously described for soil applications. Add the manufacturer's recommended volume of foaming agent to produce foam of the desired expansion ratio. Use application tips and methods suitable to the site and pest.

CONTROL OF WOOD INFESTING PESTS

For control of **above ground termites and carpenter ants** in localized areas, apply a 0.05 to 0.1% solution or sufficient volume of IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide foam to voids and galleries in damaged wood, and in spaces between wooden structural members and between the sill plate and foundation where wood is vulnerable. Apply to inaccessible areas by first drilling, then injecting the suspension or foam with a suitable directional injector into the damaged wood or wall voids. Termite carton nests in building voids may be injected with a 0.05 to 0.1% suspension or foam. It may be necessary to inject at multiple points to varying depths. When such nests are found, it is best to physically remove carton nest material. Apply to attics, crawl spaces, unfinished basements, or man-made voids using a coarse fan spray of 0.05 to 0.1% solution or foam to control exposed workers and winged reproductive forms of termites or carpenter ants. This type of application is intended to be a supplemental treatment for control of above ground subterranean termites and carpenter ants.

It is recommended to remove or prune away any shrubbery, bushes, and tree branches touching the structure, because vegetation touching the structure may offer entry to ants. This may allow ants to inhabit the structure without coming in contact with the treatment. If nests are found, apply IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide directly to these nests.

To control existing infestations of or to prevent infestation by termites or carpenter ants in trees, utility poles, fencing and decking materials, landscape timbers and similar non-structural wood-to-soil contacts, use a 0.05% to 0.1% solution. If possible, locate the interior infested cavity and inject a 0.05 to 0.1% solution or sufficient volume of IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide foam using an appropriate treatment tool with splashback guard. These non-structured wood-to-soil contacts may also be treated by applying a solution to the soil as a spot application or continuous treated zone applied as a drench or by rodding around the base of the point(s) of soil contact(s). Place the rod holes about 3 inches away from the soil contact point(s) and no more than 12 inches along the perimeter of the soil contact(s). For small poles or posts (<6 inches in diameter), apply 1 gallon per foot of depth. For larger constructions, apply 4 gallons per 10 linear feet per foot of depth. Retreat as needed to ensure protection.

Termite carton nests in trees may be injected with a 0.05 to 0.1% solution or sufficient volume of foam using a pointed injection tool. It may be necessary to use multiple injection points to varying depths. Removal of carton material from trees is preferable but may not be necessary when foam application is used. In some cases, a perimeter application of a 0.05% to 0.1% solution applied to soil around the root flare of the tree may be needed to prevent reinfestation by termites in the soil. For small trees (less than 8" in diameter, measured as the circumference at the root flare), apply 1 gallon of solution. For trees larger than 8", apply 4 gallons per 10 linear feet.

For protection of **firewood or other wood** products stored in contact with soil from carpenter ants and termites, before stacking treat soil with a 0.05 to 0.1% solution at 1 gallon per 10 square feet to prevent infestation. Curative application to the soil around firewood or other wood products stored in contact with soil may be made as described for non-structural wood-to-wood contacts (above).

Drywood termites and wood-infesting beetles or borers (such as, but not limited to, powder post beetles, anobiid or deathwatch beetles, false powder post beetles, old house borers, wharf borers, or ambrosia oak bark beetles). **Galleries and structure voids** can be treated with sprays, mists, or foams of a 0.05% to 0.1% IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide solution. Locate galleries by using visual signs (frass or pellets, blistered wood, emergence or clean cut holes), the presence of live insects, mechanical sounding techniques, or listening devices (e.g., stethoscopes, acoustic emission detectors). Drill holes to receive the injector tip or treatment tool. Distribute drill holes to adequately cover the gallery system. (NOTE: Avoid drilling where electrical wiring, plumbing lines, etc. are located). Apply IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide solutions using low pressure (about 20 psi) spray or by misting, or where appropriate, by foaming. It is not necessary to treat to the point where runoff is detected from adjacent holes. (NOTE: Do not apply where electrical shock hazards exist). Seal drill holes after treatment. Also, **wood surfaces** can be sprayed or misted with a 0.05% to 0.1% solution, or where appropriate, use a sufficient volume of foam. For inaccessible surfaces, drill and treat the interior of structural voids. Surfaces treated may include exposed wooden surfaces in crawl spaces, basements, or attics, wooden exterior surfaces such as decks, fencing, or siding, structural voids, channels in damaged wood, in spaces between members of a structure, and in junctions between wood and foundations. Apply by brushing or as a coarse, low pressure (about 20 psi) spray to the wood surface; apply sufficient volume to cover the surface to the point of wetness, but avoid applying to the point of runoff. When spraying overhead in living areas, cover surfaces below the treated area with plastic sheeting or similar material. Avoid contact with treated surfaces until spray deposits have dried. Retreat as needed to maintain protection.

Localized treatment for **carpenter bees**: Apply a 0.05% to 0.1% solution as a spray or mist, or sufficient volume of foam, directly into gallery entrance holes. After treatment, plug entrance holes with small pieces of steel wool or similar material.

RETREATMENT

Retreatment for subterranean termites may only be performed if there is clear evidence of reinfestation or if there has been disruption of the treated zone due to construction, excavation, or landscaping and/or evidence of the breakdown of the termiticide treated zone in the soil. Vulnerable or reinfested areas may be retreated in accordance with application techniques described in this label. The timing and type of retreatments will depend on factors such as termite pressure, soil types, soil conditions, and other factors which may reduce the effectiveness of the treated zone. Retreatment may be made as either a spot or complete treatment.

When a structure is not known to be reinfested and the treated zone is not disturbed, but where the structure was last treated five or more years ago, retreatment may be performed, if, in the judgment of the applicator, it is necessary to ensure the adequate protection of the structure. In determining the timing of any retreatment, the applicator should consider efficacy and/or degradation data and/or site-specific conditions and previous experience that indicate a vulnerability of the structure to termite attack.

Annual treatment of the structure is prohibited unless there is clear evidence that reinfestation or treated zone disruption has occurred.

When another registered termite control product/system is used as the primary treatment for prevention or control of subterranean termites and is applied to all label-specified areas, IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide may be applied as a spot application in a secondary treatment to critical areas of the structure including plumbing and utility entry sites, bath traps, expansion joints, foundation cracks, the outside foundation wall and areas of known or suspected activity at either a pre-construction or post-construction timing. Such secondary treatments must be applied in amounts and concentration in accordance with label directions relevant to the treatment area(s) to receive the secondary treatment.

For control of ants in houses and other structures, apply a 0.05% to 0.1% solution as a general surface, spot crack and crevice or wall void application. Apply to surfaces of buildings, porches, patios, and other structures, around doors and windows, eaves and attic vents, utility entry points, soffit areas and other exterior openings (including foundation cracks or drilled holes) where ants enter the structures or where they crawl or hide. Spray into cracks and crevices. Spray, mist or foam into voids where these ants or their nests are present. Apply volume of spray mist or foam sufficient to cover the area, but do not allow excessive dripping or runoff to occur from vertical or overhead surfaces.

Treat soil, turf or non-flowering ground cover next to the structure where ants are trailing or may find food or harborage. Do not allow product to contact plants in bloom if bees are foraging in the treatment area. Apply to flower, shrub or ornamental plant beds next to the structure where ants may find food or forage. To control ants tunneling in soil apply a 0.05% to 0.1% solution as a drench or soil injection at intervals to establish a continuous treated zone. Treat along the edge of walls, driveways or other hard surfaces where ants are tunneling beneath the surface.

Aerial Nests: If any nests are located in tree hollows or non-structural wooden construction (e.g., posts, fences, decks) treat the interior cavity and/or the nest site by injecting a 0.05% to 0.01% solution as a spray mist, or sufficient volume of foam.

Apply in sufficient water to cover the foliage and soil area being treated. Maximum application is once per month to maintain control.

Do not allow residents or pets into the immediate area during the application or contact with treated areas until spray has dried.

Do not use this product against native or imported fire ants, pharaoh or harvester ants.

NOTE: Where severe pest pressures may exist and when rapid knockdown or exclusion at pest entry points is desired, make supplemental treatments using IMIBLOC 70 DF Termiticide/Insecticide with targeted applications of a pyrethroid such as TEMPO® SC ULTRA,

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or SUSPEND[®] SC to doors and windows, utility entry points, and other places where these pests enter the structure. Read and follow all label directions for use of this companion product.

PRECAUTIONS FOR APPLICATIONS

After treatment, plug and fill all holes in concrete slab areas of the building with a suitable sealant.

Do not apply solution until location of heat pipes, ducts, water and sewer lines and electrical conduits are known and identified. Take care to avoid puncturing and injection into these structural elements.

Do not plant for the purpose of consumption, edible plants into the treated areas of soil.

Avoid contamination of public and private water supplies.

Use anti-backflow equipment or an air gap on filling hoses.

Consult State, Federal or local authorities for information regarding the approved treatment practices for areas in close proximity to potable water supplies.

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