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# PURINA VEGETABLE GARDEN INSECTICIDE

For Sucking and Chewing Insects

Active ingredients:	
Malathion	12.5%
Malathion-chlor, technical	12.5%
Xylene	44.0%
Inert ingredients	31.0%
	100.0%

\*0,0-dimethyl dithiophosphate of diethyl mercaptosuccinate.  
†2.5% methoxychlor, technical is equivalent to 11% 2,2-bis  
(p-methoxyphenyl) 1,1,1-trichloroethane and 1.5% other  
isomers and reaction products.

**CAUTION: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
SEE OTHER WARNINGS ON BACK PANEL  
COMBUSTIBLE MIXTURE**

NET 16 FL. OZ. (1 PT.)

Manufactured by  
**RALSTON PURINA COMPANY**  
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### DIRECTIONS

Mix Purina Vegetable Garden Insecticide at the rate of 2 table-  
spoonfuls (1 fluid ounce) to each gallon of water. Spray on foliage  
when insects first appear, continue at 7 to 14 day intervals as  
needed. Spray blister beetles directly.

### VEGETABLE INSECTS:

**BEANS**—Aphids, Mexican bean beetle, flea beetle, leafhopper.  
**BEETS, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, KOHLRABI, RUTABAGA**  
**TURNIPS**—Aphids, flea beetle, blister beetle, cabbage looper,  
imported cabbage worm.  
**CANTALOUPE, WATERMELON**—Aphids, cucumber beetle, leaf  
hopper.  
**CUCUMBER, PUMPKINS, SQUASH**—Aphids, cucumber beetle.  
**EGGPLANT**—Aphids, flea beetle, spider mites, lace bug.  
**PEAS**—Aphids, pea weevil.  
**PEPPER**—Aphids, flea beetle, pepper maggot.  
**POTATO**—Aphids, leaf hopper, squash bug.  
**TOMATO**—Aphids, blister beetle, root worm, spider mite.

### HARVESTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Do not spray within 7 days of picking—bean, beet (if only roots are  
used), cabbage, cucumber, eggplant, melons, pea, pepper, pump-  
kin, squash, tomato, kohlrabi, rutabaga.

Do not spray within 14 days of picking—beet greens, cauliflower,  
turnip greens.

**CAUTION:** If swallowed, induce vomiting. Call physician immedi-  
ately. Atropine sulfate or 2 PAM are antidotal for malathion.

Always use freshly mixed solution. Avoid breathing spray mist.  
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly with  
soap and water after using.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** This product is toxic to fish. Keep  
out of lakes, streams or ponds. Do not contaminate water by the  
cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not apply where  
runoff is likely to occur. Do not apply in any manner not specified  
on this label.

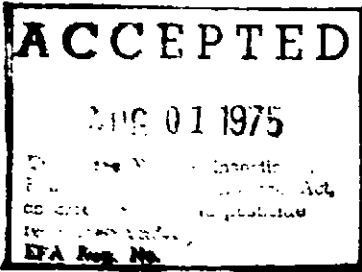
Highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment or residues on  
crops. Do not apply during periods of bloom.

Do not reuse empty container, destroy it by crushing, bury or  
discard in safe place.

**CAUTION:** Do not use pump sprayer or store near heat or open flame.

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Mix Purina Vegetable Garden insecticide with 100 to 200 water sprayer or pump sprayer spoonfuls (1 fluid ounce) to each gallon of water. Spray plants thoroughly when insects first appear, continue at 7 to 10 day intervals as needed. Spray blister beetles directly.

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BEETS, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, KOHLRABI, RUTABAGA  
TURNIPS--Aphids, flea beetle, blister beetle, cabbage looper, imported cabbage worm  
CANTALOUPE, WATERMELON--Aphids, cucumber beetle, leaf hopper  
CUCUMBER, PUMPKINS, SQUASH--Aphids, cucumber beetle  
EGGPLANT--Aphids, flea beetle, spider mites, lace bug  
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